Options Trading SIG

Saturday, August 20, 2022 @ 9:00am PT

Spread Trading with Options

A defined risk option strategy for weekly or monthly income

- Informal presentations to help you enhance your portfolio using stock options
- Open discussion with Q & A
- Previous presentations: www.aaiisandiego.com/sub-groups/options-trading/
- Questions and comments: Bruce Ennis, vicepresident@aaiisandiego.com



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Presentation Outline

Spread Basics

Spread Detail: Vertical Spreads

More Detail: Put Credit Spreads

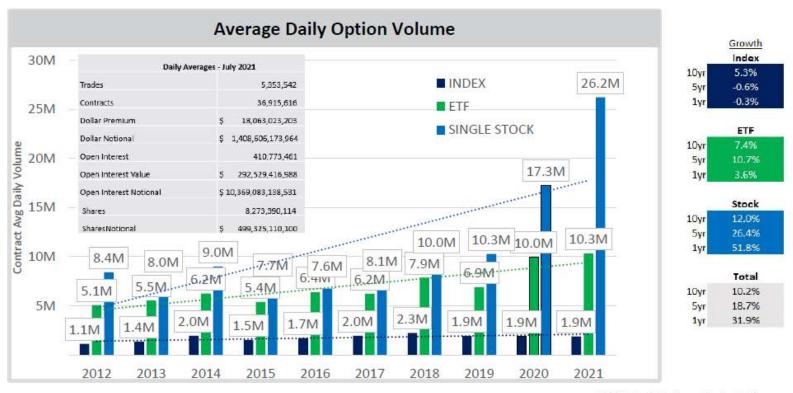
Basic Concepts



- Option traders are sophisticated and well capitalized
- Markets are fragmented, anonymous and 90% electronic
- Every trade has both buyer and a seller, but one initiator
- 30% of volume trades in complex orders
- 40% of volume is swept across exchanges
- There is information in every quote and every trade
- Proper tools are crucial for success

Market Activity





7/28/21 Options Clearing Corp and Choe LiveVol. LLC

Option Volume and Open Interest 8-15-22

Options Only

		VOLUME		OVERALL COMBINED TOTAL			
	GLOBEX	OPEN OUTCRY	CLEARPORT/PNT	VOLUME	OPEN INTEREST	CHANGE	
Agriculture	188,322	0	7,370	195,692	4,119,499	19,059	
Energy	149,396	0	43,529	192,925	7,017,076	37,251	
Equities	844,601	0	98,235	942,836	5,474,142	106,458	
FX	15,074	0	300	15,374	897,290	6,323	
Interest Rate	627,713	404,391	314,744	1,346,848	42,997,845	98,537	
Metals	43,056	0	5,750	48,806	1,141,313	10,723	

Daily Exchange Volume and Open Interest 8-15-22

Exchange

		VOLUME	OVERALL COMBINED TOTAL			
	GLOBEX	OPEN OUTCRY	CLEARPORT/PNT	VOLUME	OPEN INTEREST	CHANGE
Exchange	13,747,946	416,107	857,279	15,021,332	111,903,485	375,984
Exchange Futures	11,879,784	11,716	387,351	12,278,851	50,256,320	97,633
Exchange Options	1,868,162	404,391	469,928	2,742,481	61,647,165	278,351

Different Types of Spreads

Vertical Spreads

Calendar (Horizontal) Spread

Diagonal Spread

Apple Option Chain

AAPL	▼ [] APPLE INC	CCOM 173.9401	6099 8: 173.94 ETE	NASDAQ 🚻 ±1,239					
✓ Underl	ying								
J	Last X	Net Chng	Bid X	Ask X	Size	Volume	Open	High	Low
•	173.9401 D	-,6099	173.94 N	173.95 Q	3 x 7	31,029,014	173.75	174.72	173.12
	Last Size	Yield	PE	Div	Div.Freq	Ex Div.Date	52High	52Low	Shares
	100	0.53%	28.75	.23	Q	8/5/22	182.94	129.04	16,070,752,000

→ Option Chain	Filter: Off Spread: Single Layout: Delta, Open Interest, Volume, Extrinsic	▼
➤ 19 AUG 22	(1) 100	31.21% (±2.432)
> 26 AUG 22	(8) 100 (Weeklys)	27.51% (±5.709)
> 2 SEP 22	(15) 100 (Weeklys)	27,39% (±7,753)
➤ 9 SEP 22	(22) 100 (Weeklys)	27.34% (±9.362)
➤ 16 SEP 22	(29) 100	28.19% (±11.08)
➤ 23 SEP 22	(36) 100 (Weeklys)	28.70% (±12.57)
➤ 30 SEP 22	(43) 100 (Weeklys) [705]	28.55% (±13.668)
> 21 OCT 22	(64) 100	30.18% (±17.654)
➤ 18 NOV 22	(92) 100	32.69% (±23.009)
➤ 16 DEC 22	(120) 100	32.82% (±26.451)
> 20 JAN 23	(155) 100	32.98% (±30.312)
➤ 17 FEB 23	(183) 100	33.46% (±33.523)
➤ 17 MAR 23	(211) 100	33.44% (±36.072)
> 21 APR 23	(246) 100	32.97% (±38.51)
➤ 16 JUN 23	(302) 100	33.71% (±43.929)
> 21 JUL 23	(337) 100	33.34% (±46.027)
➤ 15 SEP 23	(393) 100	33,25% (±49,842)

Vertical Spreads

Sell

- Sell the more expensive strike
- Buy the less expensive strike

Buy

- Buy the more expensive strike
- Sell the less expensive strike

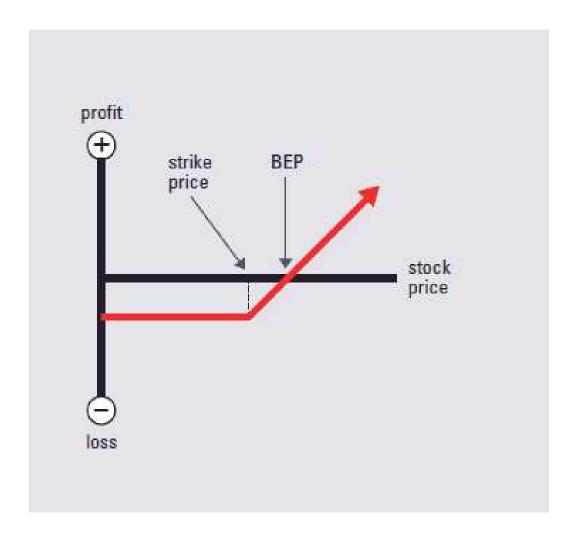
Vertical Spreads

Credit Spreads

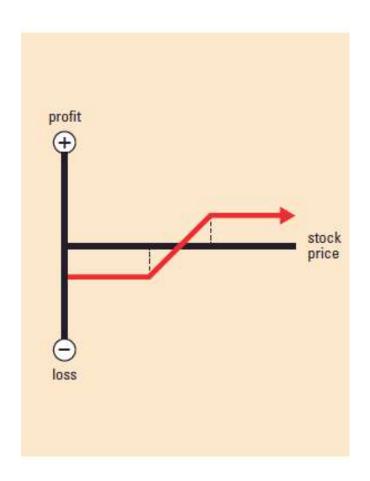
- Put Credit (bullish)
- Call Credit (bearish)

Debit Spreads

- Put Debit (bearish)
- Call Debit (bullish)

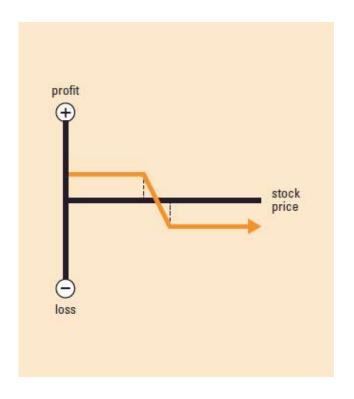


Option PnL at Expiration



Put Credit Spread

- Sell put and buy another put at lower strike with same expiration
- Market sentiment: neutral to bullish
- · Limited risk and limited reward
- Time decay helps position



Put Debit Spread

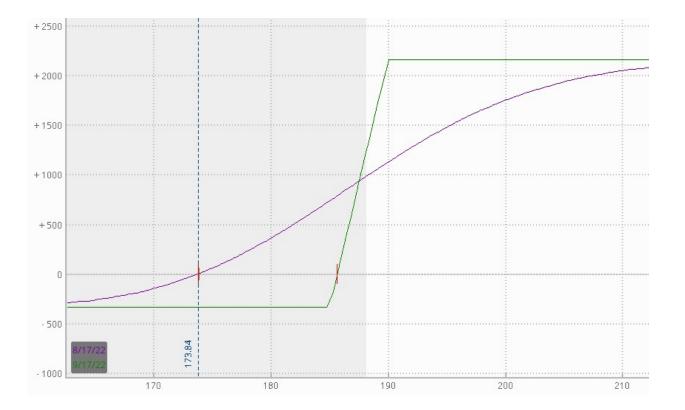
- Sell put and buy another put at higher strike with same expiration
- Market sentiment: bearish
- · Limited risk and limited reward
- Time decay hurts

Apple on 8-17-22

52 week IV High:	0.534	Trade Analysis	Calls		Puts		Total	
52 week IV Low:	0.243	Total Volume:	999,385		1,020,548		2,019,933	
Current IV Percentile:	1296	Traded at BID or below:	384,841		471,517		856,356	
52 week HV High:	0.53	% of total:	38%		46%		42%	
52 week HV Low:	0.155	Traded at ASK or above:	471,825		410,902		882,726	
Current HV Percentile:	2496	% of total:	4796		40%		43%	
Implied Volatility:	27.72%	Between the Market:	142,719	138,129			280,851	
VWAP:	174.322	% of total:	1496		13%		1396	
		Delta Between ❖						
		0 20	324,952	32%	432,792	42%	757,744	379
		21 40	287,363	28%	359,876	35%	647,239	329
		41 60	245,895	24%	170,013	16%	415,908	20%
		61 80	96,170	996	33,619	3%	129,789	69
		81 100	45,005	496	24,248	296	69,253	39

Apple (AAPL) 8-17-22

AAPL	-	APPLE IN	C COM 1	74.55 +1.5	2 B: 173.71 8% A: 173.78	ETB NASI	DAQ 11.05		
 Underly 	ying								
,		Last X	Net 0	hng	Bid	X	Ask X	Size	Volum
′	174	4.55 Q	+	1.52	173.71	Q	173.78 Q	1 x 1	79,116,73
			CA	LLS				Strikes: ALL	
	Delta .	Open.Int	Volume .	Extrinsic .	Intrinsic .	Bid X	Ask X	Exp	Strike
✓ 16 SEP 2			•	-	-				
TO SEF 2	22 (50)								
	.95	21,426	29	.885	49.04	49.85 N	50.00 T	16 SEP 22	125
	.95	13,658	43	.96	44.04	44.90 N	45.10 N	16 SEP 22	130
	.94	7,628	96	.985	39.04	39.95 N	40.10 N	16 SEP 22	135
	.93	22,212	215	1.06	34.04	35.05 N	35.15 T	16 SEP 22	140
	.92	18,623	164	1.185	29.04	30.15 N	30.30 N	16 SEP 22	145
	.89	57,294	768	1.36	24.04	25.30 N	25.50 N	16 SEP 22	150
	.86	49,650	622	1.61	19.04	20.60 N	20.70 T	16 SEP 22	155
	.82	50,784	2,194	2.06	14.04	16.05 N	16.15 T	16 SEP 22	160
	.74	87,591	2,759	2.785	9.04	11.75 D	11.90 T	16 SEP 22	165
	.63	74,456	7,920	3.985	4.04	7.95 X	8.10 T	16 SEP 22	170
	.49	42,087	18,460	4.90	0	4.85 N	4.95 Z	16 SEP 22	175
	.33	54,161	23,469	2.595	0	2.57 T	2.62 P	16 SEP 22	180
	.19	28,486	14,433	1.20	0	1.19 T	1.21 N	16 SEP 22	185
	.10	21,628	10,346	.525	0	.52 X	.53 Z	16 SEP 22	190
	.05	6,488	3,306	.245	0	.24 T	.25 Z	16 SEP 22	195
	.03	18,367	3,475	.13	0	.12 T	.14 H	16 SEP 22	200
	.02	376	409	.08	0	.07 T	.09 N	16 SEP 22	205
	.01	8,292	389	.05	0	.04 D	.06 N	16 SEP 22	210
	.01	821	11	.035	0	.03 Q	.04 N	16 SEP 22	215
	.00	6,690	819	.02	0	.01 N	.03 N	16 SEP 22	220



Calendar Spread

- 1. Uses a long and short calls (or puts) with different expirations.
- 2. <u>Sell</u> the near-term option, <u>buy</u> the longer-term option.
- 3. Both options are the same type (call or put) and use the same strike.
- 4. Best used in a sideways market with low volatility.
- 5. Profit from time decay.

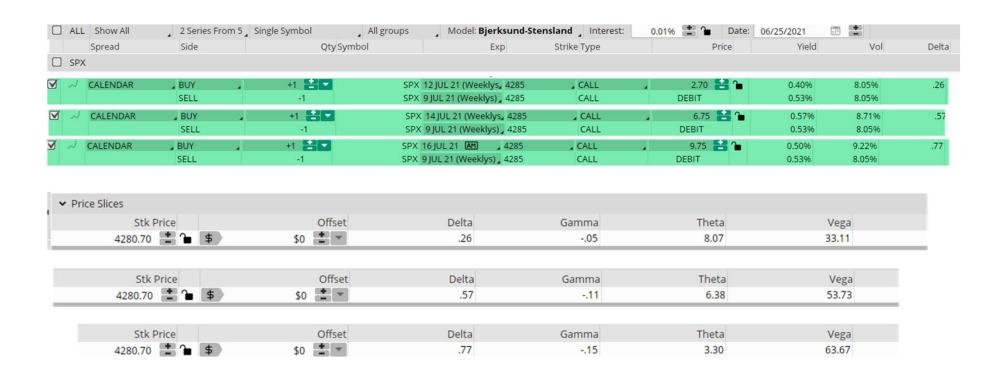
Diagonal Spread

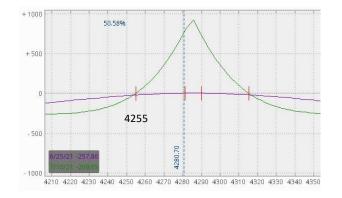
- 1. Combines features of a calendar spread and a vertical spread.
- 2. Uses long and short calls (or puts) with different expirations.
- 3. <u>Sell</u> the near-term option, <u>buy</u> the longer-term option.
- 4. Both options are the same type (call or put) and use the different strike.

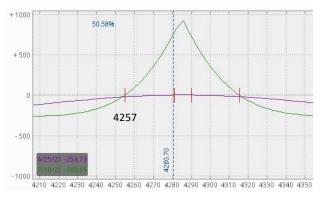
Trade Setup Parameters

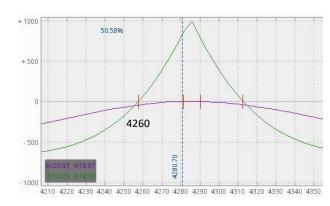
- Strike
- Front Month Expiration
- Calendar Width: time between expirations

14 Day Calendar at 3, 5, 7 days wide









3 days 5 days 7 days

Market Wizard Lessons*

- 1. There Is No Single True Path
- 2. Find a Trading Method that is Compatible with Your Personality
- 3. Keep a Trading Journal
- 4. Learn from Your Mistakes
- 5. Risk Management is Critical
- 6. Trade Small, Often and Consistently
- 7. If You Hope a Trade Will Work: Get Out (hopium is bad)
- 8. Emotions Are Detrimental to Trading
- 9. Aiming for Consistent Profitability Can Be Counterproductive
- 10. Successful Traders Love What They Do

^{*} From Jack D. Schwager, Unknown Market Wizards

Spread Basics

- Different Types
 - Vertical Spreads
 - Calendar (Horizontal) Spreads
 - Diagonal Spreads