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PRICE TIME VOLUME

INSTALLATION & QUICK-START GUIDE

For Sierra Chart

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PTV | Getting Started

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Welcome to PTV. This guide explains how to receive the study through Sierra Chart, add it to a chart, and configure your first view. Your subscription is associated with the Sierra Chart Account Name provided at checkout.

1 | Confirm your Sierra Chart account

Open Sierra Chart using the **same Sierra Chart Account Name** you entered during checkout. Access is managed by FPTG and may take a short time to become available after payment. A successful payment confirmation does not by itself verify that study access is active.

2 | Enable custom-study downloads

Sign in to the Sierra Chart website and open its **Enabled Custom Studies / Files to Download** page. Under **File Download**, confirm downloads are enabled. Sierra Chart uses this setting to deliver authorized custom-study files automatically.

3 | Restart Sierra Chart

Close and restart Sierra Chart after access has been granted. Sierra Chart should download the authorized PTV DLL automatically. You do **not** need source code, a compiler, or a manual DLL installation when automatic distribution is configured.

4 | Add PTV to a chart

• Open the chart where you want to use PTV.

• Choose **Analysis > Studies** (or press **F6**).

• Select **Add Custom Study**.

• Expand **FPTG_PriceTimeVolume** and select the PTV study listed within it.

• Click **Add**, then **Settings** to review the study inputs. Click **OK** to apply.

5 | Configure your first chart

Review the PTV study inputs and select an appropriate **brick size in ticks** for the market. Confirm the time and volume information is visible and distinguish completed bricks from the developing brick. Adjust visual colors and labels to suit your chart. Settings and available input names may differ slightly by installed PTV version.

How to read PTV: Each completed fixed-tick brick represents a defined price movement. The study shows how much **time** and **volume** that movement took. The developing brick is not final until completed. PTV is an analytical tool, not a trade signal.

6 | If the study does not appear

• Check that the Sierra Chart Account Name entered at checkout matches the account currently signed in.

• Verify **File Downloads** are enabled on the Sierra Chart website.

• Restart Sierra Chart again after authorization has been confirmed.

• If necessary, use Sierra Chart's **Forced Login** procedure to refresh authorization and file downloads.

• If the DLL still does not appear, contact FPTG support with your Sierra Chart Account Name, the approximate purchase time, and the error message (if any). Never send your password.

Support and reference

FPTG website: fishpondtradinggroup.com

Sierra Chart instructions: How to Use an Advanced Custom Study and Resolving Custom Study Access Issues.
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