

Charles Schwab survey:

How do individual options traders approach options trading?

An independent [study](#) commissioned by Charles Schwab takes a look at attitudes and behaviors of retail options traders.

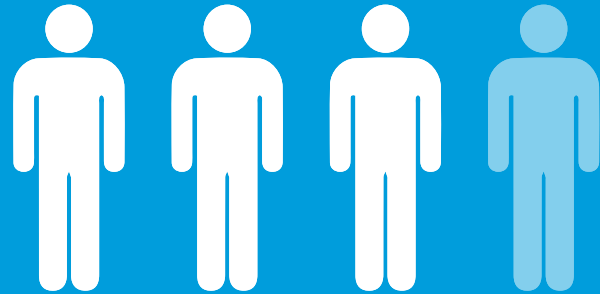
Options traders put in the time before trading



52%

of respondents spend three hours or more doing research before placing an options trade (39% spend 1-2 hours)

3 out of 4



options traders surveyed back-test strategies before placing an options trade

Important disclosures

Full study is available [here](#). Options carry a high level of risk and are not suitable for all investors. Please read the options disclosure document titled [Characteristics and Risks of Standardized Options](#) before considering any option transaction. (0616-H90K)



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