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Trading XAUUSD (Gold) with A.K Pro Trader's Smart Money Concepts

A clean, structured SMC workflow for BOS/CHOCH, liquidity, order blocks, FVG and premium/discount — built to help you trade with clarity and patience.

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Smart Money Concepts

SMC

XAUUSD (Gold)

BOS/CHOCH

liquidity

order blocks

FVG

premium/discount

alerts

Recommended baseline (Gold)

- Start with HTF bias: 1H/4H
- Show structure: BOS/CHOCH + swings
- Keep liquidity lines ON
- Enable OB + FVG (key only)

Clean chart rules

- Trade at zones — not in the middle
- Hide low-quality timeframes
- Confirm before entry
- Use fixed risk per trade

1. What this indicator is built for

Smart Money Concepts (SMC) is designed to help you trade with structure: market bias, key swings, BOS/CHOCH, liquidity, order blocks and fair value gaps — without drawing everything manually.

Core structure

- BOS/CHOCH to define trend shifts
- Swing points + structure labels
- Liquidity lines to frame where stops sit

Zones & concepts

- Order blocks (supply/demand)
- Fair Value Gaps (FVG)
- Premium/Discount framework for entries

Goal: identify context → wait for price to reach a zone → confirm → execute with risk management.

2. Recommended setup (XAUUSD / intraday)

Keep it clean. Use higher-timeframe context first, then let SMC add precision. Start with defaults, then adjust visibility for your chart.

Timeframes

- Bias + structure from 1H / 4H
- Execution on 5m / 15m
- Hide noisy lower-timeframe objects if needed

Visibility

- Enable only what you trade
- Keep liquidity + OB/FVG on
- Use dashboard to avoid overtrading

3. A trader's workflow (simple + repeatable)

Use SMC as a framework, not as a signal spam tool. Your strategy decides the entry — SMC provides the map.

Step 1 — Context

- Mark HTF zones + bias
- Identify recent BOS/CHOCH
- Note liquidity above/below swings

Step 2 — Wait

- Let price return to a zone
- Prefer premium/discount alignment
- Avoid entries in the middle

Step 3 — Confirm

- Look for shift (CHOCH) on LTF
- Use OB/FVG reaction
- Execute with stop beyond invalidation

4. Alerts (clean + useful)

Alerts should notify you when conditions happen — not tell you to buy/sell. Only enable what matches your plan.

Good alert set

- BOS/CHOCH events
- New OB / FVG formed
- Liquidity sweep / reclaim (if used)

Keep it disciplined

- Reduce alert spam by timeframe
- Confirm manually before entry
- Use fixed risk (e.g., 0.5–1% max)

5. Smart Money Concepts screenshots & settings (4K)

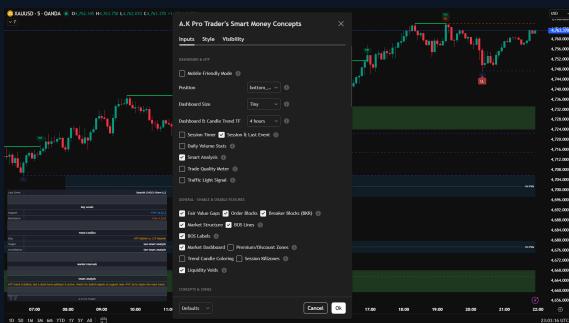
Real chart + settings screenshots. Captions improve clarity and SEO.



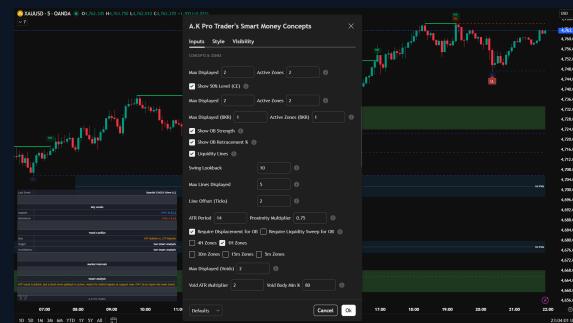
SMC Dashboard + Smart Analysis (XAUUSD) — key



Example structure: BOS/CHOCH + liquidity + zones on XAUUSD



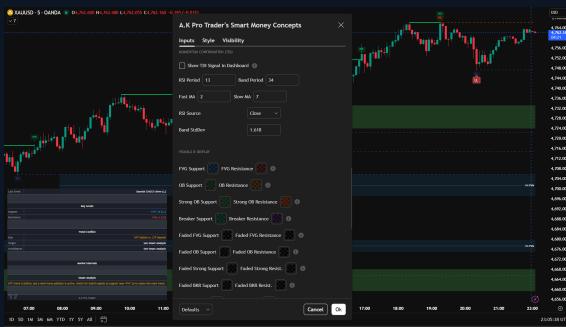
Inputs: dashboard, MTF timeframe, feature toggles



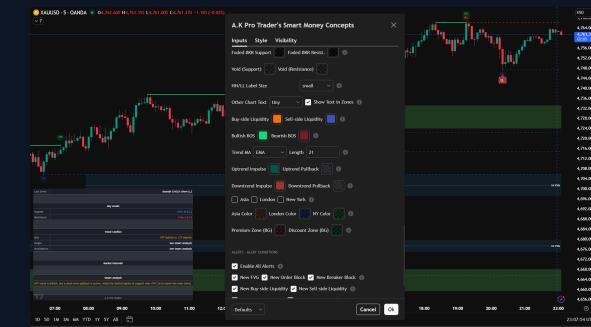
Inputs: Concepts & Zones — OB/FVG, liquidity lines, and zones

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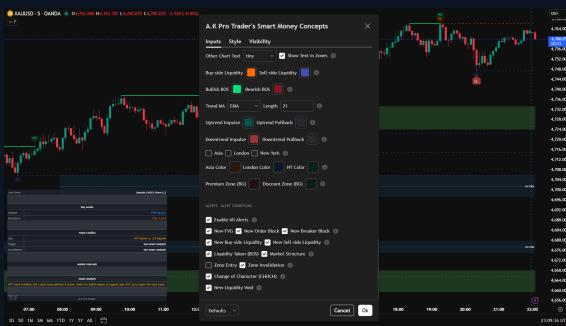
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Style: visual colours for FVG, OB, liquidity, BOS areas



Style: sessions + premium/discount backgrounds + alert



Alerts: clean + useful parameters (avoid noisy signals)

7. Quick FAQ

Does this work for scalping on M1/M5?

Yes — but use higher-timeframe bias first. On very low timeframes, hide extra objects and only trade at pre-defined zones.

What markets are best for SMC?

SMC works on any liquid market. Most users apply it on XAUUSD, major FX pairs and BTC/ETH where structure is clearer.

How do I avoid overtrading with SMC?

Only trade at zones, wait for a clear shift (CHOCH/BOS) and keep risk fixed. If conditions conflict, skip the trade.

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