



# E\*TRADE CORPORATE SERVICES

Branding Guidelines for ETCS Co-Marketing Alliance Arrangements

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## Requirements for Usage of the E\*TRADE Corporate Services Logo

You have requested permission from E\*TRADE Financial Corporate Services, Inc. ("E\*TRADE") to use the E\*TRADE logo on certain written communications you produce and disseminate to your customers / clients relating to the services E\*TRADE Corporate Services provides as an equity compensation plan administrator ("Permitted Use Communications"). Communications targeted to stock plan participants do not fall within these guidelines; please reach out to your E\*TRADE representative with any questions.

E\*TRADE grants permission for the use of the E\*TRADE Corporate Services logo in Permitted Use Communications in accordance with the standards set forth in this document.

While this document outlines the key components for acceptable usage and application of the E\*TRADE Corporate Services logo, it is a companion document to E\*TRADE's full brand guidelines and should not be considered a substitute for E\*TRADE's brand guidelines. Please review this document carefully and reach out to your E\*TRADE representative with any questions.

## The Purpose of These Guidelines

#### **Co-Marketing Alliance Benefit**

One of the key benefits of a Co-Marketing Alliance arrangement with E\*TRADE Financial Corporate Services, Inc. is the ability to leverage our brand. Based on this, it is important to ensure that the E\*TRADE brand and the brands of our Alliance partners are represented properly.

#### **Use Of This Document**

These guidelines have been created to protect the E\*TRADE brand from inappropriate use and keep its image consistent. It will also ensure that the relationship between E\*TRADE and its Alliance partners are clear – this is important for consumers of both of our brands.

We've included some of the most common forms of Alliance partner branding requests but if you have a need that is not addressed in these guidelines, please contact <a href="mailto:branding@etrade.com">branding@etrade.com</a> and obtain approval.

## What Is Co-Marketing?

Co-marketing occurs when two like-minded brands *align their marketing efforts to promote each other's product or service*. While a hybrid product is not created, a Co-Marketing undertaking allows brands to leverage their relationships with other brands.

With Co-Marketing, the brand partners aren't creating a unique new product or service as a result of their work together. They are essentially sharing their customers and are building awareness for both brands.

Co-Marketing arrangements aim to deliver greater results in terms of visibility, reach, and sales that could not have been accomplished without the support of another brand.

## E\*TRADE Corporate Services Logo Use – General Guidelines

It's important to distinguish who is delivering the communication as the brand voice, tone, color palette and messaging should reflect that of the creator.

The following is a summary of the E\*TRADE logo and it's use.

Many E\*TRADE brand assets are not to be used by Alliance partners. Why? The E\*TRADE brand is not a logo, advertisement, or 'marketing thing'. It's an asset that we use to express ourselves to our clients, customers and partner firms when we market or communicate. It's important to distinguish when marketing or communications come from E\*TRADE.

Our brand guidelines provide comprehensive guidance on our visual system, particularly logo application and usage.

By providing this simple guidance, it helps to enable our ability to protect it and grow its value.

## E\*TRADE Corporate Services Logo Library

#### **Primary logos**



#### **Primary Logo**

The primary, full color E\*TRADE Corporate Services logo should be used wherever possible.

#### Secondary logos



#### **Black Logo**

The blacklogo should only be used on light backgrounds when full color is not possible.



#### Primary Reverse Logo

For use only on dark backgrounds such as Plum or E\*TRADE Dark Blue. Note that the slightly lighter purple in the arrow is ODB Purple.



#### White Logo

The white logo should only be used on dark background when full color is not possible.

#### Note

The one-color E\*TRADE
Corporate Services logosare
not simply re-colored versions
of the primary logo, but official
logoswith their own
characteristics (notice the
space between the
converging arrows).



## E\*TRADE Corporate Services Logo Usage – Permissible

#### **Clear Space**

In order to preserve the integrity of the E\*TRADE Corporate Serviceslogo, it is important that no other logos type, or other graphic treatment infringe on its space. The minimum clear space is equal to the height of the Converging Arrows in the logo. The Registered Trademark symbol does not need to be included in this measurement.

#### Minimum size

In print, the minimum size at which the E\*TRADE Corporate Services logo may be used is .75in (20mm) wide (include the registration markfor this measurement). In digital the minimum size is 54 pixels wide.

Please don't change the logo, lockup any text with the logo, or create your own logos.

### When the ETCS logo and Alliance Partner logo are presented together:

- Insert dividing line at midpoint between the two logos
- Dividing line should match color of the text in the E\*TRADE Corporate Services logo used (white or black)
- · Both logos should be the same height
- Clear space between dividing line and logos should equal the width of the Converging Arrows



0.75 in (20mm) or 54px

Partner Logo Placement Example





## E\*TRADE Corporate Services Logo Usage – Not Permissible

Please review these common examples of misusage.

- A. Do not use outdated versions of the logo
- B. Do not distort the logos
- C. Do not alter the typeface of the primary logo or separate the Converging Arrows
- D. Do not display the logo without a Registered Trademark symbol
- E. Do not apply drop shadows or other effects
- F. Do not recolor the logo
- G. Do not rotate the logo
- H. Do not place the primary logo on top of an E\*TRADE Green background
- Do not use one-color logo without the space between the converging arrows
- J. Do not place the logo on backgrounds where it would become illegible









































## E\*TRADE Corporate Services Brand Asset Use – Not Permissible

Examples of E\*TRADE brand assets **not permitted** for use by Alliance partners:

#### **Converging Arrows**

The Converging Arrows logo is a supplemental logo and should never be used by Alliance partners in place of the full logo.







"E\*" Anything

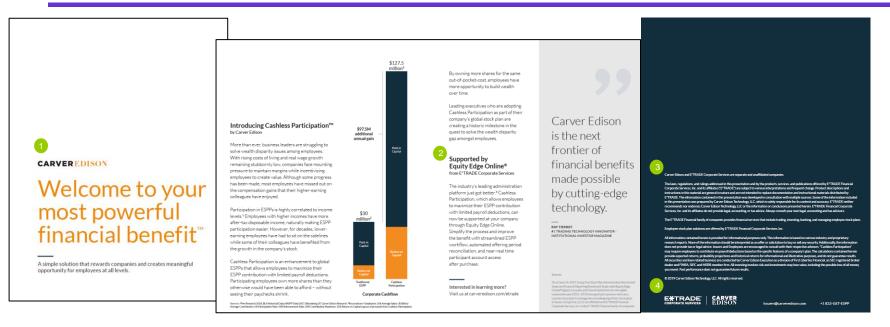


## E\*TRADE Brand Asset Use – Important Reminders

- While the execution and visual style of the piece may be driven by the Alliance partner, always appropriately display the E\*T RADE logo (do not stretch, skew, or otherwise alter)
- Use E\*TRADE's full color logo on a white background or full color reverse logo on E\*TRADE Purple, Plum, or Dark Blue background whenever possible
- When full color logos cannot be used, it is appropriate to use the white (knockout) logo on dark backgrounds only. Similarly, when color is not available the black logo can be applied on light backgrounds only
- Never use E\*TRADE's shorthand (converging arrows logo) in Alliance partner communications
- Do not lock up text to the logo or violate logo clear space. Clarification including "provided by" may be included in the communication, but must adhere to logo clear space restrictions
- Designations such as "provided by" must be in sentence case, utilize a smaller point size when compared to the E\*TRADE logo, appear in Arial typeface, and meet logo clear space requirements (do not infringe on the logo)
- To avoid misappropriation or brand confusion, do not place the E\*TRADE logo too closely to Alliance partner taglines, slogans, or other identity elements
- Do not use the logo as part of a sentence within copy. Instead, please write E\*TRADE in all caps with the asterisk as part of the word (never E-trade, E\*Trade, Etrade, etc.)

## CO-MARKETING EXAMPLES

## Co-marketing arrangement with Carver Edison



- Communication is coming from Carver Edison and reflects Carver Edison's brand, tone, voice, color palate
- 2 "Supported by" "Powered by" "Provided by" permissible language used
- 3 E\*TRADE Corporate Services and Carver Edison disclosure included
- Clear space distinction between E\*TRADE Corporate Services and Carver Edison logos



## Co-marketing arrangement with First Republic Bank



Premium executive services From E\*TRADE Securities Our Executive Private Client team is committed to helping your U.S.-based senior executives understand and navigate the many complexities of their equity compensation benefits. New E\*TRADE secured line of credit Customized 10b5-1 trading plans By pledging vested stock plan or other eligible assets held at E\*TRADE Securities as collateral implement structured trading plans that may for a line of credit from E\*TRADE Bank, your help minimize legal risk, even for transactions senior executives can access up to 50% of the made during blackout periods ortfolio market value. This provides a fast, flexible source of liquidity that would disputitor Regulatory filing preparation assistance We will assist with the administrative details their investment strategies by the need to sell their pladoed securities accordated with the preparation of required regulatory filings, such as those required by Block trade execution support Rule 144 and Section 16 As your senior executives sell their positions, our team will coordinate their trades to help minimize the impact that high-volume trades could have Senior executives who wish to invest on their own can continue to do so with the vast array of tools, research, and guidance provided by E\*TRADE. We look forward to supporting your senior executives his is not an offer to self or a solicitation of an offer to buy securities, products or services, by any person or entity in any jurisdiction or country where such distribution or use would be ind Republic Private Mouth Management includes First Republic Trest Company, First Republic Trest Company of Delaware LLC, First Republic Investment Assessment, Inc., on SEC Registered Investment Advisor, and First Republic Securities Company, LLC, Member FWRA/SPC. overstment, Insurance and Advisory Products and Services are Not FDIC Insured, Not Couranteed and May Lose Value.

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- Communication is coming from E\*TRADE Corporate Services and reflects E\*TRADE's brand, tone, voice, color palate
- 2 Products and services clearly outlined from which entity they are being offered
- 3 Clear delineation between E\*TRADE Corporate Services and First Republic logos
- 4 E\*TRADE Corporate Services disclosure and First Republic Bank included

