

Slack Looks Poised for a Turnaround – Long Term Play in Order

TRADE SNAPSHOT

| TICKER | WORK |
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| SECURITY | Slack Technologies |
| SECTOR | Tech - Software |
| CURRENT PRICE | \$26.10 |
| LONG/SHORT | Long |
| TARGET | \$40 |
| STOP | \$22 |
| TIMEFRAME | |

Trading Strategy: Long the WORK January 2022 \$30/\$40 Call Spreads at \$2.20 Debit

Net Debit/Credit: Debit \$2.20

Profitability Zone: WORK Above \$32.20

Options Volatility / Trade Simulator View:





Technical Analysis: WORK has been a laggard partially due to the large number of shares outstanding at 565M but does look poised for a turnaround after retracing back to touch the 61.8% Fibonacci and trend support with a consolidation pattern forming. A move above \$33 would be the start of a strong trend move to new highs.



Fundamental Analysis: The \$15.6B platform for communications and collaboration is trading 16X FY21 EV/Sales with revenues set to rise 39% this year after 57% growth last year and forecasts for 28.5% growth in FY22 while EBITDA and Net Income set to inflect positively in 2023. WORK has lagged with investor concerns over competition from Microsoft Teams while FCF and Profitability trends also closely being watched. WORK has impressive 125% net-dollar based retention rates and has been seeing better traction with large customers. Slack's platform is seeing higher engagement, growing usage, expanded capabilities and greater adoption from large customers in 1H20, nearly as much as all of 2019. At the Citi Conference in September WORK noted it expects net dollar retention to rebound in Q3 and Q4. Analysts have an average target at \$31 and short interest continues to climb, now at 33% of the float. Barclays recently raised its target to \$37 while MSCO downgraded to Underweight on competitive risks with Zoom, Teams, and even Google Workspace gaining momentum. RBC raised its target to \$37 confident on near-term fundamentals and notes Slack Connect supports the positive incremental customer adds and potential future expansion for the company. Softbank Vision Fund and Ark Investment notable large holders.

Options Activity: Slack has recently seen size buys in January 2023 \$37, \$45 and \$47 calls and also been active with opening put sales in the \$22-\$24 strike ranges. It also continues to exhibit inverted IV Skew.

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| | WORK 100 18 JUN 21 24 PUT | 1,930 | 129 | \$3.40 | -0.34 | 57.12% | 51.21% | | .WORK210618P24 | |
| 11/3/2020 | WORK 100 18 JUN 21 22 PUT | 1,269 | 3 | \$2.93 | -0.3 | 59.41% | 47.55% | | .WORK210618P22 | |
| 11/3/2020 | WORK 100 18 DEC 20 26 CALL | 1,139 | 272 | \$2.05 | 0.5 | 66.48% | 40.44% | 1 1 | .WORK201218C26 | |
| 11/2/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 47 CALL | 2,027 | 3,570 | \$4.10 | 0.39 | 58.34% | 12.33% | \$831,070 | .WORK230120C47 | |
| 10/30/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 47 CALL | 3,019 | 553 | \$4.25 | 0.398 | 58.37% | 12.96% | \$1,283,075 | .WORK230120C47 | |
| 10/28/2020 | WORK 100 19 MAR 21 34 CALL | 1,004 | 250 | \$1.85 | 0.33 | 61.43% | 20.42% | \$185,740 | .WORK210319C34 | |
| 10/27/2020 | WORK 100 21 JAN 22 35 CALL | 1,400 | 3,164 | \$5.25 | 0.5 | 58.12% | 25.86% | \$735,000 | .WORK220121C35 | |
| 10/26/2020 | WORK 100 20 NOV 20 26 PUT | 4,110 | 1,924 | \$0.87 | -0.31 | 53.18% | 36.08% | \$357,570 | .WORK201120P26 | |
| 10/23/2020 | WORK 100 18 JUN 21 27 PUT | 2,520 | 25 | \$4.40 | -0.354 | 58.23% | 54.03% | \$1,118,436 | .WORK210618P27 | |
| 10/21/2020 | WORK 100 20 NOV 20 29.5 PUT | 1,207 | 77 | \$2.02 | -0.5 | 54.05% | 56.05% | \$243,814 | .WORK201120P29. | 5 |
| 10/21/2020 | WORK 100 20 NOV 20 27 PUT | 2,248 | 769 | \$0.90 | -0.29 | 54.82% | 34.38% | \$202,320 | .WORK201120P27 | |
| 10/20/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 47 CALL | 510 | 4 | \$7.00 | 0.49 | 58.40% | 18.29% | \$357,000 | .WORK230120C47 | |
| 10/19/2020 | WORK 100 18 DEC 20 27 PUT | 1,007 | 92 | \$0.97 | -0.2 | 61.13% | 27.18% | \$97,679 | .WORK201218P27 | |
| 10/14/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 45 CALL | 4,597 | 5,002 | \$8.30 | 0.54 | 60.39% | 20.89% | \$3,815,510 | .WORK230120C45 | |
| 10/14/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 37 CALL | 1,206 | 3,837 | \$10.10 | 0.66 | 68.12% | 26.65% | \$1,218,060 | .WORK230120C37 | |
| 10/13/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 45 CALL | 5,128 | 0 | \$8.00 | 0.52 | 57.74% | 20.87% | \$4,102,400 | .WORK230120C45 | |
| 10/13/2020 | WORK 100 19 MAR 21 35 PUT | 1,600 | 345 | \$6.80 | -0.5 | 60.83% | 65.41% | \$1,088,000 | .WORK210319P35 | |
| 10/12/2020 | WORK 100 19 MAR 21 29 PUT | 2,159 | 785 | \$3.67 | -0.33 | 61.35% | 49.02% | \$792,353 | .WORK210319P29 | |
| | WORK 100 19 MAR 21 23 PUT | 4,160 | 1,774 | \$1.34 | -0.16 | 62.43% | 28.10% | \$557,440 | .WORK210319P23 | |
| 10/7/2020 | WORK 100 19 MAR 21 29 PUT | 848 | 31 | \$4.19 | -0.38 | 61.07% | 54.26% | \$355,312 | .WORK210319P29 | |
| 10/6/2020 | WORK 100 18 DEC 20 30 PUT | 12,036 | 1,957 | \$4.15 | -0.51 | 62.09% | 62.20% | \$4,874,580 | .WORK201218P30 | |
| 10/6/2020 | WORK 100 18 DEC 20 30 CALL | 12,782 | 8,685 | \$2.54 | 0.49 | 62.70% | 37.81% | \$3,400,012 | .WORK201218C30 | |
| 10/5/2020 | WORK 100 20 NOV 20 30 PUT | 13,569 | 165 | \$3.39 | -0.57 | 57.67% | 65.35% | \$4,613,460 | .WORK201120P30 | |
| 10/2/2020 | WORK 100 20 NOV 20 26 CALL | 2,027 | 772 | \$3.26 | 0.653 | 60.95% | 56.77% | \$660,802 | .WORK201120C26 | |
| 10/1/2020 | WORK 100 20 NOV 20 29 CALL | 2,123 | 289 | \$1.47 | 0.42 | 53.73% | 34.14% | \$312,081 | .WORK201120C29 | |
| 10/1/2020 | WORK 100 16 APR 21 26 CALL | 571 | 47 | \$5.40 | 0.63 | 60.70% | 45.37% | \$308,340 | .WORK210416C26 | |
| 10/1/2020 | WORK 100 16 APR 21 22 PUT | 2,011 | 2,798 | \$2.12 | -0.24 | 59.96% | 39.37% | \$438,398 | .WORK210416P22 | |
| 9/29/2020 | WORK 100 16 APR 21 45 CALL | 1,403 | 248 | \$0.99 | 0.18 | 59.81% | 8.45% | \$138,897 | .WORK210416C45 | |
| 9/28/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 37 PUT | 454 | 0 | \$15.73 | -0.45 | 56.15% | 77.91% | \$714,142 | .WORK230120P37 | |
| 9/25/2020 | WORK 100 15 JAN 21 24 PUT | 3,033 | 4,361 | \$2.03 | -0.3 | 60.47% | 42.43% | \$636,930 | .WORK210115P24 | |
| | WORK 100 19 MAR 21 27 CALL | 1,005 | 165 | \$4.25 | 0.57 | 60.44% | 40.09% | \$427,125 | .WORK210319C27 | |
| 9/22/2020 | WORK 100 20 JAN 23 37 CALL | 3,210 | 50 | \$7.12 | 0.54 | 60.24% | 20.86% | \$2,391,450 | .WORK230120C37 | |
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Potential Catalysts: Earnings Reports

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