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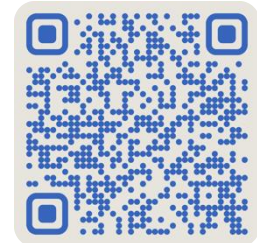
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Leveraging Timeframes to Define Your Trading Style



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Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Understanding Trading Styles and Timeframes
3. Analyzing Multiple Timeframes
4. Live Demonstration
5. Integrating Timeframes into a Trading Plan
6. Free Bonus Resources
7. Questions & Answers

Introduction



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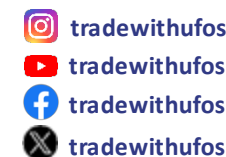


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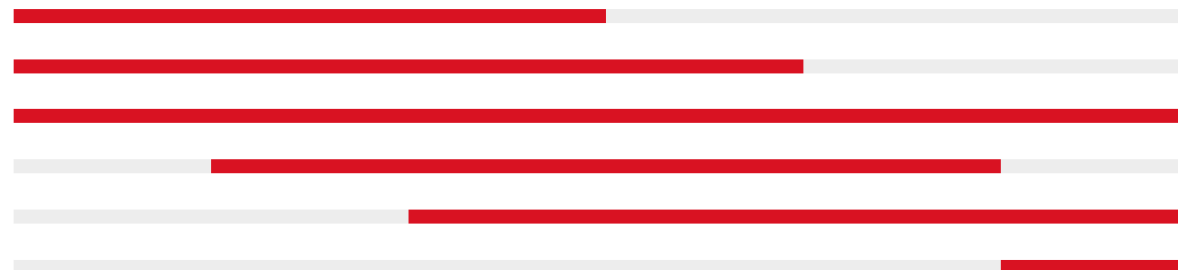
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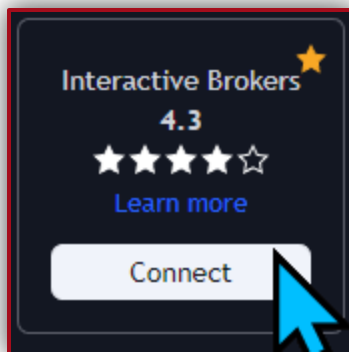


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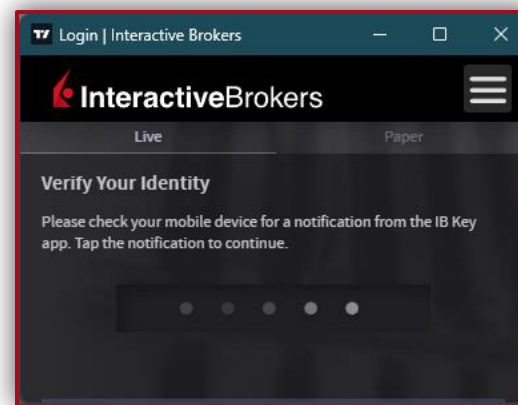
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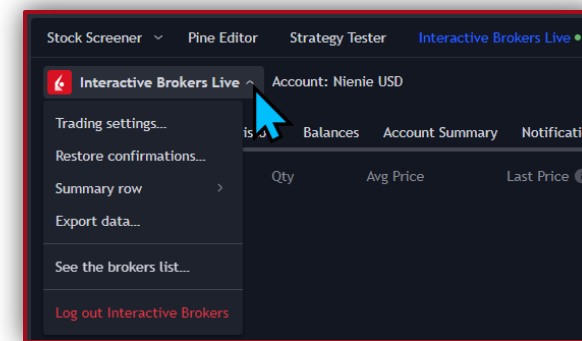
2. Select Interactive Brokers



3. Enter your Credentials and Verify your Identity



4. The Trading Panel has now changed to IBKR Live



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Why Timeframes Matter

- Influence trade duration, risk tolerance, and decision-making speed
- Impact our emotional response and discipline
- Define our strategy: fast-paced intraday vs. patient long-term positioning
- Crucial for aligning with lifestyle, capital, and market behavior



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Types of Trading Styles

Style	Timeframe	Holding Period	Characteristics
Intraday	1min to 15min	Minutes to hours	Fast-paced, high volume, quick decisions
Swing	1hr to Daily	Days to weeks	Balanced, technical setups, moderate pace
Position	Daily to Weekly+	Weeks to months	Strategic, macro-driven, low frequency

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Align with Trading Objectives

- Intraday: Capture quick price fluctuations, frequent entries/exits
- Swing: Trade momentum or short-term trends
- Position: Ride broader moves, align with fundamentals or macro analysis



Timeframes should match your goals, personality, and availability.

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Timeframe Selection Factors

- Volatility: Higher volatility favors shorter timeframes for quick opportunities
- Liquidity: More liquid markets allow better execution at any timeframe
- Personal availability: Full-time vs. part-time trading commitment
- Risk appetite: Lower timeframes = faster feedback, potentially higher stress
- Tech/tools access: Real-time data and platforms matter more for intraday styles

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Multi-Timeframe Analysis

A method of aligning multiple charts across different time intervals to gain context, precision, and confirmation

- Higher timeframes = big picture (trend, climate, context)
- Lower timeframes = fine-tuned entries, exits, and risk control
- Aligning both helps avoid noise and false signals

Top-Down Approach

- Start with the big picture
 - Use Daily/Weekly charts to identify trend and direction
- Zoom in for opportunity
 - Use Hourly/Minute charts to pinpoint entry, stop, and target zones
- Example Tools
 - Manual application of technical analysis (time-consuming and could be subjective)
 - AutoClimate™ for trend confirmation
 - AutoUFOs® for precise entry/exit planning



Better alignment = better probability trades

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Live Demonstration

- Using TradingView to plan trades, assess risk and execute
- Executing orders with Interactive Brokers (TWS/IBKR Desktop)
- Showcasing trades with risk management in action



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Trading Plan Timeframes



Building a plan based on timeframes:

- Define your primary trading style (intraday, swing, position)
- Select your main chart timeframe and one higher/lower for context
- Match your risk tolerance to the speed of feedback
- Decide on entry/exit rules based on manual techniques (TA) or use advanced technology such as UFOs and Climate



A plan grounded in timeframe logic increases consistency

Risk by Timeframe

- Intraday: Smaller stop-loss, more trades, tighter targets
- Swing: Moderate risk, moderate holding period
- Position: Wider stops, fewer trades, larger market swings
- Use Climate stats for risk sizing



Match your expectations to the rhythm
of your chosen timeframe

Consistency



Be deliberate about:

- Always using the same timeframe combination (e.g., Daily + 15min)
- Calibrating your indicators to your timeframe preferences
- Documenting your trades by timeframe logic
- Avoiding temptation to jump between styles mid-trade



Consistency compounds—strategy drift does not

Additional Resources



Step 1: Watch video-lessons (all styles, all assets)

Go to  www.youtube.com/@tradewithufos
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and follow the steps

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Key Takeaways

 Summary of today's session:

- Timeframes define your trading personality
- Higher timeframes = context; lower timeframes = precision
- Combining both improves consistency, clarity, and confidence
- Tools like AutoUFOs® and AutoClimate™ could add structure and objectivity
- Practice, calibrate, and refine—trading is a craft



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Interactive Q&A



- Clarify concepts discussed in the webinar
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