

# Wyckoff Accumulation Method

## Spotting Institutional Accumulation Before the Markup Phase

Wyckoff analysis is pattern-based, not mechanical. Use this as a qualitative checklist.

# CRITERIA PASS ✓

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**Price in a sideways trading range (Accumulation Zone)**

Stock must be in a defined trading range — not trending up, not trending down.  
*NSE: Accumulation ranges on NSE midcaps often last 3-12 months. Patience is the primary requirement.*
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**Volume decreasing on down days within the range**

Selling pressure diminishing. Volume should be lower on days the stock falls within the range.  
*NSE: Compare volume ratio on down days vs up days within the base. Asymmetry signals accumulation.*
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**Volume increasing on up days within the range**

Institutional buying visible. Volume should expand when price tests the upper range boundary.  
*NSE: Look for 1.5x+ volume ratio on days price tests resistance — signature of Wyckoff demand.*
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**Spring or shakeout: false break below range low then recovery**

The classic Wyckoff Spring — price breaks below support briefly then reverses strongly upward.  
*NSE: Springs are common before major NSE breakouts. Low-volume spring + high-volume recovery = signal.*
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**Cause sufficient: range duration implies meaningful markup ahead**

Longer accumulation = larger potential markup. Minimum 8-12 weeks for meaningful Wyckoff setup.  
*NSE: "Cause and Effect" — time spent in accumulation determines the distance of the markup phase.*

**RESULT** **5/5 HIGH CONVICTION**    ~~3-4/5 POSSIBLE WYCKOFF~~

Criteria passed: \_\_\_\_\_ / 5    |    Decision: \_\_\_\_\_

Ticker: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Entry ■: \_\_\_\_\_ RS Rating: \_\_\_\_\_ Stage: \_\_\_\_\_ Pivot ■: \_\_\_\_\_ Stop ■: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTES**

Volume check: up-day vol > down-day vol? ■ Yes ■ No    Volume dry-up near pivot? ■ Yes ■ No

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