Presentation Notes: Baker's Dozen Sell Rules



"The decisive act of selling may turn out, with hindsight, to be a mistake but the indecisive act of <u>not</u> selling can turn out to be a disaster." J. Mamis

OFFENSIVE

Profit Goal Sell Rule - Sell most stocks that rise +20-25% in 4-8wks from the Pivot

<u>Multiple of Risk</u> – use your trading stats to take profits at a multiple of the risk taken on the trade

<u>Moving Averages</u> – Use various moving average violations to scale out of a position

New Price Highs on Low Volume

• GS'06, SNDK'03 PHM'83, HD '90, GRUB '18, TTD'20,

Sharp Pullback/Fast Recovery to New Highs

 Ex. NFLX '11, AAPL'06, CROX,'07, NOK'00, JLG'06, NTES'03, PHM '03, FVRR'21

Upper Channel Line Break

 Ex. LEV'71, AMZN'03, PCLN'08, JLG'97, YHOO'99, SPLK'13, ANET'18, SQ'17, PTON'20, SE'21

Climax Tops

 Ex. HD'83, SCHW'99, AMGN '92, MNST'06, TASR'04, QCOM'99, JDSU '00, MG'68, TIE'06, SQ'17, TLRY'18, JKS'20, TSLA'20, DOCU'20, GSX'20, NIO'20, SI '21

DEFENSIVE

<u>7% Loss Sell Rule</u> – Sell if 7% below the price you paid; Golden Rule

<u>Roundtripping</u> - Sell a stock once +8% and then roundtrips in order to lock in minimum 1% gain to preserve your psychology

Distribution Tops: Stalling, Railroad Tracks, Island Gaps

 Ex. SCHN'03, BIDU'11, WMT'83, MOS'08, LTD'83, ALGN'18, ANET'18, SQ'21, TWLO'21, ATI'06, NOK'00

Late Stage Failed Base (LSFB)

• Ex. MOS'08, NVDA '18, TAL'18, NVCR'19, TEAM'20,

Largest One – Day Point Loss

 Ex. CERN'05, DBRN'06, ZUMZ'06, JBSS'04, CMC'06, TRHC'18, TTD'20

Three Bar Breaks

• Ex. AMZN'20, TWLO'20, ENPH'20, SEDG'20

Three Lower Lows

 Ex. WAGE'14, AFST'13, BW'16, LGND'18, TWLO'21, ROKU'21, CELH'21

50d Break on Big Volume

Ex._GOOGL'05, ISRG'06, ISRG'08, AAPL'06, TZOO'05, ZM'20