# Breakeven Strike price -

Strike price - net premium paid OR Strike price + net premium received

#### Max Profit

Unlimited



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## Premium

Pay, receive, or almost zero cost.

### Margin

Required

## **Effect of Time**

Almost Zero, as time decay (theta) cancels out between the call and put.

## **Effect of Volatility**

Almost Zero, as changes in implied volatility affect both options similarly.

### Pros

- Mimics the payoff of a short futures position without actually buying a future.
- · Can be structured at little or no cost.
- Cheaper than futures in trading cost due to lower STT charges.

### Cons

- Requires margin due to the sold call.
- · Requires liquidity in both options to execute efficiently.

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