## TimingResearch.com Newsletter BETA Week 32 - 05/04/14 Report

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

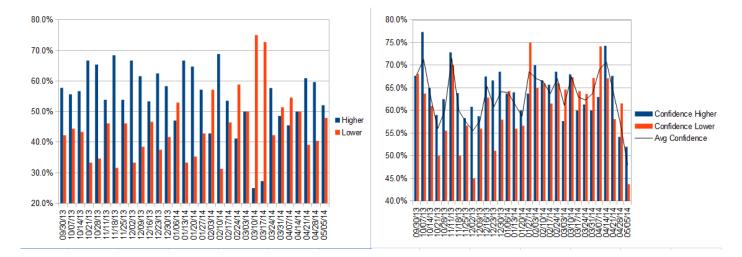
#2: Based on any technical or fundamental indicators you follow regularly, would you guess that the S&P 500 index will move higher or lower next week? (from Monday's open to Friday's close; April 21-25)

Higher: 52.1% Lower: 47.9%

#3: If you were given \$100 and allowed to keep as much of it as you want or bet part of it, at 2-1 odds, on your answer to Question #2 being correct, how much would you bet?

Average of All Guesses: 48.0%

Average For "Higher" Guesses: 52.0% Average For "Lower" Guesses: 43.8%



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

NOTE: The following open-ended answers are solely the options of the anonymous responders to this survey. Responses are mostly unedited, but some have been reformatted slightly for easier reading, and some meaningless/irrelevant responses have been omitted. All responses for each week, unedited, are available in the raw data spreadsheets at <u>TimingResearch.com/rawdata</u>.

## #1: What events/reports/announcements will you be watching for next week (April 21-25) that might have a positive or negative impact on the S&P 500 and other US markets?

- Productivity Index
- Russian aggression
- Ukraine and earnings reports.
- Ukraine, market may be topped out for now.
- The Global Currency Reset
- China/Ukraine news
- war
- Janet Yellen speaking on Wednesday will be the biggest market mover.
- Urkraine-Russia sector ratings
- Earnings
- Ukrane
- Jobless claims
- Ukraine, Bund & 10 yr Treasury rates
- earnings and the janet yellen testimony
- Russia,fed annoucements
- Yellen speaking
- I really don't care what reports or actions, (except 401K confiscation).. I trade technically. I
  much more care about what momentum is entering the market from reactions to these
  reports.
- · New high for the DOW.
- Two Janet Yellen speeches and ISM non-manufacturing
- Dollar index, earnings reports, prices of key stocks
- Ukraine
- Ukraine, China taking islands
- Russian invasion of Ukraine, Fed actions.
- News events
- Ukrane
- ISM reports on Monday

Wholesale inventories on Friday

generally a light week for numbers

Probably some earnings news though not as many reporting

- What the ECB does with interest rates. How the situation in the Ukraine works out. How much the 10 year treasury moves up to down.
- Nothing in particular
- Ukraine status
- The employment picture in the US

New business openings

The cost of real estate in major metropolitan areas

- Ukraine,
- Ukraine news
- Ukraine, earnings and economy
- Economic and Ukrane news
- Tesla
- war, fed

#4: A recent Princeton/Northwestern study concluded that the United States has become an oligarchy, not a republic, with the majority of policy decisions matching the wishes of massive corporations and ultra-wealthy individuals rather than the opinions of the majority of citizens. What are your thoughts on this study? How do you think this issue will effect future economic development in the United States? (reference:

http://benswann.com/princeton-study-declares-u-s-government-an-oligarchy/)

- Porter Stansberry. Straight forward and honest. Says there is no teaching. Only learning.
   What he shares is what he would want from me if the roles were reversed.
- From Self Investing
- hard to teach me much. Highly distracted w
- Ken Tresster, Common sense approach and uses options.
- So far, none of these "systems" work. They all fail sooner or later.
- The world interrelationships.
- Larry Williams, mechanial trading methods trade.smart.university taught.me.candlesticks&taught.me.charting &

& TradingVeiw.com taught.me.charting explanation how.to.do.it practice

watching.others

- Don't fight the tape, and don't try to be "right". Don't chase rabbits down the next hole, and don't try to learn everything. Focus on doing one thing well with securities you know, and learn them. focus and discipline are tough, but the only way to make it happen.
- Tom Busby at DTI. He, and the rest of the crew at DTI, are very hands on and teach how to do it yourself rather than just giving trades.
- Market tamer, TopDog Trading, Charles Schwab
- E-mini Futures Trader because the market moves so fast you have be on your toes at all times.
- Stephen Bigalow, Candlestick Forum Keep it simple
- "There is no single person who really stands out. I've taken bits and pieces from dozens of traders over a couple of decades and formed my own trading style."
- Greg Morris, Ryan Jones
- · William O'Niel and investors business daily

- John Carter doesn't miss anything Chris Verhaegh- down to earth style very easy to understand
- Optionetics, without a doubt. They have tape and slide presentation and testing after each segment.
- Tasty Trade Tom Sosnoff
- A number of older gentlemen who had far more experience when I first got into the business many years ago. Just one word made them more effective - experience.
- Jeff Clark, author of S & A Short Report detailed explanation of the reason for the trades he recomends
- Market Tamer, Ron Haydt. Keeps it pretty simple, but offers very productive teaching archives. Offers daily advice.
- The trading zone. Simple style with emphasis on market profile and consistent reliable approach and life time one time fee. Never asked for a dime again for additional teaching. Classes are held twice weekly.
- Motley Fools
- Leigh Jones
  - While at first it's confusing to master her vernacular she is more transparent and honest than anyone I have followed. She genuinely wants you to succeed to the extent of your talents and determination."
- Bernie Schaefer has good courses on options fundamentals. John Carter is good on credit spreads (options). His videos are short and to the point.
- the school of hard knocks
- Jon Bon Jovi
- Myself....my profits and losses.
- No one individual. All advisory services have been a bust. Now I am my own worst enemy.
- My losses
- self taught
- John Carter
- · ben graham, warren buffet
- Stephen Bigalow
- Trade what you see, not what you think.

## **#5: Comments/Questions/Suggestions?**

- when to close pos. position
- HFT seeks and destroys, is sucking out tremendous amount of wealth. It's enabled and encouraged by the exchanges because of the commissions paid. Ordinary traders/investors need regulatory help!
- Continue doing the good work to help out the traders.
- Nothing comes to mind this week.
- People should also be conservative in their spending...no matter now good the economy might be today, it might turn downwards tomorrow. Be prepared.
- Keep trying and learn from mistakes.
- Try to keep the questions in multiple-choice format so that the results are easy to tabulate and read. Otherwise, keep up the good work!

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

## **Correct Percentage: 42.9%**

	Date	Higher	Lower	H/L Diff	Avg Confidence	Confidence Higher	Confidence Lower	Con Diff	Actual	Correct?	42.9%
1	09/30/13	57.8%	42.2%	15.6%	67.8%	67.7%	68.1%	-0.4%	Lower	No	0
2	10/07/13	55.7%	44.4%	11.2%	71.3%	77.3%	63.8%	13.6%	Higher	Yes	1
3	10/14/13	56.7%	43.3%	13.3%	63.0%	65.0%	61.0%	4.0%	Higher	Yes	1
4	10/21/13	66.7%	33.3%	33.3%	56.0%	59.0%	50.0%	9.0%	Higher	Yes	1
5	10/28/13	65.4%	34.6%	30.8%	60.0%	62.5%	55.6%	6.9%	Higher	Yes	1
7	11/11/13	53.9%	46.2%	7.7%	71.5%	72.9%	70.0%	2.9%	Higher	Yes	1
8	11/18/13	68.4%	31.6%	36.8%	60.0%	63.9%	50.0%	13.9%	Higher	Yes	1
9	11/25/13	53.9%	46.2%	7.7%	57.5%	58.3%	56.7%	1.7%	Lower	No	0
10	12/02/13	66.7%	33.3%	33.3%	55.6%	60.8%	45.0%	15.8%	Lower	No	0
11	12/09/13	61.5%	38.5%	23.1%	57.7%	58.8%	56.0%	2.8%	Lower	No	0
12	12/16/13	53.3%	46.7%	6.7%	65.3%	67.5%	62.9%	4.6%	Higher	Yes	1
13	12/23/13	62.5%	37.5%	25.0%	60.8%	66.7%	51.1%	15.6%	Higher	Yes	1
14	12/30/13	58.3%	41.7%	16.7%	64.2%	68.6%	58.0%	10.6%	Lower	No	0
15	01/06/14	47.1%	52.9%	-5.9%	64.0%	63.8%	64.3%	-0.5%	Higher	No	0
16	01/13/14	66.7%	33.3%	33.4%	61.3%	64.0%	56.0%	8.0%	Lower	No	0
17	01/20/14	64.7%	35.3%	29.4%	58.8%	60.0%	56.7%	3.3%	Lower	No	0
18	01/27/14	57.1%	42.9%	14.3%	68.6%	63.8%	75.0%	-11.3%	Lower	No	0
19	02/03/14	42.9%	57.1%	-14.3%	67.1%	70.0%	65.0%	5.0%	Higher	No	0
20	02/10/14	68.8%	31.3%	37.6%	66.4%	66.7%	66.0%	0.7%	Higher	Yes	1
21	02/17/14	53.6%	46.4%	7.1%	63.7%	65.7%	61.5%	4.2%	Lower	No	0
22	02/24/14	41.2%	58.8%	-17.6%	67.1%	68.6%	66.0%	2.6%	Higher	No	0
23	03/03/14	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	61.2%	57.7%	64.6%	-6.9%	Higher	N/A	N/A
24	03/10/14	25.0%	75.0%	-50.0%	67.5%	68.0%	67.3%	0.7%	Lower	Yes	1
25	03/17/14	27.3%	72.7%	-45.5%	63.0%	60.0%	64.3%	-4.3%	Higher	No	0
26	03/24/14	57.7%	42.3%	15.4%	62.3%	61.3%	63.6%	-2.3%	Lower	No	0
27	03/31/14	48.6%	51.4%	-2.9%	63.7%	60.0%	67.2%	-7.2%	Higher	No	0
28	04/07/14	45.5%	54.5%	-9.1%	69.1%	63.0%	74.2%	-11.2%	Lower	Yes	1
29	04/14/14	50.0%	50.0%	0.0%	70.7%	74.3%	67.1%	7.2%	Higher	N/A	N/A
30	04/21/14	60.9%	39.1%	21.9%	63.9%	67.6%	58.1%	9.5%	Lower	No	0
31	04/28/14	59.6%	40.4%	19.2%	57.0%	54.2%	61.6%	-7.4%	Higher	Yes	1
32	05/05/14	52.1%	47.9%	4.2%	48.0%	52.0%	43.8%	8.3%	???	???	???

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