

Trading Cost Calculator

Calculate trading costs and understand their long-term impact

Single Trade Cost Calculator

Trade Amount (\$):

1000

Commission per Trade (\$):

0

Bid-Ask Spread (%):

0.05

SEC Fee (per \$1M):

22.90

Trade Cost Breakdown

Commission

\$0.00

Spread Cost

\$0.50

SEC Fee

\$0.02

Total Cost

\$0.52

Cost as % of Trade

0.052%

Annual Trading Cost Comparison

Annual Investment (\$):

6000

Trading Frequency:

Monthly (12 trades) ▾

Annual Cost Analysis

Metric	Your Strategy	Low-Cost Alternative
Number of Trades	12	4

Metric	Your Strategy	Low-Cost Alternative
Total Trading Costs	\$3.00	\$1.00
Cost as % of Invested	0.05%	0.02%
30-Year Impact (at 7% return)	\$303	\$101

Key Insight: Even small differences in trading costs compound significantly over time!