Market Data Insight for Actionable Strategy

First Word March 18, 2025

While market expectations for March FOMC incrementally hawkish, we expect Wed FOMC to be dovish and positive for stocks



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VIDEO: The absence of Washington headlines has been positive for stocks on Monday. As we said on Sunday, we expect this week to be positive for stocks, and Wed FOMC will be important.

Please click below to view our Macro Minute (duration: 6:43).







Markets found footing to start the week, supported by the absence of tariff escalation headlines, providing some relief amid broader macro uncertainty. Investors appear to be taking a pause, digesting the recent sharp pullback and assessing upcoming catalysts. The relative calm around trade tensions from Washington has helped stabilize markets, following what has been a challenging few weeks.

- Markets have found footing to start the week, driven by a notable absence of tariff escalation headlines from Washington.
 - This provided some much-needed relief following a sharp recent pullback.
 - The relative calm on the trade front has allowed equities to stabilize into the week.





- The most important day of the week is arguably Wednesday, when the FOMC will announce the March rate decision and chair Powell will host the post-decision press conference
 - The FOMC meeting is expected to heavily influence near-term sentiment as investors gauge the Fed's stance on inflation and growth.
 - Despite consensus leaning hawkish, Fed Chair Powell has struck a more dovish tone in prior remarks.
 - Powell recently cited the Fed's decision to cut rates three times in 2019, even amid shrinking job supply and active tariffs, signaling that growth concerns may outweigh inflation worries.
- Recent Fed staff research highlights that tariffs may create inflationary effects for up to three years, but without persistent long-term inflation risk.
 - This analysis appears more hawkish relative to Powell's public comments
 - Markets have responded by adjusting rate cut expectations, with fed funds futures markets now pricing in 2.5 cuts (down from 3.5).
 - The probability of a May rate cut has dropped sharply from 60% to just 21% over the past week.
- Labor market data continues to signal visible weakening, reinforcing the dovish argument.
 - The University of Michigan's expected one-year change in employment fell to its lowest level since 2009, a reading typically associated with recessionary conditions.
 - Additionally, the Atlanta Fed's wage tracker now shows that job stayers have higher wage expectations than job switchers—a notable inversion from the past five years, when job switchers typically commanded a premium.





- The Fed's internal discussions may also be subject to political dynamics.
 - Data shows that 92% of Fed staff political contributions went to Democrats in 2024, and 97% in 2020.
 - While this may not be a direct market driver, it could influence internal staff research and recommendations.
 - Ultimately, it will fall to Powell to navigate through these internal pressures and ensure the Fed's independence remains intact.
- Another source of relief for markets has been the absence of recent anti-China or anti-Mexico rhetoric.
 - This has been supportive of equities, particularly in sectors with heavy exposure to China.
 - For example, \$NVDA gained 16% last week despite a 3% decline in the S&P 500.
 - Historically, in a full-scale tariff war, \$NVDA would likely face direct pressure given its supply chain exposure, making this rally even more notable.
- Lastly, stocks fell 10% in 20 calendar days. This is the 5th fastest ever in the past 75 years. We think stocks have over-reacted to the downside. This is also evidenced by looking at the 6 precedent cases where stocks fell 10% in less than 20 days since 1950:
 - date # Days Cause
 - 2/27/20 8 COVID
 - 2/8/18 13 Trade War 1.0
 - 10/11/55 18 Eisenhower heart attack
 - 6/29/50 17 Korean War
 - 10/25/79 20 Volcker Shock
 - 10/27/97 20 Asian Financial Crisis





- Each of the above is a "fire ready aim" moment, especially the start of the pandemic. At that time, equities fell 10% in only 8 trading days. As shown below (see table), the stock market is higher 1M, 3M, 6M and 12M later:
 - 5 of 6 times, higher 1M later (except covid)
 - 6 of 6 times, higher 3M later, median gain 9%
 - 6 of 6 times, higher 6M later, median gain 15%
 - 6 of 6 times, higher 12M later, median gain 21%

Bottom Line: Stay on target

Week of 3/16 - 3/21:		
Thomas Lee, CFA Head of Research	FLASH Report	Macro Minute Video
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Mon / Tue		
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Wed / Thu ALL	=	
Thu PM / Fri		







Mar 17, 2025 Inclusion data... Performance... **fund**strat Current Inclusion Rel vs Absolute S&P 500 Ticker (s) price Date added price # Days **Tactical Overweights** 1 Long Homebuilders October to April ITB 96.0 10/18/24 129.3 150 -26% -23% Rationale: Since 1999, homebuilders gained 18.7% on average from late October to April next year, outperforming by 1,226bp 2025 Overweights 1 Small-caps IWM 205.5 12/10/24 236.7 97 -13% -7% XLF 49.1 12/10/24 49.7 97 -1% 5% Financials KRE 57.1 12/10/24 65.5 97 -13% -7% - Regional Banks 1 Bitcoin/Bitcoin-Related BTC 84,077 12/10/24 96,911 97 -13% -7% 2 Industrials XLI 132.9 12/10/24 139.0 97 -4% 2% 12/10/24 -9% -3% 3 Technology XLK 215.4 236.0 97 12,092 12/10/24 12,983 -7% -1% - FAANG stocks NYFANG+ 97 3 Communication Services 97.3 12/10/24 97 -3% 3% XLC 100.3 -9% 197.0 12/10/24 232.4 97 -15% Consumer Discretionary XLY 43.2 Real Estate/REITs **XLRE** 12/10/24 97 -2% 42.2 4% 2025 Underweights 1 Consumer Staples XLP 80.7 12/10/24 82.6 97 -2% 4% * Market cap figures for IBP, KRE, and sectors are the respective ETF market caps.

Source: Fundstrat, Bloomberg





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1	Meta Platforms Inc	META	1,532,610	20.1x	2/19/2025	703.77	604.90	-14.0%	-6.4%
2	JPMorgan Chase & Co	JPM	654,093	11.9x	2/19/2025	279.25	233.93	-16.2%	-8.6%
3	S&P Global Inc	SPGI	155,695	25.6x	2/19/2025	542.70	494.27	-8.9%	-1.3%
4	Accenture PLC	ACN	203,953	23.4x	2/19/2025	390.22	325.71	-16.5%	-8.9%
5	Amazon.com Inc	AMZN	2,074,400	23.1x	2/19/2025	226.63	195.74	-13.6%	-6.0%
Sle	eper Grannies								
1	MicroStrategy Inc	MSTR	76,594	-	2/19/2025	318.67	294.27	-7.7%	0.0%
2	Advanced Micro Devices	AMD	169,486	16.7x	2/19/2025	114.69	104.59	-8.8%	-1.2%
3	PayPal Holdings Inc	PYPL	68,901	12.4x	2/19/2025	78.36	69.65	-11.1%	-3.5%
4	Eaton Corp PLC	ETN	116,446	22.1x	2/19/2025	309.43	297.23	-3.9%	3.7%
5	Microsoft Corp	MSFT	2,889,589	25.9x	2/19/2025	414.77	388.70	-6.3%	1.3%

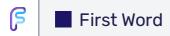
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1	Hims & Hers Health Inc	HIMS	7,707	26.4x	11/25/2024	31.35	34.69	10.7%	24.3%
2	AppLovin Corp	APP	104,316	31.3x	2/19/2025	494.17	306.85	-37.9%	-28.9%
3	Spotify Technology SA	SPOT	121,789	41.7x	2/19/2025	642.73	597.46	-7.0%	1.9%
4	Interactive Brokers Group Inc	IBKR	74,223	22.3x	2/19/2025	232.65	174.40	-25.0%	-16.1%
5	Carvana Co	CVNA	38,188	36.6x	2/19/2025	281.82	186.50	-33.8%	-24.8%
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1	lonQ Inc	IONQ	5,955	-	1/14/2025	29.51	24.93	-15.5%	-9.0%
2	ePlus Inc	PLUS	1,713	13.9x	11/25/2024	83.21	64.36	-22.7%	-9.1%
3	Zscaler Inc	ZS	31,355	55.8x	2/19/2025	214.67	202.65	-5.6%	3.4%
4	Semler Scientific Inc	SMLR	346	-	2/19/2025	52.22	36.03	-31.0%	-22.0%
5	EnerSys	ENS	3,826	9.4x	2/19/2025	101.56	97.04	-4.5%	4.5%

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45 SMID Granny Shot Ideas: We performed our quarterly rebalance on 2/18. Full stock list here -> Click here





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KEY EVENTS: March 17th to March 21st

- 3/17 Mon 8:30 AM ET: Feb Retail Sales Advanced MoM
 0.2% vs 0.6%e
- 3/17 Mon 8:30 AM ET: Mar Empire Manufacturing Survey
- 3/17 Mon 10:00 AM ET: Mar NAHB Housing Market Index 39 vs 42e
- 3/19 Wed: March Super Granny Update Webinar
- 3/19 Wed 9:00 AM ET: Mar M Manheim Used Vehicle Inde
- 3/19 Wed 2:00 PM ET: Mar FOMC Decision Hold e
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- 3/20 Thu 10:00 AM ET: Feb Existing Home Sales





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Summary by Bloomberg AI

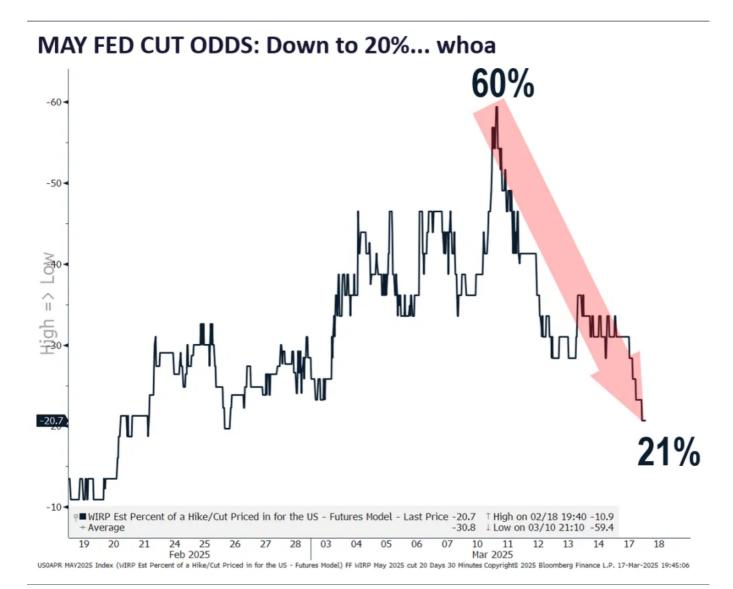
- The Federal Reserve is unlikely to cut interest rates to rescue investors
 despite the recent stock market selloff, as the equity selloff is not yet at
 a level that would prompt rate cuts.
- The Fed's staff has changed its view on tariffs, now believing they will
 have a persistent inflationary impact, which could lead to a 0.5
 percentage point increase in PCE inflation outlook for this year.
- Inflation expectations have risen, with the University of Michigan survey showing a partisan divide, and the Fed is likely to take a more pessimistic view on inflation, making a "Fed Put" unlikely.





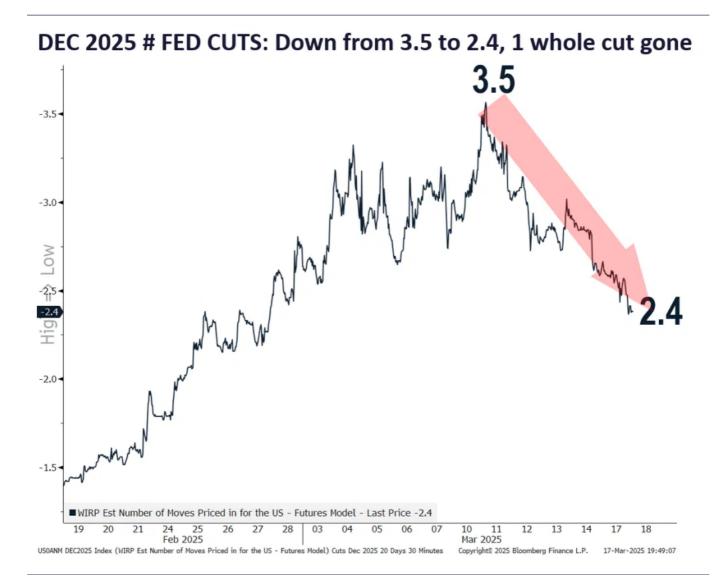
















TARIFFS:

We know it's a one time thing... And what really would matter is what's happening with longer term inflation expectations

I would point people back to 2019 you know, when we had, we had the tax cuts and Jobs Act, we had lower immigration, and we had regulatory policy under President Trump in the first regime. And, you know, we ended up cutting three times because growth weakened so much so there are many effects of tariffs.

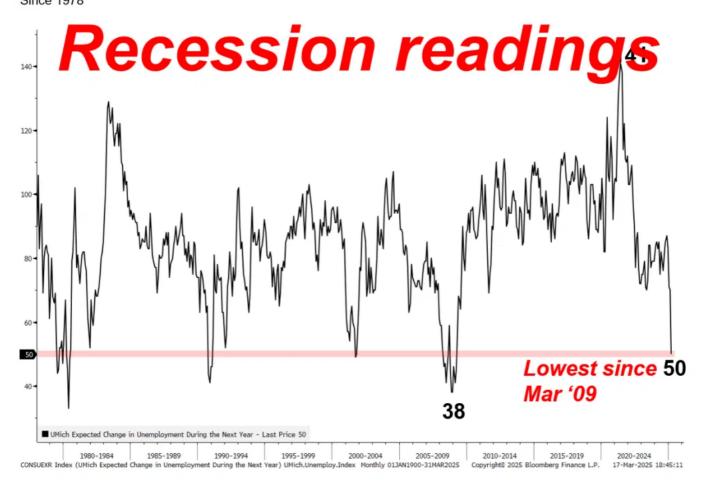
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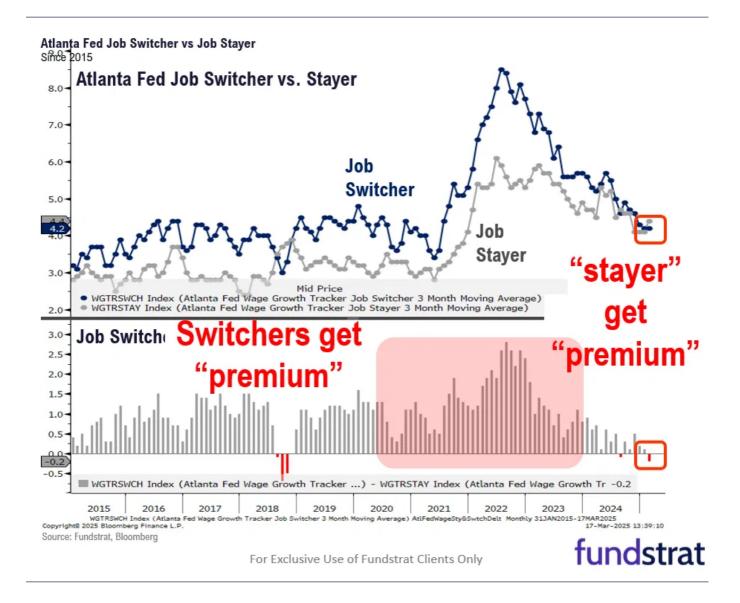
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Source: Fundstrat, Bloomberg





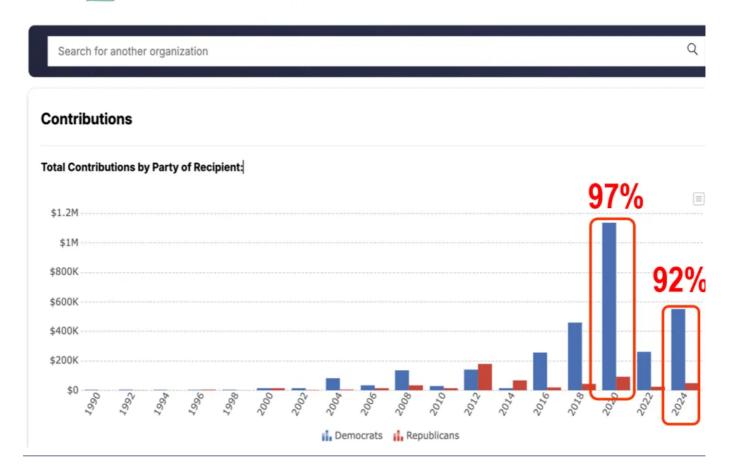






Federal Reserve System

Summary Totals Recipients Congressional Committees Lobbying News Members Invested





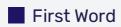


INTO TARIFF DEADLINE: "don't rage sell" into April 2

- Why not "go to sidelines" until April 2?
- Tariff observation: very little "bashing" China and Mexico
- White House walking back "detox pain"
- Fed meeting next week
- Significant pain inflicted on hedge funds
- Retail sentiment negative by multiple measures
- Equity markets oversold







TARIFF DEADLINE: 3 weeks away

				March 2025		
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				today		
16	10 today	11	12	X	X	15
23	17	?	?	?	?	22
30	?	?	?	?	?	29
				April 2025		
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6	?	?	2	3	4	5
			tariff			

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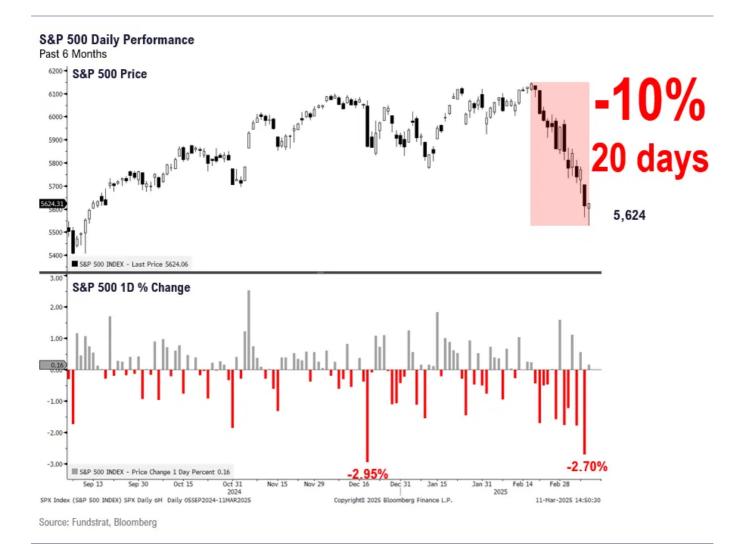


NVDA: Rally past week... not consistent with China tariff war













20 Fastest Market Corrections from 52-week High

Since 1950

Fastest 10% Correction # Days 52W High 10% Decline 1 2/19/2020 2/27/2020 8 2 1/26/2018 2/8/2018 13 3 9/23/1955 10/11/1955 18 4 6/12/1950 17 6/29/1950 #5 fastest 10/5/1979 10/25/1979 20 5 10/7/1997 10/27/1997 20 6 3/24/2000 4/14/2000 21 8 2/13/1980 3/10/1980 26 9 7/15/1975 8/8/1975 24 10 4/23/2010 5/20/2010 27 11 7/17/1998 8/14/1998 28 12 7/16/1990 8/17/1990 32 13 7/15/1957 8/26/1957 42 14 9/12/1978 10/26/1978 44 15 10/9/2007 11/26/2007 48 16 1/3/2022 2/22/2022 50 17 8/25/1987 10/15/1987 51 18 8/2/1956 10/1/1956 60 19 9/20/2018 11/23/2018 64 20 7/16/1999 9/29/1999 75 Ourrent 2/19/2025 3/11/2025 20

Source: Fundstrat, Bloomberg





Fastest Market Correction Since 1950 6 of 6 S&P 500 Forward Return Fastest 10% Correction 10% Decline # Days 1M 3M 6M 12M 52W High Cause 1 2/19/2020 **COMD** -14.7% 1.9% 15.6% 2/27/2020 8 27.9% 4.5% 2 1/26/2018 2/8/2018 13 Trade War 1.0 8.0% 10.7% 4.9% 18 3 9/23/1955 10/11/1955 Eisenhower heart attack 9.6% 9.1% 19.7% 14.8% 4 6/12/1950 6/29/1950 17 Korean War 1.4% 11.3% 14.2% 20.2% 4.7% 20 5 10/5/1979 10/25/1979 Volcker Shock 13.4% 3.4% 29.9% Asian Financial Crisis 20 8.5% 9.2% 6 10/7/1997 10/27/1997 26.3% 21.5% 2.9% 19.9% 16 8.2% 15.0% Average 18 6.3% 9.1% 14.9% 20.8% Median 100% Win Ratio 83% 100% 100% 6 of 6 +20.8% 20 Ourrent 2/19/2025 3/11/2025 4/23/2019 Source: Fundstrat, Bloomberg







Key incoming data March:

- 3/3 9:45 AM ET: Feb F S&P Global Manufacturing PMI Tame
- 3/3 10:00 AM ET: Feb ISM Manufacturing PMI Tame
- 3/5 9:45 AM ET: Feb F S&P Global Services PMI Tame
- 3/5 10:00 AM ET: Feb ISM Services PMI Tame
- 3/5 10:00 AM ET: Jan F Durable Goods Orders Tame
- 3/5 2:00 PM ET: Mar Fed Releases Beige Book Tame
- 3/6 8:30 AM ET: 4Q F Non-Farm Productivity Tame
- 3/6 8:30 AM ET: Jan Trade Balance **Tame**
- 3/6 8:30 AM ET: 4Q F Unit Labor Costs Tame
- 3/7 8:30 AM ET: Feb Non-Farm Payrolls Tame
- 3/7 9:00 AM ET: Feb F Manheim Used Vehicle index Tame
- 3/10 11:00 AM ET: Feb NY Fed 1yr Inf Exp Tame





- 3/11 6:00 AM ET: Feb Small Business Optimism Survey Tame
- 3/11 10:00 AM ET: Jan JOLTS Job Openings Tame
- 3/12 8:30 AM ET: Feb CPI Tame
- 3/13 8:30 AM ET: Feb PPI Tame
- 3/14 10:00 AM ET: Mar P U. Mich. Sentiment and Inflation Expectation Hot
- 3/17 8:30 AM ET: Feb Retail Sales Data Tame
- 3/17 8:30 AM ET: Mar Empire Manufacturing Survey Tame
- 3/17 10:00 AM ET: Mar NAHB Housing Market Index Tame
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- 3/19 2:00 PM ET: Mar FOMC Decision
- 3/19 4:00 PM ET: Jan Net TIC Flows
- 3/20 8:30 AM ET: Mar Philly Fed Business Outlook
- 3/20 10:00 AM ET: Feb Existing Home Sales
- 3/24 8:30 AM ET: Feb Chicago Fed Nat Activity Index
- 3/24 9:45 AM ET: Mar P S&P Global Manufacturing PMI
- 3/24 9:45 AM ET: Mar P S&P Global Services PMI
- 3/25 9:00 AM ET: Jan S&P CoreLogic CS home price
- 3/25 10:00 AM ET: Mar Conference Board Consumer Confidence
- 3/25 10:00 AM ET: Feb New Home Sales
- 3/26 10:00 AM ET: Feb p Durable Goods Orders
- 3/27 8:30 AM ET: 4Q T GDP
- 3/28 8:30 AM ET: Feb PCE Deflator
- 3/28 10:00 AM ET: Mar F U. Mich. Sentiment and Inflation Expectation
- 3/31 10:30 AM ET: Mar Dallas Fed Manuf. Activity Survey

Economic Data Performance Tracker 2025:





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JOLTS Job Openings	Tame											
Durable Goods Orders	Tame											
S&P Global Services PMI	Tame	Tame										
ISM Services PMI	Tame	Tame										
Trade Balance	Tame											
Non-Farm Payrolls	Tame	Tame										
Manheim Used Vehicle Index	Tame	Tame										
NYFed 1yr Inf Exp	Tame	Tame										
Small Business Optimism Survey	Tame	Tame										
CPI	Hot	Tame										
PPI	Hot	Tame										
FOMC Rate Decision	Tame											
FOMC Meeting Minutes	Tame											
Fed Releases Beige Book	Tame	Tame										
U. Mich.1-yr inflation Expectation	Hot	Hot	Hot									
Empire Manufacturing Survey	Tame	Tame	Tame									
Retail Sales Data	Tame	Tame										
Net TIC Flows												
NAHB Housing Market Index	Tame	Tame										
Philly Fed Business Outlook	Mixed	Tame										
Existing Home Sales	Tame											
Dallas Fed Manuf. Activity Survey	Tame	Tame										
Chicago Fed Nat Activity Index	Tame											
S&P CoreLogic CS home price												
Conference Board Consumer Confidence	Tame	Tame										
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PCE Deflator	Tame											
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Non-Farm Productivity					-							
Unit Labor Costs												
GDP					-							
Employment Cost Index												

Economic Data Performance Tracker 2024:





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S&P Global Manufacturing PMI	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
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JOLTS Job Openings	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame		Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
Durable Goods Orders			Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
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Manheim Used Vehicle Index	Mixed	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Mixed	Tame	Tame	Mixed	Mixed	Tame
NYFed 1yr Inf Exp	Tame		Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
Small Business Optimism Survey				Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
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PPI	Mixed	Mixed	Tame	Mixed	Tame	Mixed	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Mixed	Tame
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FOMC Meeting Minutes	Dovish		Dovish		Dovish	Dovish	Dovish		Dovish		Dovish	Tame
Fed Releases Beige Book			Tame	Tame	Tame		Tame		Tame	Dovish		Dovish
U. Mich.1-yr inflation Expectation	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
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Treasury QRA Announcement		Tame	Tame	
Non-Farm Productivity	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
Unit Labor Costs	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
GDP	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
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Economic Data Performance Tracker 2023:





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S&P Global Manufacturing PMI								Mixed		Tame	Tame	Mixed
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Philly Fed Business Outlook								Tame	Mixed	Tame	Tame	Mixed
Existing Home Sales									Tame			
Dallas Fed Manuf. Activity Survey										Tame	Tame	Tame
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S&P CoreLogic CS home price				Tame	Tame	Tame		Mixed	Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame
Conference Board Consumer Confidence	:					Tame	Tame	Tame		Tame	Tame	Tame
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PCE Deflator				Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame		Tame	Tame	Tame	Tame

	2023			
Data item	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q
Treasury QRA Announcement				Tame
Non-Farm Productivity			Tame	Tame
Unit Labor Costs				
GDP			Mixed	Tame
Employment Cost Index		Tame	Mixed	

Source: Fundstrat, Bloomberg





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