

# COST AND FEATURE COMPARISON

	bxChicago	TD Ameritrade	Schwab	E*Trade	Fidelity	Scottrade
<b>Options</b>						
Equity or Index Market Orders	<b>\$1.50/contract or &amp; \$14.95 minimum</b>	\$9.99 base + \$0.75/contract	\$8.95 base + \$0.75/contract	\$12.99 base + \$0.75/contract	\$19.95 base + \$0.75/contract	\$7.00 base + \$1.25/contract
10 Contracts (Limit Order)	<b>\$15.00</b>	\$17.49	\$16.45	\$20.49	\$27.45	\$19.50
20 Contracts (Limit Order)	<b>\$30.00</b>	\$24.99	\$23.95	\$27.99	\$34.95	\$32.00
Exercise and Assignment	<b>\$14.95</b>	\$29.99	Subject to corresponding online commission	\$19.99	Online stock rates apply	\$17.00
<b>Futures</b>						
Futures Contracts <sup>1</sup>	<b>\$6.99/contract</b>	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
Options Contracts	<b>\$12.99/contract</b>	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
<b>Other</b>						
Stock	<b>500 shares - \$14.95 1000 shares - \$14.95</b>	\$9.99 unlimited shares	\$12.95 + \$0.015/share over 1,000	\$12.99 + \$0.015/share over 2,000	\$19.95 + \$0.015/share over 1,000	\$7.00 unlimited shares for stocks over \$1
Broker Assisted Options	<b>\$17.95 + \$1.75/contract</b>	\$44.99 + \$0.75/contract	\$25.00 + online commission	\$45.00 + online commission	\$55.00 + \$2.25/contract	\$27.00 + \$1.25/contract
Broker Assisted Stocks	<b>2.5 cents/share, \$25.00 min</b>	\$44.99 + \$0.75/contract	\$25.00 + online commission	\$45.00 + online commission	\$55.00 + \$2.25/contract	\$27.00 + \$1.25/contract
Mutual Funds <sup>2</sup>	<b>\$14.95</b>	\$49.99	Up to \$49.95	Up to \$19.99	\$75.00	\$17.00
Margin Interest <sup>3</sup>	<b>6.75%</b>	9.5%	8.95%	7.99%	9.33%	9.25%
Streaming News	<b>Free</b>	\$29.99/month	No	No	No	Free
Inactivity Fee	<b>\$0</b>	\$0	\$0	\$40/qtr.	\$0	\$0

<sup>1</sup> Commission rates depicted in the table above are quoted on a per-contract, per-side basis. The table above does not include customary NFA and exchange fees, or our \$.50 futures transaction fee or \$.75 futures options transaction fee. Additional fees may apply at some foreign exchanges.

<sup>2</sup> Based on a \$7,500 principal investment in a no-load fund, may exclude any additional fees. Some of the above firms may waive mutual fund commission on certain qualifying funds or if certain investment criteria are met.

<sup>3</sup> Rate based on \$7,500 debit balance

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