

Lesson 6

Stock market cards

Card 1: Market order (class example)

Market order (buy or sell)

- ☒ **Goal:** Buy immediately at the next available price.
- ☒ No trigger price needed
- ☒ Execute at current market price on Day 1
-  **Tip:** Price can fluctuate between order placement and execution; an exact price is not guaranteed.

Card 2A: Limit order

Limit order (buy)

- ☒ **Goal:** Buy low.
- ☒ Must be at or below assigned limit price between \$47–\$56
- ☒ **Encourage:** Choosing a price between \$47–\$54
-  **Tip:** If set too low (below \$47), the order may never get filled.

Card 2B: Limit order

Limit order (buy)

- ☒ **Goal:** Buy low.
- ☒ Must be at or below assigned limit price between \$47–\$56
- ☒ **Encourage:** Choosing a price between \$47–\$52
-  **Tip:** If set too low (below \$47), the order may never get filled.

Card 2C: Limit order

Limit order (buy)

- ☒ **Goal:** Buy low.
- ☒ Must be at or below assigned limit price between \$47–\$56
- ☒ **Encourage:** Choosing a price between \$47–\$50
-  **Tip:** If set too low (below \$47), the order may never get filled.

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Card 3A: Stop order (stop-loss)

Stop order (sell)

- ☒ **Goal:** Sell to prevent further losses.
- ☒ Stop price must be between \$47 and \$56
- ☒ **Encourage:** Choosing a stop price \$2–\$5 below purchase price but not below \$47
-  **Tip:** Too tight a stop may trigger a premature sale.

Card 3B: Stop order (stop-loss)

Stop order (sell)

- ☒ **Goal:** Sell to prevent further losses.
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Card 3C: Stop order (stop-loss)

Stop order (sell)

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Card 4A: Stop-limit order

Stop-limit order (sell)

- ☒ **Goal:** Sell only if the price falls, but with a price floor.
- ☒ Stop price triggers order between \$47 and \$56 (example: stop = \$52)
- ☒ Limit price sets lowest acceptable price, so it must be equal or lower than stop price but not below \$47 (example: limit = \$51)
-  **Warning:** If limit price is too close to stop price, the order might not execute.

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Card 4B: Stop-limit order

Stop-limit order (sell)

- ✓ **Goal:** Sell only if price falls, but with a price floor.
- ✓ Stop price triggers order between \$47 and \$56 (example: stop = \$50)
- ✓ Limit price sets lowest acceptable price, so it must be equal or lower than stop price but not below \$47 (example: limit = \$49)
- ⚠ **Warning:** If limit price is too close to stop price, the order might not execute.

Card 4C: Stop-limit order

Stop-limit order (sell)

- ✓ **Goal:** Sell only if price falls, but with a price floor.
- ✓ Stop price triggers order between \$47 and \$56 (example: stop = \$48)
- ✓ Limit price sets lowest acceptable price, so it must be equal or lower than stop price but not below \$47 (example: limit = \$47)
- ⚠ **Warning:** If limit price is too close to stop price, the order might not execute.

Card 5A: Trailing stop order

Trailing stop order (sell)

- ✓ **Goal:** Let gains grow but sell if price drops by a set amount.
- ✓ Set trail amount between \$1 and \$5 (example: \$2 trailing stop)
- ✓ **Encourage:** \$2 or \$3 is a realistic default
- ✓ Locks in profits while allowing stock to rise
- ⚠ **Tip:** Too small a trail may trigger a sale too early; too large a trail risks losses.

Card 5B: Trailing stop order

Trailing stop order (sell)

- ✓ **Goal:** Let gains grow but sell if price drops by a set amount.
- ✓ Set trail amount between \$1 and \$5 (example: \$3 trailing stop)
- ✓ **Encourage:** \$2 or \$3 is a realistic default
- ✓ Locks in profits while allowing stock to rise
- ⚠ **Tip:** Too small a trail may trigger a sale too early; too large a trail risks losses.

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Card 5C: Trailing stop order

Trailing stop order (sell)

- ☒ **Goal:** Let gains grow but sell if price drops by a set amount.
- ☒ Set trail amount between \$1 and \$5 (example: \$4 trailing stop)
- ☒ **Encourage:** \$3 or \$4 is realistic for this range
- ☒ Locks in profits while allowing stock to rise
- ☒ **Tip:** Too large a trail may allow big losses.