EMA stands for Exponential Moving Average - a technical indicator used to smooth out price data and identify trends more clearly. It's a type of moving average that gives more weight to recent prices, making it more responsive to new information compared to the Simple Moving Average (SMA).

- Key Points About EMA:
- 1. Tracks the average price of a stock over a specific number of periods (e.g., 9, 20, 50 days), but with an emphasis on recent prices.
- 2. Helps traders identify trend direction, entry/exit points, and momentum.
- How Traders Use EMA:
- > Trend Identification:
- 1. Price above **EMA** = **uptrend**
- 2. Price below **EMA** = **downtrend**
- Crossovers (Signal Strategy):
- > Intraday Trading Strategy Using Exponential Moving Averages (EMA) in Zerodha:
- 1. Open the Zerodha Kite charting platform and navigate to "Studies".
- 2. Add the Moving Average indicator three times with the following settings:
- Period: 6 | Type: Exponential
- Period: 12 | Type: Exponential
- Period: 24 | Type: Exponential



## Buy Signal:

- 1. A buy is triggered when the 6-period EMA crosses above both the 12-period and 24-period EMAs.
- 2. The crossover must occur from below and happen within a single candle.

## Sell Signal:

- 1. A sell is triggered when the 6-period EMA crosses below both the 12-period and 24-period EMAs.
- 2. The crossover must occur from above, also within a single candle.

## > Important Conditions to Avoid Trades :

- Avoid trading if the crossover occurs during a large candle (big bar)—this may indicate abnormal volatility or false signals.
- Do not enter trades during gap-up or gap-down openings.
- If the 24-period EMA is flat (i.e., not sloping), it suggests a lack of clear trend—avoid trading in such conditions.



## Example -



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