What Are The Best Settings For The PowerX Optimizer so let's talk about the five most frequently asked questions that i get around the power x strategy and the wheel strategy and we start with question number one so if i do have the power x optimizer what are the best settings for powerx optimizer so if you have this tool that i use every day to find the best trades you know that you can run the scanner and when you run the scanner there are certain settings that you can choose here so the question is what are the best settings because one of the things that you can do is run the scanner for a certain risk reward strategy and you see that there are a total of six different risk reward strategies so we have a one and a half to three rewards so there's basically a one to two then we have one two three and then we have one two five in terms of risk and reward and we have this with different risk factors so it's either one and a half times the adr the average daily range or we have it for two and a half times the adr so what is the best strategy to use well right now for the past few months since we introduced powerx optimizer 2.0 mark and i are using the scanner for the quick trades so this is what you want to choose and we highly recommend that after you choose the quick trades all you need to do here right now is click on reset to default and this will bring up the settings that mark and i like the best so we only

want to trade stocks long only so right now we don't want to short the market you don't want to fight the trend right i mean you know what is the path of least resistance right now for the market it's certainly up and we have been testing it over 700 000 trades yes that is right let me say this again 700 000 trades and we found that over the past years long trades have outperformed short trades even though last year as you know we had this covet drop where the markets dropped 30 but even then long trades so buying only outperformed short trades here anyhow so we're looking for a minimum return investment of 40 a minimum winning percentage of 40 we like to trade stocks that are between five and 250 dollars in price i want to see a profit factor that is higher than two and at least 12 trades we also have a minimum volume filter of 500 000 so these are the settings and when you run the scanner with these settings this is where today for example it came up with these five stocks that you see up here in the scanner all right this actually How Do I Pick The Best Stocks? brings us immediately to question number two how exactly do i pick the best stocks for the power x strategy and also for the wheel strategy because these are the two strategies that i trade all the time and yes i am trading the powerx strategy i've been trading it for the past few months after in the beginning of the year we said okay let's wait until the market

conditions are right and they have been i want to say since beginning of may and right now it is uh well

the new day it is july 1st as i'm recording this video here but anyhow so let's go back to this and let's take a look at these first of all according to the power x strategy so the most important thing that i'm looking for regarding the power x strategy i want to see number one a smooth p l chart so first of all what does this mean i'm zooming in here a little bit let's just talk about these p l charts below here and what they mean so the pl chart means is how much money would you have made over the past two years if you had traded this particular stock which

right now here we are looking at disk a so if i had traded this particular stock with the rules of the parex strategy and as you can see

for most of the time we would have made a little bit lost a little bit made a little bit

made a little bit more then lost it and then

we had this massive run up and after this

not a whole lot going on that is not what i'm looking for so my number one criteria

is a rather smooth p l chart that goes from the lower left to the upper right so then i see that over different market conditions that we had over the past two years i would have made money regardless of the market condition with high volatility with low volatility markets that are that are crashing markets that are rallying up markets that are quiet

and markets also that are yeah volatile as we have seen that happened over the past year so this is where i would say okay the number one criteria here is the p l chart and here i would say disk a no thank you and all i need to do here if i want to say no thank you you see i have a red x here where i can just simply kick it out of the scanner and say i don't even want to look at this anymore and it appears disappears for today when we run the scanner again it comes right back up okay so here is disk a that we just looked at and here's disk k as you can see these are really very very related shares and what we see here same pattern not doing anything we have this run up not doing anything so this here for me is a no so therefore we are kicking it let's take a look at dq document energy so we're getting a little bit better not exactly what i want to look for but we're going up sideways a little bit up so we wear stairs stepping up it is not bad at all just want to show you a couple of trades in comparison that i'm in right now so that you see what for me a good p l chart looks like so cel-8 that's a trade that i'm in and we will talk about my traits here in a moment and as you can see this is nicely moving up see then if you want to take notes here's another one cldx so that's not the perfect one but i took it last week it was good enough for me plug you see also here plugged

beautifully just going up in different market conditions and that's what you want to see

another one here is zg so zg

zillow group also really nice going up

these are four that i'm in right now and when we go back to the scanner and look at dq

you see compared to those i'll probably mark this as

maybe an a minus trade if i would great trades or maybe even a b plus trade i could say a b trade definitely not

an a plus or an a trade and this is what you want to look for here with the power

optimizer so therefore also dq goodbye to you now the next one that popped up was

jmia jumia technologies

and you see a very similar picture here not doing anything

and then suddenly jumping up and then not doing anything

again compared to those that i've shown you just before

cl8 cldx zg and what else did we have plug

this way you know what a good equity

should look like a good p l chart so here also

super easy no thank you and then we have finally woozy wuzzy is the wizix corporation this even has been trading below

five dollars for most of the time that i'm looking back and then we see also here pretty ugly

right so

to answer the question how do you pick the best stocks for the power x strategy number one i look for a smooth p l chart number two i look for trendability so i want to see if their stock has been trending nicely not going

up like crazy and then crashing down and number three i want to see that there are

no gaps but you see the beautiful thing is this here is the number one criteria and if the p l chart does not look good i don't even have to move on to number two and three if this doesn't look good

we are done so as you can see here it take it is super quick

to go through the picks that are coming up there so now the question is how do we do this for

the wheel strategy what exactly am i looking for right now now again the two strategies completely different the power x strategy is a trend following strategy if you would like to learn more about this i'll leave a link in the description to a video series that i did and here's also a book i'll be happy to send it to you for four dollars and

the wheels strategy a trend following strategy now uh the power x strategy was that that wrong so here is the wheel strategy the wheel strategy on the other hand

ninety five cents

to

is a strategy where you want to sell options and collect premium so the idea is that

long term you want to own the stock so question here is as we are talking about the five most frequently asked questions about the power x and the wheel strategy how do i find the best stocks according to this strategy well there is one main question that you need to ask yourself all the time and here it is do you want

own the stock at the strike price of the put

that you're selling so let's take a look at amc

amc theaters as you know for me kind of a crazy stock it's one of these these meme stocks right that have been dimming around then it jumped up diddling around jumped up from 12 to 72 and ever since here has been trading between 52

and four dollars approximately so between 52 and 60 so the key question is first of all do you want to

own shares of amc and here are the possible strike prices that we can sell put on

at 40 45 47 46 so you get the idea right here is the 40 level so do you want to own shares of amc for 40 if so then you can just sell this put and you would make 41 percent annualized in premium for me honestly i don't like these uh meme stocks i did a video about this i'll link to it in the description here about meme stocks

why i don't like them i mean i think with the meme stocks all fundamentals are out of the way and they are just driven by the crowd and i don't like that but again that's me so this is where for me you see i can flag them here as maybe or i can flag them as no or as

so i'm flagging them as no then we have a blink charging company and again the question is do you want to own blink charting company and honestly i don't even know enough about this company to own it let me just jump over to my account and show you quickly

the stocks that i traded here based on this strategy and this way you get a better idea of what kind of stocks i'm looking for so let's jump over here to the account and you see aaa is alcoa apple abt abba technologies ag silver miners amd you know the chip manufacturer apps ark trade this boeing camping world dropbox disney dick's sporting goods etsy ewz is a brazilian i think a brazilian etf gtxj gold miners halliburton has pro ibm you get the idea so i don't like to trade up score stocks and here for me blinking charging company i don't know enough about them to trade them so this is where for me this is a simple note now the next one that just popped up here on the scanner and this kind of refreshes every two minutes here is cgc canopy growth cooperation now this year for me is another crazy stock that went from nowhere to upia let's just have fun with this one you see it was trading here as low as 10 and then went all the way up to 57 in a short period of time crashing down so here the key question that you need to ask yourself do you want to own this stock at 22.50 because that is the strike price that is recommended for me the answer is no so you get the so let's just summarize very quickly number one how do you pick the best stocks for the power x strategy well for the power x strategy i'm looking for a smooth p l which stands for profit and loss

graph right that goes up from the lower

left

to the upper right over the past two years where we had all sorts of different market conditions for the wheel strategy it's even easier because the key question here for the wheel strategy is do you want to own the stock at the strike price of the put that you sold and if the answer is yes i would love to get assigned then good for you and i'll show you the trades that i'm in here in just a few moment okay so is this helpful thus far if it is helpful just click on like really quick this way i know that you're enjoying this video but The Wheel Strategy Is Amazing let's talk about question number three question number three is the wheel strategy is amazing and i agree it is absolutely amazing because thus far with the wheel strategy over the first half of the year i made a little bit more than a hundred thousand dollars 106 000 and this is based on a 250 000 cash account on with this 250 000 cash getting 500 000 in buying power because i'm using a margin account so i mean if you make six months a hundred thousand dollars based on 250 000 in cash i would say that's pretty good at least in my book because i like to look for src profit and that stands for systematic repeatable and consistent but the idea here is that you're selling put and that you're getting assigned so what happens if the market crashes and what happens if you're getting assigned in all of your positions yes that is absolutely a valid concern

let's take a look at the most recent market crash that we had and in order to do this i'm going back here to the nasdaq so what happened here as you know going here need to go back a little bit to the covet crash here we go so this is what happened last year when the market crashed 30 so what do you do then what if you're assigned and the stock goes down by 30 maybe even 40 and as you know right now;

am in such a position i am in right so i've shown over and over what you do then

you simply fly rescue missions so what does this mean what does it mean to fly

a rescue mission it means that you're selling more puts at a lower strike price let me give you a very specific example of a stock that i'm in right let me just go to

a daily chart here and i'm going back to where we are right now today with right i sold puts at a strike price of 21.50

and then the hindenburg report came out i was assigned and i was the proud owner of

i believe it was 7 000 shares i'm not quite sure i have to look it up so anyhow i

owned quite a few thousand shares at a strike price of 21.50

what i did then as we were plummeting down

so as soon as you see that a stock is trading around

30 percent below the assigned price and now you're experiencing drawdown in your account this is when you start selling more puts and the idea is that you buy

more shares at a lower price that's what

they

call dollar cost averaging and it's

bringing down

your cost basis by doing this by selling

more puts

i have been able to lower my cost basis

to

15.79 now again today right now

right is trading at 10.38 cents so it's

not good

i've been trying to lower my cost basis

a few more times

that has not happened because i sold

more puts at a level

where i did not get assigned anyhow

since i have been able to collect more

than fifteen

thousand dollars in premium thus far

i've been able to lower my break even to

14 17.

now again this the break even is higher

than this so here at this point

what i'm trying to do is i continue to

reduce

my cost basis and i'm looking for a

little pop

now it did happen a few weeks ago

we actually did have a pop and it

happened

right here see this were right quickly

went up to actually

15 and 80 cents right at my cost basis

where is the deal at that time when it

happened

i was sitting on a plane so i could not

even react i did not see what was

happening

and by the time i landed this is when

ride

on that particular day was already

plummeting back down

to 11 anyhow so the question is

what happens if the market crashes this is when you follow your plan you see i

even have a mark on my desk here that says

follow your plan if you would like to have this mug i'll give it to you at cost

i think it's like nine dollars or something like this it's horribly expensive if you have something custom made on your mug but i i think it's still a very good reminder that you can have on your desk that you just follow your plan and this is what i'm doing here so this is how i've been able to collect that much premium and yes i am continuing to work this trade and this is where you might

this trade and this is where you might be stuck in a position the good news is while you're stuck in the position you can still possibly

generate more premium by selling more calls by the way

it happened to me a few times before so this is not my first rodeo as you can imagine

it happened to me in tqq it happened to me in

apple it happened to me in gtxj in this book i described the tqq trait in detail i think it's over 30 pages or something like this where i'm dissecting it step by step and i've also made some other videos

about how to fly rescue missions and uh they're right here

on the channel i'll leave a link in the description to that

okay so this is what do you do when the market crashes well you follow your plan and if this makes you nervous then don't trade the wheel strategy hear me very loud and clear

the wheel strategy is not for everybody i know

that you might be watching and say oh my gosh he made more than a hundred thousand dollars in a few months i want to trade this strategy yes and you have to be able to withstand or to go through a drawdown and this might not be for you and if this is not for you then there are other training strategies where you do not have a large drawdown as i'm experiencing right now in right i'm not nervous about this i'm okay and i talked about this many many times i'll link to the other videos here in the description because i

talk about step number four or most What Size Account Do I Need frequently asked question number four is what account size do i recommend for the power x and

want to

for the wheel strategy let's actually start with the power x strategy and i'm switching over here uh to just a standard notepad so that i can make a few annotations

so that i can make a few annotations here so right now we're talking about account size we start with the power x strategy

so i recommend an account size of ten thousand dollars and here's why because with the power x strategy you risk

two percent of your account on any given trade

now if you risk two percent of ten thousand dollars it's a risk of two hundred dollars so two hundred dollars is very affordable and most traders can afford to lose two hundred dollars on a ten thousand dollar

account and there will be quite a few stocks that are meeting your criteria see the challenge is if you're starting with less money let's say with five thousand dollars it is possible but now

the risk is still two percent so now

you're risking

a hundred dollars so now you will find fewer trading opportunities just because there's not many stocks where you can risk that little

they have to be very inexpensive stocks and if you go

even further down and what about starting with two thousand dollars well if you risk two percent which is recommended with the power x strategy it's only forty dollars and you see you have to pass

on most opportunities that are coming up on the scanner according to the strategy simply because

you cannot afford the stocks that are coming up so that's why i recommend to start with ten thousand dollars i believe it is possible

to get started with five thousand dollars and again this here is for the power x strategy okay let's now talk about the account size for the wheel strategy so for the wheel strategy

i recommend that you have an account of at least

twenty thousand dollars in cash that you can

turn into forty thousand dollars of buying power in a margin account i really do not recommend to start with less because you will have the same problem that you can't find enough trades

we'll go back to the scanner right now so that you see exactly what i mean so what power x optimizer does it it

what power x optimizer does it it calculates

the right amount of contracts based on your account size so you see i have the buying power here and if i put in the buying power of let's say only 20 000 now i'm looking for trading opportunities so one of the trades that i recently entered on monday was ual united airlines so with united airlines yes you could trade

one contract one contract however if you're looking some other opportunities that are appearing on the list and again right now there's nothing that is really

appealing on there

but if you look at uh i don't know let's just take a look at amc

for the heck of it and let's say okay we want to trade

amc here here you also got lucky because amc is only trading at 53 cents so you can trade

one contract but what will happen is that you often see instead of trading one contract it will

show you

zero contracts just because your account is not big enough

so this is why i recommend that here you have a buying power of at least forty thousand dollars because you see when you do this now at least you can trade one or two contracts of most of the stocks

that are coming up here especially when it comes to the wheel strategy bigger is better and i told you my buying power here on the 250 000 account is 500 000 so this year where i'm able to trade 20 contracts on united airlines

and 26 contracts right here on amc if i choose

to trade it this way okay so just wanted to

talk about this because it's always coming up and again here for for the wheel bigger is better okay good so uh let's see When Is The Best Time To Trade let's talk about question number five and question number five is when is the best time to trade do i have to watch the markets all day and again this is where super easy

i will distinguish this question between the power x strategy and also the wheel strategy let's talk about the power extractly first here is what i like to do i want to share my trading routine with you and by the way i did a more in-depth video on my trading routine i'll link to it in the description you might enjoy it so i am in central time

so central time is chicago time or here austin time so at 8 15 which is 15 minutes before the markets open

i'm running the power x scanner and as you have seen it only takes me a few minutes here to say yes yes no no no and find the best stocks to trade

if i find a stock to trade at 8 30 this is when the markets open this is when i place my pxs trades according to the power x strategy also at 8

31 one minute after the markets open i start watching the wheel scanner and i'm doing this until 9 00 am and this is 30 minutes after the market open and this is when i usually stop trading that's when i'm done for the day so

my work day if you want so is 45 minutes long i don't know about you whether the 45 minute work day to make more than six figures in just six months

i'm not complaining i like that idea so no

you do not have to watch the scanner all day especially when you're trading the power x strategy you can watch it in the open or you can just place a so-called stop limit order and this is what i often do there so using a stop limit order you don't even have to watch the open of the market at all so you can place that the night before if you're busy throughout the day or uh depending on where you live you might have to get up in the middle of the night or it's in the middle of the afternoon for you and you have other commitments if you live in europe or if you live in asia middle of the night anyhow so this is where you can do this and again most of the opportunities according to the wheel scanner they are actually coming up in the first 30 minutes this is when i place most of my trades and after this i go on with my date there's no reason for me to babysit the trades all day so anyhow these are the five most frequently asked questions around the power x and the wheel strategy hope that helps and uh right now i'm going to link to these videos uh that you have more information about the power x strategy and the wheel strategy and they will pop up here so head over there depending on what strategy you like best and watch these videos