

# APEX Clearing - Held NMS Stocks and Options Order Routing Public Report

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## S&P 500 Stocks

### Summary

Non-Directed Orders as % of All Orders	Market Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Non-Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Other Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders
100.00	42.09	12.13	38.39	7.39

### Venues

Venue - Non-directed Order Flow	Non-Directed Orders (%)	Market Orders (%)	Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Non-Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Other Orders (%)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(cents per hundred shares)
Virtu Americas, LLC	37.21	67.64	19.24	12.10	23.88	30,654.45	18.5701	3,449.78	19.9575	1,187.95	29.3925	2,166.96	17.2269
CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	37.12	2.76	51.86	71.71	28.98	5,084.95	20.0000	3,227.92	16.5572	10,094.95	27.3184	1,627.80	24.2732
Hudson River Trading (HRT)	5.96	6.04	4.49	4.31	16.54	15,390.19	20.0000	2,605.92	20.0000	3,678.62	30.0000	1,750.75	20.0000
Jane Street Capital	5.86	5.97	4.53	3.89	17.61	13,841.57	20.0051	2,652.19	20.0000	2,310.93	29.8591	2,112.21	26.4445
GTS SECURITIES LLC	4.41	5.23	4.37	3.72	3.38	14,894.92	20.0000	2,955.15	20.0000	2,912.62	30.0000	817.54	20.0000

### Material Aspects:

#### Virtu Americas, LLC:

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### Non-S&P 500 Stocks

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100.00	26.90	20.41	43.73	8.97

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CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	55.74	4.79	72.00	84.38	31.91	178,091.48	16.0115	310,107.49	10.4369	362,840.37	16.5079	92,707.56	13.0922
Virtu Americas, LLC	19.47	51.10	8.72	4.26	23.19	540,376.69	18.0798	293,199.79	17.1954	21,176.97	27.0214	66,621.94	10.7955
Hudson River Trading (HRT)	6.38	9.51	5.00	3.32	15.10	341,577.38	17.1238	305,567.67	16.9183	125,990.46	26.8188	135,605.62	14.2586
Jane Street Capital	6.36	9.05	5.35	3.19	16.06	324,036.86	17.3011	283,179.36	17.0877	40,535.52	25.1029	66,515.79	12.4966
GTS SECURITIES LLC	4.75	8.79	4.88	2.69	2.35	346,604.20	17.4282	302,434.56	17.0730	55,063.43	26.2527	48,254.70	16.2521

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### Options

#### Summary

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100.00	2.78	11.68	27.38	58.16

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Instinet, LLC	21.14	11.54	13.30	9.09	28.85	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000
CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	18.79	17.17	15.21	19.92	19.05	16,697.97	26.2563	311,244.46	29.4084	146,952.10	33.9950	163,196.33	51.9667
Wolverine Execution Services, LLC	17.12	8.10	12.07	12.37	20.80	7,927.89	28.8686	195,947.18	34.2367	94,076.26	35.7099	202,269.02	50.7251
Dash/IMC Financial Markets	16.09	19.14	16.30	18.47	14.79	18,484.56	25.3721	307,988.36	28.7389	121,073.05	31.7888	114,263.94	41.7641
Jane Street Capital	11.42	15.86	13.39	10.05	11.46	14,017.06	24.1195	194,121.22	29.3864	83,452.60	33.4526	111,027.86	49.4704
Global Execution Brokers LP	9.99	20.54	22.33	23.33	0.72	23,899.70	29.4818	405,700.93	32.6415	174,908.41	36.6506	4,543.62	34.6049
Matrix Executions, LLC	5.45	7.65	7.40	6.77	4.32	5,086.52	25.3856	107,307.64	30.0059	78,162.65	35.0161	51,225.05	49.2142

#### Material Aspects:

Instinet, LLC:

Instinet is APEX's order routing technology provider and APEX also routes orders to Instinet brokerage services. All non-directed orders that APEX routed to Instinet were further routed to U.S. securities exchanges, alternative trading centers or single dealer platforms pursuant to Instinet's order routing arrangements. APEX paid Instinet a technology fee for its order routing provider services which included routes to brokers, and APEX also paid Instinet for exchange fees and ATS fees (as applicable) for orders that Instinet further routed to an exchange or an ATS and received an execution. In certain instances, APEX paid Instinet a brokerage fee for other non-directed orders that resulted in execution on an exchange or ATS. Brokerage fees paid by APEX to Instinet are based upon volume tiers. Instinet rebated to APEX exchange fees and payment that it received from exchanges, ATS' and single broker platforms. In turn, APEX distributed 100% of the options exchange rebates and other options payments received from Instinet to the applicable APEX client that sent such qualifying, non-directed orders resulting in execution. In turn, APEX distributed the exchange rebates and other payments received to the applicable APEX client that sent such qualifying, non-directed orders resulting in execution. <https://www.instinet.com/order-disclosures>

CITADEL SECURITIES LLC:

During October 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Citadel Securities LLC ("Citadel"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$0.60 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$0.80 per contract.

All option market makers that APEX routed options orders resulting in executions paid the same rates to APEX for orders in the same categories. These payments were not contingent upon volume-based tiered payment schedules, agreements regarding minimum order flow, incentives for exceeding order flow thresholds, disincentives for failing to meet order flow thresholds, nor trade-off's of payment or other incentives/disincentives for price improvement or other execution quality.

#### Wolverine Execution Services, LLC:

During October 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Wolverine Execution Services ("WEX"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract for classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$0.60 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$0.80 per contract. During October 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

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#### Dash/IMC Financial Markets:

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Virtu Americas, LLC	44.24	70.44	19.33	16.96	26.41	19,722.16	18.0667	3,514.67	19.9507	1,766.60	29.6307	1,948.60	14.9965
CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	28.64	2.96	44.37	62.25	28.51	3,801.66	20.0000	1,016.02	19.9998	3,195.82	29.9881	1,629.86	23.9889
Jane Street Capital	6.49	6.66	4.26	4.56	18.26	8,464.19	20.0008	2,362.81	20.0000	1,119.65	29.5985	1,605.40	26.0564
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Instinet, LLC	5.60	1.18	23.42	5.89	5.44	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000

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CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	40.94	4.59	61.02	73.30	28.70	108,697.56	16.5781	145,998.95	17.2400	72,475.79	27.3249	52,067.34	15.1360
Virtu Americas, LLC	28.59	53.97	12.88	9.53	27.51	391,913.45	17.4049	258,394.24	16.7199	22,537.49	26.6423	42,349.32	11.4112
Hudson River Trading (HRT)	8.15	9.78	6.65	4.96	16.06	237,711.98	16.4535	338,845.98	17.7131	66,112.25	26.9508	52,466.19	13.8830
Jane Street Capital	8.06	9.53	7.24	4.53	16.55	224,956.87	16.6235	234,877.62	16.7570	16,503.50	24.2702	27,091.92	12.7306
GTS SECURITIES LLC	6.17	8.76	6.38	4.28	2.46	225,852.18	16.7679	224,742.54	17.0421	44,381.91	26.2494	30,970.33	17.6193

## Material Aspects:

### CITADEL SECURITIES LLC:

Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment from Citadel Securities, LLC. ("Citadel") and all other brokers for directing NMS order flow that result in executions. For marketable orders the payment rate was \$0.0020 per share, for non-marketable orders the rate was \$0.0030 per share, for extended hours orders the rate was \$0.0010 per share or less, and payment was not received for executions priced less than \$1. These payments were not contingent upon volume-based tiered payment schedules, agreements regarding minimum order flow, incentives for exceeding order flow thresholds, disincentives for failing to meet order flow thresholds, nor trade-off's of payment or other incentives/disincentives for price improvement or other execution quality.

### Virtu Americas, LLC:

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### Jane Street Capital:

Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment from Jane Street Capital ("JANE") and all other brokers for directing NMS order flow that result in executions. For marketable orders the payment rate was \$0.0020 per share, for non-marketable orders the rate was \$0.0030 per share, and payment was not received for executions priced less than \$1. These payments were not contingent upon volume-based tiered payment schedules, agreements regarding minimum order flow, incentives for exceeding order flow thresholds, disincentives for failing to meet order flow thresholds, nor trade-off's of payment or other incentives/disincentives for price improvement or other execution quality.

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## Options

### Summary

Non-Directed Orders as % of All Orders	Market Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Non-Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Other Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders
100.00	4.12	12.40	29.44	54.04

## Venues

Venue - Non-directed Order Flow	Non-Directed Orders (%)	Market Orders (%)	Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Non-Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Other Orders (%)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(cents per hundred shares)
CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	19.06	19.28	16.21	19.94	19.21	17,506.01	25.2328	250,276.38	27.5425	117,651.03	32.9568	116,203.68	52.2665
Dash/IMC Financial Markets	18.96	23.37	21.74	23.20	15.67	20,822.64	24.6192	293,770.00	27.5070	127,654.58	30.8874	90,130.74	29.7301
Instinet, LLC	18.90	8.82	9.14	7.62	28.06	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000
Wolverine Execution Services, LLC	14.60	7.67	10.27	10.53	18.35	10,358.92	28.5056	140,786.43	32.1305	66,235.12	32.7271	136,915.37	49.7155
Jane Street Capital	13.02	14.38	14.89	11.22	13.47	16,451.23	24.4613	191,649.94	27.3125	82,525.42	30.4913	98,107.88	47.5921
Global Execution Brokers LP	9.91	19.28	20.40	20.81	0.85	24,236.64	28.3046	297,686.74	30.5373	135,879.04	35.2303	3,487.21	29.3265
Matrix Executions, LLC	5.56	7.20	7.35	6.68	4.40	4,652.40	23.4165	85,307.50	27.6936	66,355.59	324.4138	33,670.16	47.7104

## Material Aspects:

### CITADEL SECURITIES LLC:

During November 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Citadel Securities LLC ("Citadel"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.0.60 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$.52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.0.80 per contract.

All option market makers that APEX routed options orders resulting in executions paid the same rates to APEX for orders in the same categories. These payments were not contingent upon volume-based tiered payment schedules, agreements regarding minimum order flow, incentives for exceeding order flow thresholds, disincentives for failing to meet order flow thresholds, nor trade-off's of payment or other incentives/disincentives for price improvement or other execution quality.

### Dash/IMC Financial Markets:

During November 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Dash/IMC Financial Markets ("Dash/IMC"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract for classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.0.60 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$.52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.0.80 per contract. During November 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$.0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

All option market makers that APEX routed options orders resulting in executions paid the same rates to APEX for orders in the same categories other than the one client referenced in the preceding paragraph. These payments were not contingent upon volume-based tiered payment schedules, agreements regarding minimum order flow, incentives for exceeding order flow thresholds, disincentives for failing to meet order flow thresholds, nor trade-off's of payment or other incentives/disincentives for price improvement or other execution quality.

### Instinet, LLC:

Instinet is APEX's order routing technology provider and APEX also routes orders to Instinet brokerage services. All non-directed orders that APEX routed to Instinet were further routed to U.S. securities exchanges, alternative trading centers or single dealer platforms pursuant to Instinet's order routing arrangements. APEX paid Instinet a technology fee for its order routing provider services which included routes to brokers, and APEX also paid Instinet for exchange fees and ATS fees (as applicable) for orders that Instinet further routed to an exchange or an ATS and received an execution. In certain instances, APEX paid Instinet a brokerage fee for other non-directed orders that resulted in execution on an exchange or ATS. Brokerage fees paid by APEX to Instinet are based upon volume tiers. Instinet rebated to APEX exchange fees and payment that it received from exchanges, ATS and single broker platforms. In turn, APEX distributed 100% of the options exchange rebates and other options payments received from Instinet to the applicable APEX client that sent such qualifying, non-directed orders resulting in execution. In turn, APEX distributed the exchange rebates and other payments received to the applicable APEX client that sent such qualifying, non-directed orders resulting in execution. <https://www.instinet.com/order-disclosures>

### Wolverine Execution Services, LLC:

During November 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Wolverine Execution Services ("WEX"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract for classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.0.60 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$.52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.0.80 per contract. During November 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$.0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

All option market makers that APEX routed options orders resulting in executions paid the same rates to APEX for orders in the same categories other than the one client referenced in the preceding paragraph. These payments were not contingent upon volume-based tiered payment schedules, agreements regarding minimum order flow, incentives for exceeding order flow thresholds, disincentives for failing to meet order flow thresholds, nor trade-off's of payment or other incentives/disincentives for price improvement or other execution quality.

### Jane Street Capital:

During November 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Jane Street Capital ("JANE"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract for classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.060 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.080 per contract. During November 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$.025 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

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#### Global Execution Brokers LP:

During November 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Global Execution Brokers ("G1X"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract for classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.060 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.080 per contract. During November 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$.025 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

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#### Matrix Executions, LLC:

During November 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Matrix Executions, LLC ("Matrix"). For non-complex marketable orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.21 to \$.25 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.060 per contract. For complex orders in the penny interval program, the payment rate was between \$.51-\$52 per contract. For classes not in the penny interval program, the rate was \$.080 per contract.

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### S&P 500 Stocks

#### Summary

Non-Directed Orders as % of All Orders	Market Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Non-Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Other Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders
100.00	50.72	11.29	30.40	7.59

#### Venues

Venue - Non-directed Order Flow	Non-Directed Orders (%)	Market Orders (%)	Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Non-Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Other Orders (%)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(cents per hundred shares)
Virtu Americas, LLC	45.57	68.71	19.72	21.16	27.24	13,718.90	17.3611	1,983.57	19.9139	1,694.04	29.6438	1,400.36	14.3214
CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	26.43	4.73	41.22	57.18	26.27	7,032.92	20.0000	1,602.11	19.2603	2,916.64	29.0173	1,383.59	23.5718
Hudson River Trading (HRT)	7.26	6.68	4.74	6.41	18.24	10,679.75	20.0000	2,385.72	20.0000	2,777.16	30.0000	1,424.69	20.0000
Jane Street Capital	6.95	7.05	5.37	4.29	19.21	9,422.23	20.0025	2,056.30	20.0000	993.55	29.8814	1,432.49	26.4802
GTS SECURITIES LLC	5.14	5.32	5.21	5.30	3.26	10,814.61	20.0000	2,593.27	20.0000	2,198.55	30.0000	517.02	20.0000

### Material Aspects:

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### Non-S&P 500 Stocks

#### Summary

Non-Directed Orders as % of All Orders	Market Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Non-Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Other Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders
100.00	36.95	17.64	35.48	9.93

#### Venues

Venue - Non-directed Order Flow	Non-Directed Orders (%)	Market Orders (%)	Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Non-Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Other Orders (%)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(cents per hundred shares)
CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	40.41	7.48	57.02	70.09	27.34	143,838.42	15.5761	184,592.20	16.2950	78,498.11	26.7096	55,375.56	16.0661
Virtu Americas, LLC	29.61	51.22	13.84	14.48	31.34	234,544.28	16.9603	170,928.83	16.4345	22,246.97	26.4175	31,839.37	10.8650
Hudson River Trading (HRT)	8.41	10.10	7.24	5.20	15.68	206,728.10	15.3994	299,112.79	17.0129	52,727.93	26.3953	35,245.57	13.4602
Jane Street Capital	8.05	10.22	7.94	3.64	15.93	193,612.68	15.6368	251,224.12	16.5305	13,459.73	25.9614	27,225.93	13.8410
GTS SECURITIES LLC	6.26	8.98	7.51	3.92	2.29	211,340.71	15.7463	252,664.87	16.6313	36,403.45	25.8954	27,059.65	18.8538

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## December 2025

### Options

#### Summary

Non-Directed Orders as % of All Orders	Market Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Non-Marketable Limit Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders	Other Orders as % of Non-Directed Orders
100.00	3.00	9.95	25.87	61.18

#### Venues

Venue - Non-directed Order Flow	Non-Directed Orders (%)	Market Orders (%)	Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Non-Marketable Limit Orders (%)	Other Orders (%)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Market Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Non-Marketable Limit Orders(cents per hundred shares)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(USD)	Net Payment Paid/Received for Other Orders(cents per hundred shares)
Instinet, LLC	22.31	12.18	7.73	6.82	31.74	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000
Dash/IMC Financial Markets	18.28	19.11	19.67	21.79	16.53	16,819.70	27.7443	304,518.74	31.1821	125,452.62	39.5179	75,112.00	28.9793
CITADEL SECURITIES LLC	16.73	16.10	14.10	19.13	16.17	14,607.39	30.3247	283,791.10	31.6017	115,488.83	40.2980	97,898.38	58.1852
Wolverine Execution Services, LLC	15.27	7.21	10.03	10.73	18.44	6,617.54	27.7012	128,163.60	34.1761	64,148.46	38.0916	134,236.86	54.2935
Jane Street Capital	14.61	19.98	21.32	16.34	12.53	18,508.78	26.6839	298,576.46	30.2418	144,955.94	39.6568	107,449.66	50.8293

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Global Execution Brokers LP	7.60	17.51	19.02	18.31	0.72	15,336.76	28.1584	254,647.06	31.7870	99,861.51	40.1376	2,130.26	33.9754
Matrix Executions, LLC	5.19	7.91	8.14	6.88	3.86	4,598.31	22.1328	92,406.84	26.5162	50,617.55	31.4225	30,837.34	46.8226

### Material Aspects:

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**Dash/IMC Financial Markets:**  
 During December 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Dash/IMC Financial Markets ("Dash/IMC"). For single leg orders, APEX receives a per-contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.22, \$.30, \$.35, \$.45, \$.56, \$.67 or \$.75. For multi leg orders, APEX receives a per contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.48, \$.58, \$.65, \$.75, \$.85, \$.95 or \$1.05. During December 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

All option market makers that APEX routed options orders resulting in executions paid the same rates to APEX for orders in the same categories other than the one client referenced in the preceding paragraph. These payments were not contingent upon volume-based tiered payment schedules, agreements regarding minimum order flow, incentives for exceeding order flow thresholds, disincentives for failing to meet order flow thresholds, nor trade-off's of payment or other incentives/disincentives for price improvement or other execution quality.

**CITADEL SECURITIES LLC:**  
 During December 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Citadel Securities LLC ("Citadel"). For single leg orders, APEX receives a per-contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.22, \$.30, \$.35, \$.45, \$.56, \$.67 or \$.75. For multi leg orders, APEX receives a per contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.48, \$.58, \$.65, \$.75, \$.85, \$.95 or \$1.05.

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**Wolverine Execution Services, LLC:**  
 During December 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Wolverine Execution Services ("WEX"). For single leg orders, APEX receives a per-contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.22, \$.30, \$.35, \$.45, \$.56, \$.67 or \$.75. For multi leg orders, APEX receives a per contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.48, \$.58, \$.65, \$.75, \$.85, \$.95 or \$1.05. During December 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

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**Jane Street Capital:**  
 During December 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Jane Street Capital ("JANE"). For single leg orders, APEX receives a per-contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.22, \$.30, \$.35, \$.45, \$.56, \$.67 or \$.75. For multi leg orders, APEX receives a per contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.48, \$.58, \$.65, \$.75, \$.85, \$.95 or \$1.05. During December 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

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**Global Execution Brokers LP:**  
 During December 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Global Execution Brokers ("G1X"). For single leg orders, APEX receives a per-contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.22, \$.30, \$.35, \$.45, \$.56, \$.67 or \$.75. For multi leg orders, APEX receives a per contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.48, \$.58, \$.65, \$.75, \$.85, \$.95 or \$1.05. During December 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

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**Matrix Executions, LLC:**

During December 2025, for all clearing and/or execution other than one client in particular, Apex Clearing Corporation ("APEX") received payment for multi-listed option order flow routed to and executed by Matrix Executions, LLC ("Matrix"). For single leg orders, APEX receives a per-contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.22, \$.30, \$.35, \$.45, \$.56, \$.67 or \$.75. For multi leg orders, APEX receives a per contract rate that depends on the average quoted spread for the symbol based on the prior month. APEX received a rate of \$.48, \$.58, \$.65, \$.75, \$.85, \$.95 or \$1.05. During December 2025 for one client, Apex received a fixed rate of \$0.25 per option contract for SPY, QQQ, IWM and \$.45 per contract for Penny and Non Penny names which was applied uniformly across all options orders, irrespective of their size or complexity.

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