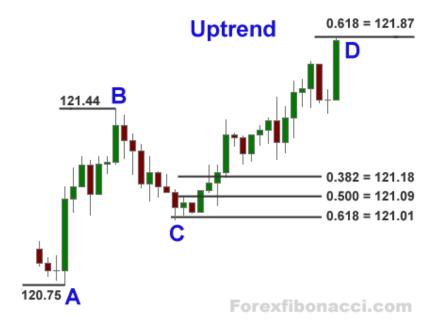
How to calculate Fibonacci retracement and extension levels

Three most used Fibonacci retracement levels are 0.382 or 38.2%, 0.500 (50%) and 0.618 (61.8%).

Three most used Fibonacci extension levels are 0.618, 1.000 and 1.618. Also 1.382 extension can be applied as well.

Let's take a look at the next picture:



In the example above we are in the uptrend. Lowest swing — point A — is 120.75; highest swing — point B — 121.44.

To calculate retracement levels and enter Long at some point C we do next:

Calculations for Uptrend and Buy order:

B — A = ? 121.44 — 120.75 = 0.69

0.382 (38.2%) retracement = 121.44 — 0.69 x 0.382 = 121.18 0.500 (50.0%) retracement = 121.44 — 0.69 x 0.500 = 121.09 0.618 (61.8%) retracement = 121.44 — 0.69 x 0.618 = 121.01

Fibonacci retracement levels formula for an uptrend:

 $C = B - (B - A) \times N\%$

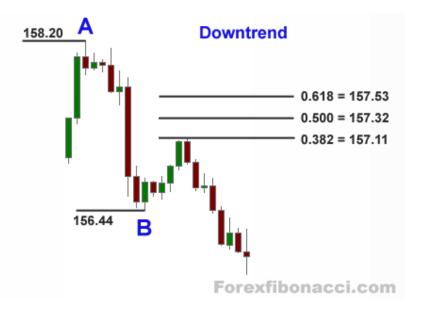
Now we need to calculate extension levels:

0.618 (61.8%) extension = 121.44 + 0.69 x 0.618 = 121.87 1.000 (100.0%) extension = 121.44 + 0.69 x 1.000 = 122.13 1.382 (138.2%) extension = 121.44 + 0.69 x 1.382 = 122.39 1.618 (161.8%) extension = 121.44 + 0.69 x 1.618 = 122.56

Fibonacci extension levels formula for an uptrend:

 $D = B + (B - A) \times N\%$

Our next example is downtrend.



Highest swing — point A — is 158.20; lowest swing — point B — is 156.44.

Calculations for downtrend and Sell order:

A — B = ? 158.20 — 156.44 = 1.76

Because of the downtrend we need to **add** to the lowest point B to find retracement.

0.382 (38.2%) retracement = 156.44 + 1.76 x 0.382 = 157.53 0.500 (50.0%) retracement = 156.44 + 1.76 x 0.500 = 157.32 0.618 (61.8%) retracement = 156.44 + 1.76 x 0.618 = 157.11

Fibonacci retracement levels formula for downtrend:

 $C = B + (A - B) \times N\%$

Now let's find Fibonacci extension levels (downtrend):

0.618 (61.8%) extension = 156.44 — 1.76 x 0.618 = 155.35 1.000 (100%) extension = 156.44 — 1.76 x 1.000 = 154.68 1.382 (138.2%) extension = 156.44 — 1.76 x 1.382 = 154.01 1.618 (161.8%) extension = 156.44 — 1.76 x 1.618 = 153.59

Fibonacci extension levels formula for downtrend:

D = B — (A — B) x N%