

TimingResearch Crowd Forecast Newsletter (Beta)

Week 84 – 05/03/15 Report

Open-ended responses for Questions #1, #4, and #5 start on page 3.

Question #2. Based on any technical or fundamental indicators you want to use, would you predict that the S&P 500 index will move higher or lower next week? (from Monday's open to Friday's close; May 4-8)

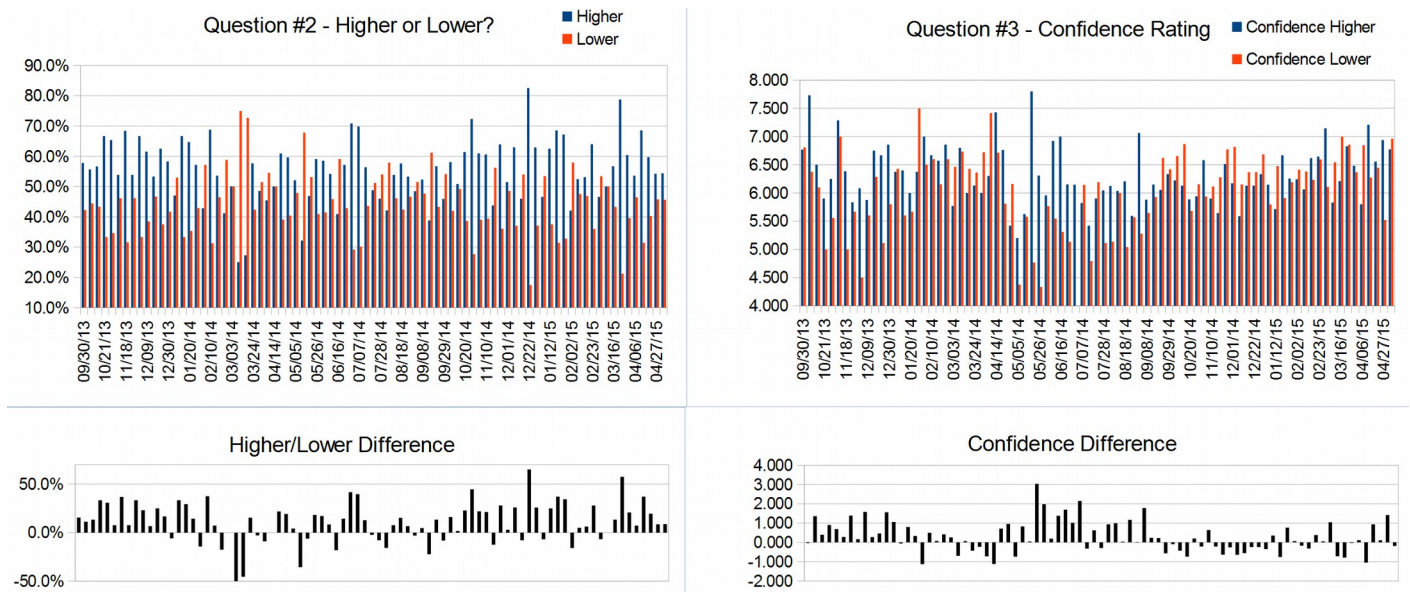
Higher: 54.4%
Lower: 45.6%

Question #3. Rate your confidence in your answer to Question #2 on a scale of 0 to 10 (with 0 being no confidence and 10 being extremely confident).

Average of All Responses: 6.860
Average For "Higher" Responses: 6.774
Average For "Lower" Responses: 6.962

Responses Submitted This Week: 57

Brief Analysis: Last week's survey overall sentiment turned out to be incorrect as the S&P500 fell 0.52% for the week. This week the slight bullishness continues at almost the exact same percentage as last week as confidence weakened slightly on the bullish side and rose significantly on the bearish side.



Raw Data Page (raw data files include full history spreadsheet and the above charts):
TimingResearch.com/rawdata.

Full Weekly Results (full version of this chart available in the [raw data](#) spreadsheet for this week, "Date" field below lists the Monday of the week being predicted).

Correct Percentage: 48.1%

	Date	Higher	Lower	H/L Diff	Avg Confidence	Confidence Higher	Confidence Lower	Con Diff	Guess	Actual	Correct?
1	09/30/13	57.8%	42.2%	15.6%	6.784	6.769	6.806	-0.037	Higher	Lower	No
2	10/07/13	55.7%	44.4%	11.2%	7.130	7.733	6.375	1.358	Higher	Higher	Yes
3	10/14/13	56.7%	43.3%	13.3%	6.300	6.500	6.100	0.400	Higher	Higher	Yes
4	10/21/13	66.7%	33.3%	33.3%	5.600	5.900	5.600	0.900	Higher	Higher	Yes
5	10/28/13	65.4%	34.6%	30.8%	6.000	6.250	5.556	0.694	Higher	Higher	Yes
7	11/11/13	53.9%	46.2%	7.7%	7.154	7.286	7.000	0.286	Higher	Higher	Yes
8	11/18/13	68.4%	31.6%	36.8%	6.000	6.385	5.000	1.385	Higher	Higher	Yes
9	11/25/13	53.9%	46.2%	7.7%	5.750	5.833	5.667	0.166	Higher	Lower	No
10	12/02/13	66.7%	33.3%	33.3%	5.556	6.083	4.500	1.583	Higher	Lower	No
11	12/09/13	61.5%	38.5%	23.1%	5.769	5.875	5.600	0.275	Higher	Lower	No
12	12/16/13	53.3%	46.7%	6.7%	6.533	6.750	6.286	0.464	Higher	Higher	Yes
13	12/23/13	62.5%	37.5%	25.0%	6.083	6.667	5.111	1.556	Higher	Higher	Yes
14	12/30/13	58.3%	41.7%	16.7%	6.417	6.857	5.800	1.057	Higher	Lower	No
15	01/06/14	47.1%	52.9%	-5.9%	6.400	6.375	6.429	-0.054	Lower	Higher	No
16	01/13/14	66.7%	33.3%	33.4%	6.130	6.400	5.600	0.800	Higher	Lower	No
17	01/20/14	64.7%	35.3%	29.4%	5.875	6.000	5.667	0.333	Higher	Lower	No
18	01/27/14	57.1%	42.9%	14.3%	6.857	6.375	7.500	-1.125	Higher	Lower	No
19	02/03/14	42.9%	57.1%	-14.3%	6.706	7.000	6.500	0.500	Lower	Higher	No
20	02/10/14	68.8%	31.3%	37.6%	6.640	6.670	6.600	0.070	Higher	Higher	Yes
21	02/17/14	53.6%	46.4%	7.1%	6.370	6.571	6.154	0.417	Higher	Lower	No
22	02/24/14	41.2%	58.8%	-17.6%	6.706	6.857	6.706	0.600	Lower	Higher	No
23	03/03/14	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	6.115	5.769	6.462	-0.693	N/A	Higher	N/A
24	03/10/14	25.0%	75.0%	-50.0%	6.750	6.800	6.733	0.067	Lower	Lower	Yes
25	03/17/14	27.3%	72.7%	-45.5%	6.300	6.000	6.429	-0.429	Lower	Higher	No
26	03/24/14	57.7%	42.3%	15.4%	6.231	6.364	6.364	-0.231	Higher	Lower	No
27	03/31/14	48.6%	51.4%	-2.9%	6.371	6.000	6.722	-0.722	Lower	Higher	No
28	04/07/14	45.5%	54.5%	-9.1%	6.909	6.300	7.417	-1.117	Lower	Lower	Yes
29	04/14/14	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	7.071	7.429	6.714	0.715	N/A	Higher	N/A
30	04/21/14	60.9%	39.1%	21.9%	6.388	6.764	5.810	0.954	Higher	Lower	No
31	04/28/14	59.6%	40.4%	19.2%	5.700	5.419	6.158	-0.739	Higher	Higher	Yes
32	05/05/14	52.1%	47.9%	4.2%	4.796	5.200	4.375	0.825	Higher	Lower	No
33	05/12/14	32.1%	67.9%	-35.7%	5.593	5.625	5.579	0.046	Lower	Lower	Yes
34	05/19/14	46.9%	53.1%	-6.3%	6.188	7.800	4.765	3.035	Lower	Higher	No
35	05/26/14	59.1%	40.9%	18.2%	5.500	6.308	4.333	1.975	Higher	Higher	Yes
36	06/02/14	58.5%	41.5%	17.1%	5.875	5.957	5.765	0.192	Higher	Higher	Yes
37	06/09/14	54.2%	45.8%	8.3%	6.292	6.923	5.545	1.378	Higher	Lower	No
38	06/16/14	40.9%	59.1%	-18.2%	6.000	7.000	5.308	1.692	Lower	Higher	No
39	06/23/14	57.1%	42.9%	14.3%	5.714	6.150	5.133	1.017	Higher	Lower	No
40	06/30/14	70.8%	29.2%	41.7%	5.521	6.147	4.000	2.147	Higher	Higher	Yes
41	07/07/14	69.8%	30.2%	39.7%	5.920	5.821	6.143	-0.322	Higher	Lower	No
42	07/14/14	56.4%	43.6%	12.8%	5.145	5.419	4.792	0.627	Higher	Higher	Yes
43	07/21/14	48.8%	51.2%	-2.4%	6.049	5.900	6.190	-0.290	Lower	Higher	No
44	07/28/14	46.0%	54.0%	-8.0%	5.531	6.045	5.111	0.934	Lower	Lower	Yes
45	08/04/14	42.1%	57.9%	-15.8%	6.125	5.553	5.136	0.989	Lower	Higher	No
46	08/11/14	53.8%	46.2%	7.7%	6.019	6.036	6.000	0.036	Higher	Higher	Yes
47	08/18/14	57.6%	42.4%	15.3%	5.712	6.206	5.040	1.166	Higher	Higher	Yes
48	08/25/14	53.3%	46.7%	6.7%	5.583	5.594	5.571	0.023	Higher	Higher	Yes
49	09/01/14	48.5%	51.5%	-3.1%	6.144	7.064	5.280	1.784	Lower	Higher	No
50	09/08/14	52.3%	47.7%	4.6%	5.769	5.882	5.645	0.237	Higher	Lower	No
51	09/15/14	38.8%	61.2%	-22.4%	6.015	6.148	5.927	0.927	Lower	Higher	No
52	09/22/14	56.7%	43.3%	13.4%	6.299	6.053	6.621	-0.568	Higher	Lower	No
53	09/29/14	45.9%	54.1%	-8.2%	6.381	6.333	6.422	-0.089	Lower	Lower	Yes
54	10/06/14	58.1%	41.9%	16.1%	6.403	6.222	6.654	-0.432	Higher	Lower	No
55	10/13/14	50.8%	49.2%	1.6%	6.492	6.129	6.867	-0.738	Higher	Lower	No
56	10/20/14	61.4%	38.6%	22.8%	5.807	5.886	5.682	0.204	Higher	Higher	Yes
57	10/27/14	72.3%	27.7%	44.7%	6.000	5.941	6.154	-0.213	Higher	Higher	Yes
58	11/03/14	61.0%	39.0%	22.0%	6.329	6.580	5.938	0.642	Higher	Higher	Yes
59	11/10/14	60.6%	39.4%	21.2%	5.985	5.900	6.115	-0.215	Higher	Higher	Yes
60	11/17/14	43.8%	56.3%	-12.5%	6.000	5.643	6.278	-0.635	Lower	Higher	No
61	11/24/14	63.9%	36.1%	27.9%	6.607	6.513	6.773	-0.260	Higher	Higher	Yes
62	12/01/14	51.5%	48.5%	2.9%	6.485	6.171	6.818	-0.647	Higher	Higher	Yes
63	12/08/14	63.0%	37.0%	25.9%	5.796	5.588	6.150	-0.562	Higher	Lower	No
64	12/15/14	46.0%	54.0%	-8.0%	6.260	6.130	6.370	-0.240	Lower	Higher	No
65	12/22/14	82.5%	17.5%	65.1%	6.260	6.130	6.370	-0.240	Higher	Higher	Yes
66	12/29/14	62.9%	37.1%	25.8%	6.448	6.333	6.684	-0.351	Higher	Lower	No
67	01/05/15	46.6%	53.4%	-6.8%	5.959	6.147	5.795	0.352	Lower	Lower	Yes
68	01/12/15	62.5%	37.5%	25.0%	6.000	5.714	6.476	-0.762	Higher	Lower	No
69	01/19/15	68.6%	31.4%	37.1%	6.429	6.667	5.909	0.758	Higher	Higher	Yes
70	01/26/15	67.2%	32.8%	34.4%	6.234	6.256	6.190	0.066	Higher	Lower	No
71	02/02/15	42.0%	58.0%	-15.9%	6.341	6.243	6.412	-0.169	Lower	Higher	No
72	02/09/15	52.5%	47.5%	4.9%	6.213	6.063	6.379	-0.316	Higher	Higher	Yes
73	02/16/15	53.1%	46.9%	6.3%	6.438	6.618	6.233	0.385	Higher	Higher	Yes
74	02/23/15	64.0%	36.0%	28.0%	6.627	6.646	6.593	0.053	Higher	Lower	No
75	03/02/15	46.6%	53.4%	-6.8%	6.591	7.146	6.106	1.040	Lower	Lower	Yes
76	03/09/15	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	6.186	5.829	6.543	-0.714	N/A	Lower	N/A
77	03/16/15	56.7%	43.3%	13.4%	6.552	6.211	7.000	-0.789	Higher	Higher	Yes
78	03/23/15	78.8%	21.2%	57.6%	6.833	6.827	6.857	-0.030	Higher	Lower	No
79	03/30/15	60.4%	39.6%	20.8%	6.438	6.483	6.368	0.115	Higher	Higher	Yes
80	04/06/15	53.6%	46.4%	7.1%	6.286	5.800	6.846	-1.046	Higher	Higher	Yes
81	04/13/15	68.6%	31.4%	37.1%	6.914	7.208	6.273	0.935	Higher	Lower	No
82	04/20/15	59.7%	40.3%	19.4%	6.514	6.558	6.448	0.110	Higher	Higher	Yes
83	04/27/15	54.2%	45.8%	8.5%	6.288	6.938	5.519	1.419	Higher	Lower	No
84	05/04/15	54.4%	45.6%	8.8%	6.860	6.774	6.962	-0.188	???	???	???

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Current Survey Page: TimingResearch.com/currentsurvey

Any feedback email: news@timingresearch.com

NOTE: The following open-ended answers are solely the opinions of the anonymous responders to this survey. Responses are mostly unedited, but some have been reformatted slightly for to make them easier to read and are listed in order of submission. Some useless/irrelevant responses (e.g. "none") have been omitted. All responses for each week, unedited, are available in the raw data spreadsheets at TimingResearch.com/rawdata.

Question #1. What developing events (technical or fundamental) will you be watching out for next week (May 4-8) that might have a positive or negative impact on the S&P 500 and other US markets?

- Seasonality
- Analyst, talking heads, market makers and manipulators set the crowd directions not the real fundamentals or all the various green and red indicators. All popular Indicators have been pointing wrong direction. When the market makers want down the markets head down and or reverse. I use 3 most popular indicators all were pointed up, but the markets dived down. Need a market makers indicator.
- "US UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURES--ALL PMIs
GREETING NEWS--UK ELECTION NEWS..
STRONGER US D'S"
- "Employment report
Grexit"
- Continuing on with free money
- earnings
- "Uk election
NFP usa"
- I'll be watching the action on Monday. It will probably tell me what's going to happen the rest of the week.
- Unrest in the Middle East. Continuation of inflation, unrecognized by "Experts" and Financial channels, real wages decreasing, continuing tax revenue diverted to illegals (immigrants & voters), global instability brought on by American weakness and Russian, Chinese, etc aggression.
- "the joint military exercise with Russia & china in the straight of Hermouse (sp)"
- Earnings, Non Farm Payroll, Crude Inventories
- Earnings
- hold 2100 by + or - 30 points
- GOLD.
- Friday's employment #s
- UK Election
- us data
- SPY currently in multi-month triangle within longer term uptrend. Altho May4-8 may present lower Close than May1, the TREND is up to Aug01@225 by my cycles analysis.
- break of support levels
- Breakout to new highs
- Negative earnings reports
- watching FED reports, any change to interest rates, news from oil producing regions and any news on terrorist groups that may cause even short term market movements.
- Consumer index info, GDP Final numbers for Q1

- Ukraine
- Greece, earnings, market momentum
- Put/call ratio; \$vxx/\$vix
- earning strength
- Non Farm
- Upcoming Earnings Reports. Action of US Dollar.
- Astro
- I don't see very many dark clouds. Unless we get a lot of poor quarterly reports. Even some of the techie articles I have seen are positive.
- support at 2050
- Technically, over bought for a very long time
- Earnings, although I better watch price action regardless of the weekly festivity for media.
- ISM, jobless claims, payrolls
- stock market indices

Question #4. Who have you learned the most from about trading or investing? What about their teaching style or method made them effective?

- How to Lose Money
- School of hard knocks.
- SELF-MENTORED AND TRAINED...PROPRIETARY PROTECTION
- Bill Williams - Profitunity
- "Several Risk management"
- Joe Granville. He invented the 200 day MA.
- Almost every investment strategy has some kernel of validity.
- No one yet.
- no one really, never had anyone with an effective teaching style
- John Carter, Stan Friefeld, Doc Severson.
- Jim Cramer
- Adam Smith (technical studies) and lively essays
- Personal experience and analysis over 30 years
- Exams and certification
- Dr.Barry Burns
- Andrew Keene. Straight forward shows what he is trading win or lose
- Wicked approach to trading.
- "John Murphy
Larry Williams"
- Bill Champion "Shock Theory"
- My wife, during her short life, had a wonderful ability to absorb large amounts of information and distill it down to the important things. She inspired me with her patient style of trading and determination to learn more and continue trading long after breast cancer took her away from me.
- Friends based on their own trials
- Learned the most, sadly, from my own mistakes and hard knocks. Now, however, I am a winner with many years of 20%-40% returns hoping not to make the mistakes of the past. Buy low - sell high. I love buying at the bottom and always keeping some powder dry. Never be greedy and always stay afraid.
- Poulus, Headley, Skouson,Senters
- No one person but many people with different skills in different specialties.
- To be more patient. I am still working on this.
- "harry boxer
use of charts in all time frames"
- Trading does not work for retail traders- 97% lose \$\$\$\$. buy and hold equities, or bonds are the only way retail traders can make any money. Trading sucks
- @allstarcharts and @juancminero
- Internet explorer
- "Steve Bigelow
Geoff Bysshe; Mish Schneider
Anka Metcalf
Barry Burns
Jeremy Newsome
Jack Stieman"

Question #5: Comments/Questions/Suggestions?

Thank you for all the feedback, feel free to [contact us](#) at any time with any other questions or comments.

- Thank you :-)
- Regarding question 2, searching for a top
- Thank you so much for this .What time is your event coming up/
- Could we have some programs on how to trade corrections and or prepare for the next bear market. Thank you
- When will the bear market start and how long will it last?
- Issues of leading indicators are vital, just trying to identify the market makers and movers actions without having access to their thoughts is the game for vast majority who ate far removed from the decision making. Much has been written about market psychology but, studying their philosophy through observation gives insight into their thought process.
- 8 years of trying to day trade. Lost money every year. Later learned 97% do as well. If there are any methods, systems, rooms, etc., that truly work, I can show any/all of them how to double or tripe their client base for \$1-\$2000, and I can document I have done that for over 30 years. I have real, actual, documented proof. No risk. No long term contract, etc.