

**The code for the STC indicator and function are below, in TradeStation EasyLanguage format.**

Comments to the code are written in blue.

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{*****  
  
Description : This Indicator plots the Schaff Trend Cycle  
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*****}  
  
Inputs: TCLen(10), MA1(23), MA2(50);  
plot1(_SchaffTC(TCLen,MA1,MA2),"Schaff_TLC");  
plot2(25);  
plot3(75);
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{*****  
  
Description : This is the Schaff Trend Cycle function  
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*****}  
  
Inputs: TCLen(NumericSimple), MA1(NumericSimple), MA2(NumericSimple);  
Variables: XMac(0), Frac1(0), PF(0), PFF(0), Frac2(0), Factor(.5);
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#### **{Calculate a MACD Line}**

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XMac = MACD(c,MA1,MA2) ;
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#### **{1st Stochastic: Calculate Stochastic of a MACD}**

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Value1 = Lowest(XMac, TCLen);
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Value2 = Highest(XMac, TCLen) - Value1;
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### {%FastK of MACD}

Frac1 = IFF(Value2 > 0, ((XMac - Value1) / Value2) \* 100, Frac1[1]);

### {Smoothed calculation for %FastD of MACD}

PF = IFF(CurrentBar<=1, Frac1, PF[1] + (Factor \* (Frac1 - PF[1])));

### {2nd Stochastic: Calculate Stochastic of Smoothed Percent FastD, 'PF', above.}

Value3 = Lowest(PF, TCLen);

Value4 = Highest(PF, TCLen) - Value3;

### {%FastK of PF}

Frac2 = IFF(Value4 > 0, ((PF - Value3) / Value4) \* 100, Frac2[1]);

### {Smoothed calculation for %FastD of PF}

PFF = IFF(CurrentBar<=1, Frac2, PFF[1] + (Factor \* (Frac2 - PFF[1])));

### {The STC function is the %FastD of PF}

\_SchaffTC= PFF;

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### User Inputs:

**Input Data:** O,H,L,C, OHLC Avg, HLC Avg, HL Avg

**Period Length:** Number of Bars to Calculate

**Short Cycle:** Length of the long-moving average period.

**Long Cycle:** Length for the short-moving average period.

**Moving Average Type:** Simple, Exponential, Weighted, Wells Wilder, Hull, Double Exponential, Triple Exponential, Smoothed

**Upper Line Level**

**Lower Line Level**