PUBLIC: FEE SCHEDULE

US-listed Stocks & ETFs, OTC Stocks and Options:

Fees charged by Public Investing are listed below. Regulatory agencies charge us fees for certain trades, which we pass onto you; see the "<u>Regulatory Trading Fees</u>" section below. If you are investing in stocks and ETFs as part of an Investing Plan, the fees described in the "<u>Investment Plans</u>" section below apply instead.

| Fee Type | Fee Amount |
|--|--|
| US-listed stocks and ETFs - trades during regular market hours (9:30 AM – 4:00 PM EST) | All Members: \$0 |
| US-listed stocks and ETFs - trades during extended market hours | Premium* Members: \$0 |
| (4:00 AM – 9:30 AM & 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM EST) | Non-Premium Members: \$2.99 per trade |
| OTC stocks | Premium Members: \$0 |
| | Non-Premium Members: \$2.99 per trade |
| Options (Stocks & ETF's) ** | Premium Members: \$0 |
| | Non-Premium Members: \$0 |
| Options (Index Options) *** | Premium Members: \$0.35 per contract |
| | Non-Premium Members: \$0.50 per contract |

* Public Premium is a paid subscription service that gives you access to advanced data and insights, enhanced trading features, expanded portfolio management tools, and lower fees on certain trades. The Premium subscription fee waived for accounts over \$50,000; otherwise it is \$10 monthly and \$96 annually.

** Receive a rebate of \$0.06-0.18 per stock or ETF options contract if you enroll in the Options Rebate Program. Rebate amount depends on the underlying security, whether the trade was placed via API, and your trading volume during the current and prior month. See full Program terms <u>here</u>.

*** Exchanges also charge Public Investing fees for index options trading, which we pass on to you to help cover our costs. See exchange fees for index options <u>here</u>.

Treasury Accounts:

Investment advisory services for Treasury Accounts* are provided by Public Advisors LLC ("Public Advisors"), an SECregistered investment adviser. Public Advisors charges each customer an annual advisory fee that is tied to the net market value of their Treasury Account. Different rates are applied to different portions of the Treasury Account's assets, as described below:

| Tier | Treasury Account Portfolio Value | Annual Advisory Fee |
|------|---|---------------------|
| 1 | The first \$25,000 | 0.29% |
| 2 | The next \$75,000, up to \$100,000 | 0.24% |
| 3 | The next \$900,000, up to \$1,000,000 | 0.19% |
| 4 | The next \$4 million, up to \$5,000,000 | 0.14% |
| 5 | Assets over \$5,000,000 | 0.09% |

For example, a Treasury Account that holds up to \$25,000 in Treasuries and cash will be charged the Tier 1 advisory fee. A Treasury Account with an aggregate value between \$25,001 and \$100,000 will be charged the Tier 1 fee on the first \$25,000 in assets and the Tier 2 fee on the balance of the assets. A Treasury Account with an aggregate value between \$100,001 and \$1 million will be charged the Tier 1 advisory fee on the first \$25,000 in assets, the Tier 2 fee on the next \$75,000 in assets, and the Tier 3 fee on the balance of the assets. And so on.

The advisory fee is charged on a monthly basis. Fees are calculated daily by multiplying the Treasury Account's closing balance by the applicable rates(s), and dividing by 365 (or by 366 in a leap year). Fees for a calendar month are the sum of the daily fee calculated during that month. The advisory fee is subject to change at any time with prior

notice. Public Advisors reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to waive all or a portion of its advisory fee to certain customers. See Form ADV Part 2A for further details.

NOTE: Brokerage services for Treasury Accounts are provided by Public Investing, which will charge fees for such services, including but not limited to <u>mark-ups for Treasury Bond transactions</u>. All such brokerage fees: (1) are found in the rest of this Fee Schedule; (2) are separate and distinct from the Advisory Fee; and (3) shall be borne by the customer.

* If you are investing in Treasury Bills through your separate account with Jiko Securities, then the <u>Jiko Account</u> <u>section</u> of this Fee Schedule shall apply rather than any of the fees described in this section.

Margin Interest Rate:

The margin interest rates on margin accounts shall be as follows:

| Margin / Debit Balance | Margin Interest Rate* |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Up to \$10,000 | FFTR + 5% |
| \$10,001 - \$50,000 | FFTR + 4% |
| \$50,001 - \$250,000 | FFTR + 2% |
| \$250,000 and above | FFTR + 1% |

* For margin accounts, Public Investing charges a margin interest rate that varies depending on your margin/debit balance and the upper limit of the Federal Funds Target Range. This upper limit, which is defined as "FFTR" in the table above, is set by the Federal Reserve and is subject to change without notice. The formulas used to calculate the margin interest rates above are subject to change at Public Investing's discretion. For details on the margin interest computations and charges, please see the "Margin Credit Terms & Policies" section of the <u>Margin Disclosure Statement</u>. As of February 1, 2025, the FFTR is 4.50% but may change at any time without notice via this Fee Schedule or otherwise.

Bonds:

Fees charged by Public Investing are listed below. If you are investing in US Treasury Bills through your separate treasury account with Jiko Securities, the fees in the <u>Jiko Account</u> section below apply rather than the fees in this section.

| Type of Bond | | Fee per \$100 of par value |
|---------------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| Treasury Bond | ls | |
| | Ultrashort (0-1 Years) | \$0.100 |
| | Short (1-3 Years) | \$0.250 |
| | Medium (3-10 Years) | \$0.250 |
| | Long (10+ Years) | \$0.250 |
| Corporate Bon | lds | |
| | Ultrashort (0-1 Years) | \$0.350 |
| | Short (1-3 Years) | \$0.500 |
| | Medium (3-10 Years) | \$0.500 |
| | Long (10+ Years) | \$0.5000 |

Bond Accounts:

In addition to the fees listed above, which are applicable to all transactions within the Bond Account, the following monthly maintenance fees is also applicable:

| Fee Туре | Fee Amount |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Bond Account Monthly Maintenance Fee | Premium Members: \$0 Non-Premium Members: \$3.99 per month |
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Crypto: Bakkt Crypto Fees

Cryptocurrency trading, execution, and custody services are provided by Bakkt Crypto Solutions, LLC (NMLS ID 1828849) ("Bakkt Crypto"). The transaction fees charged by Bakkt Crypto are listed below. If you are investing in cryptocurrencies as part of an Investing Plan, the fees described in the "<u>Investment Plans</u>" section below apply instead.

| Minimum Order Amount | Maximum Order Amount | Bakkt Crypto Fee |
|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| \$0.01 | \$10.00 | \$0.49 |
| \$10.01 | \$25.00 | \$0.69 |
| \$25.01 | \$50.00 | \$1.19 |
| \$50.01 | \$100.00 | \$1.69 |
| \$100.01 | \$250.00 | \$3.29 |
| \$250.01 | \$500.00 | \$6.29 |
| \$500.01 | | 1.25% of order amount |

Investment Plans:

You can build Investment Plans that include recurring orders of stocks, ETFs and cryptocurrencies. Trading in stocks & ETFs offered by Public Investing, which charges a transaction fee based on the number of stock & ETF assets in your Investment Plan. Trading in cryptocurrencies offered by Bakkt Crypto, which charges a transaction fee of 1.25% per order.

| Number of Stock & ETF Symbols in Investment Plan | Fee Amount |
|---|--|
| 1-3 symbols | Premium Members: \$0 Non-Premium Members: \$0.49 per recurring purchase |
| 4-10 symbols | Premium Members: \$0 Non-Premium Members: \$0.99 per recurring purchase |
| 11-20 symbols | Premium Members: \$0 Non-Premium Members: \$1.99 per recurring purchase |

| Amount of Cryptocurrency in Investment Plan | Fee Amount |
|---|-----------------------|
| Any order value | 1.25% of order amount |
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High-Yield Cash Account:

| Fee Type | Fee Amount |
|--|------------|
| Fees charged by Public Investing for opening or maintaining High-Yield Cash Account | \$0.00 |

Cash in your High-Yield Cash Account is swept to <u>Partner Banks</u>, where it earns interest. Partner Banks pay Apex Clearing and Public Investing administrative fees for operating this program, which impacts the interest rate that they pay to our members on swept cash.

Jiko Account:

At Public, you can open a "Jiko Account" with Jiko Securities, Inc. ("Jiko"), a separate broker-dealer registered with FINRA and SIPC. A Jiko Account is a Jiko brokerage account that allows you to easily make recurring investments in 6-month US Treasury Bills for as little as \$100. Jiko charges its customers a monthly management fee, which it deducts from your Jiko Account. If there is insufficient cash in your Jiko Account to cover this fee, Jiko may sell treasuries held in your Jiko Account to cover any shortfall.

| Fee Type | Fee Amount |
|---------------------|---|
| Jiko Management Fee | 0.05% per month based on the average daily balance of your Jiko Account |

Transfer & Money Movement:

Fees charged by Public Investing are listed below.*

| Fee Туре | Fee Amount |
|---|--|
| Automated bank transfer (ACH) into and out of your account | Incoming ACH: \$0 Outgoing ACH: \$0 |
| Wire transfers into and out of your account | Incoming wire: \$0 Outgoing wire (domestic): \$25 <i>Check with your bank to see if they charge any</i> <i>additional fees.</i> |
| ACAT transfers into and out of your account | Incoming ACAT: \$0 Outgoing ACAT: \$100 |
| Domestic overnight check delivery | \$35 |
| Returned check, ACH, or wire & recall/stop payments | \$30 Check with your bank to see if they charge any additional fees. |
| Instant Withdrawals | Up to 3.5% of the amount withdrawn, subject to a minimum of \$1 |
| Outgoing DRS transfer fee | \$115.00 per security |
| Foreign exchange transaction fee: Non-USD currency into USD (for deposits); or USD currency into non-USD currency (for withdrawals) | 0.30% of total volume of FX transaction |

* Bakkt Crypto and Public Investing do not charge fees for crypto transfers into or out of your Bakkt Crypto account. However, such transfers are subject to crypto network fees, which are payments to network validators for processing transactions. Such fees vary based on network activity and transaction complexity.

Account Services:

Fees charged by Public Investing are listed below.

| Fee Type | Fee Amount |
|---|-----------------------|
| Electronic delivery of account statements, trade confirmations, prospectuses, and tax forms | \$0 |
| Paper account statements | \$5 per statement |
| Paper trade confirmations | \$2 per trade confirm |
| Paper check request | \$5 |
| Return mail | \$2 |
| ACH notice of change/correction | \$5 |
| Domestic overnight mail | \$50 |
| International overnight mail | \$100 |

Account Maintenance:

Fees charged by Public Investing are listed below.

| Fee Type | Fee Amount |
|---|--------------------|
| Account maintenance | \$0 |
| Escheatment processing | \$75 |
| TOD account transfer | \$200 |
| Margin debit balance | Contact us |
| Inactivity fee* | \$3.99 every month |
| *For accounts with less than \$70 in total value and no activity over the last 6 months | |
| Cash debit balance sell-out | \$10 |

Miscellaneous Fees:

Fees charged by Public Investing are listed below.

| Fee Туре | Fee Amount |
|--|---|
| Restricted accounts | \$15 |
| Worthless securities processing | \$30 |
| Tender offer / reorg processing (domestic) | \$50 |
| Reverse split trading expedited processing | Premium Members: \$0 Non-Premium Members: \$0.99 on each qualifying sell |
| *This fee is only charged if you purchase a stock that will be subject to a reverse split and subsequently sell that stock within 90 days following the reverse split. | order |

Regulatory Trading Fees*:

These are fees** charged by regulatory agencies or exchanges, and passed onto the investor. These fees are subject to change without notice. You should always check the current posted Fee Schedule before placing trades in your account.

| Fee Type | Fee Amount |
|------------------------------------|---|
| SEC regulatory transaction fee | \$0 per \$1,000,000 of principal (equity and equity option sells). |
| Trading activity fee (TAF) | \$0.000166 per share (equity sells), \$0.00279 per contract (equity option sells), and \$0.00105 per bond (bond sells). Equity fees are capped at \$8.30 per trade and bond fees are capped at \$1.05 per trade. |
| Options regulatory fee (ORF) | \$0.02645 per contract (option buys & sells). |
| Consolidated Audit Trail (CAT) fee | \$0.000072 per contract (equity and option buys & sells). If fees are less than \$0.01, the fee is rounded down to \$0. |
| OCC clearing fee | \$0.02 per contract (option buys & sells). Fees are capped at \$55. |

* Each fee is rounded to the nearest penny, with a one penny minimum, unless stated otherwise.

** For buy or sell orders of less than 10 equity option contracts, the total Regulatory Trading Fees will be capped at \$0.05 per contract.

As always, our investors are our top priority. If you have any questions or concerns about your fees, let's talk!

Public Investing reserves the right to waive or vary its fees, permanently or for a period of time, at its sole discretion for any reason. Fees are subject to change at any time. This is not an offer, or solicitation of any offer to buy or sell any security, investment, or other product.

Processing and service fees assessed by third parties may be passed through to your Public Investing account. Some products and services offered by Public Investing may require additional fees or transaction minimums for certain products or services not specifically listed here. Prior to placing a trade or requesting any services, it is your responsibility to ask Public Investing if any additional fees will apply.

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