

Option Chains

Feature Availability is by Trade Navigator™ Product

Silver	Gold	Platinum
Available with Data Subscription	Available with Data Subscription	Available with Data Subscription
Lite	Standard	Professional
Not Available	Available	Available

Trader's Challenge:

Traders have a requirement to see the options that relate to a given symbol.

Trade Navigator's™ Feature:

Trade Navigator™ allows the Trader the ability to identify the options for a specific symbol organized by month of expiration. The feature presents Puts and Calls of each option with the following data for each: Symbol, Last, Bid, Ask, Volume and OI.

Trade Navigator's™ Benefit:

Trade Navigator's™ Option Chains provides the Trader with a quick visual of a symbol's options. There is a complete description of each option current status and price. A summary of additional benefits include:

1. Saves Trader time and therefore money.
2. Assists in the Trader's trading execution process.
3. Simplifies the Trader's work.

Trade Navigator™ Example:

The following example is of the options available for Exxon Mobil (XOM) for September 2008.

The screenshot shows a window titled "Option Chain for XOM" with a toolbar containing "Symbol", "Fields", "Settings", "Refresh", "Greeks", "Probability", and "Close". Below the toolbar, the main content area displays "XOM Exxon Mobil Corp" with market data: "Last Tick: 09/16/08 02:01:00 pm Last: 76.43 Bid: 76.38 Ask: 76.38 Vol: 41,928,470".

The table below shows the option chain for September 2008, split into Calls and Puts. The columns are: Symbol, Last, Bid, Ask, Vol, OI, Strike, Symbol, Last, Bid, Ask, Vol.

CALLS						Strike	PUTS				
Symbol	Last	Bid	Ask	Vol	OI		Symbol	Last	Bid	Ask	Vol
September 2008											
XOM IK	19.20	21.40	21.85	17	130	55	XOM UK	0.00	0.00	0.03	
XOM IL	16.10	16.70	16.85	332	68	60	XOM UL	0.02	0.01	0.03	
XOM IM	11.15	11.70	11.85	370	300	65	XOM UM	0.03	0.01	0.04	6
XOM IN	6.60	6.75	6.95	2,294	1,788	70	XOM UN	0.12	0.09	0.11	3.8
XOM IO	2.35	2.46	2.53	6,305	7,602	75	XOM UO	0.84	0.71	0.77	3.9
XOM IP	0.29	0.30	0.32	4,167	22,485	80	XOM UP	4.05	3.50	3.65	1.2
XOM IQ	0.01	0.03	0.04	300	16,664	85	XOM UQ	10.80	8.20	8.40	
XOM IR	0.01	0.00	0.01	3	9,315	90	XOM UR	17.10	13.20	13.45	
XOM IS	0.00	0.00	0.01	0	3,088	95	XOM US	21.85	18.20	18.50	
XOM IT	0.00	0.00	0.01	0	594	100	XOM UT	26.80	23.20	23.55	
XOM IA	0.00	0.00	0.02	0	230	105	XOM UA	31.80	28.20	28.55	