

MONEX GROUP

Announcement of Group Company's Release

TOKYO, January 30, 2026 – TradeStation Group, Inc., a fully owned subsidiary of Monex Group, Inc., issued the following press release.

Attachment: TradeStation Group, Inc. press release

TradeStation Securities Wins #1 Innovation Award in StockBrokers.com 2026 Annual Industry Awards

-Also honored as Best in Class across four categories-

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Plantation, Fla., January 29, 2026 – [TradeStation Securities, Inc.](#) (“TradeStation”), an award-winning[†], self-clearing online brokerage firm for trading stocks, options, futures, and futures options, won the #1 Innovation Award and has been honored with Best in Class distinctions across multiple categories in the StockBrokers.com 2026 Annual Awards. These accolades underscore TradeStation’s reputation for delivering advanced trading technology and reliable brokerage services to those who are born to trade.

The #1 Innovation Award recognizes the release of [TradeStation MCP](#), TradeStation’s model context protocol, which enables customers to connect AI platforms like Claude to their accounts and interact with markets creatively through conversation, facilitating new types of analysis, automation, and more.* The StockBrokers.com Industry Awards celebrate breakout innovations, unparalleled product offerings, and remarkable platform experiences. TradeStation’s recognitions reflect recent advancements such as the launch of [TITAN X](#), a next-generation trading platform offering customizable workspaces and advanced multi-asset tools.

“Winning the award for #1 Innovation affirms our vision for the future of active trading. Between TITAN X, TradeStation MCP, and our deep development roadmap, we’re just getting started with our renewed drive to keep active traders at the forefront of technological advancement,” said John Bartleman, President and CEO of TradeStation Securities’ parent company, TradeStation Group, Inc. “We’re excited for what’s ahead and grateful to StockBrokers.com for recognizing the innovation and experience we’re building for our customers.”

TradeStation also earned 2026 Best in Class accolades in four categories, indicating the company’s position among the Top 5 brokerages for each category and characterization as a “derivatives powerhouse”:

- Active Traders
- Advanced Trading
- Options Trading
- Futures Trading

For the StockBrokers.com 2026 Annual Awards, 14 U.S. online brokerage firms were reviewed across more than 300 variables spanning six core categories: Range of Investments, Advanced Trading, Research, Mobile Trading Apps, Education, and Ease of Use. More information about the methodology can be found [here](#).



To learn more about TradeStation Securities or to open an account, please visit [TradeStation.com](https://www.TradeStation.com).

About TradeStation Securities, Inc.

Founded in 1995, TradeStation Securities, Inc. (Member NYSE, FINRA, SIPC, NSCC, DTC, OCC, NFA & CME) offers self-clearing equities, options, futures, and futures options brokerage services as a licensed securities broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission and futures commission merchant with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and is a member of major equities and futures exchanges in the United States.

About TradeStation Group, Inc.

Founded in 1982, TradeStation Group companies provide institutional-grade fintech tools and account-related services – and are where traders can find their home. TradeStation Group, Inc. is the parent company of several subsidiaries, including TradeStation Securities, Inc. and TradeStation Technologies, Inc. TradeStation Group companies seek to deliver the ultimate trading experience to retail and institutional clients that need a customizable trading ecosystem to perform their strategies. TradeStation Technologies provides award-winning[†] trading and analysis platforms through TradeStation Securities' self-clearing online brokerage services for equities, options, futures, and futures options. These advanced trading tools are accessible on desktop, web, and mobile devices, as well as via API technologies that provide seamless access to TradeStation Securities' brokerage environment through third-party platforms. Created by traders, for traders, TradeStation Group companies' institutional-level offerings cater to those who are born to trade. [Learn more about TradeStation Group companies](#).

[†]Visit www.TradeStation.com/Awards to learn more.

*All trading involves risk, and AI tools should be used thoughtfully and at user's own discretion and risk. The use of AI introduces additional risks, including, among others, the risk that AI platforms may provide users with information that is not accurate or is not in their best interests, and AI platforms may take actions in user accounts that are not in users' best interests or that they do not intend for the AI to take. TradeStation is not affiliated with any AI provider and does not provide support for the functionality of any AI platform.

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