

The following variables have been added to help detect trends in data using trending rules:

**[Rst.TrendUp(#)]** - shows upward trend based on user defined number of consecutive data points

**[Rst.TrendDown(#)]** - shows downward trend based on user defined number of consecutive data points

**[Rst.Trend(#)]** - shows upward or downward trend based on user defined number of consecutive data points

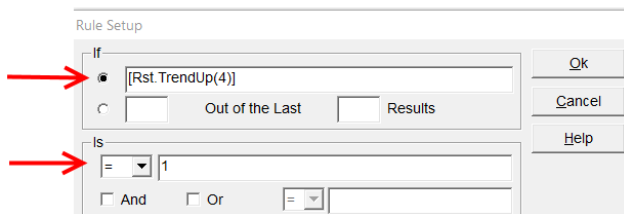
**[Rst.TrendSawtooth(#)]** - shows alternating upward and downward trend based on user defined number of consecutive data points

The value **1** is returned when the trend variable has been identified. This value will be used to trigger a rule.

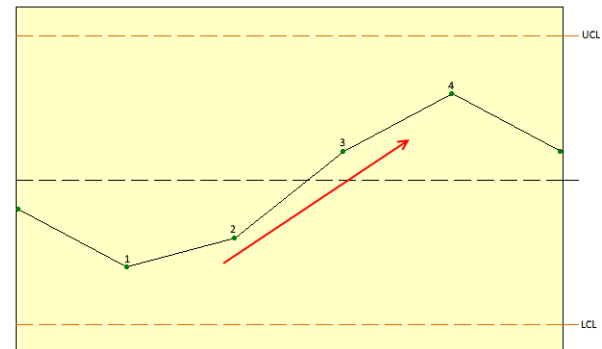
Upward Trend [Rst.TrendUp(#)]

In this example, we are setting up a rule to identify an upward trend of four (4) consecutive data points

1. In the "If" section of the Rule Setup form, type the variable name, [Rst.TrendUp(#)], replacing the # with the number of trending data points.
2. Then, set the "Is" section to = 1



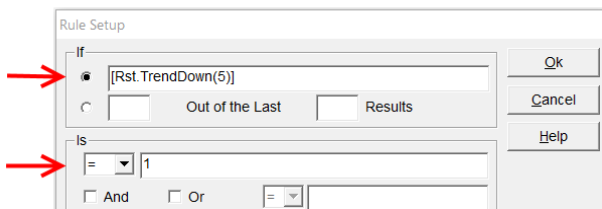
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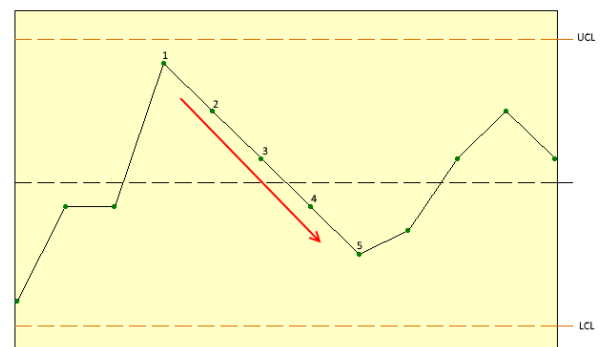
Downward Trend [Rst.TrendDown(#)]

In this example, we are setting up a rule to identify a downward trend of five (5) consecutive data points

1. In the "If" section of the Rule Setup form, type in the variable name, [Rst.TrendDown(#)], replacing the # with the number of trending data points.
2. Then, set the "Is" section to = 1



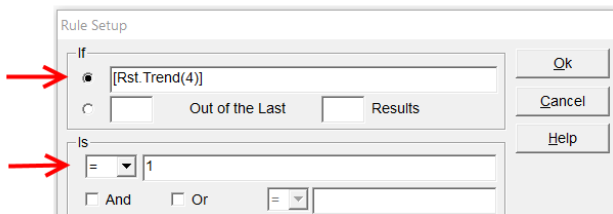
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Upward or Downward Trend [Rst.Trend(#)]

In this example, we are setting up a rule to identify an upward or downward trend of four (4) consecutive data points

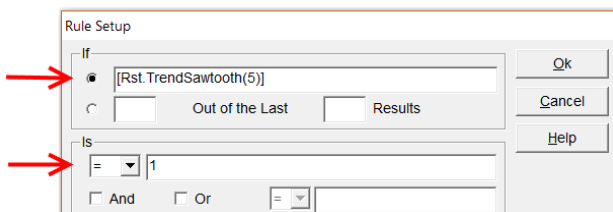
1. In the “If” section of the Rule Setup form, type in the variable name, [Rst.Trend(#)], replacing the # with the number of trending data points.
2. Then, set the “Is” section to = 1



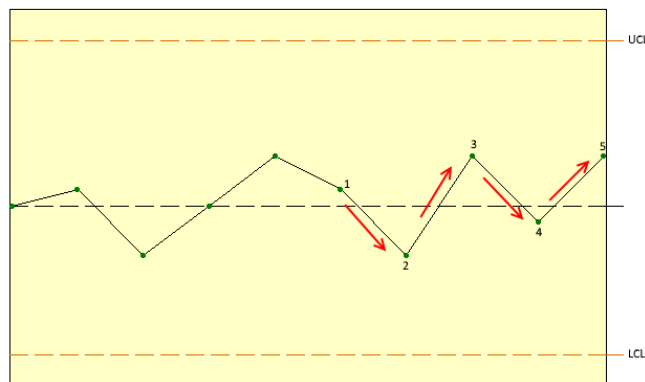
Sawtooth Trend [Rst.TrendSawtooth(#)]

In this example, we are setting up a rule to identify if there is a trend of five (5) consecutive data points alternating up and down.

1. In the “If” section of the Rule Setup form, type in the variable name, [Rst.TrendSawtooth(#)], replacing the # with the number of trending data points.
2. Then, set the “Is” section to = 1



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If you have any questions or need any help, please contact technical support at 1-800-448-2548 ext. 202