# What is MetaTrader 5? Backtesting, Hedging, and Netting in MT5

MetaTrader 5 (MT5) is an advanced trading platform developed by the Russian company **MetaQuotes** in 2010.

It was introduced as an upgraded version of MetaTrader 4, aiming to address the limitations of the earlier version.


A complete review of MetaTrader 5

MetaTrader 5 provides users advanced tools such as **technical indicators, an integrated economic calendar, algorithmic trading capabilities, and backtesting**.

# Key Features of MetaTrader 5

Below is a brief explanation of **MetaTrader 5's** most practical features:

## Automated Trading with Advanced Algorithms

MetaTrader 5 enables **automated trading** using algorithms designed in the **MQL5 programming language**.

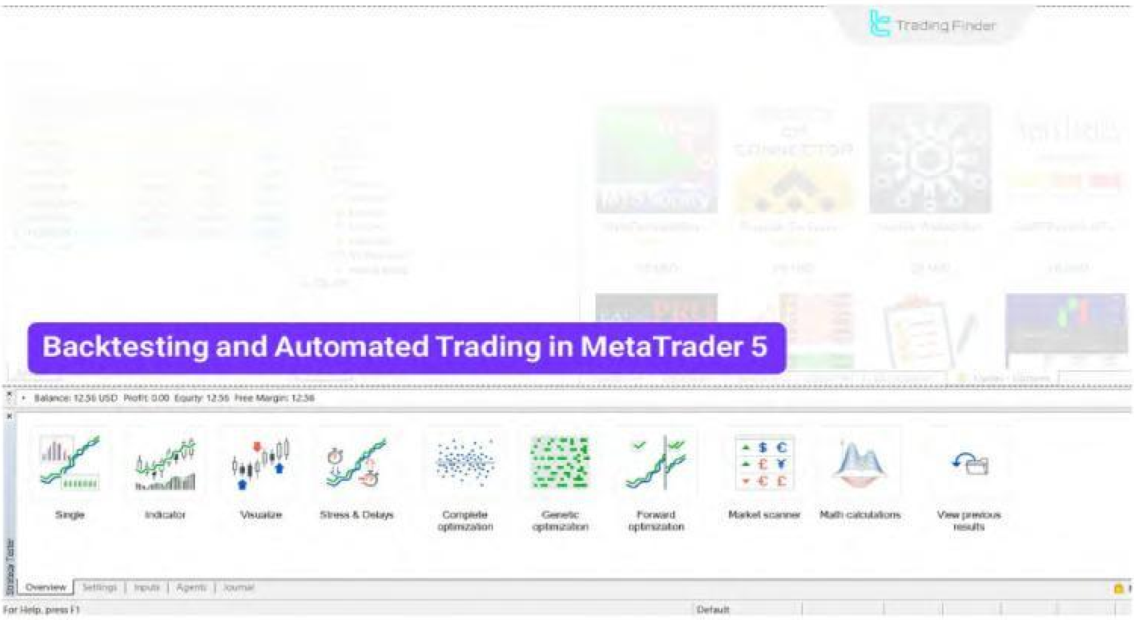
This feature allows users to create **custom trading robots and indicators.** You can find **TradingFinder's indicators on the MQL website** as well.

## Diverse Analytical Tools

The platform offers **38 technical indicators** and **44 charting tools**, including **Bollinger Bands**, **Moving Averages**, **channels**, and other tools.
Traders also have the option to add custom **MetaTrader 5 indicators** allowing them to perform in-depth technical analysis using Third-party tools.

## Multi-threaded Backtesting

The platform allows users to test **trading strategies** in a multi-threaded environment by using historical data.




The Multi-thread backtesting and automated trading in MetaTrader 5

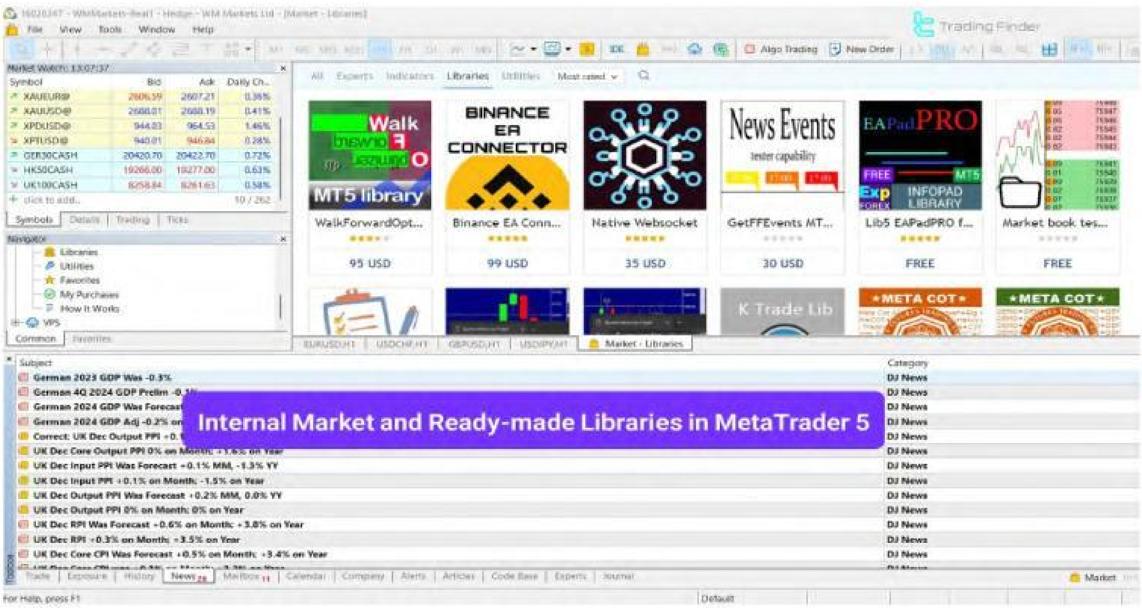
## Market Depth Support

This feature provides access to detailed trading volume data and market dynamics.


The "Market Depth" window in MetaTrader 5 displays the trading volume of all financial markets

## Internal Market and Ready-made Tool Library

Users can purchase or **download ready-made tools and various indicators** through the internal market.




MetaTrader 5 internal market and ready-made libraries

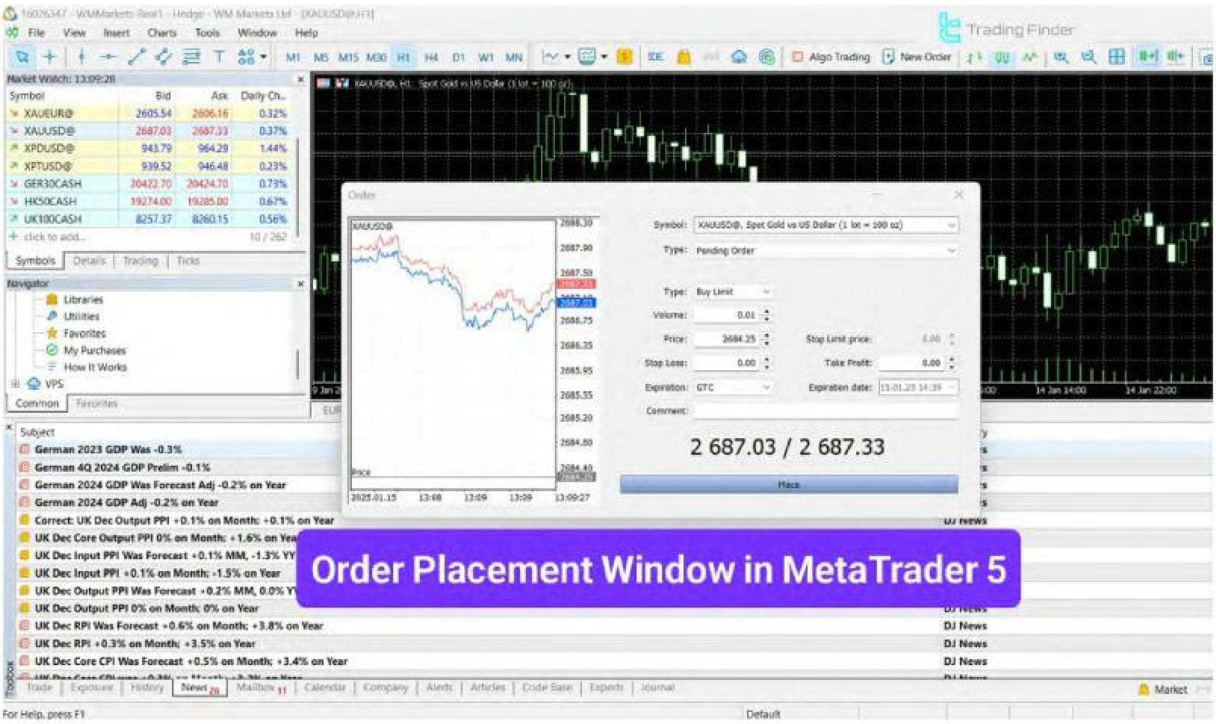
## Detailed Performance Reports

The platform provides performance analysis for trades, including **win rates, average profit, and loss**.

## Order Types

MetaTrader 5 supports various market order types and pending orders, including:

- Buy Limit
- Sell Limit
- Buy Stop
- Sell Stop
- Buy Stop Limit
- Sell Stop Limit
- Trailing Stop




MT5 supports various order types such as Buy limit, Sell limit, trailing stop, etc.

## Take Profit and Stop Loss

These tools allow traders to **automatically** close trades when a profit or loss threshold is reached.

## Hedging and Netting Systems

These systems enable users to either open multiple positions **simultaneously** or **consolidate** all open positions seamlessly.

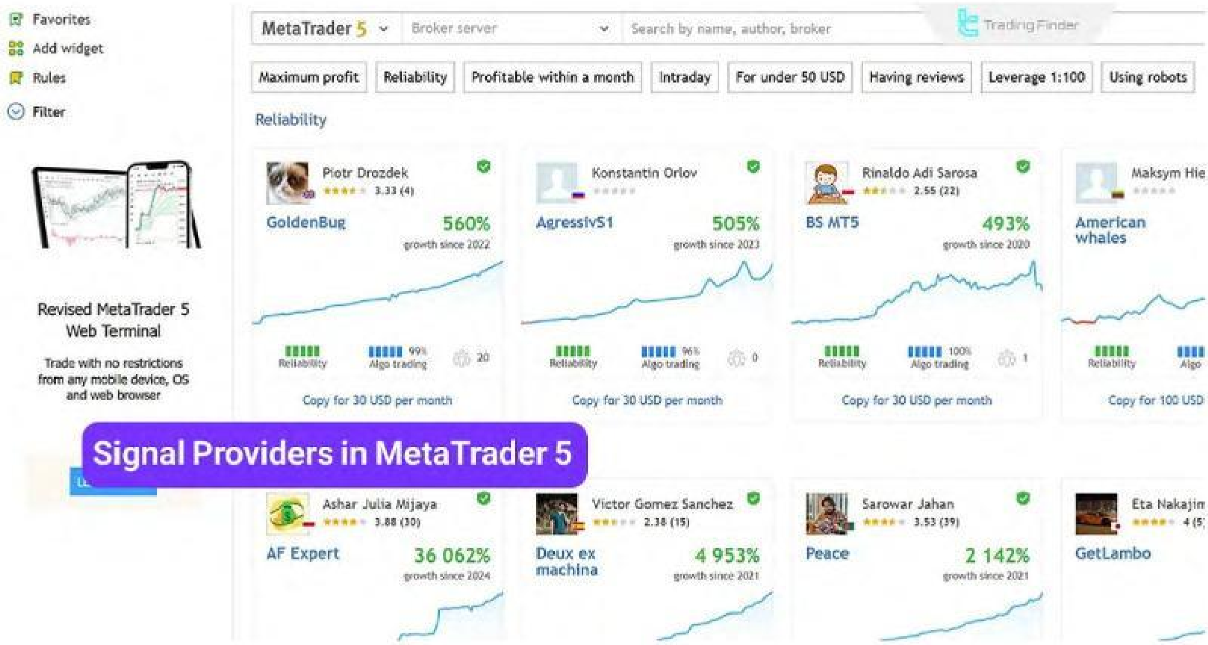
## Templates

MT5 provides templates for simplifying and optimizing analysis. Templates include configurations such as **indicators, chart colors, trend lines**, and other analytical tools that can be saved and applied to new charts.


Traders can use MT5 templates to apply their preferred settings on various charts

## Copy Trading

A highly appealing feature that enables traders to replicate trades executed by other professional traders.




The signal providers' ranking and profitability in MetaTrader 5

## Advantages and Disadvantages of MetaTrader 5

Despite the advancements of MetaTrader 5 compared to **MetaTrader 4**, this platform still faces challenges. **MT5 pros and cons**:

| Advantages | Disadvantages |
|---|---|
| Modern and flexible design | Complex interface for beginner traders |
| High security | Higher minimum system requirements compared to MT4 |
| Support for diverse markets | Incompatibility with MetaTrader 4 |
| MQL5 programming language and custom robot development | - |
| High speed and reliable performance | - |

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| Integrated economic calendar | - |
| Multi-threaded and precise backtesting | - |

## Conclusion

**MetaTrader 5** (MT5) provides advanced **algorithmic trading**, **extensive analytical tools** (38 built-in indicators), and **multi-threaded backtesting**.

The platform allows trading in various markets, including Forex, stocks, commodities, indices, and futures contracts using custom **trading robots** and **tools**.

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