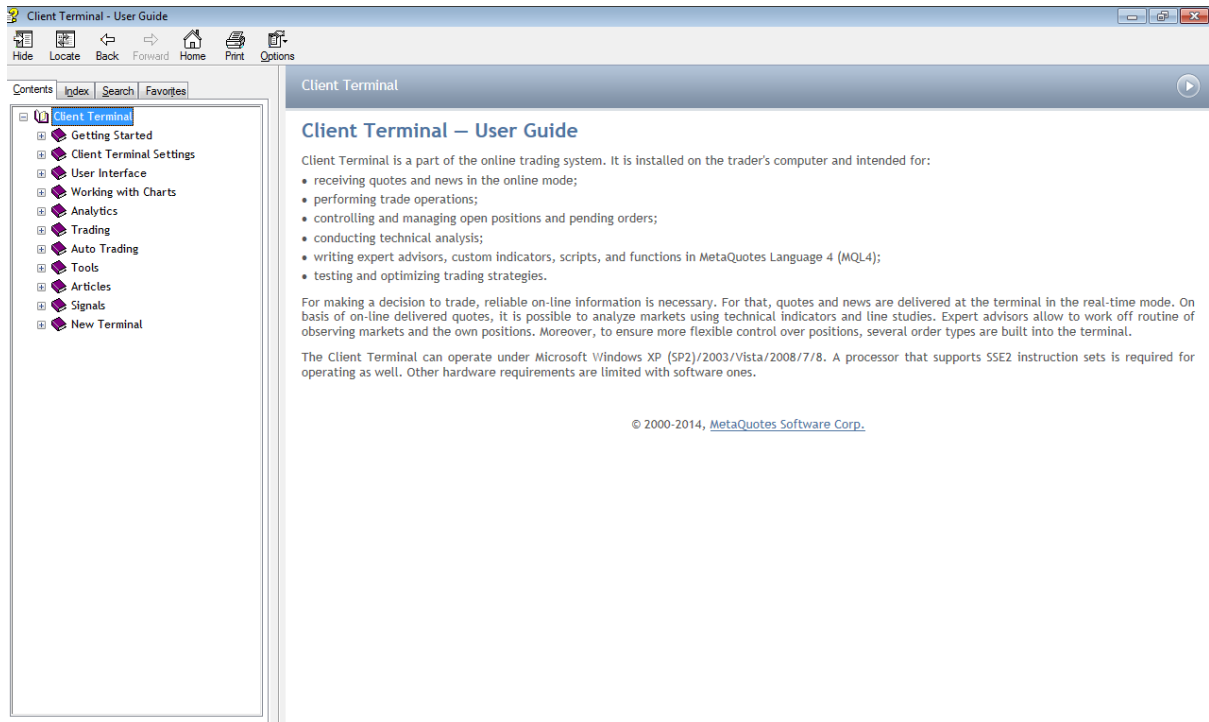# Guide to MT4's User Guide

Navigation

In your MetaTrader 4 (not MetaEditor), click on Help/Help Topics or press F1. You open up the Client Terminal guide. This is a comprehensive guide to MT4. You might be asked to download the new version of the guide if your MT4 doesn't have it.
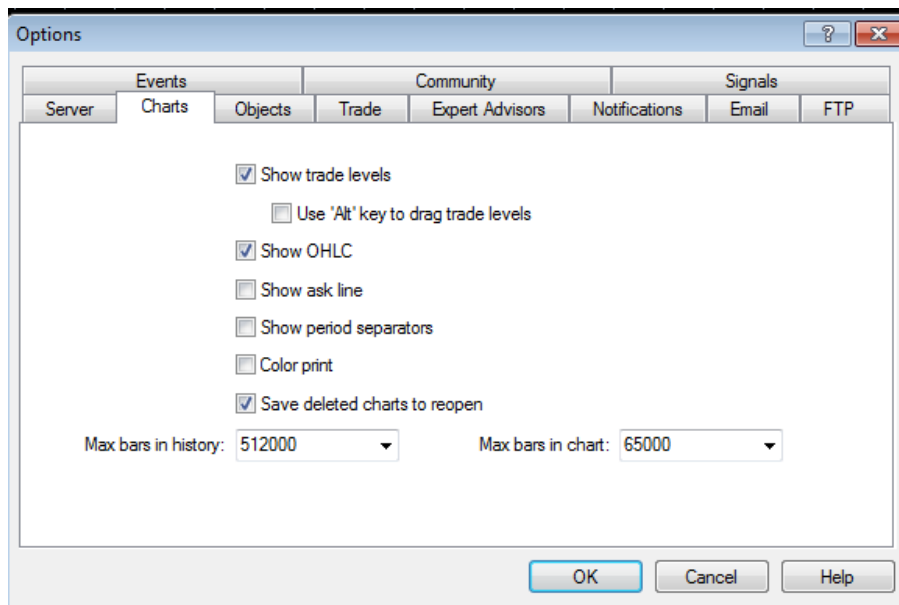

Browse through the following topics:

1. User Interface
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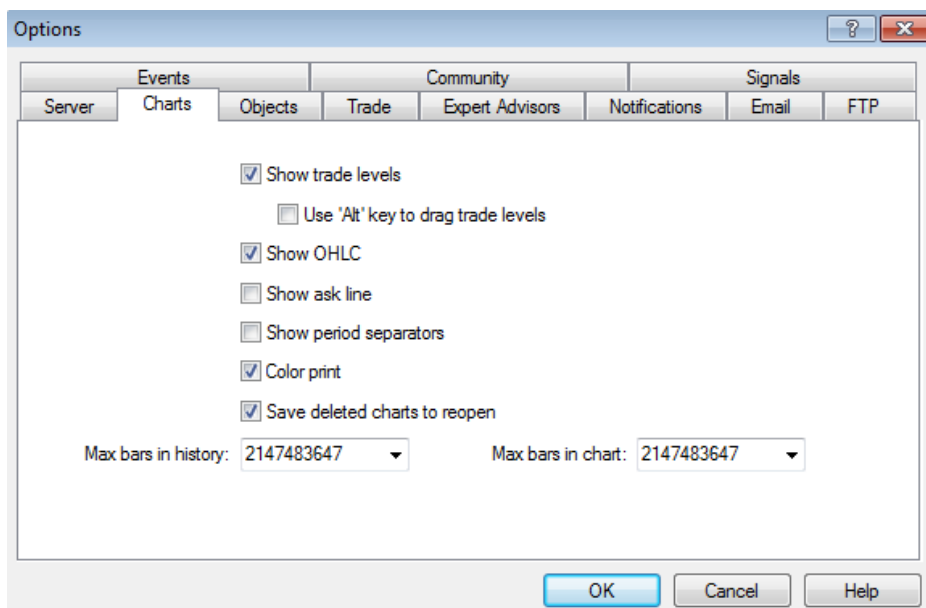This will give you a good background for navigating around the platform.
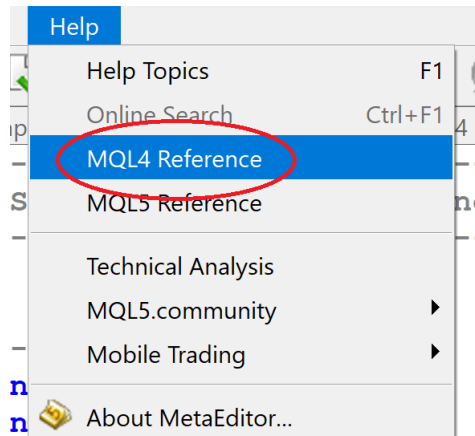
Set up your Chart Settings!

Under Tools/Options, change the "Max bars in history" and "Max bars in chart" to 9999999999.

After you are done, click Ok. Open the Options again. The max bars should show a different number.

MQL4 Documentation

The documentation is a reference list for the MQL4 language. It can be accessed via MetatEditor, under Help/MQL4 Reference. We will be using this frequently during our coding.

MQL4 Articles

Link: https://www.mql5.com/en/articles/mt4 (I know it says mql5.com but this page is for MQL4)

This contains articles on MQL4/5, MT4/5 and algorithmic trading related content.

MQL4 Code Base

Link: https://www.mql5.com/en/code/mt4

Free codes for everyone! This is a library for MQL4 and MQL5 material. It can also be accessed in your Terminal Window, under the Code Base tab.

MQL4 Jobs

Link: https://www.mql5.com/en/job

Hire freelancers to code for you. Or earn some cash (earn back the cost of this course!) by writing code for others with the skills you're about to learn.

MQL4 Market

Link: https://www.mql5.com/en/market

This is a marketplace for MQL4 and MQL5 products.

MQL4 Signals

Link: https://www.mql5.com/en/signals

This allows you to follow the trading of others for a small fee. It can also be accessed in your Terminal Window, under the Signals tab.

MQL4 Forum

Link: https://www.mql5.com/en/forum

A Forum for MQL4 and MQL5 users to share ideas.