

## Tradefair Pro Margin Fact Sheet

### Features

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- New flat rate percentage margin system
- No compulsory stop loss
- No minimum stop distance

### Advantages

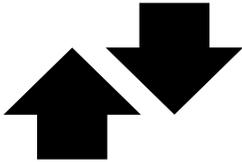
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- Your margin will not increase the further away your stop is from the market
- You have the option to add a stop loss, but using one is not compulsory
- You can set your stop loss at any distance outside the market spread

### Benefits

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- Free up more equity that was otherwise tied-up with the old stop loss margin system
- Have the freedom to only use a stop loss when you choose to
- You can now set a stop loss at the risk level that you dictate, not the system



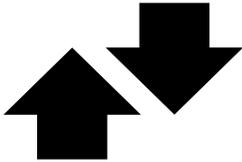
## Differences: Compulsory stop loss Variable Margin Vs Flat rate % of trade value

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The old Tradefair platform calculates margin based on the initial margin requirement, plus a measure of the distance between your stop loss and the market price. The further away your stop loss, the more margin required. The limitation to this system is that available equity is tied up in covering the initial margin, as well as the potential losses that could be incurred if the stop loss is breached, for each individual open position. However, the new Tradefair platform offers a flat margin system. A flat margin system simply calculates margin as a flat rate percentage of the trade value, ie: you are only required to cover the margin for the position itself, with no added margin based on your stop loss.

For example, on the old platform a £10 per point spread bet on the .UK100 with a stop loss of 50 points would require £625 margin. On the new system a £10 per point spread bet would require 0.5% of the total value of the trade. So for example, if the .UK100 is trading at 6,500 then the margin, no matter where a stop loss is placed or if at all, would only be £325.

You can find more information on the margin requirement for each market on our market information sheets on [plus.tradefair.com](https://plus.tradefair.com).

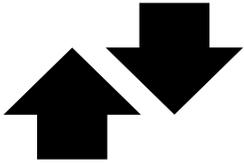


## Differences: Margin Calls

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As the new Tradefair Plus+ platform does not have a compulsory stop loss, which on the old platform ring fenced equity in case a stop loss is breached, you are provided with a Risk Level gauge, which can be found on all the new Tradefair Plus+ platforms and displays a percentage of available equity to margin required. This is a key indication of how much equity you have available to cover any open positions and the risk level associated with a potential margin closure. For example, a risk level of 100% means that all your available funds are being used to cover the margin required for your position(s). You will be sent an email at 75% and 50% to inform you that your positions are at risk of closure and at 25% we will initiate the closure of all open positions and orders. To avoid this situation it is recommended to have enough available funds in your account to cover your margin requirement.

For information on our margin policy please see our [terms and conditions](#).



## Frequently Asked Questions

### Q / How do I calculate margin?

Stake size x (price of market/pip value\*) x margin requirement %

\*Pip value – the pip value is displayed on the deal ticket and is the decimal point of the price that you are trading on.

Example on the .UK100 @ £10 per point:

$$£10 \times (6500 / 1) \times 0.5\% = £325$$

### Q / Will my stop loss affect my margin?

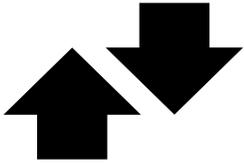
No. Your stop loss will no longer affect your margin requirement

### Q / Where do I find my margin requirement?

Your margin requirement is displayed on all platforms in the open positions

### Q / Where do I find out the margin requirement for each market?

All margin requirements can be found on our market information sheets on plus.  
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