

WHAT ARE THE IP ADDRESS RULES FOR TRADING ACCOUNTS?

For the security and integrity of your trading journey with CK Funded, it's important that the IP address region used during your Evaluation stages (Phase 1 and Phase 2) and for accessing your Master trading account remains the same. This means:

- **Consistency is Key:** The IP address region from which you purchase the Evaluation, and log into your Phase 1, Phase 2, and Master trading accounts should match.
- **Verification for Changes:** If our Risk Team notices a change in the IP address region, they may contact you for confirmation. You might be asked to provide proof of your location, such as a plane ticket, passport stamp, or a live video from your current location.
- **Travel Notification:** If you plan to travel and trade from a different region, please inform our support team in advance. This helps us understand your situation and prevents any unnecessary interruptions in your trading activities.

This rule helps safeguard your account and ensures compliance with our trading standards.

HOW DOES CK FUNDED CALCULATE DRAWDOWN?

Equity-Based Drawdown: This method considers your current account balance, including any profits you've earned or potential losses you might incur in real time.

Equity is your balance +/- the floating profit/loss of your open positions.

ACCOUNT MISUSE OR UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS?

Account misuse occurs when someone other than the registered account holder engages in trading activities. Our system continuously monitors for unauthorized access, such as the use of different IP addresses by

nonaccount holders. If such activity is detected, the account will be flagged, and an automated response will be issued. Clients who have

engaged in prohibited trading practices in violation of our terms and conditions will have their accounts breached. As a result, the account will be terminated, and the account holder will no longer be permitted to participate in our funding program. **Please note that all trading activities must be conducted solely by the registered account holder to ensure compliance with our terms and conditions.**

CK Funded shall be entitled to review the client's account without notice at any time, withdraw any profits, and charge any costs which it deems, in its sole discretion, to have been inappropriately gained. CK Funded shall not be liable for the cancellation of any transaction or profits or in the event of any damages or losses which may result from the suspension, closure, or unwinding of transactions.

THE FOLLOWING ARE RESTRICTED TRADING STRATEGIES, WHICH INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO THE FOLLOWING.

- Scalping (High-Speed Trading)
- Use of Expert Advisors or "robots"
- Stacking Trades

"Scalping (High-Speed Trading)" is a form of trading strategy through which the Client performs and/or tries to perform numerous transactions on small price changes (5 pips average) or in very short timeframes (closing a trading position within 5 minutes of opening). This also includes holding opposite "hedged" positions for an indefinite amount of time and then closing, or partially closing, the positions within a short period of time from each other.

If the CK Funded notices any Scalping activity or other high-speed trading activity, the trading account of the Client shall be disabled without prior notice. Expert Advisors are automated trading software that executes trades without manual intervention. Under such circumstances, CK Funded shall be entitled to review the client's account without notice at any time, withdraw any profits, and charge any costs which it deems, in its sole

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What is stacking trades?

Stacking trades is the practice of opening multiple positions simultaneously or in quick succession to artificially increase risk exposure. *(PS: Only prohibited on the funded phase)* Why is it prohibited?

This strategy can manipulate risk limits and create an unfair advantage, making it difficult to assess true trading skill.

How to avoid violating this rule ?

To maintain fair risk exposure, traders may execute trades in 10-minute intervals. Opening multiple positions within a shorter timeframe is prohibited and will result in violations of trading rules.

WHAT IS THE MAXIMUM PROFIT SPLIT I CAN GET?

CK funded Initial profit split is 75%, after making 3 withdrawals we move you to 85% profit split then after 5 withdrawals we move you to 95% profit split.

WHEN CAN I WITHDRAW MY FUND?

Once you are Funded, you can trade for **21 days**, request your payout, and receive it **within 48–72 hours**, allowing you to return to trading quickly. Additionally, you can enjoy **Weekly Payouts every 10 days!** With our **Addon**

Feature, you have the opportunity to boost your earnings by +20%!

WITHDRAWAL ELIGIBILITY WITH CK FUNDED?

Ensuring Withdrawal Eligibility with CK Funded

At CK Funded, we have zero payout denials—just make sure you meet the necessary criteria to be eligible for a payout. If you've ever wondered how to ensure your withdrawals are eligible, here's a detailed explanation.

To be eligible for withdrawal, you need to meet three key criteria:

1. Lot Size Consistency

2. Trade Duration

1. Lot Size Consistency

Lot size consistency means maintaining a consistent lot size throughout your trades on the funded account. You must use the same lot size that you started with, but there is some flexibility to adjust this lot size. Specifically, you can increase or decrease your initial lot size by multiplying your **average lot size** by 2 (to increase) or by 0.5 (to decrease).

Understanding Your Average Lot Size

To calculate your average lot size, use the following formula:

Average lot size = Total lot size / number of trades **Example**

Calculation:

Let's say you started trading with 0.03 lots, and you've taken 8 trades, each using 0.03 lots. Here's how you would calculate your average lot size:

Step 1: Calculate the total lot size. $0.03 \times 8 = 0.24$

Step 2: Calculate the average lot size. $0.24 \div 8 = 0.03$

Therefore your average lot size is 0.03. This formula gives you the average size of the lots you've used across all your trades.

Increase/ Decrease your lot size while maintaining Lot Size Consistency:

To adjust your lot size while staying within the lot consistency rule, you need to multiply your average lot size by 2 to increase it, or by 0.5 to decrease it.

Increase Your Lot Size:

Multiply your average lot size by 2. $0.03 \times 2 = 0.06$

Decrease Your Lot Size:

Multiply your average lot size by 0.5. $0.03 \times 0.5 = 0.015$

This means you can adjust your lot size within the range of 0.015 to 0.06. Any lot size you use outside of this range will be considered ineligible for withdrawal.

TIP: Make sure to follow this formula closely to avoid any issues with lot size consistency. It may take some time to fully grasp this concept, so don't hesitate to review it multiple times until you're confident.

2. Trade Duration

The second rule is about the duration of your trades. For a trade to be eligible for withdrawal, it must remain open for at least 10 minutes.

Example:

- If you open a trade at 8:00 AM, it needs to stay open until at least 8:10 AM.
- If you close the trade at 8:05 AM, the profits from that trade will be ineligible for withdrawal.

This rule ensures that trades are not just quick scalps but have a meaningful duration.

Conclusion

By following these rules—ensuring lot size consistency and meeting the trade duration requirement — you can guarantee that your withdrawal requests will be processed smoothly.

Even if your account has a large balance, only the trades that meet the eligibility criteria (lot size consistency, trade duration, and the minimum number of eligible trades) will be considered for withdrawal. This ensures fairness and adherence to the trading rules.

We encourage you to study these rules carefully to ensure your success. We're committed to supporting your trading journey, and by adhering to these guidelines, you can confidently look forward to receiving your payouts.

Good luck with your trading, and thank you for choosing CK Funded!

LOT CONSISTENCY

The Lot Consistency Rule is a policy implemented by CK Funded to ensure that traders maintain consistent trading behavior over a specified period before they can make a withdrawal from their trading accounts. This rule helps us manage risk and ensure that traders are not engaging in erratic or high-risk trading practices that could jeopardize the firm's capital.

Purpose

The primary objectives of the Lot Consistency Withdraw Rule are to:

1. Promote disciplined trading: Encourage traders to follow a consistent trading strategy.
2. Mitigate risk: Reduce the likelihood of significant losses due to inconsistent or impulsive trading behavior.
3. Ensure fairness: Provide a standardized measure for withdrawal eligibility, ensuring all traders adhere to the same criteria.

Rule Criteria

Lot Consistency Rule calculates the average lots of all trades, to find the 2 top and the 0.5 bottom limit of the lots.

Example 1: Compliance

- Trader A starts trading with 1 standard lot per trade.
- Trader A continues to trade with lot sizes with average lot 1.5 lot, and the threshold of the lot consistency is top 2 times, and bottom 0.5 times, ranging from 3 to 0.75 standard lots.
- Trader A makes 10 eligible trades out of 15 trades, within 3 to 0.75 lots during this period.
- Result: Trader A has 10 eligible trades for a withdrawal, as they have maintained lot consistency within the allowable deviation and met the trade frequency requirement.

Example 2: Non-Compliance • Trader B starts trading

with 1 standard lot per trade.

- Within the payout cycle active days for 5 days, Trader B continues to trade with lot sizes with average lot 2 lots, and the threshold of the lot

consistency is top 2 times, and bottom 0.5 times, ranging from 4 to 1 standard lots.

- Trader B makes 0 eligible trade out of 15 trades, within 4 to 1 lots during this period.
- Result: Trader B is not eligible for a withdrawal, as they have not maintained lot consistency within the allowable deviation, no eligible trades and have not met the trade frequency requirement.

PS: Any trades that's outside the range, will be counted as ineligible trades. And will not be included for calculation for the withdrawal. And for those ineligible trades, it could be withdrawn if somehow in the future the trades becomes eligible. For the withdrawn trades, will not be calculated anymore, and will be excluded from the eligible trades profit sum calculation.

TRADE OPEN POSITION

When a trader request a withdrawal, trade open duration must be exceed 10 minutes.

PROFIT CAP LIMIT: \$1.8K TO \$25K FUNDED ACCOUNT

The profit cap rules vary depending on the account size. But for all accounts, the minimum withdrawal amount is \$200 and \$100 minimum withdrawal for \$1,800 TO \$2500 accounts.

You don't need to reach the profit cap limit to place a withdrawal. You are allowed to place a withdrawal as long as it is equal to or above the minimum profit cap limit.

This rule sets a minimum profit limit that a trader can have before asking for a withdrawal. It helps manage expectations and ensures users are withdrawing reasonable amounts.

It's important to note that Profit cap rules always reset after each payout is approved. So you will enable you to make multiple withdrawals without any issues.

Additionally If you are seeking greater withdrawal flexibility, please note that our \$50,000+ accounts does not have any profit caps and may offer a suitable solution for your needs.

DO YOU OFFER SWAP FREE ACCOUNTS?

No, for beginners and CFD traders, avoiding swap fees in forex is straightforward: **Close all positions before the daily rollover time, typically at 23:59 EST. Important Note:** Traders are permitted to hold positions overnight and over the weekend with both your Challenge and CK Funded Accounts. However, **swap charges will apply to these positions and will count toward your daily loss calculation.**

ARE TRADE COPIERS ALLOWED?

No, trade copiers are not permitted. We aim to ensure that all trading activity is conducted by the account holder.

RULES REGARDING TRADE COPIERS?

1. **Prohibited Use:** Any form of automated or manual trade copying, including the use of third-party trade copier tools or software, is not allowed.
2. **Account Holder Responsibility:** All trades must be executed directly by the account holder without the assistance of external tools or individuals.
3. **Violation Consequences:** Accounts found to be in violation of this rule will be immediately terminated. Refunds for purchase payments will be processed in accordance with our refund policy, and the account holder will be permanently banned from accessing our services.
4. **Monitoring and Enforcement:** Our risk department actively monitors accounts for prohibited activities. If any suspicious activity is detected, the account will be subject to further investigation, and appropriate action will be taken.

We are committed to upholding the integrity of our platform and ensuring that every user has a fair opportunity to succeed. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

IS WEEKEND HOLDING ALLOWED?

Yes, you can. Weekend holding is allowed, providing you with more time to keep your trades open if needed.

IS THERE A LIMIT ON THE TRADING VOLUME [USD]?

The limit depends on the type of account you have—Challenge Account or Funded Account. For more details, here is the Max Trading Volume Guideline.

Challenge Accounts:

- Lot Size Restrictions: None. You're free to trade any lot size, with the only limitations being those set by your broker.

Funded Accounts:

Lot Size Daily Limits: The lot size limits vary based on the account size and asset type:

- \$1.8K – \$2.5K Accounts: Up to 4 lots for Forex, Indices, cryptocurrencies and Commodities.
- \$5K – \$10K Account: Up to 8 lots for Forex, 4 lots for Indices, cryptocurrencies and Commodities.
- \$25K – \$200K Accounts: Up to 10 lots for Forex, 4 lots for Indices, cryptocurrencies and Commodities.

Complying with Max Lot Exposure Rules:

- Example 1: If you have a \$50K account and initiate 4 trades on US30, each with 1 lot, you're within the guidelines.
- Example 2: A single trade of 4 lots on US30 within a day also complies with the rules.

ARE THE FEES REFUNDABLE?

Yes, the fees are refundable. Once you become a funded trader with CK Funded, you'll receive a refund of your initial challenge fees upon your 4th payout from the funded account.

ARE THERE ANY PROFITABLE DAYS RULE?

Yes. For **2-Step challenges**, traders need to complete **five profitable**

days in each phase to advance and become eligible for payout.

These rules ensure that traders demonstrate consistency and maintain profitability throughout the challenge.

What counts as a profitable day?

A profitable day occurs when the sum of all closed positions for that day results in a **net profit of at least 0.5%** of your initial account balance. For a **\$10,000 – \$200,000 account, For \$1,800 – \$5,000** you need to generate a net profit of at least 0.5% of your initial account balance on a single day for it to count as a profitable day.

What is considered a trading day?

Your activity after 24-hour period determines whether the day's trades meet the profitable day criteria.

How are profits on positions held over multiple days counted? If a position is held over several days, the profit counts on the day the position is closed. Regardless of how long the trade was open, it is considered as part of the closing day's result.

Do the profitable days need to be consecutive?

No, the profitable days do not need to be consecutive. Traders must achieve the required number of profitable days within each phase of the challenge to pass and during the funded phase to qualify for payouts.

Are there any restrictions on my trading strategy?

At CK Funded, traders enjoy complete freedom regarding their trading style (scalping, swing, intraday, etc.).

However, consistency is required:

The strategy used to pass the Challenge must be the same strategy used in the Funded Account.

This demonstrates genuine trading skills and consistency.

Switching to a different approach in the Funded Account goes against our evaluation principles.

Any breach of this rule may lead to account review, suspension, or profit denial.

Additionally, unconventional practices that exploit market norms or disrupt fair trading conditions are prohibited.

2. Restricted & Prohibited Trading Strategies

CK Funded strictly prohibits any abuse of the platform or attempts to exploit loopholes. Such actions violate our Terms of Service (TOS) agreed upon during registration.

Traders must carefully read and understand these guidelines to prevent unintended consequences.

Below are the restricted practices:

◆ High-Frequency Trading (HFT)

Definition: Using sophisticated algorithms or telecom networks to execute a massive number of trades within milliseconds/seconds.

Why Restricted:

Creates artificial demand/supply.

Distorts true market conditions.

Overloads servers, risks instability.

Consequences: Warning → Suspension for repeated violations.

◆ Quick Strike Method

Definition: Ultra-fast trades (seconds) aimed at grabbing tiny price fluctuations for small, immediate profits.

Why Restricted:

Creates artificial volatility.

Misleads market participants.

Undermines platform fairness.

Consequence: Strictly prohibited.

◆ Latency Trading

Definition: Exploiting price delays/data lags between brokers/servers to guarantee risk-free profits.

Why Restricted:

Violates fair trading.

Creates unfair advantage.

Consequence: Strictly prohibited.

◆ Hedging Across Accounts

Allowed: Hedging within one account (opening buy and sell on the same asset in the same account).

Prohibited: Hedging across multiple accounts (Account A buys, Account B sells same asset).

Why Restricted:

Not a genuine strategy.

Creates artificial market manipulation.

Consequence: Termination of account.

◆ Arbitrage Trading

Definition: Exploiting price discrepancies between brokers, platforms, or feeds for guaranteed profits.

Why Restricted:

Distorts market pricing.

Creates artificial fluctuations.

Consequence: Strictly prohibited.

◆ Tick Scalping

Definition: Using algorithms to scalp tick-by-tick movements at high speed.

Why Restricted:

Front-runs other traders

Creates unfair advantage.

Strains liquidity & servers.

Consequence: Restricted.

◆ Grid Trading

Definition: Placing stacked buy/sell orders at fixed price intervals to profit from oscillations.

Why Restricted:

Creates artificial activity.

High risk of mass losses during trends.

Consequence: Not allowed.

◆ Account Rolling

Definition: Buying multiple Challenges, intentionally failing some to pass others.

Why Restricted:

Resembles gambling, not skill.

Undermines evaluation integrity.

Consequence: Strictly prohibited.

Definition: Taking oversized directional bets (all-in buys or sells) without proper analysis.

Why Restricted:

Purely speculative, no strategy.

Exposes trader and firm to unsustainable risk.

Consequence: Restricted.

◆ Hyperactivity

Definition: Excessive trading activity (200+ trades or 2,000+ server messages/day).

Why Restricted:

Strains servers.

Creates instability for other traders.

Consequence:

Warning system in place.

Persistent cases → suspension.

◆ Platform/Data Exploits

Definition: Freezing platforms, abusing demo server errors, or exploiting bugs.

Why Restricted:

Unfair advantage.

Misleads performance.

Consequence: Immediate termination.

◆ Low-Liquidity Exploits (“Dead Zone” Trading)

Definition: Exploiting thin liquidity (e.g., Asia/US crossover) for guaranteed profits.

Why Restricted:

Distorts order flow.

Risks platform integrity.

Consequence: Prohibited.

◆ Gambling Behavior

Definition:

Overleveraging (>80% margin).

Risking >1% per trade.

Trading without SL or risk management.

Rule: The 1% Risk Rule is enforced.

Traders must risk $\leq 1\%$ per trade.

Margin usage should stay within 10–20%.

Why Restricted:

Prevents reckless, gambling-like behavior.

Encourages sustainable growth.

Consequence: Warnings, profit deductions, leverage reduction, termination if repeated.

3. News Trading Policy

Allowed: Holding trades during news.

Restricted: Opening new trades 10 minutes before or 10 minutes after high-impact news.

News Profit Split Rule (Funded Accounts only):

35% of profits from news trades will be deducted.

Losses remain trader's responsibility.

Challenge Accounts: Not subject to the split rule.

4. Inactivity Policy

Accounts inactive for 30 consecutive days = deactivated.

Traders can request reactivation, but approval is at CK Funded's discretion.

5. VPN / VPS Policy

VPNs: Strictly prohibited.

VPS: Allowed (as long as identity is not masked).

6. Risk Management Enforcement

1% Risk Rule will be monitored.

Applied only to traders showing gambling-like behavior.

Consequences:

First Violation: Warning + profit deduction.

Repeated Violations: Termination.

Benefit: Helps traders adopt professional, disciplined habits.

Summary

Traders have full freedom of style, but must remain consistent.

Strategies exploiting loopholes, abusing market structure, or resembling gambling are prohibited.

CK Funded exists to build disciplined, professional, and sustainable traders.