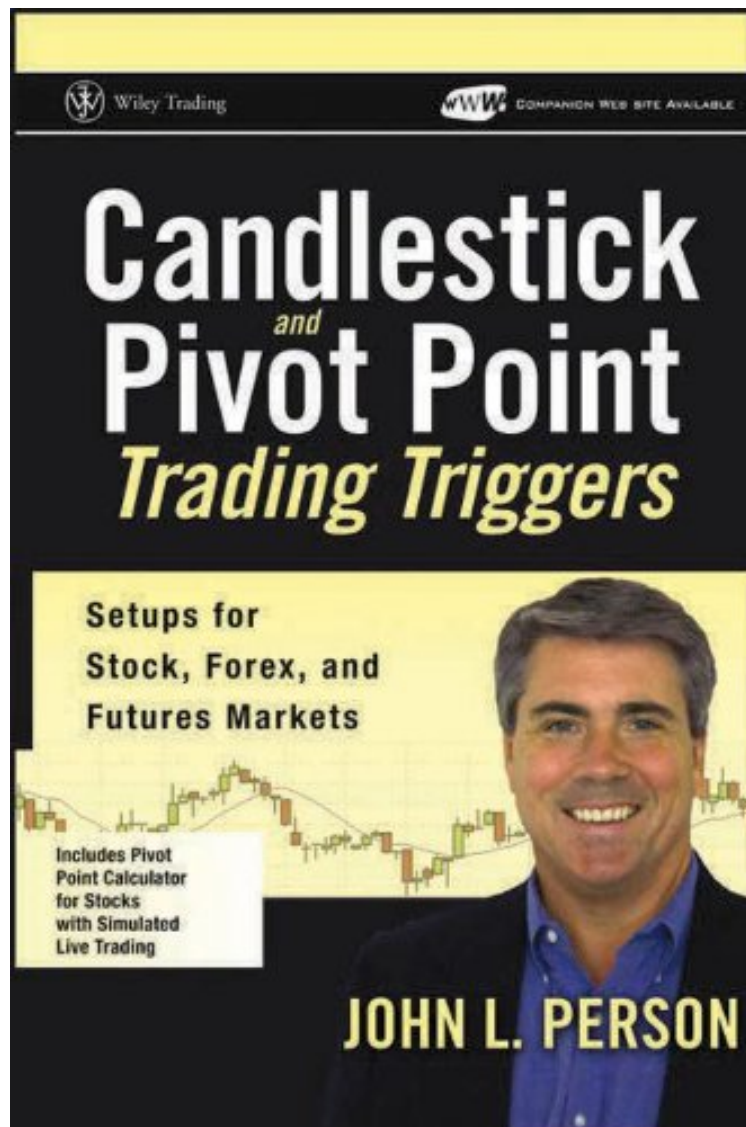


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In his first book, *A Complete Guide to Technical Trading Tactics*, John Person introduced traders to the concept of integrating candlestick charting with pivot point analysis. Now, in *Candlestick and Pivot Point Trading Triggers*, he goes a step further and shows you how to devise your own setups and triggers—in the stock, forex, and futures markets—based on a moving average approach. Note: Website and other supplementary materials are not included as part of eBook file.

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