



# Buy the Tesla (TSLA) *April 2025* \$160-\$170 in-the-money vertical bull call debit spread at \$8.50 or best

# **Opening Trade**

3-12-2025

expiration date: April 17, 2025

Portfolio weighting: 10% weighting

**Number of Contracts = 13 contracts** 

With this trade I am willing to get that Tesla shares will not drop another 35% from here. That would be a massive \$325, or 66% from the December high.

Tesla has already suffered the second largest destruction of market capitalization in the shortest time in history, some \$500 billion, second only to (NVDA)'s \$1 trillion.

Picket lines at show rooms and arson attacks again dealerships and charging stations are never a good sign for business. Elon Musk says he doesn't care. I

believe him. All of that is now in the price. Time to buy.

Therefore, I am buying the Tesla (TSLA) *April 2025* \$160-\$170 in-the-money vertical bull call debit spread at \$8.50 or best.

### DO NOT USE MARKET ORDERS UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.

## Do not pay more than \$9.00, or you will be chasing

Simply enter your limit order, wait five minutes, and if you don't get done, cancel your order and increase your bid by 10 cents with a second order.

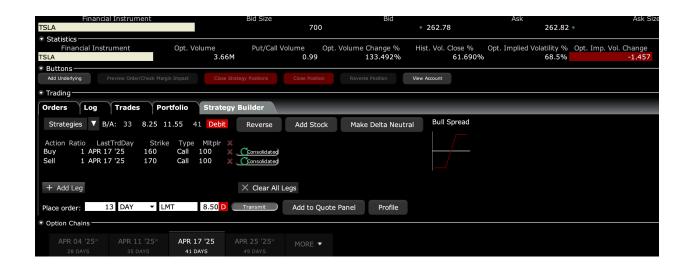
If you live in a foreign time zone when the US stock market is closed, such as Australia, or don't want to sit in front of a screen all day, simply enter a spread of **Good-Until-Cancelled** orders overnight, like \$8.50, \$8.60, \$9.60, \$8.70, and \$8.80. You should get done on some or all of these.

Here are the specific trades you need to execute this position:

Sell 13 April (TSLA) \$160 calls at	\$106.00
Buy to cover short 13 April (TSLA) \$190 calls at	\$97.50
Net cost:	\$8.50

Potential Profit: \$10.00 - \$8.50 = \$1.50

 $(13 \times 100 \times \$1.50) = \$1,950 \text{ or } 17.67\% \text{ in } 35 \text{ trading days}$ 









To see how to enter this trade in your online platform, please look at the order ticket below, which I pulled off of *Interactive Brokers*.

If you are uncertain about how to execute an options spread, please watch my training video on "How to Execute a Vertical Bull Call Spread" by clicking here

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The best execution can be had by placing your bid for the entire spread in the middle market and waiting for the market to come to you. The difference between the bid and the offer on these deep in-the-money spread trades can be enormous.

Don't execute the legs individually or you will end up losing much of your profit. Spread pricing can be very volatile on expiration months farther out.

Keep in mind that these are ballpark prices at best. After the alerts go out, prices can be all over the map.

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