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# **CNR Speedometers® History**

Global Economic & Market Summary Indicators

# CNR Speedometers® – July 2025

## Economic and Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- The global outlook for growth remains dynamic while tariffs continue to be hashed out.
- The Federal Reserve will remain on hold, unless price impacts are clear or unemployment rises.
- Consumer financials remain strong, sentiment is recovering from recent lows, and spending has slightly slowed.
- Despite the concern on tariffs, fiscal stimulus through deregulation and tax policy is on the horizon.
- U.S. stock valuations are lower but have not corrected to attractive levels.
- The tariff situation continues to be a key concern, especially approaching July 9 extension expiration.

# Impact on Economy and Financial Markets

Yield Curve



**US Economic** 

Outlook



Consumer

Sentiment









Disposable Personal

Income

**Business Outlook** Spending/Surveys

Monetary Policy

Leading Indexes

Mortgages

Corporate Profit

International Fconomic Outlook

Political **Environment** 





Availability



**Energy Costs** 





**Impact on investment:** ■ Positive ■ Neutral ■ Negative



**Timeframe:** ■ Current ■ Change from last month

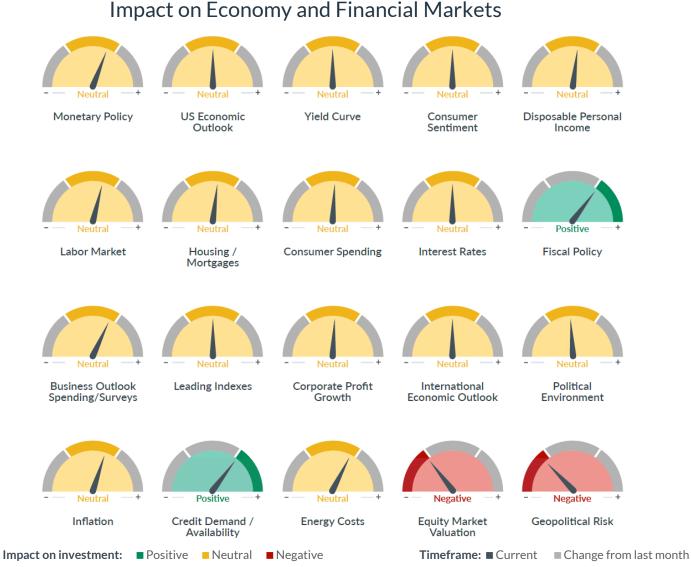
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## **CNR Speedometers® – June 2025**

#### Economic and Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- The global outlook for growth has changed significantly due to tariffs.
- The Federal Reserve will remain on hold, unless price impacts are clear or unemployment rises.
- Consumer financials remain strong, but sentiment is weakening, which may impact spending.
- Despite the concern on tariffs, fiscal stimulus through deregulation and tax policy is still on the horizon.
- U.S. stock valuations are lower but have not corrected to attractive levels.
- The tariff situation remains fluid with China at 30% and Europe on the clock for 50%.



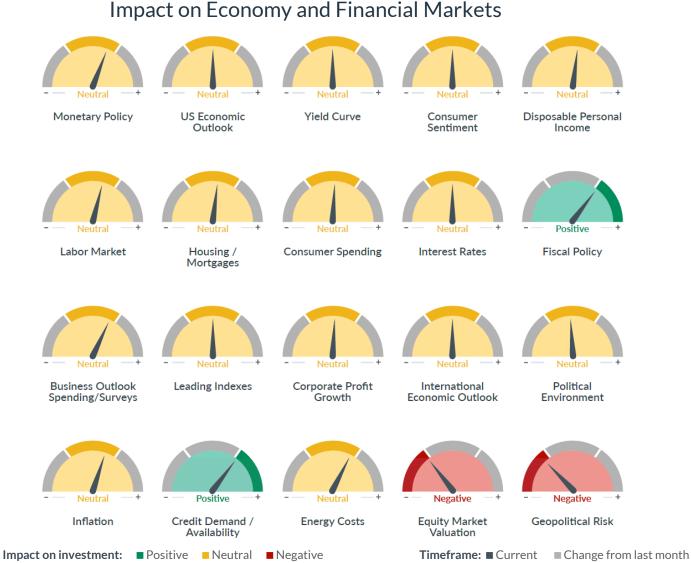
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# **CNR Speedometers® - May 2025**

## Economic and Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

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- The Federal Reserve will remain on hold, unless price impacts are clear or unemployment jumps.
- Consumer financials remain strong, but sentiment is weak, which may impact spending.
- Despite the concern on tariffs, fiscal stimulus through deregulation and tax policy is still on the horizon.
- U.S. stock valuations are lower but have not corrected to attractive levels.
- The 124% Chinese tariff rate may fuel negative global foreign policy effects, but negotiations are ongoing.

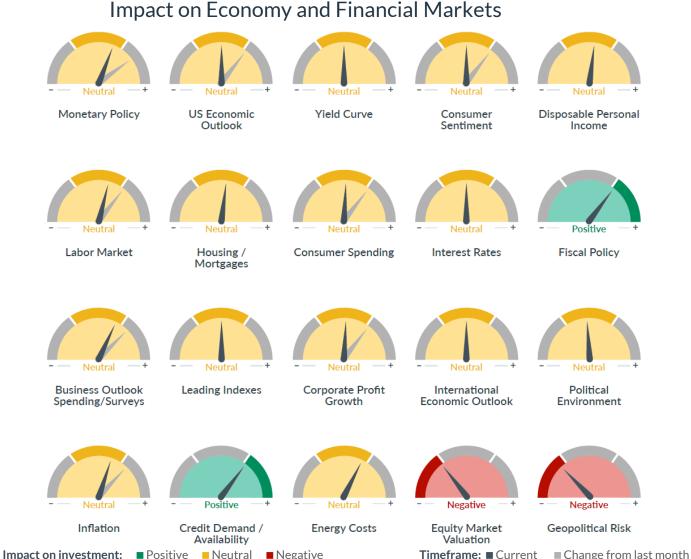


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# **CNR Speedometers® – April 2025**

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- Consumer financials remain strong, but sentiment has deteriorated, which may impact spending.
- Despite the concern on tariffs, fiscal stimulus through deregulation and tax policy is still on the horizon.
- U.S. equity valuations have fallen but could still move lower in the nearterm.
- The 124% tariff rate on China may fuel negative global foreign policy effects.

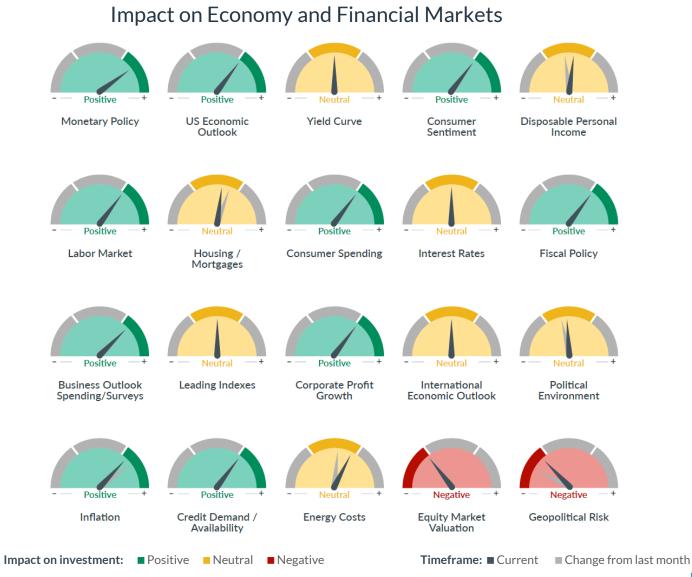


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## **CNR Speedometers® - March 2025**

### Economic and Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- The global outlook is mixed, but US growth remains steady despite tariffs – profits grew 14% in Q4 2024.
- The Federal Reserve is still on an easing path but will not cut until inflation trends lower.
- Consumer financials are strong with net worth, interest cost and leverage supporting spending.
- Deregulation and potential tax cuts could support corporate spending.
- Elevated equity valuations are offset by substantial U.S. corporate profits.
- Geopolitical risk is decreasing based on a potential truce between Russia and Ukraine.



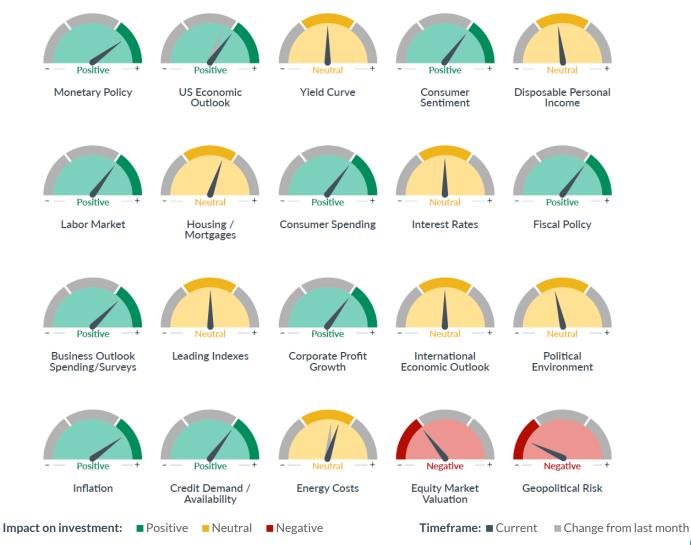
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# **CNR Speedometers® – February 2025**

## Economic and Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- The global outlook is mixed, but US growth prospects are improving based on solid earnings and pro-business policy.
- The Federal Reserve is more hawkish, but still on an easing path.
- Positive job and income growth support consumer spending and sentiment.
- Deregulation and potential tax cuts support corporate spending.
- Elevated equity valuations are offset by strong corporate profits US flows.
- Geopolitical events remain a key risk.

#### Impact on Economy and Financial Markets



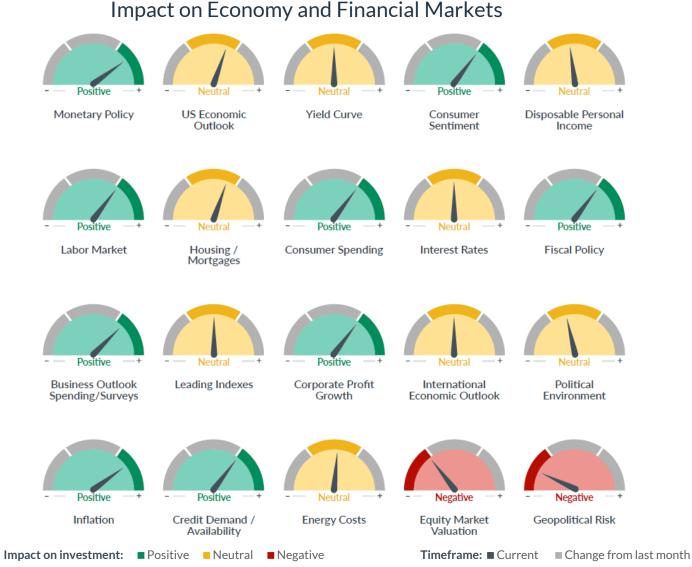
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# **CNR Speedometers® – January 2025**

Economic and Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- The global outlook is divergent, and the US growth prospects are most resilient and supported by fiscal policy.
- Multiyear Federal Reserve easing cycle ahead.
- Slower but positive job and income growth support consumer spending and sentiment.
- Improved credit availability and removed election uncertainty support a stronger business outlook.
- Elevated equity valuations offset by strong corporate profits.
- Geopolitical events remain a key risk to our outlook.



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# CNR Speedometers® – December 2024

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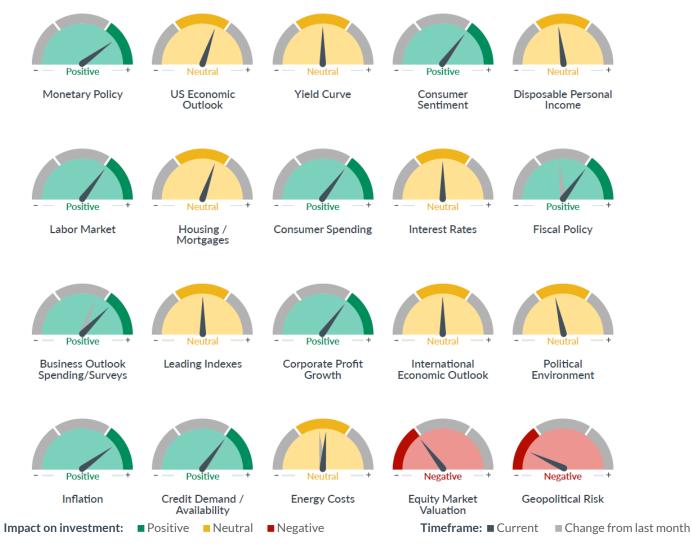


# CNR Speedometers® -November 2024

## Economic & Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

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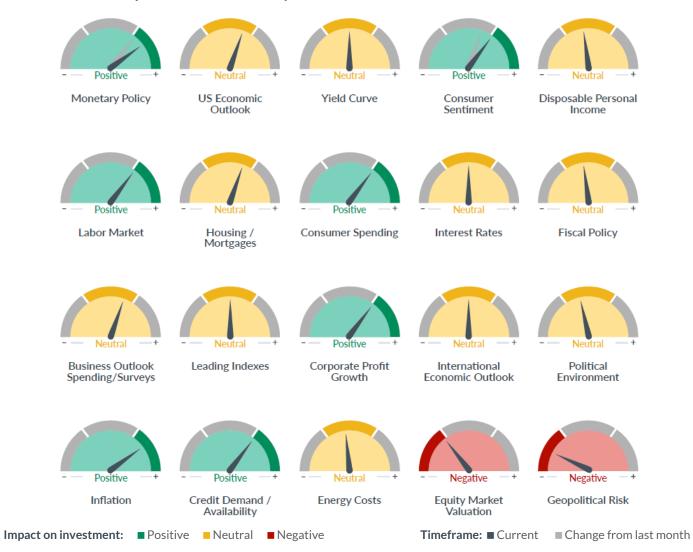


# CNR Speedometers® -October 2024

#### Economic & Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Global outlook divergent, US growth prospects most resilient.
- Cooling inflation paving the way for Federal Reserve easing cycle.
- Slower but positive job and income growth support consumer spending.
- Lower rates and fading post election uncertainty supportive of improved consumer/business sentiment
- Elevated equity valuations offset by strong corporate profits.
- Geopolitical events remain key risk to outlook.

#### Impact on Economy and Financial Markets



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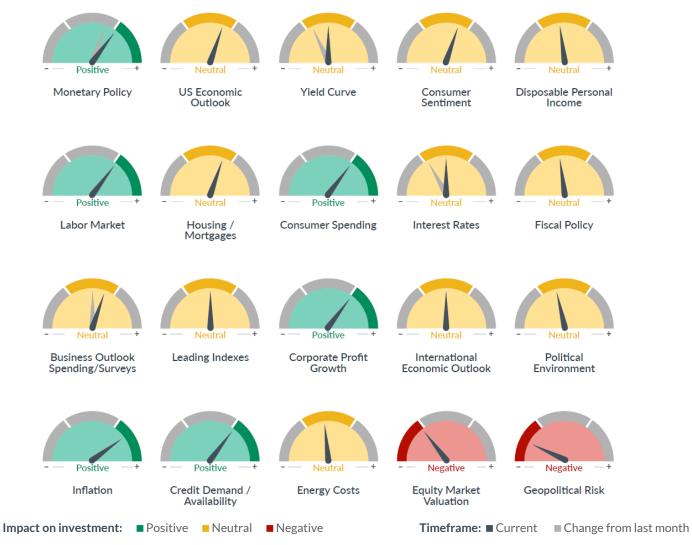


# CNR Speedometers® –September 2024

#### Economic & Financial Indicators That Are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Global economic outlook improving, US growth prospects remain stable.
- Cooling inflation paving the way for Federal Reserve easing cycle ahead.
- Job and income growth supporting consumer spending, despite weaker sentiment.
- Housing activity struggling more with higher rates and low affordability.
- Elevated equity valuations offset by strong corporate profits.
- Geopolitical events remain key risk to outlook.

#### Impact on Economy and Financial Markets



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# CNR Speedometers® -August 2024

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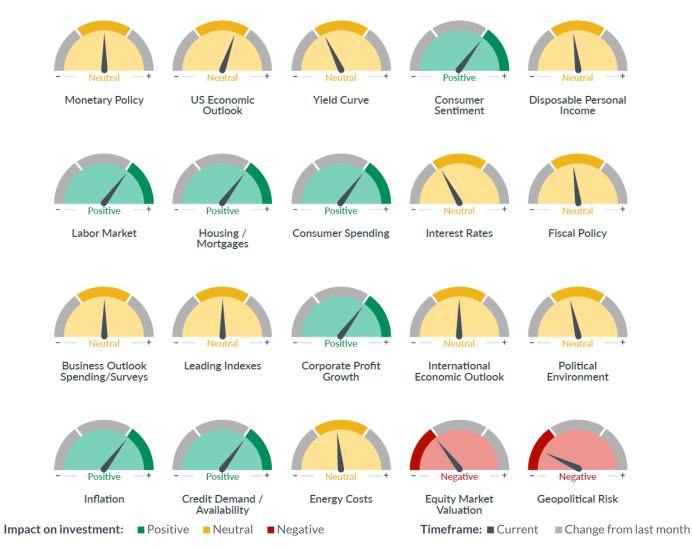


# CNR Speedometers® –July 2024

## Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Global economic outlook improving, US growth prospects remain more positive.
- Federal Reserve rate cutting cycle ahead, policy headwinds to moderate.
- Consumer remains resilient, job and wage growth supporting spending.
- Expecting improvements in corporate profits, inflation, credit conditions and housing.
- Geopolitical events remain key risk to outlook.

#### Impact on Economy and Financial Markets



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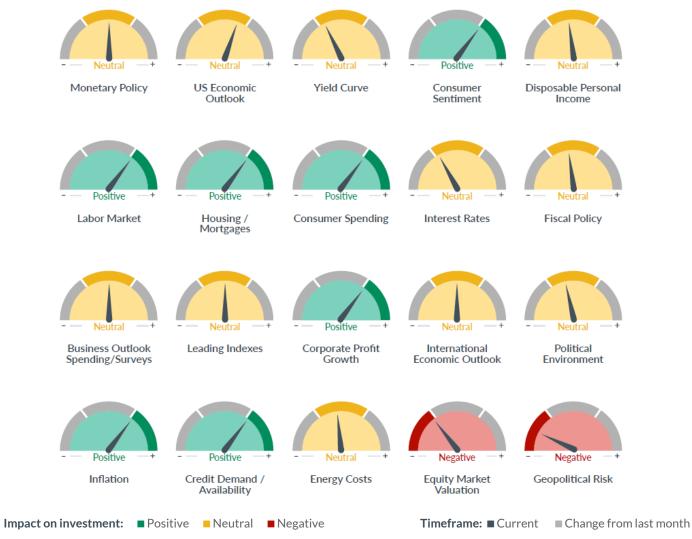


## CNR Speedometers® -June 2024

## Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Global economic outlook improving, US growth prospects remain more positive.
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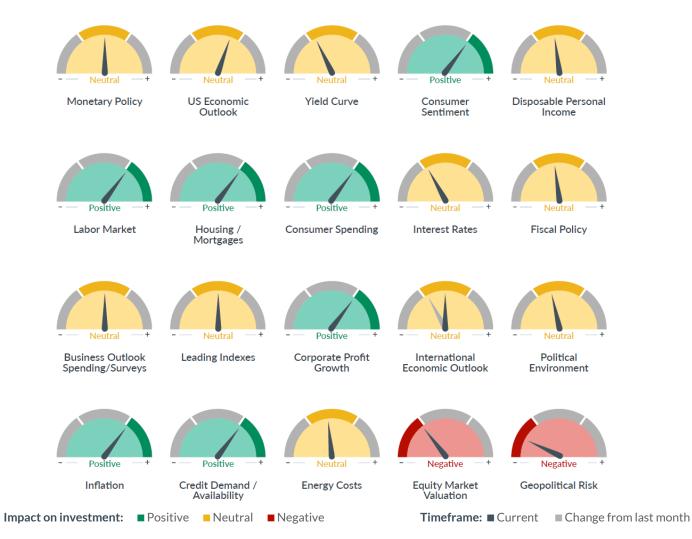
# CNR Speedometers® -May 2024

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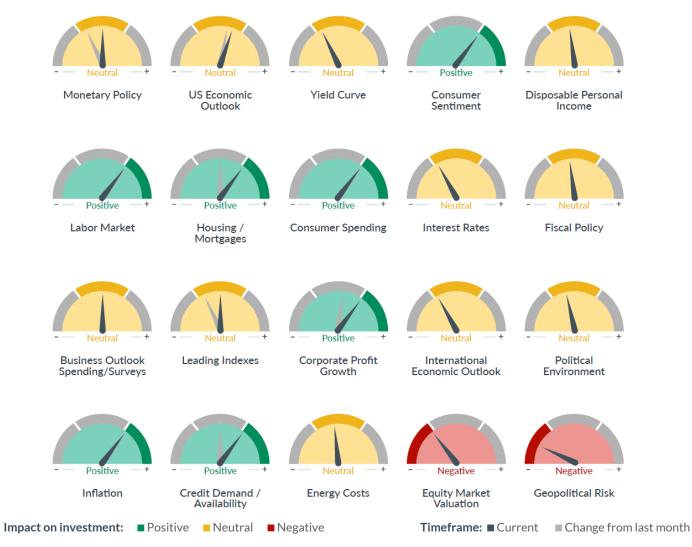


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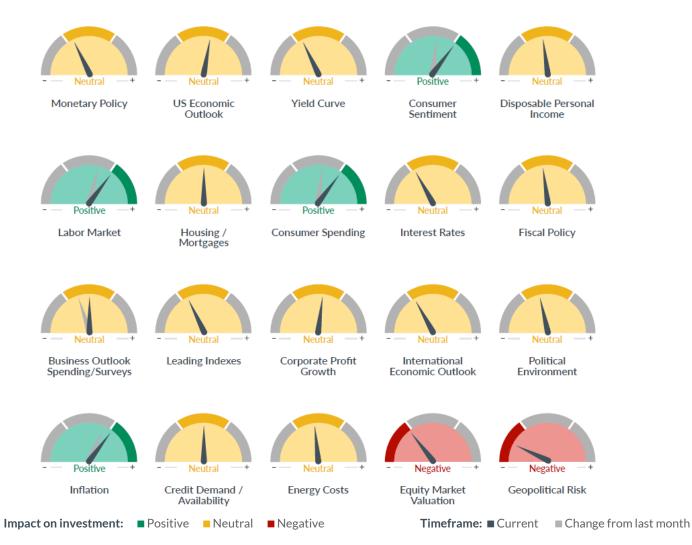


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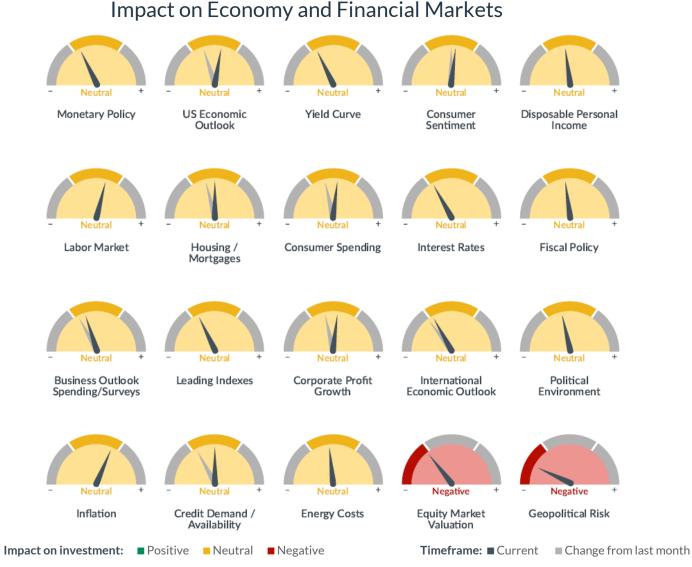
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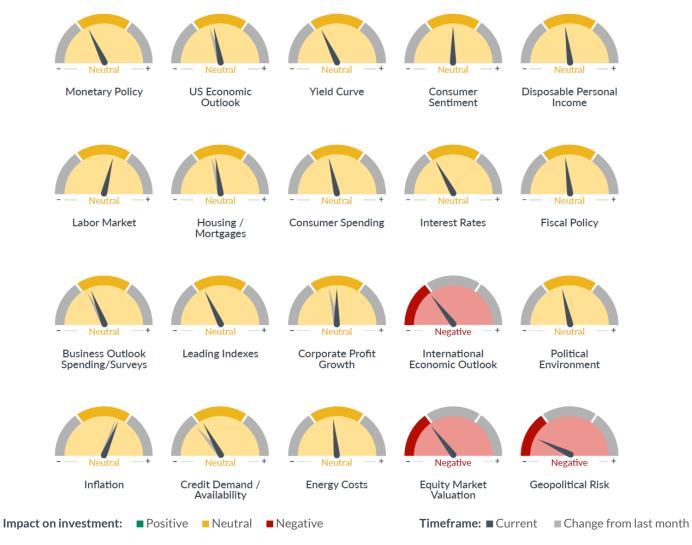


# CNR Speedometers® – January 2024

### Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Indicators improving, risks to outlook growing more balanced.
- Fed likely done with rate hikes, headwinds expected to moderate.
- Consumer remains resilient, but slower spending ahead likely.
- Expecting improvements in corporate profits, inflation and credit conditions.
- Geopolitical events remain key risk to outlook.

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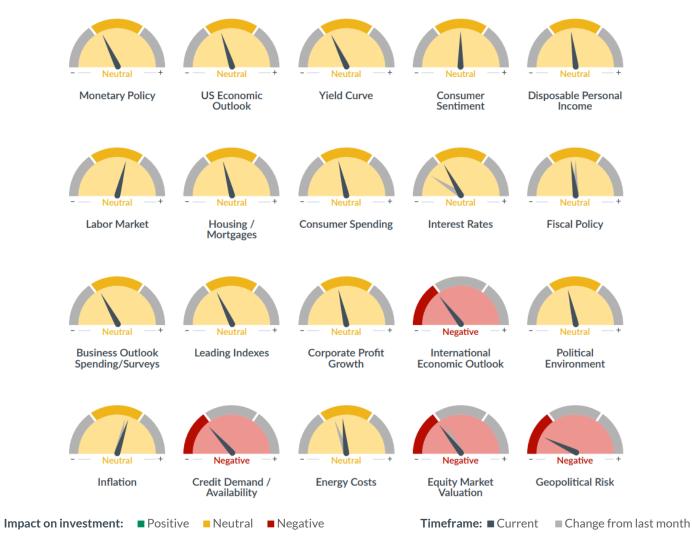


# **CNR Speedometers® - December 2023**

## Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Indicators improving, but still supportive of mild recession
- Fed rate hikes at or near peak, headwinds expected to moderate
- Consumer tailwinds abating, slower spending ahead likely
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#### Impact on Economy and Financial Markets



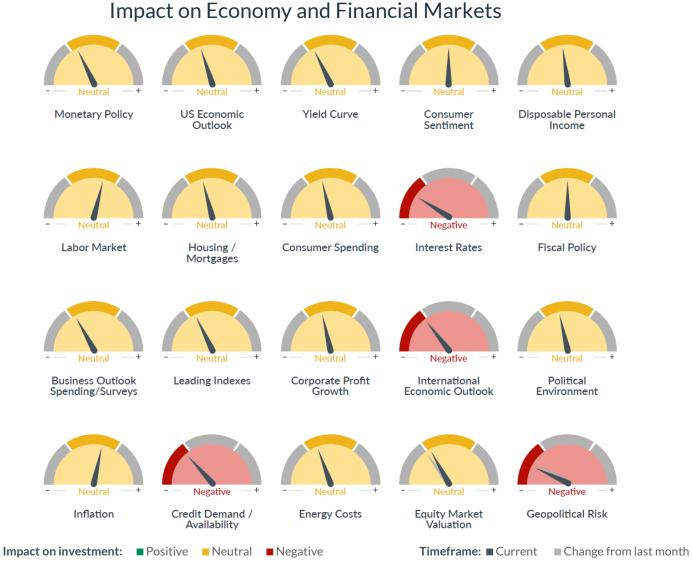
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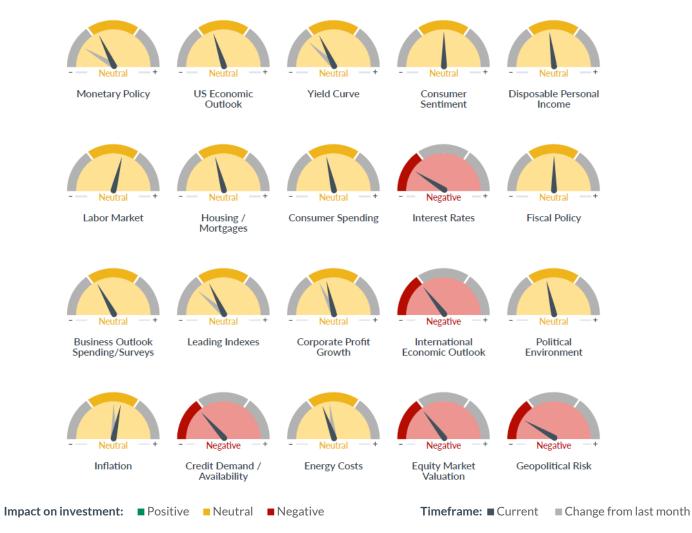


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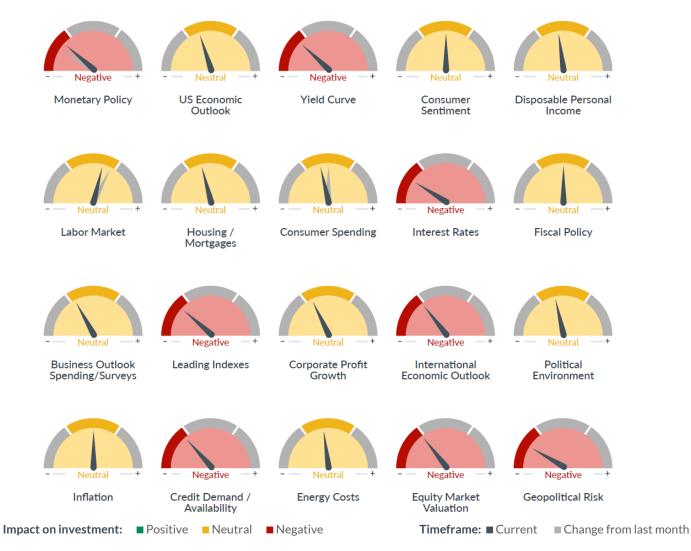


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#### Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Indicators have slowed as risk to the outlook increases.
- Recent slowing driven by higher inflation, higher interest rates and reduced credit availability.
- Consumers remain healthy, but resilience being tested.
- Indicators supportive of mild recession/slow growth outlook.

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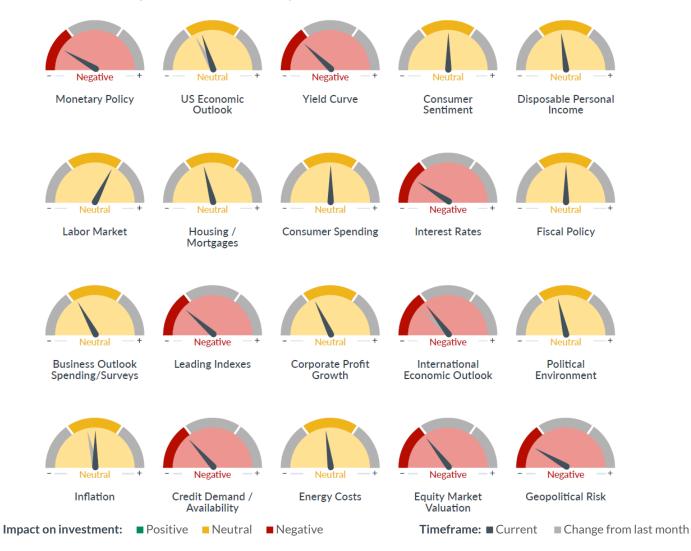


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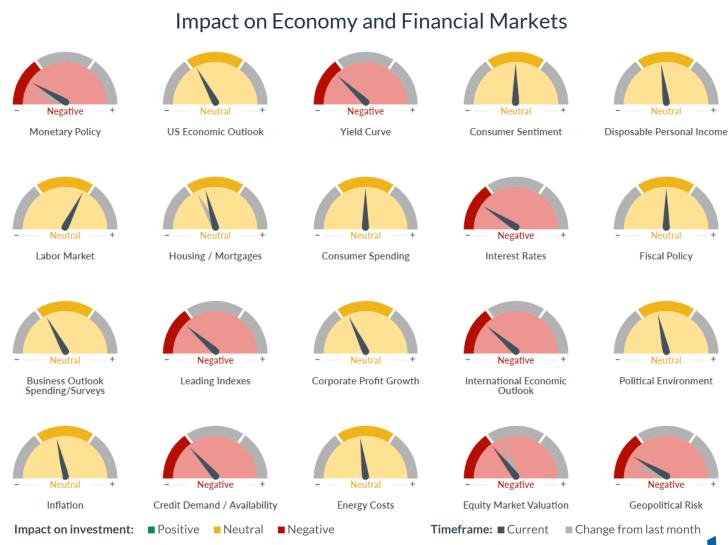
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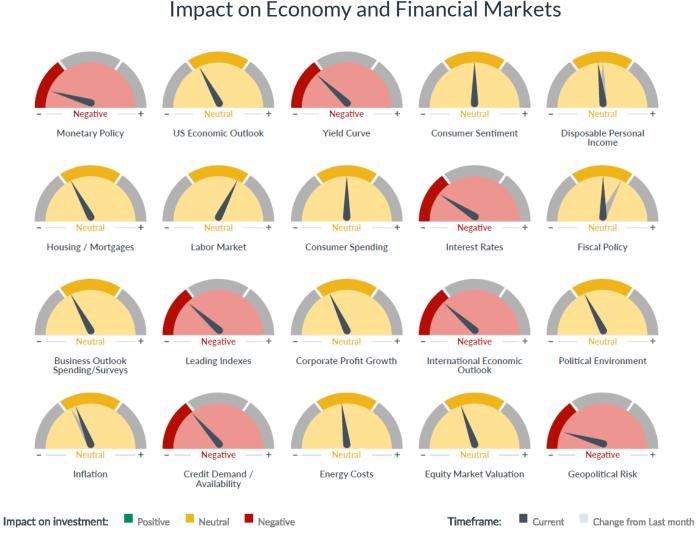
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# Impact on Economy and Financial Markets



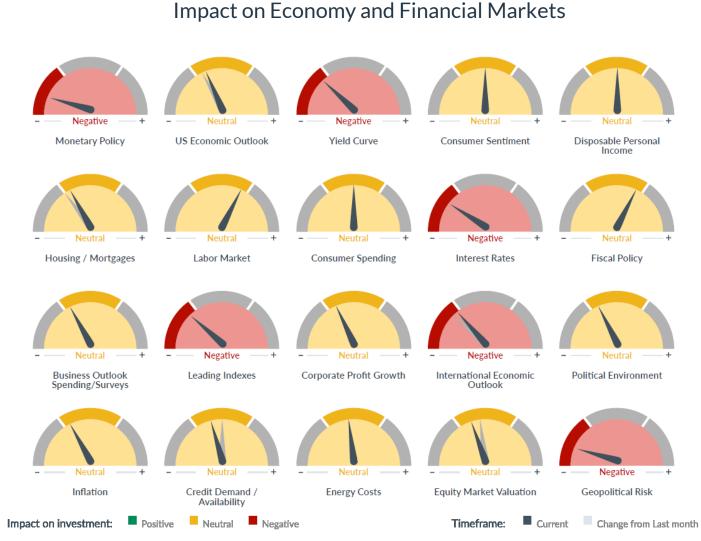
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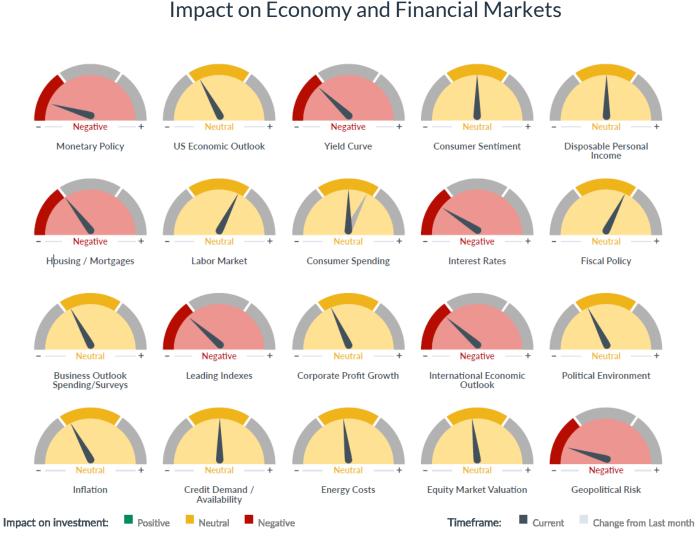


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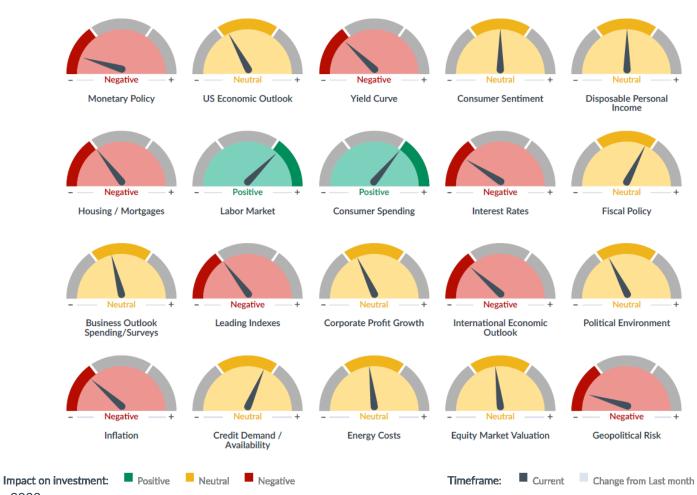
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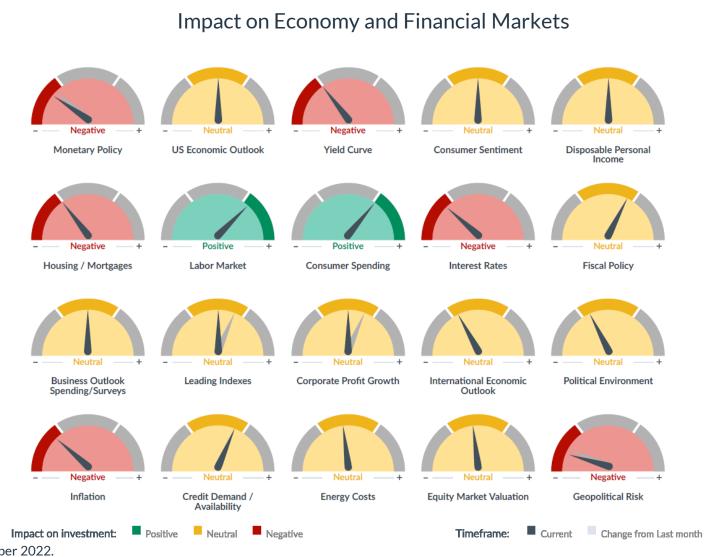
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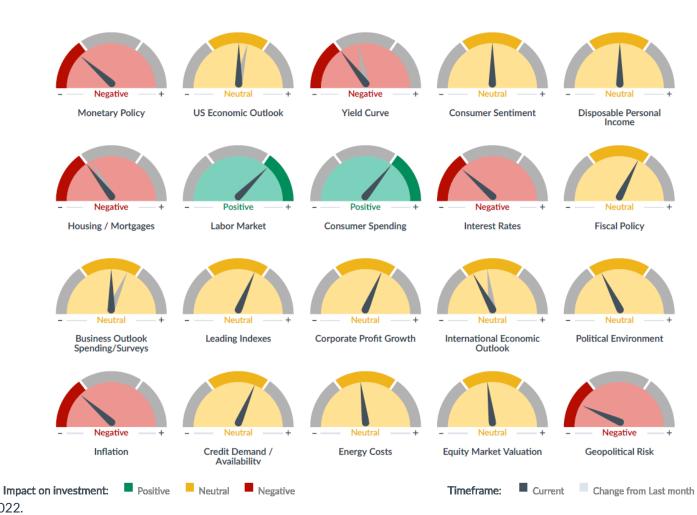
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## **CNR Speedometers - August 2022**

#### Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

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#### Impact on Economy and Financial Markets



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## **CNR Speedometers - July 2022**

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#### Negative **Monetary Policy US Economic Outlook Yield Curve Consumer Sentiment** Disposable Personal Income Housing / Mortgages Labor Market **Consumer Spending** Interest Rates **Fiscal Policy Business Outlook Leading Indexes** Corporate Profit Growth International Economic **Political Environment** Spending/Surveys Outlook Negative Negative Inflation Credit Demand / **Energy Costs Equity Market Valuation** Geopolitical Risk

Impact on Economy and Financial Markets

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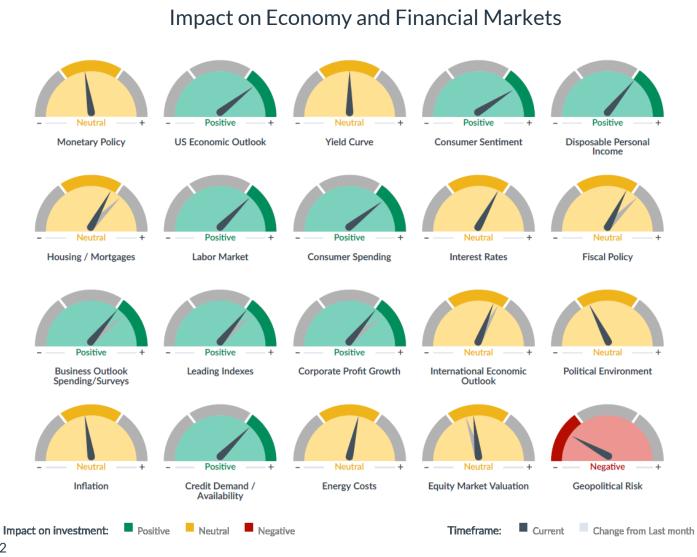
Neutral Negative

Impact on investment: Positive

### **CNR Speedometers - June 2022**

#### Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- 9 Green, 10 Yellow, 1 Red.
- Believe secular strength should offset cyclical inflation headwinds.
- Watching geopolitical events with a heightened degree of concern.
- All eyes on Fed

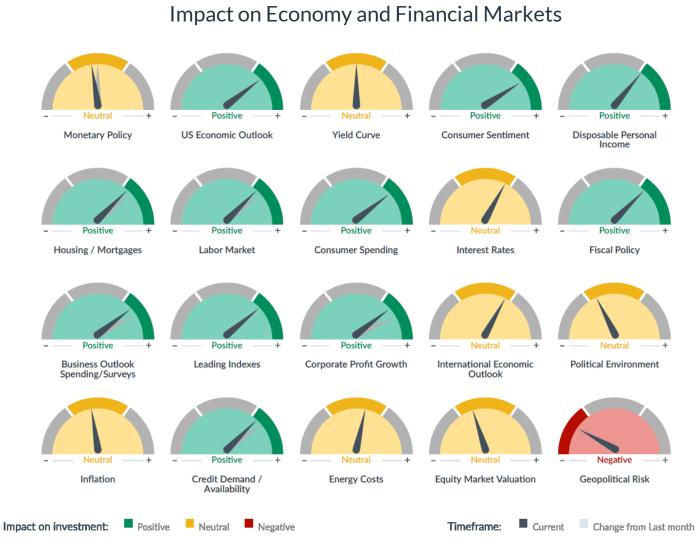


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## **CNR Speedometers - May 2022**

#### Economic & Financial Indicators That are Forward-Looking Six to Nine Months

- Indicators
   moderating, but
   remain positive on
   balance, reflecting
   generally solid
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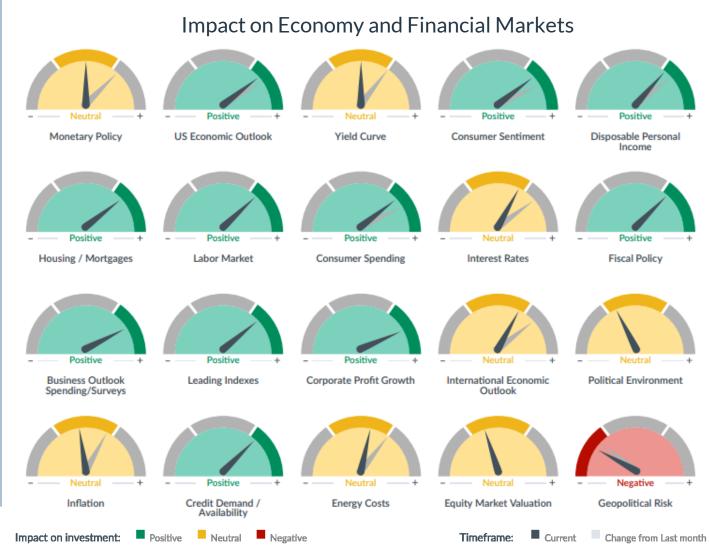
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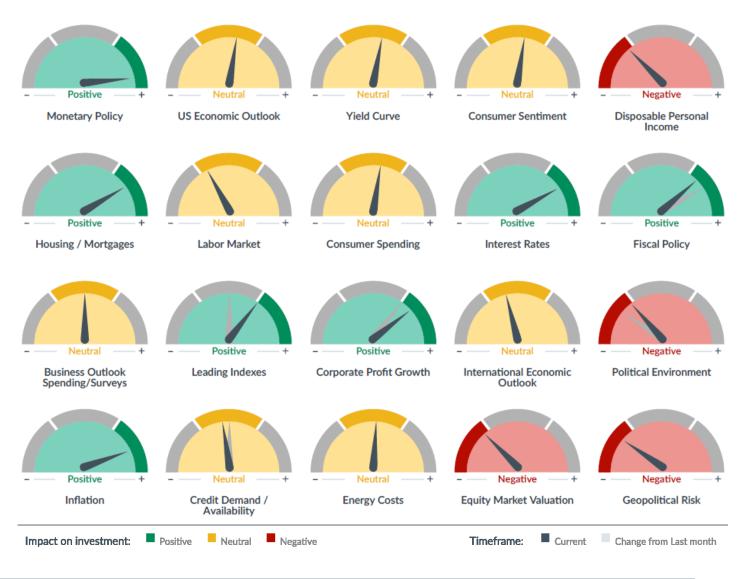
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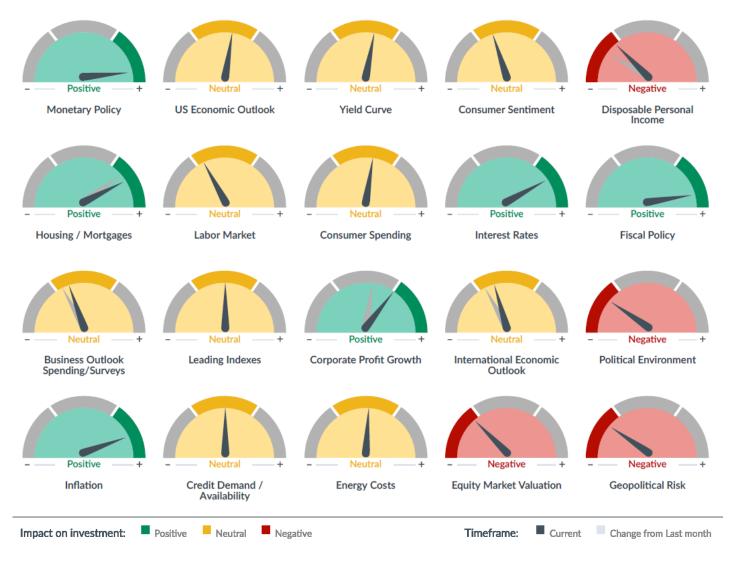
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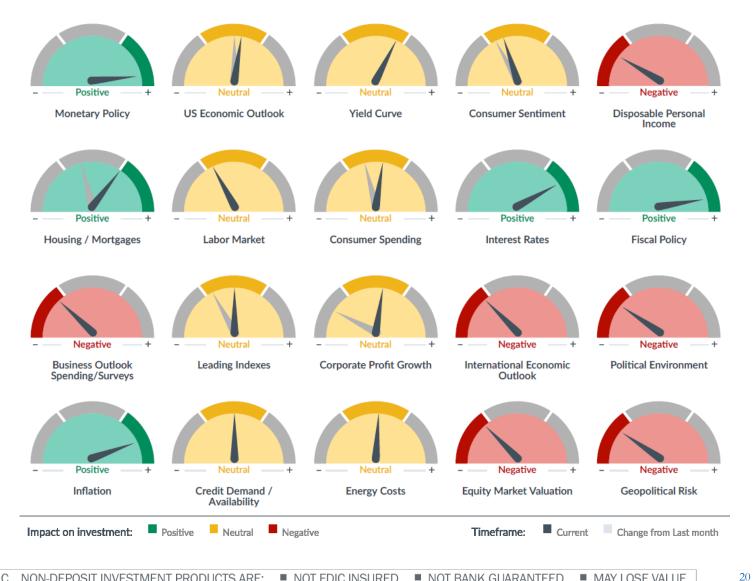


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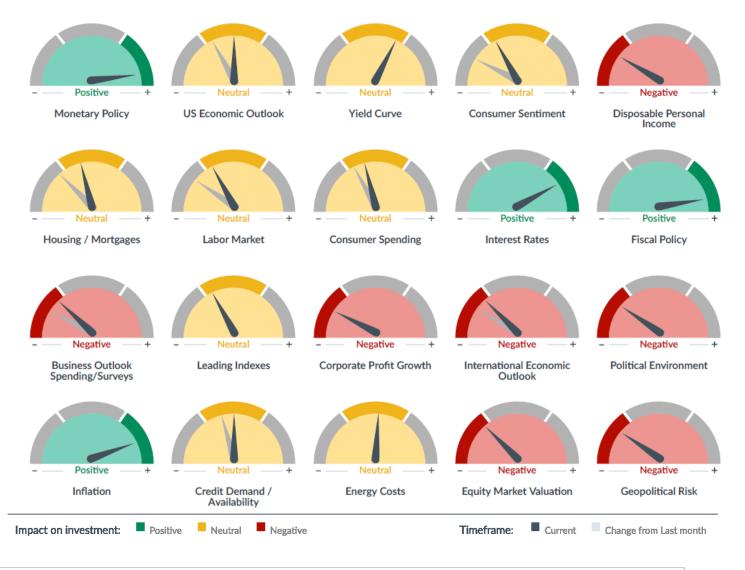
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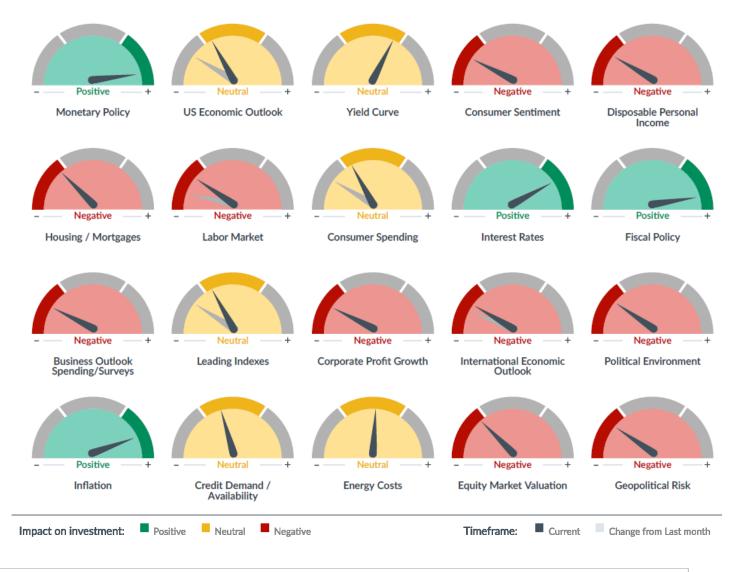
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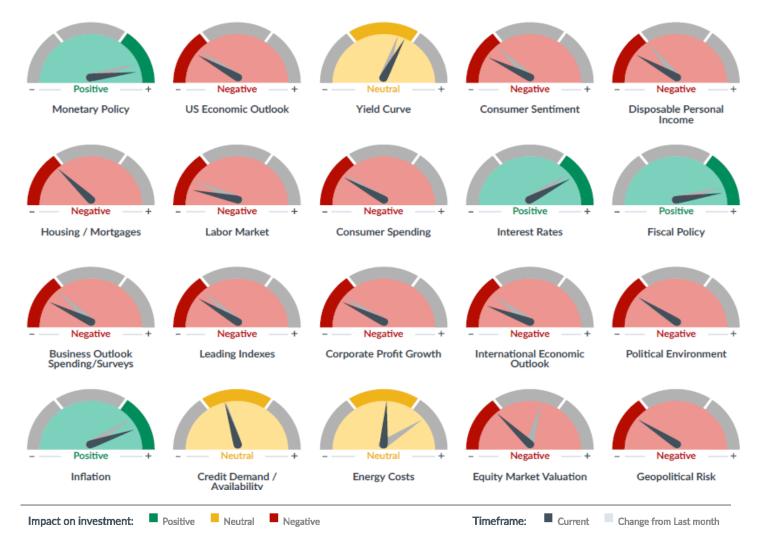
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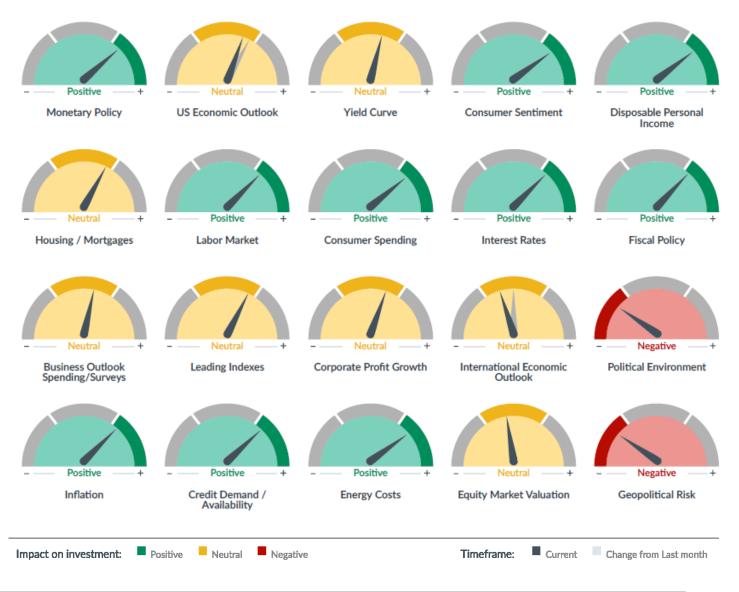
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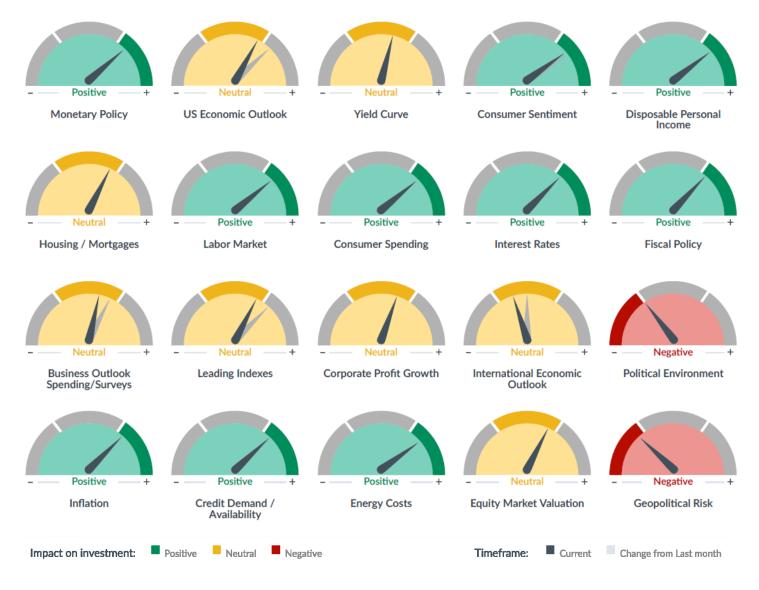
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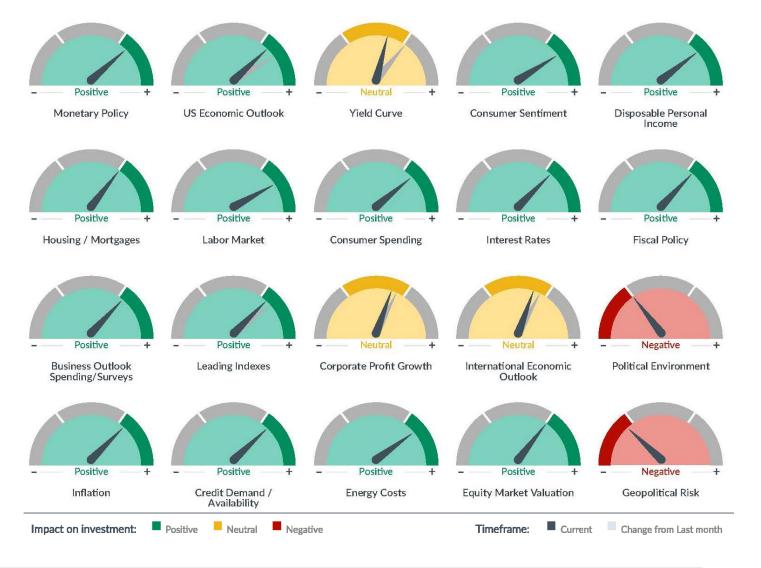
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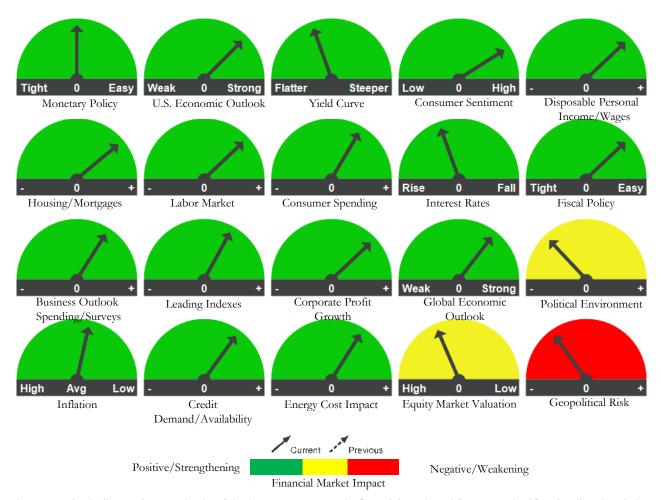




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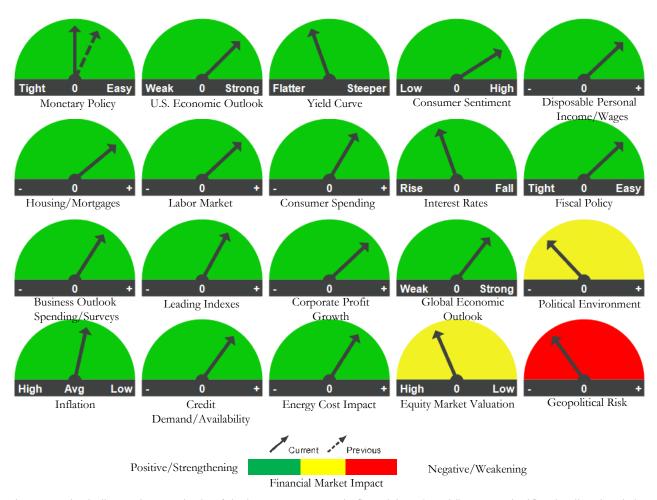




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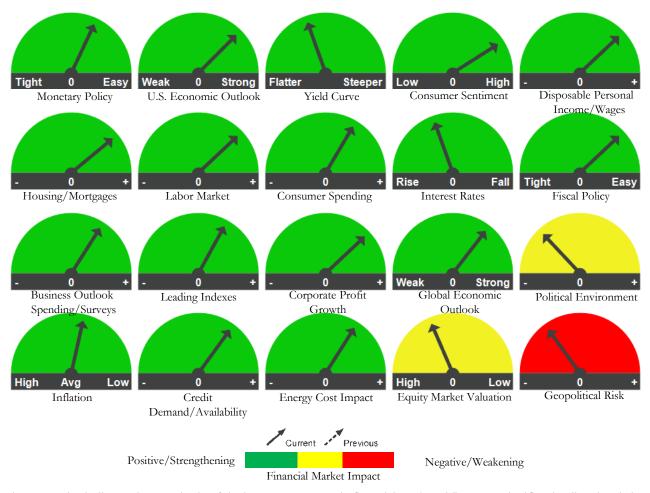




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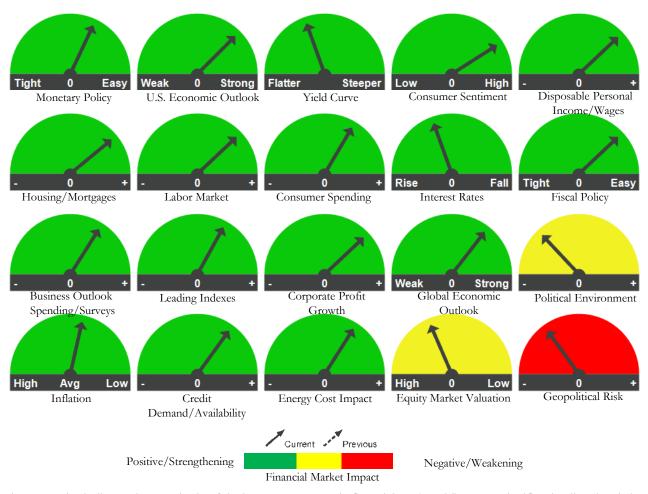




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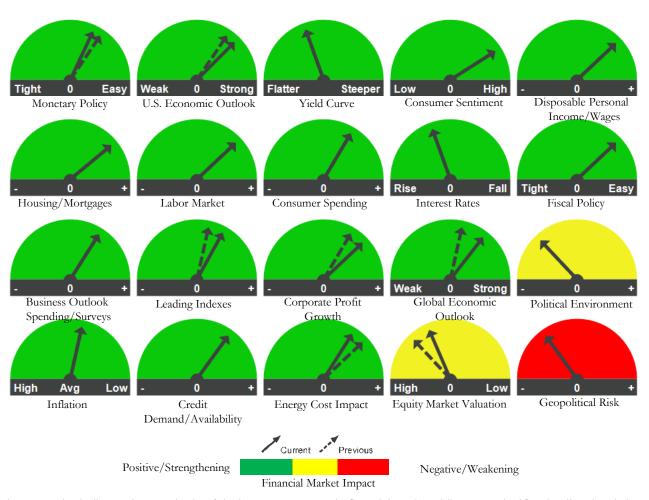




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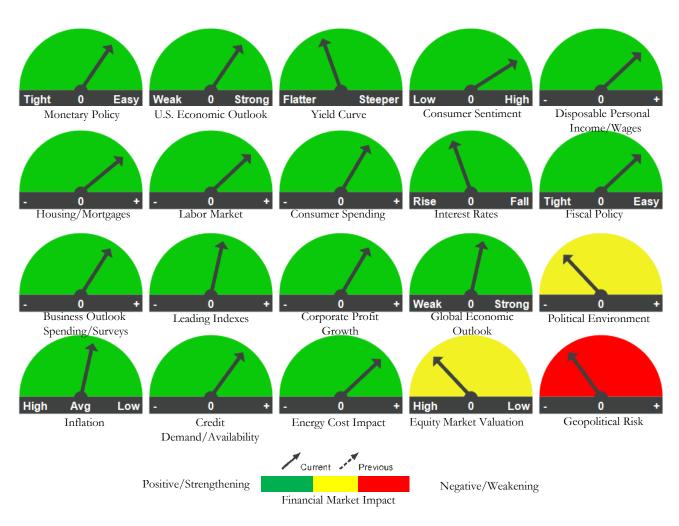




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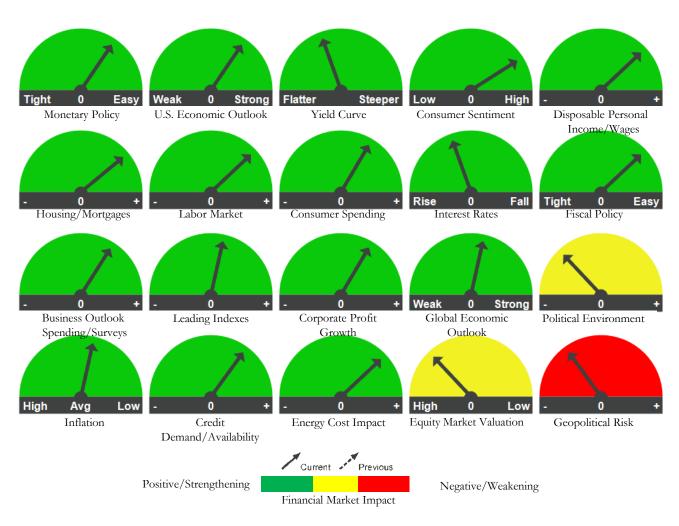




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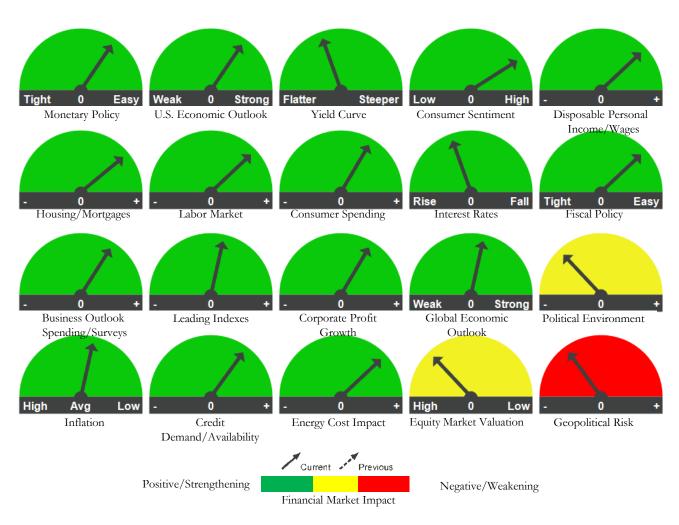




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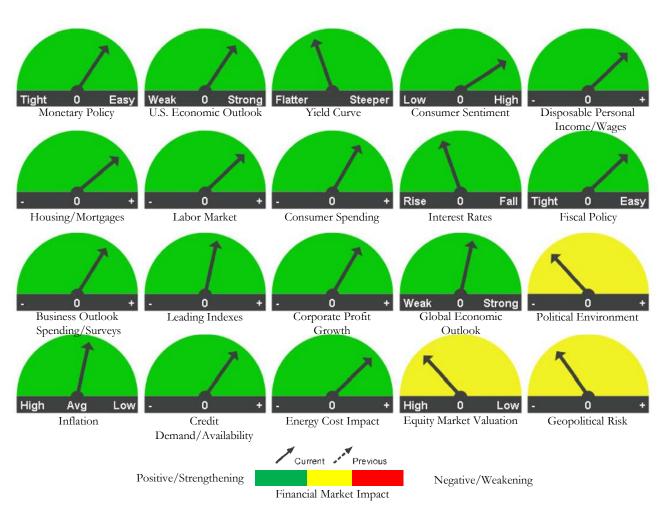




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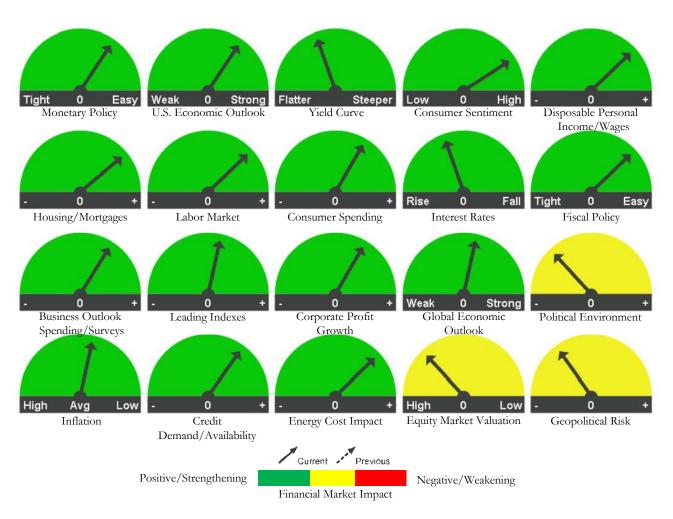




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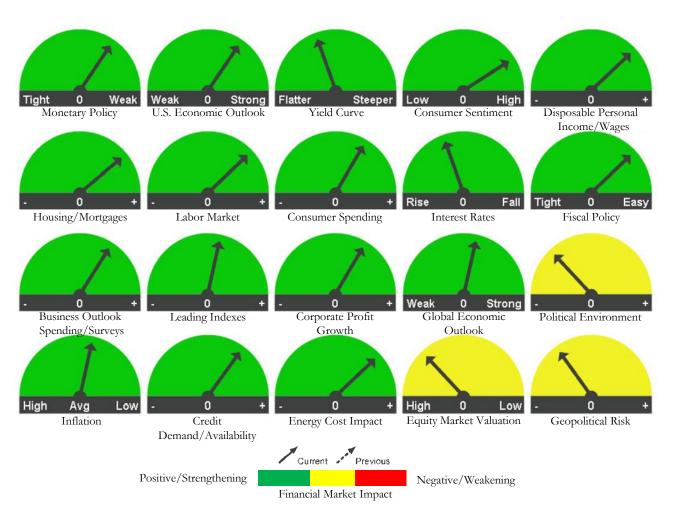




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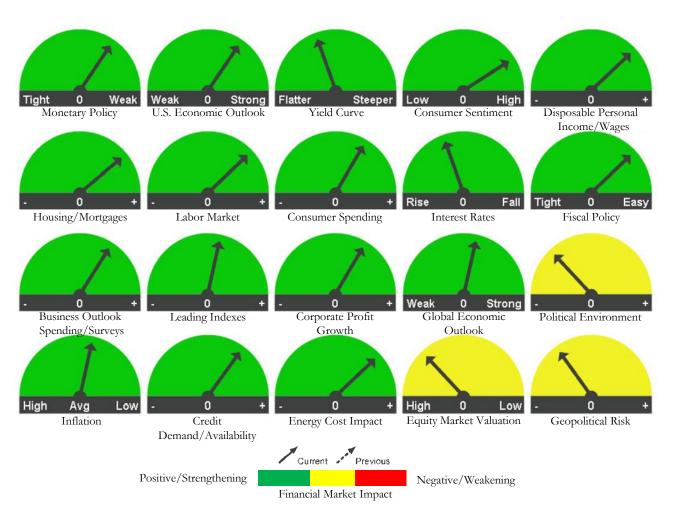




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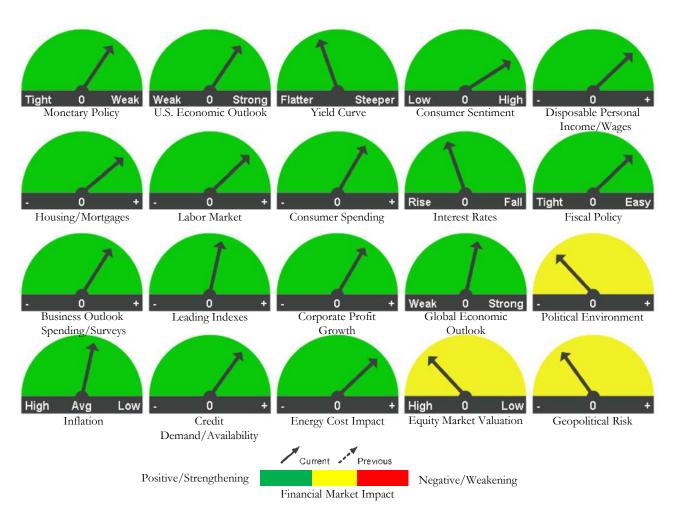




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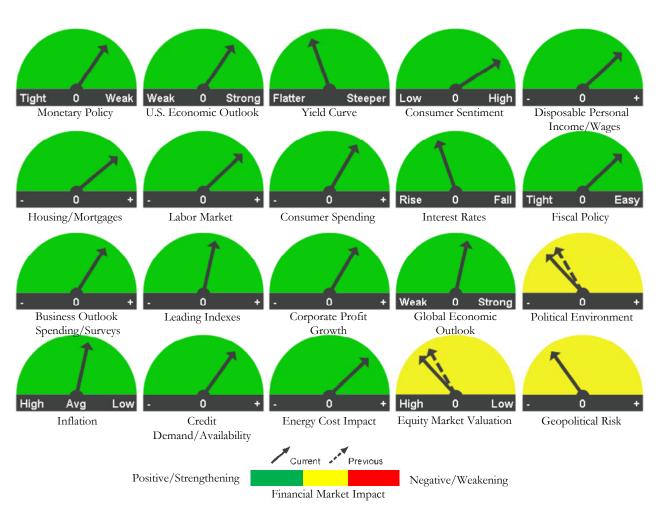




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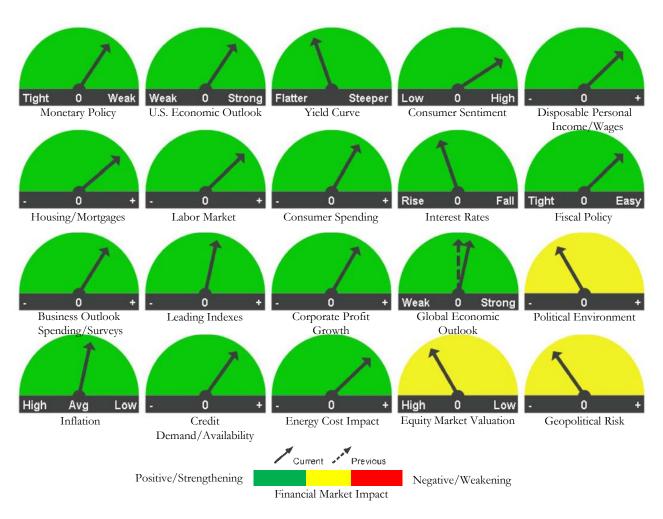




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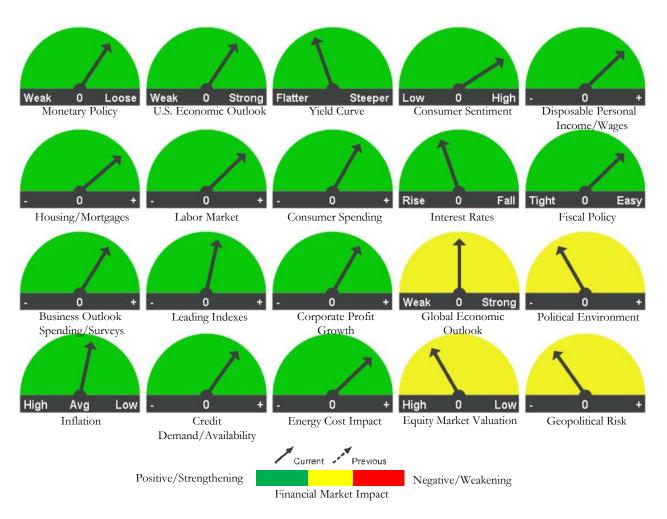




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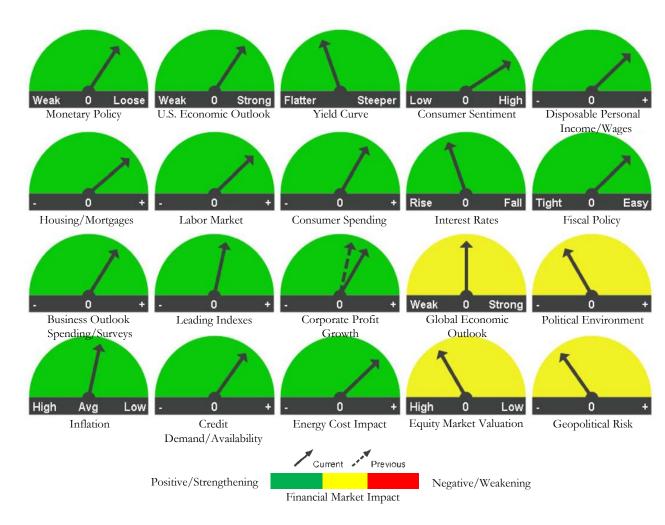


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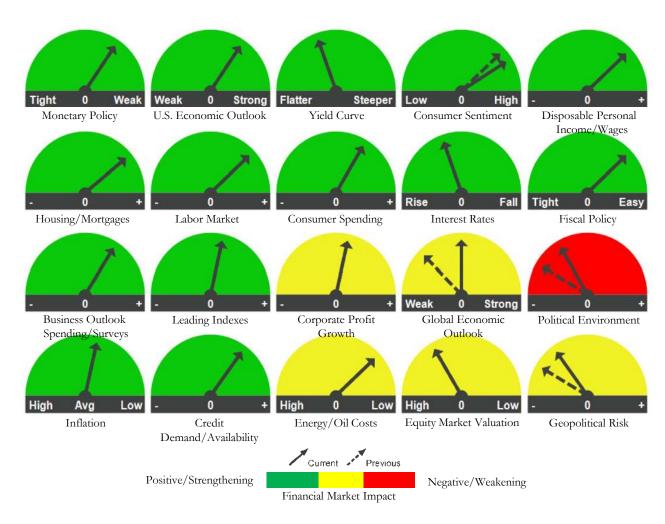


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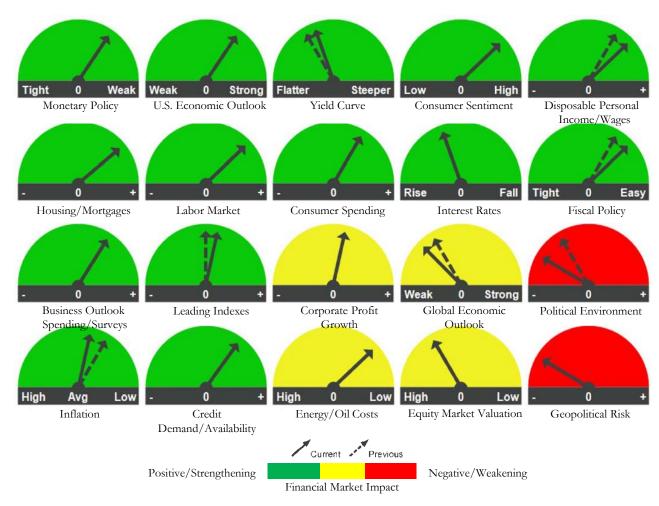


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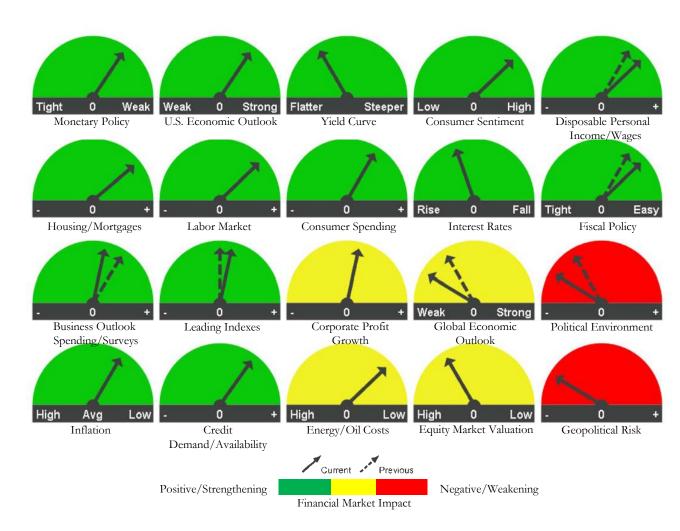


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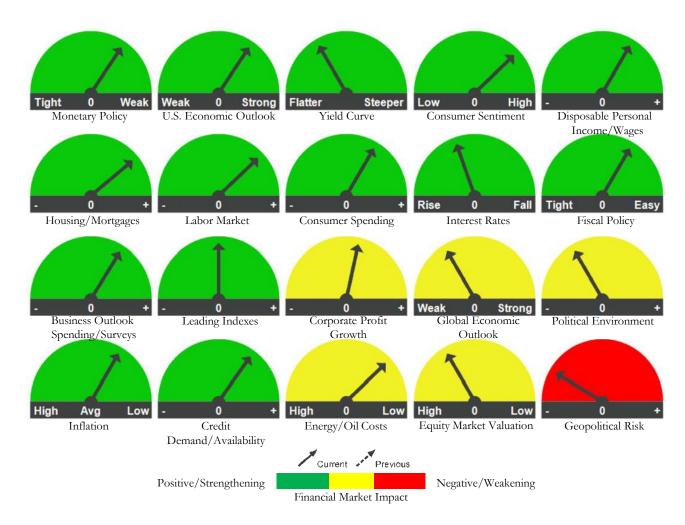


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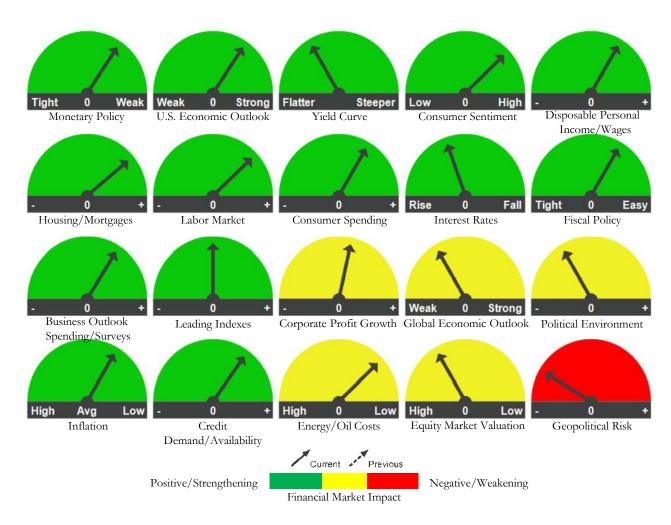


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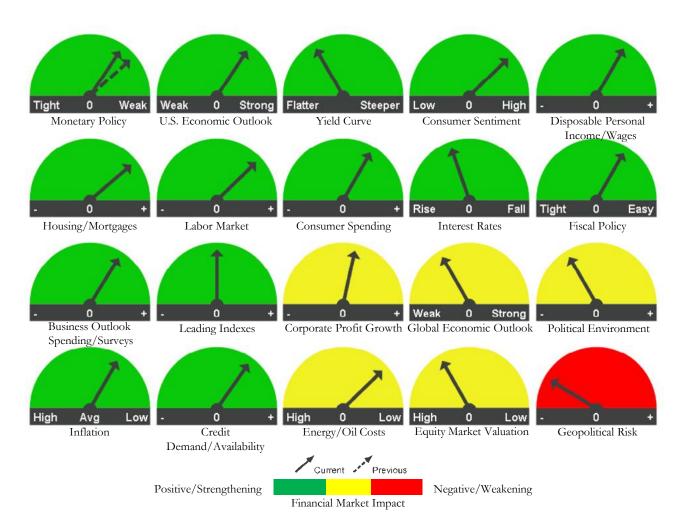


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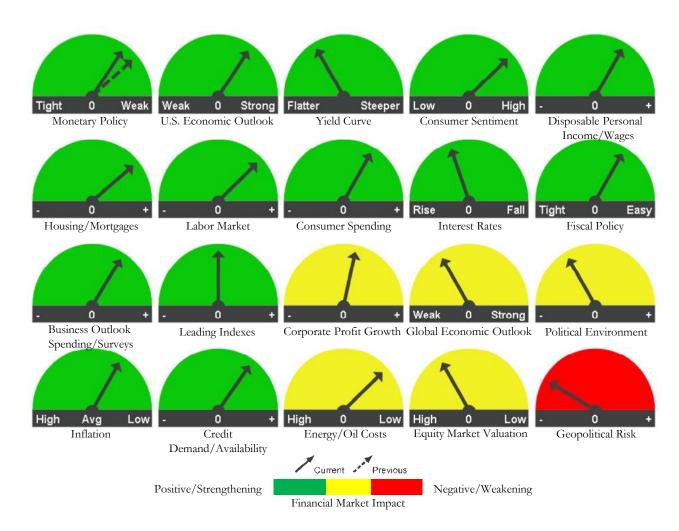


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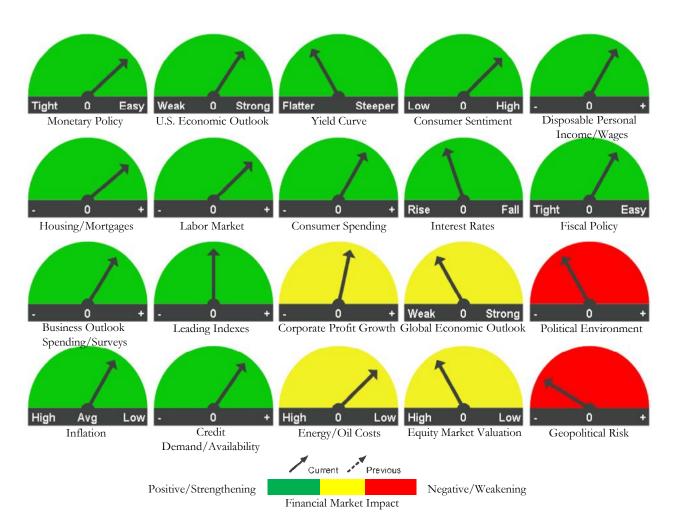


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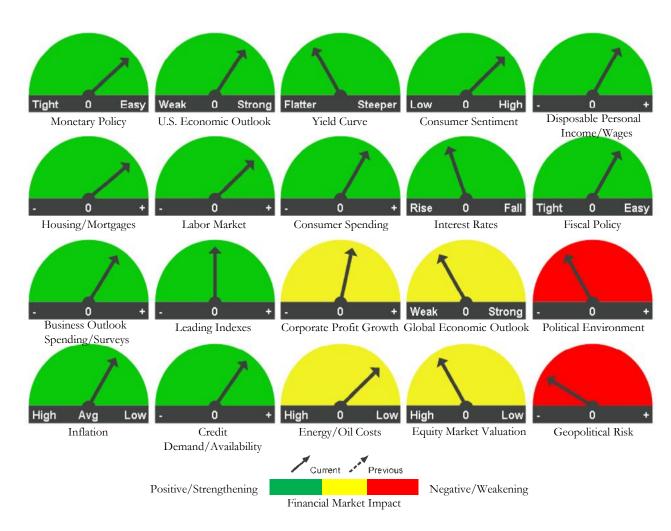


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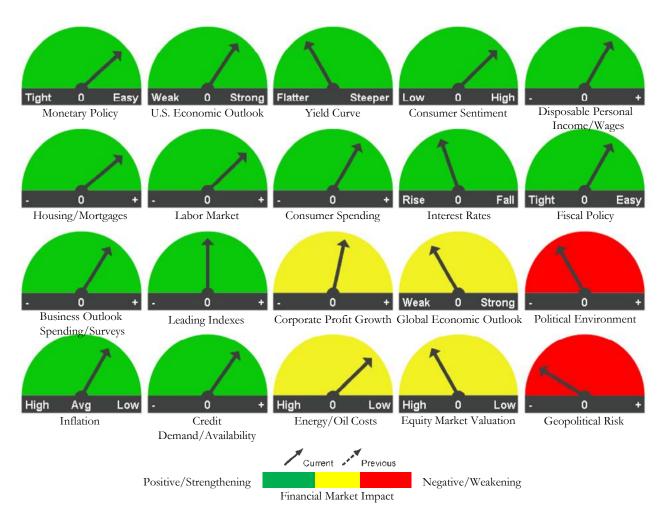


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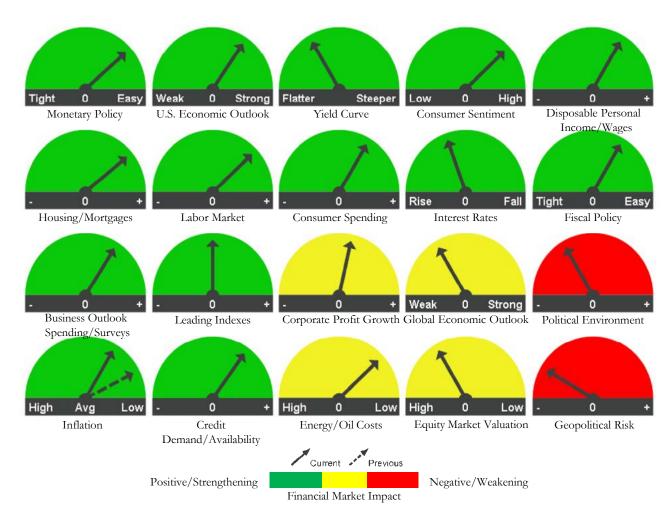


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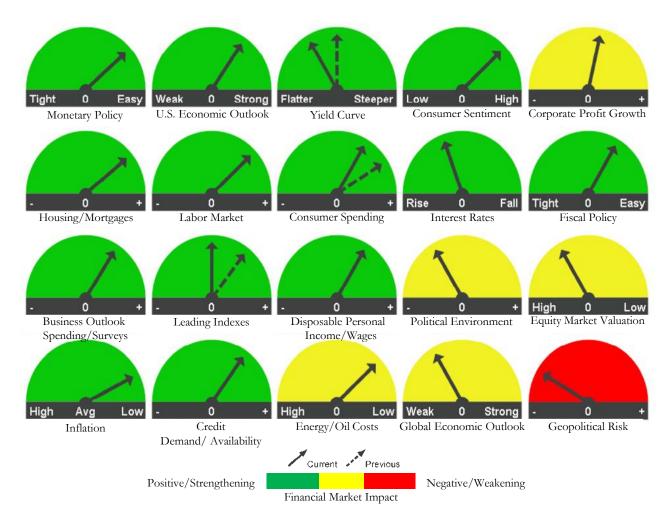


## Economic and Financial Indicators – February 2016

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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Overall, indicators continue to suggest steady improvement ahead in the U.S. economy.
- However, we lowered a number of indicators this month to reflect the generally softer tone of U.S. economic data.
- Better consumer fundamentals should continue to support consumption.
- Benefits of lower oil prices to the broader economy are being offset somewhat by the negative effect of declining investment in the energy sector.
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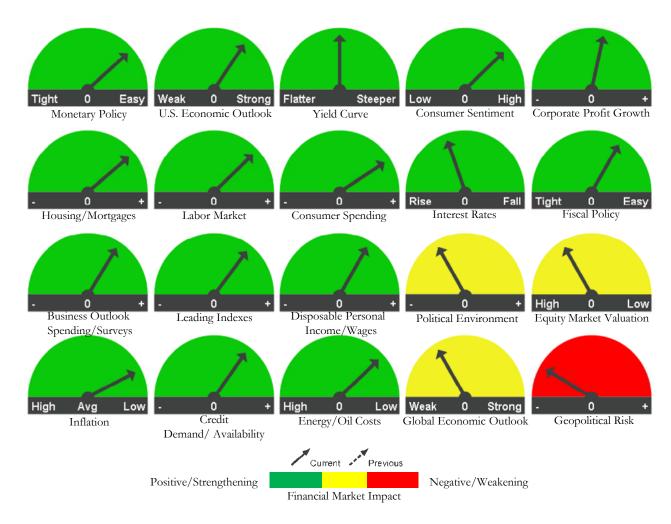


## Economic and Financial Indicators – January 2016

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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Indicators continue to suggest steady improvement ahead in the U.S. economy.
- Better consumer fundamentals should boost consumption.
- Key to success will be the Fed's ability to successfully raise interest rates at a gradual pace without derailing economic growth
- Equities valuations appear full and with further upside limited much will depend on a recovery in earnings growth.
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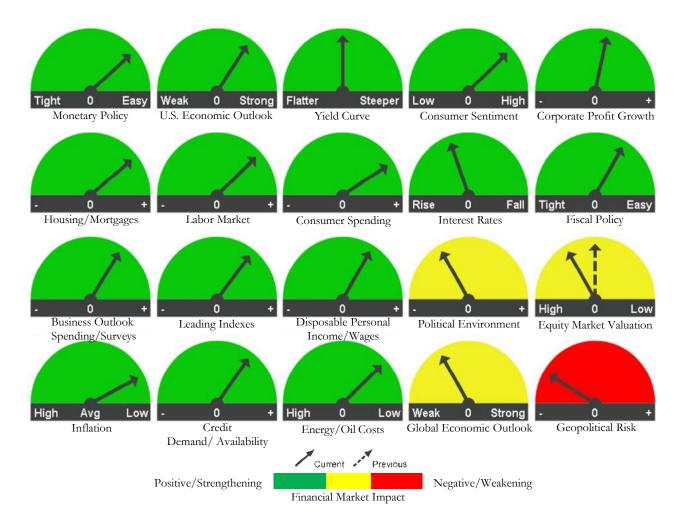


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Indicators Are Forward-Looking Three to Six Months

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Indicators continue to suggest steady improvement ahead in the U.S. economy.
- Better consumer fundamentals should boost consumption.
- The decline in energy prices is giving consumers an added boost.
- Increase in recent terrorist acts and growing conflict in Syria have ability to disrupt financial markets and cause political instability.



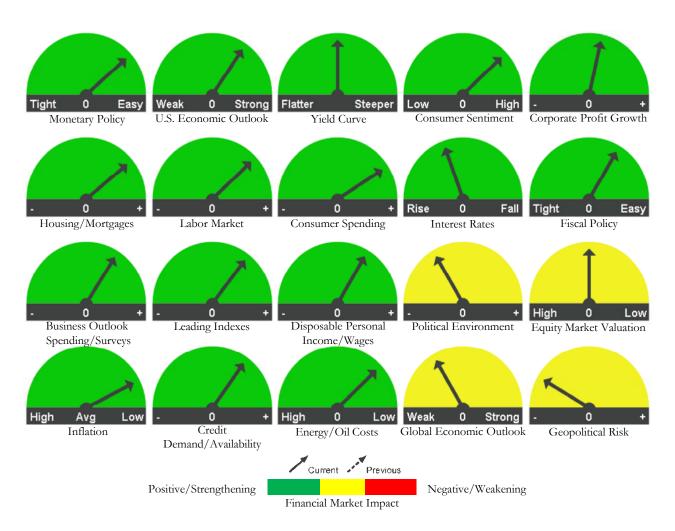


## Economic and Financial Indicators – November 2015

Indicators Are Forward-Looking Three to Six Months

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Indicators continue to suggest steady improvement ahead in the U.S. economy.
- Better consumer fundamentals should boost consumption.
- Business surveys suggest that the pace of overall global growth has held up fairly well, despite weaker activity in China and other developing economies.
- The decline in energy prices is giving consumers an added boost.



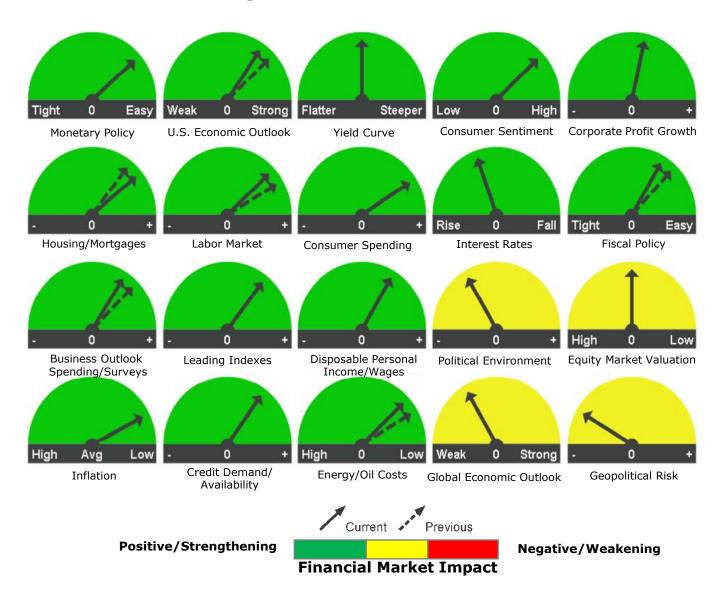
## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS – OCTOBER 2015

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

**Economic Outlook** 

### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive, signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Job growth has slowed recently, but indicators suggest labor market conditions remain strong.
- The housing sector appears to be gaining traction with the recovery looking more sustainable.
- Looming budget and debt battles in Washington raise concerns.
- The global outlook over the near remains muted. particularly with slowing emerging market growth weighing on demand.
- Exports and manufacturing continue to struggle with the dollar's strength, but larger domestic sectors continued to do well.



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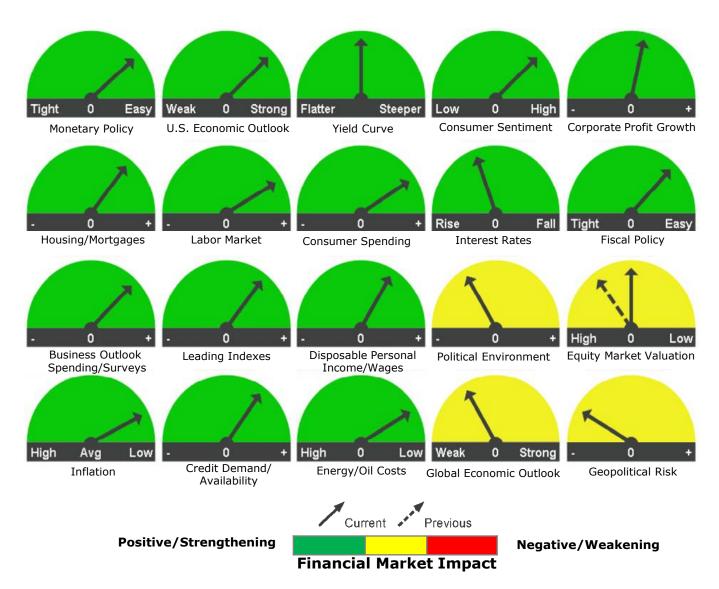
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**Economic Outlook** 

#### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive, signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Strong job growth, rising incomes, and lower energy costs have lifted consumer confidence and should support better spending growth.
- The housing sector appears to be gaining traction with the recovery looking more sustainable.
- The outlook for the global economy over the near remains muted, particularly with slowing emerging market growth weighing on demand.
- We believe the recent decline in stock prices has brought valuation levels into a more attractive range.
- After a weak first half, we expect corporate earnings to show improving year-onyear gains beginning in Q3 as domestic economic activity continues to improve.



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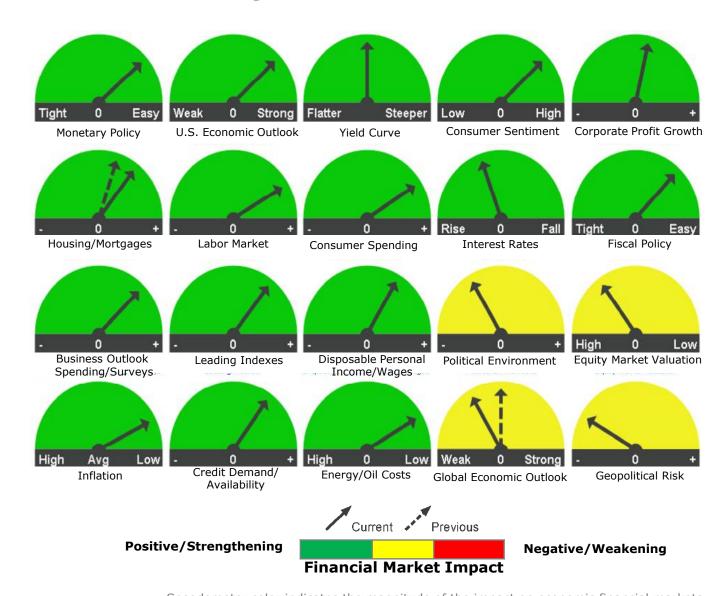
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Economic Outlook

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- Geopolitical risks have faded somewhat with resolution at least for the near term to the Greek crisis.
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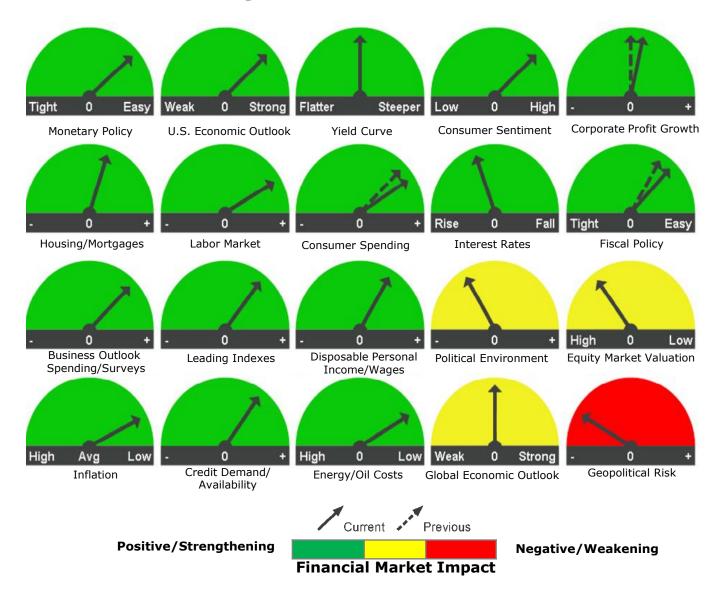
## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS – JULY 2015

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**Economic Outlook** 

#### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive, signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Strong job growth, rising incomes, and lower energy costs are raising consumer confidence and should support better spending growth.
- We expect energy prices to remain low, boosting growth to net energy importers such as the U.S. and Europe.
- The global outlook has brightened somewhat, particularly with Eurozone growth showing evidence of slow improvement.
- Government spending has turned the corner and should no longer be a drag on arowth.
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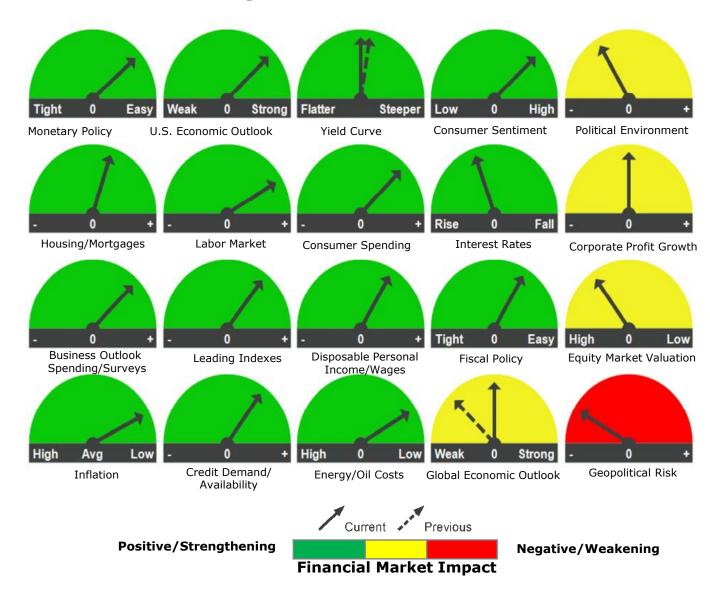
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- The global outlook has brightened somewhat, particular with Eurozone growth showing evidence of strengthening.
- An improved sense of cooperation in Washington led us to increase our Political Environment score.
- Recent stock gains along with declines in earnings forecasts have driven valuation levels to their highest in more than a decade.



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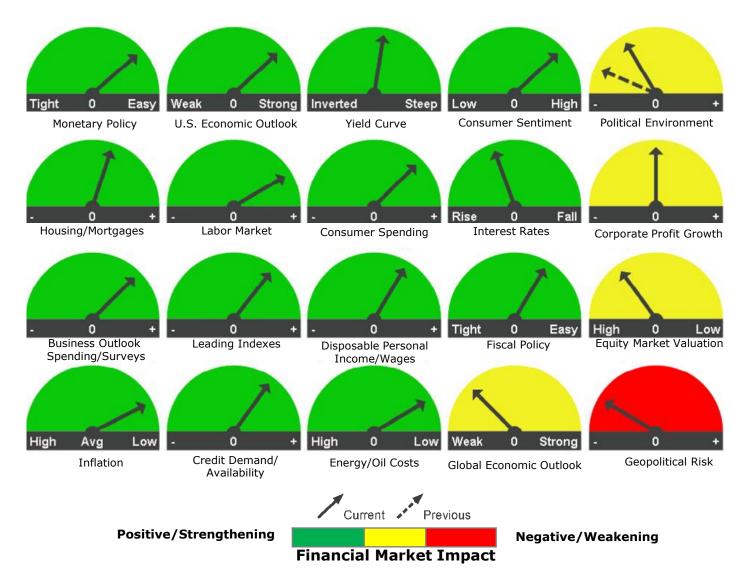
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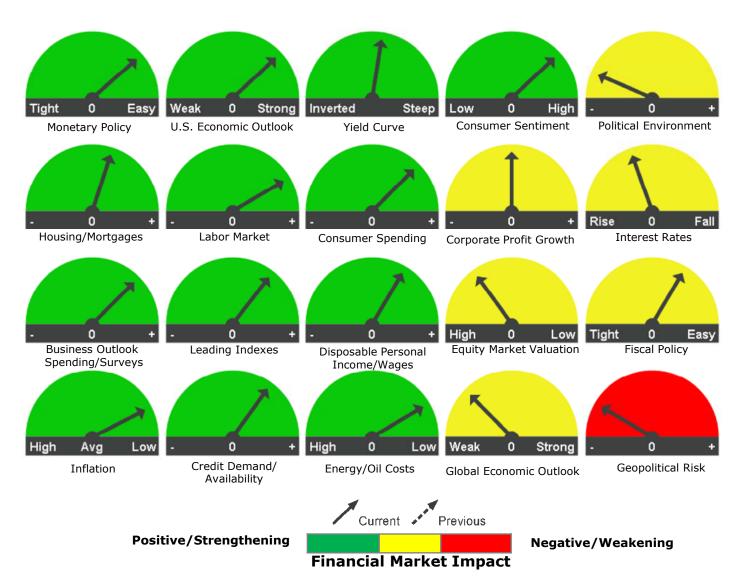
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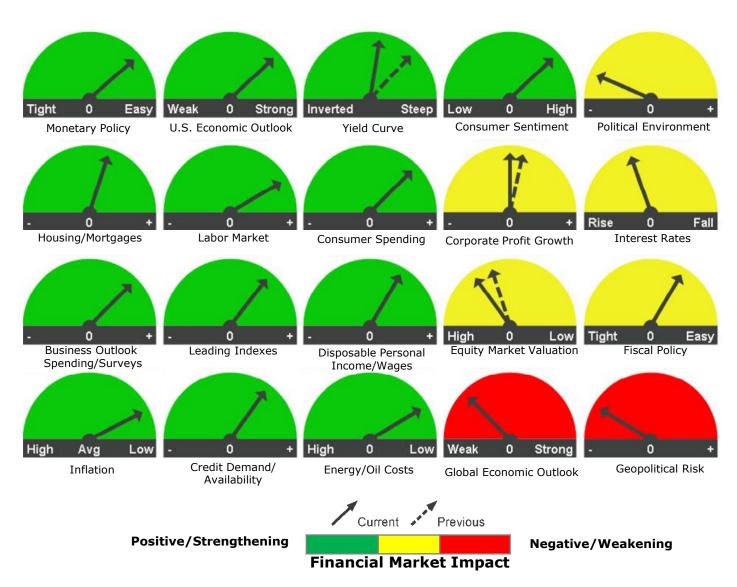
## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS – MARCH 2015

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Economic Outlook

### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive, signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Pick-up in hiring, rising incomes and lower energy costs are raising consumer confidence and should support better spending growth.
- Struggling Eurozone is weighing on global economy and U.S. exports.
- Heightened geopolitical risks raises concerns.
- Recent stock gains along with declines in earnings forecasts have driven valuation levels to their highest in more than a decade.



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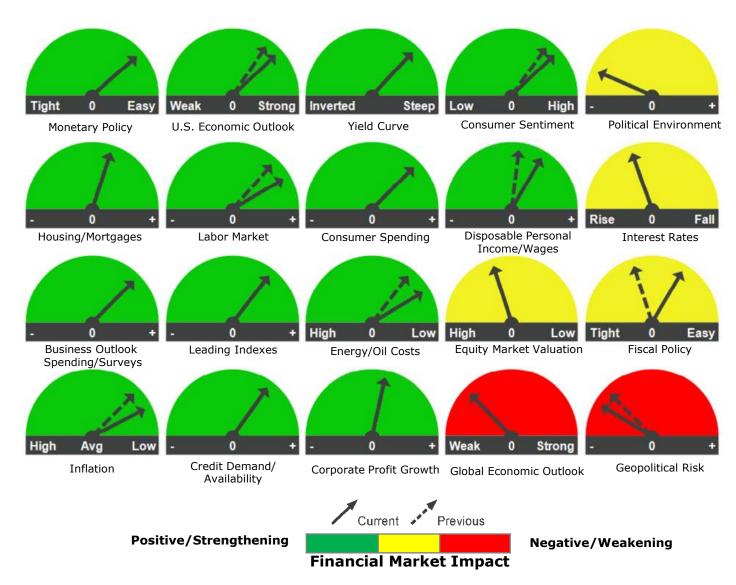
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- Indicators remain generally positive, signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Pickup in hiring, rising incomes and lower energy costs is raising consumer confidence and should support better spending growth.
- Weak global demand, and increased energy supply, is putting downward pressure on energy prices.
- After years of contracting, government spending has turned the corner.
- Struggling Eurozone is weighing on global economy and US exports.
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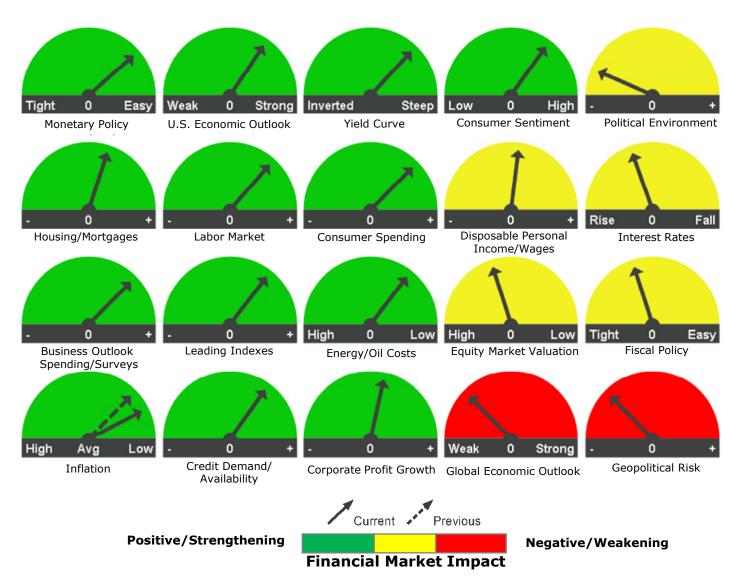
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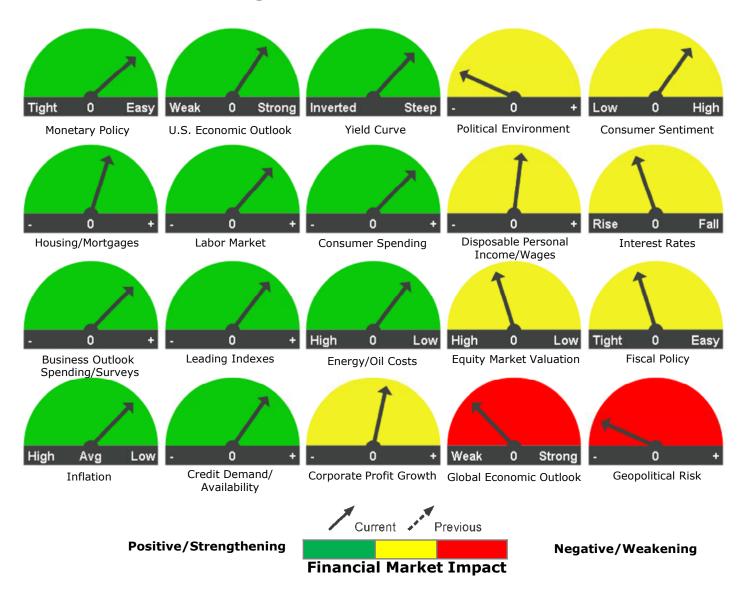
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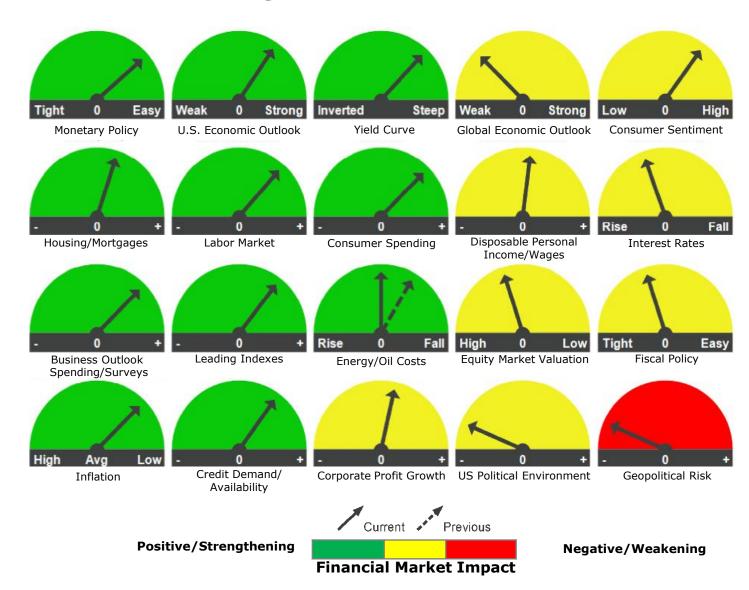
## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS -NOVEMBER 2014

## Economic Outlook

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive, signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Pick-up in hiring should support better consumer spending.
- Despite signs of bottoming, weak global demand, along with increased domestic supply, expected to keep energy prices low.
- Weakening global demand, along with increased domestic energy supply, is reducing pressure on energy prices.
- Improving credit demand and availability signal a strengthening in domestic activity.
- Struggling Eurozone is weighing on global economy.
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## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS - OCTOBER 2014

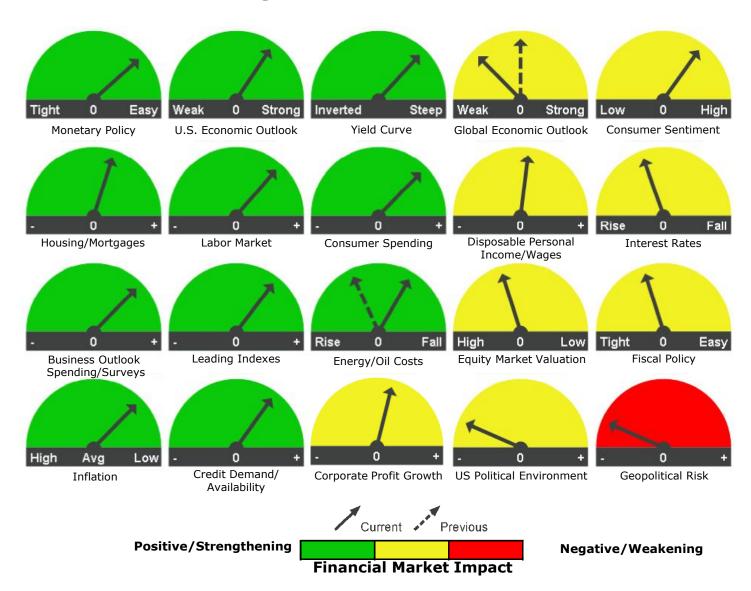
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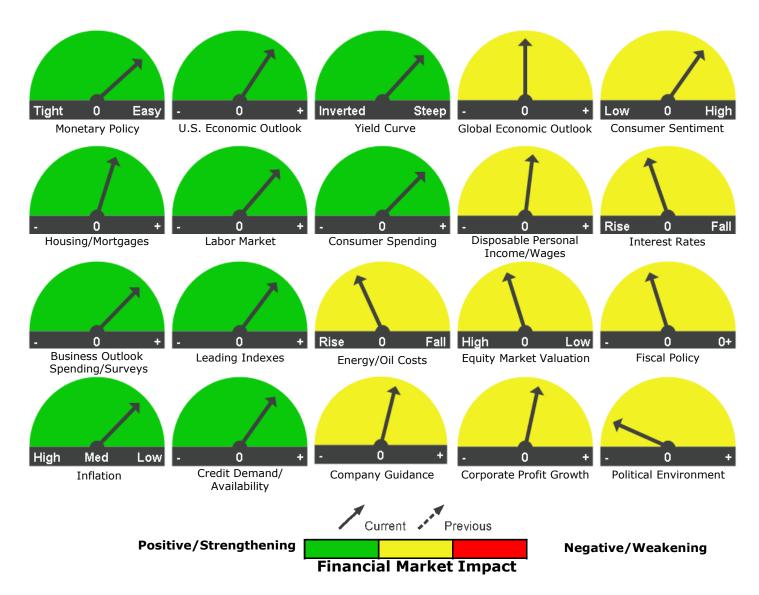
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## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS - SEPTEMBER 2014

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

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- Pickup in hiring should support better consumer spending.
- Price pressures are building somewhat but inflation outlook remains relatively subdued, keeping the Fed accommodative.
- Improving credit demand and availability signal strengthening in domestic activity.
- Corporate guidance improving on better economic and sales outlook.
- Heightened geopolitical tension and renewed political polarization raises concerns.



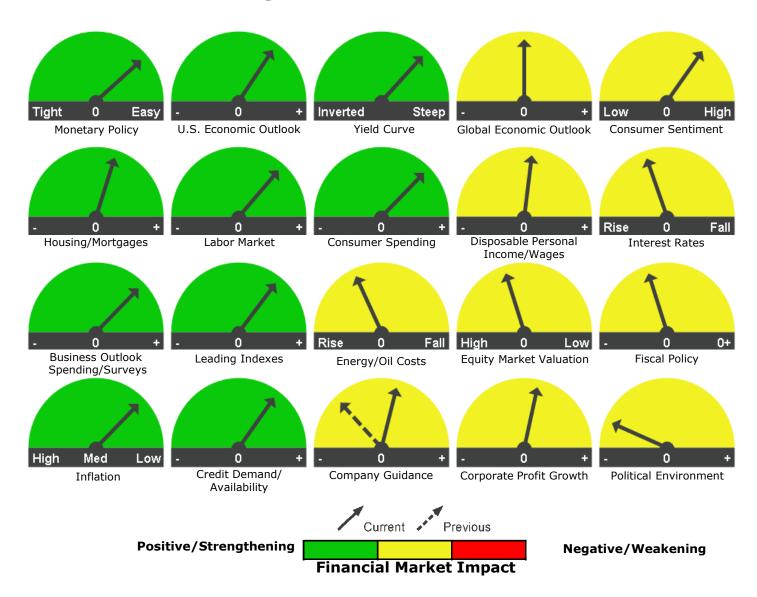
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## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS – AUGUST 2014

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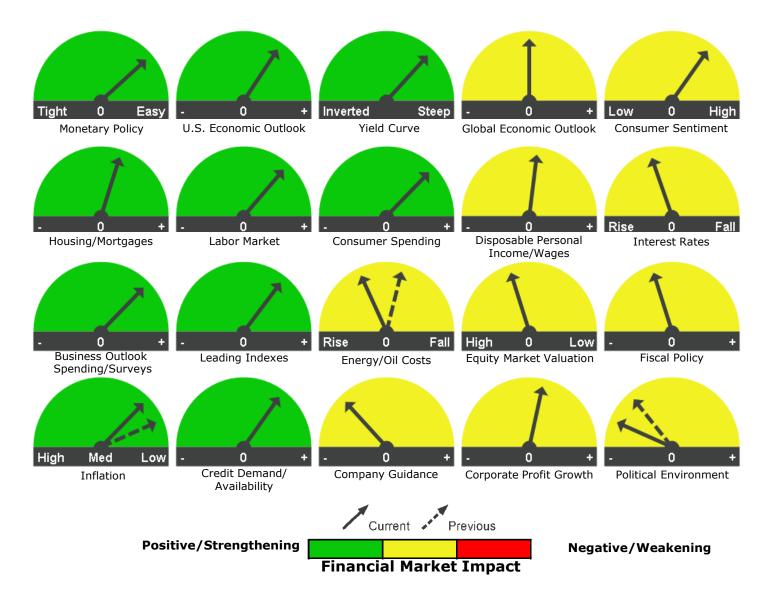
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## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS – JULY 2014

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Steady improvement in consumer sentiment continues, suggests more robust household spending ahead.
- Evidence continues to mount that price pressures are building, but inflation outlook remains relatively subdued, keeping Fed accommodative.
- Mideast tensions raise risk of potential energy shock, but longer-term supply/demand balance remains favorable.
- Expectations of renewed political polarization with upcoming elections raise concerns.



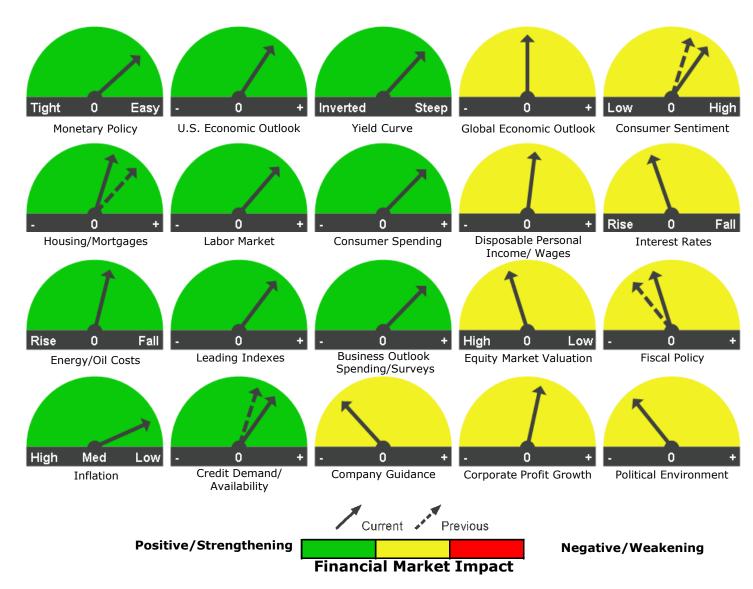


## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS – JUNE 2014

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive signaling modest expansion ahead.
- While still a tailwind for growth, recent data points to a moderation in the housing recovery in the months ahead.
- Steady improvement in consumer sentiment continues, suggests more robust household spending ahead.
- Consumer and business loan demand is growing and banks are responding by easing lending standards further.
- Fiscal drag is on track to decline significantly in 2014 (0.5% vs. 1.9% in 2013).



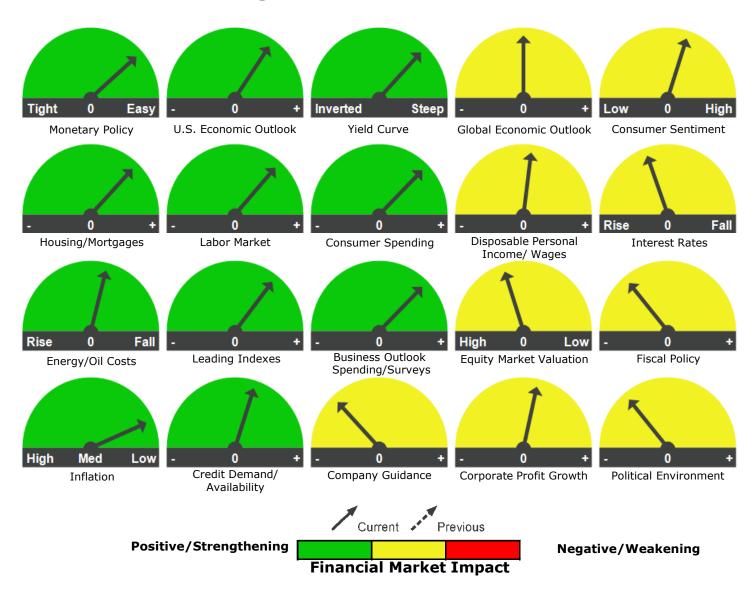


## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS - MAY 2014

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

#### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Better income growth, job gains, and record high net wealth expected to boost consumer spending.
- Business investment set to improve on reduced uncertainty in anticipation of demand pickup.
- Tapering should continue at a measured pace, but we expect the Fed to remain highly accommodative.
- Q1 earnings outlook is negative, but expected to pick up during rest of 2014.



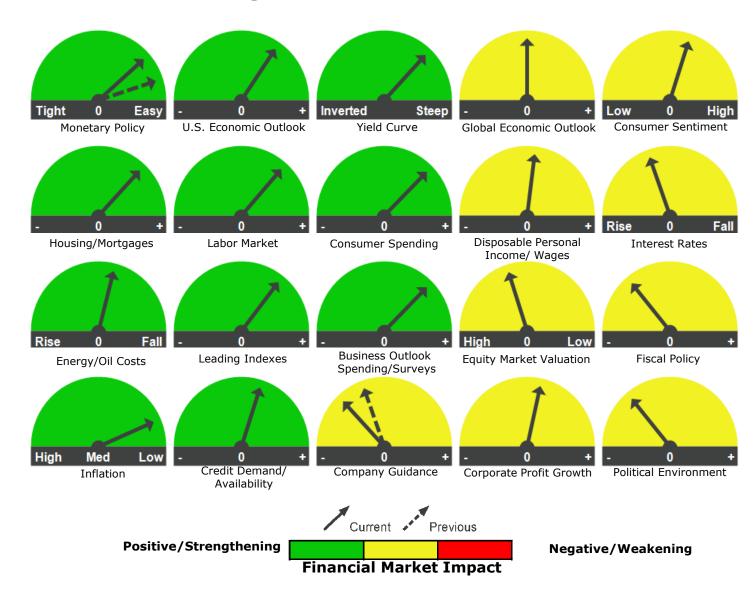
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## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS - APRIL 2014

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

#### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Better income growth, job gains, and record high net wealth expected to boost consumer spending.
- Business investment set to improve on reduced uncertainty in anticipation of demand pickup.
- The unwinding of QE has begun, but we expect the Fed to remain highly accommodative.
- Q1 earnings outlook is negative, but expected to pick up during rest of 2014.



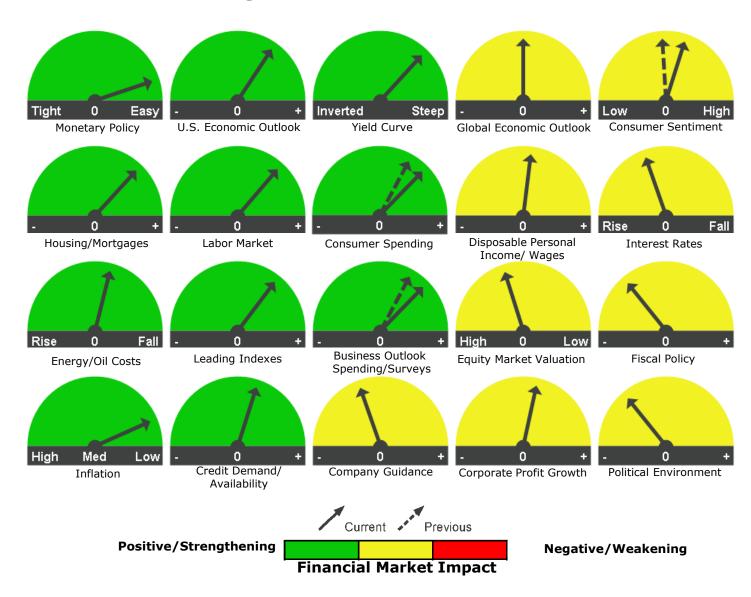
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## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS - MARCH 2014

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Better income growth, job gains, and record high net wealth to boost consumer spending.
- Business investment set to improve on reduced uncertainty and need to expand capacity in anticipation of demand pickup.
- Fiscal drag expected to be far less over the coming year.
- Global outlook weighed down by emerging market turmoil.



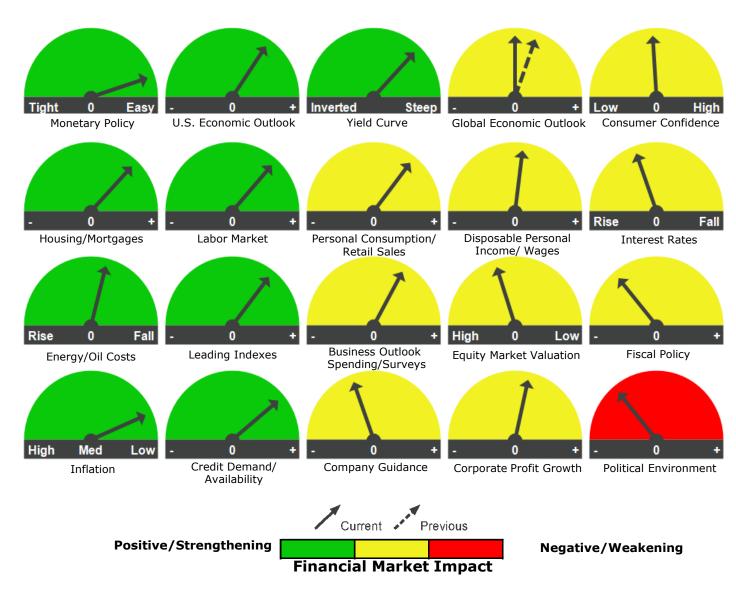
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## ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL INDICATORS - FEBRUARY 2014

## Indicators are Forward-Looking 3 to 6 Months

### Highlights

- Indicators remain generally positive signaling modest expansion ahead.
- Steepening yield curve indicative of confidence in the economy and improving outlook.
- Fiscal drag is expected to be far less over the coming year.
- Global outlook weighed down by emerging market turmoil.
- Recent efforts toward compromise have likely reduced threat of major political disruption.



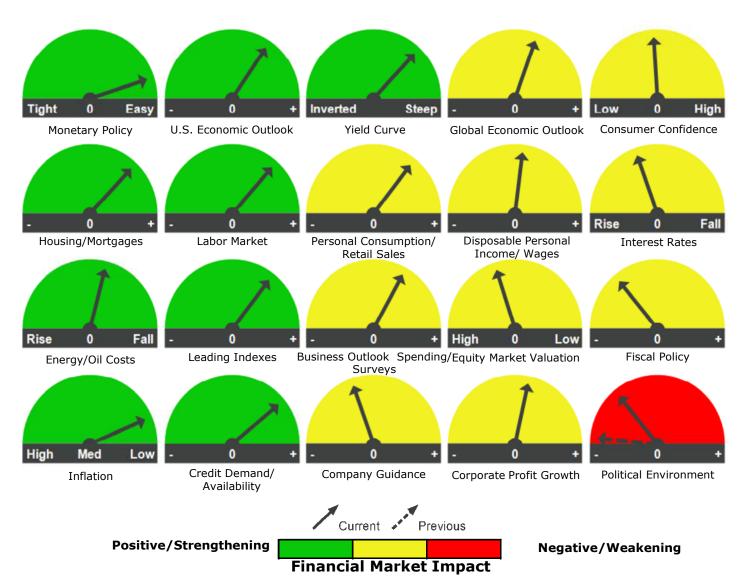
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### Highlights

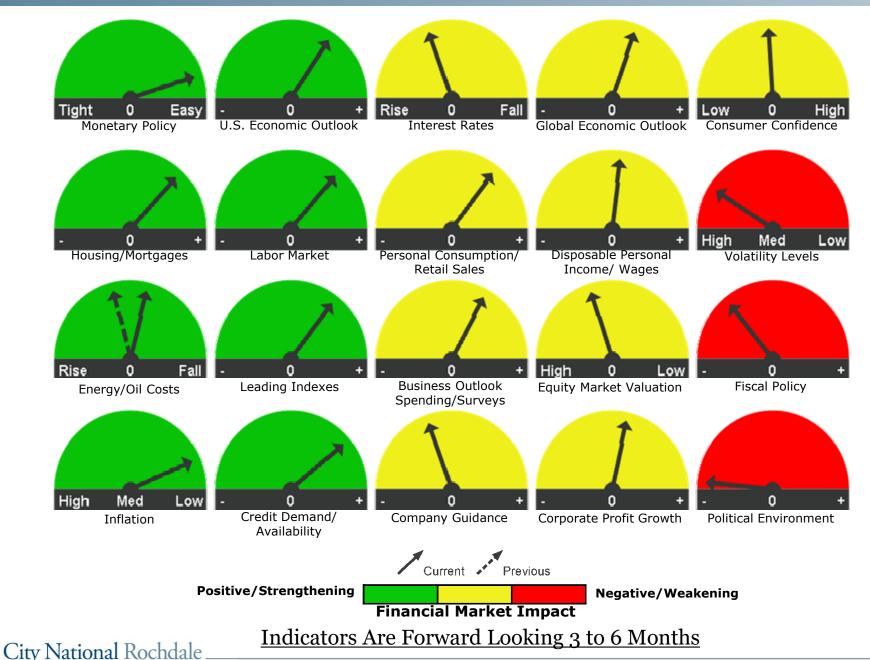
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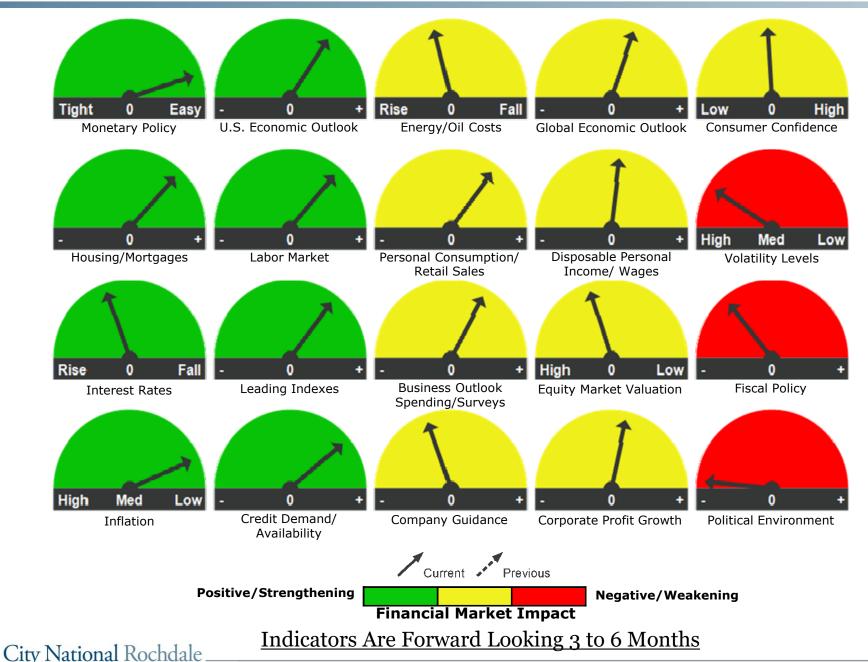
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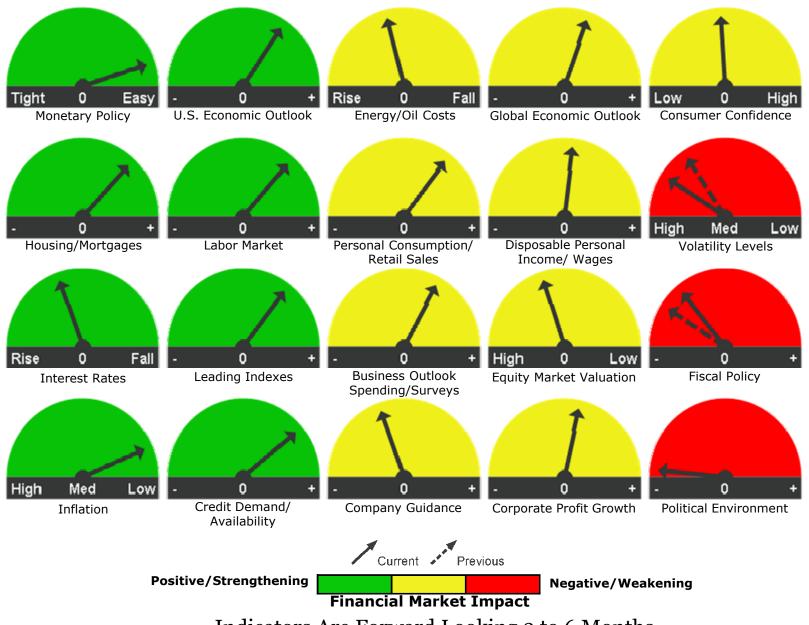


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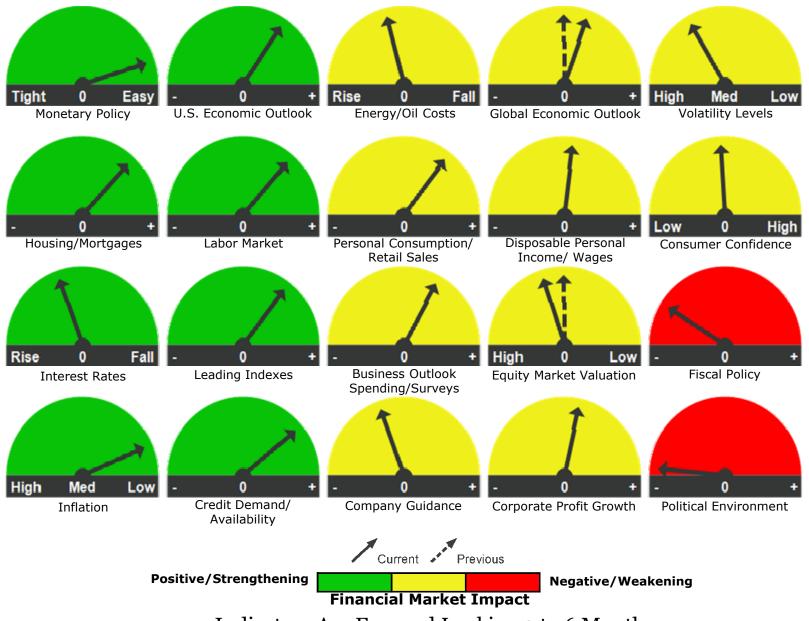
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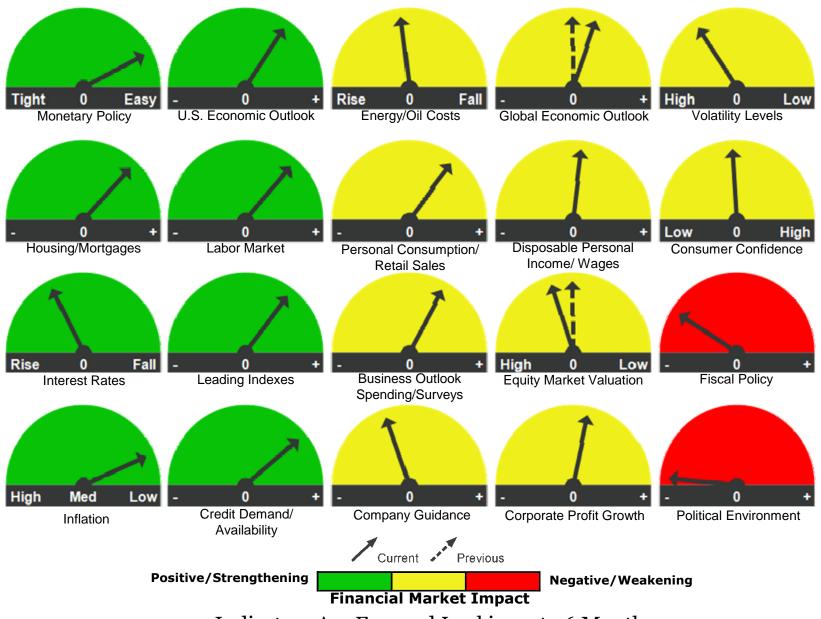
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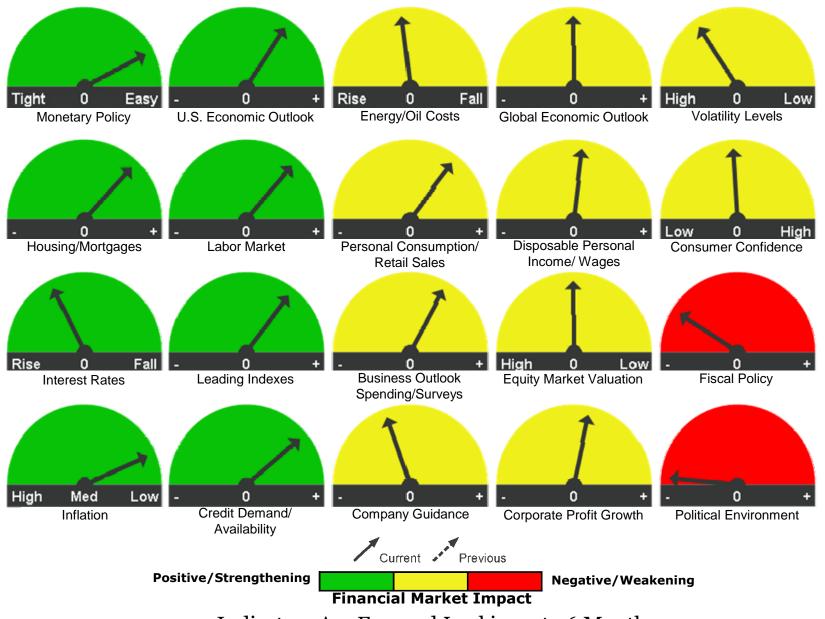
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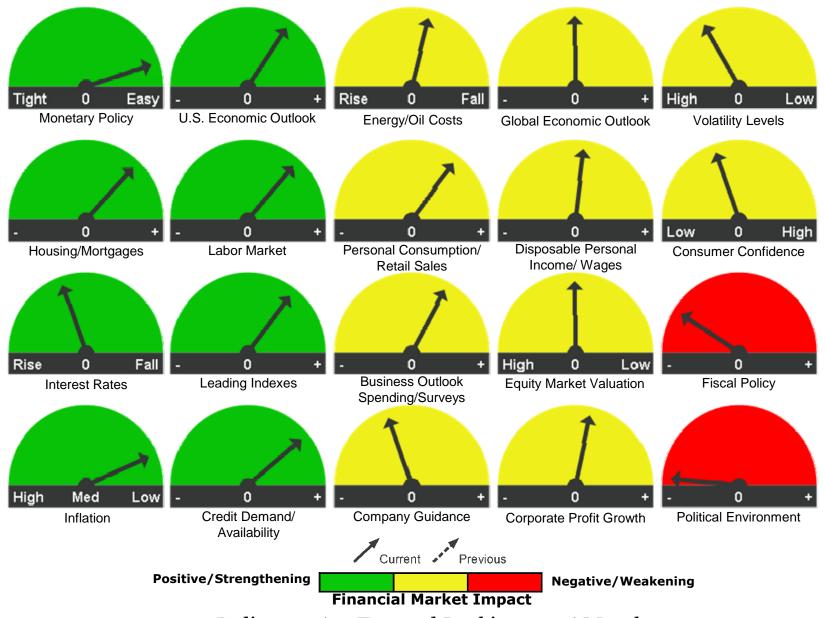
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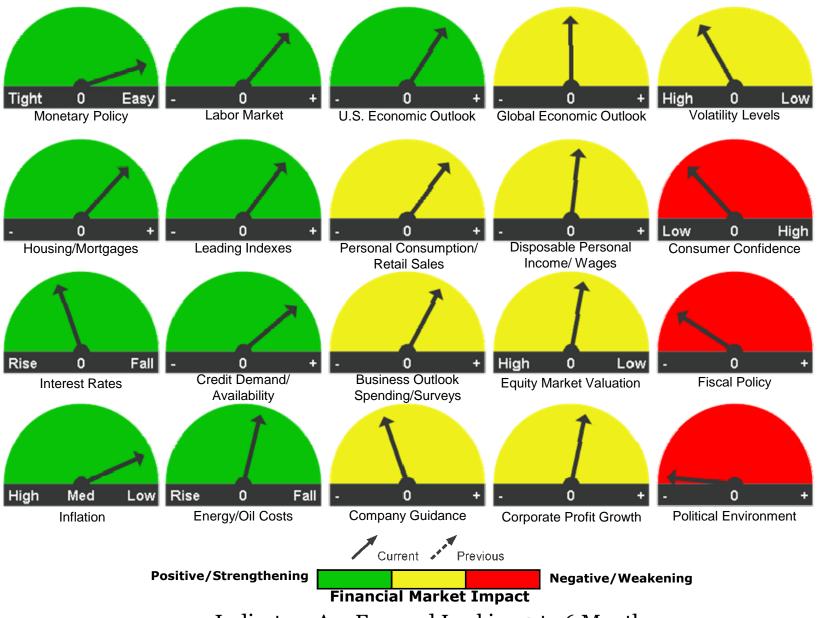
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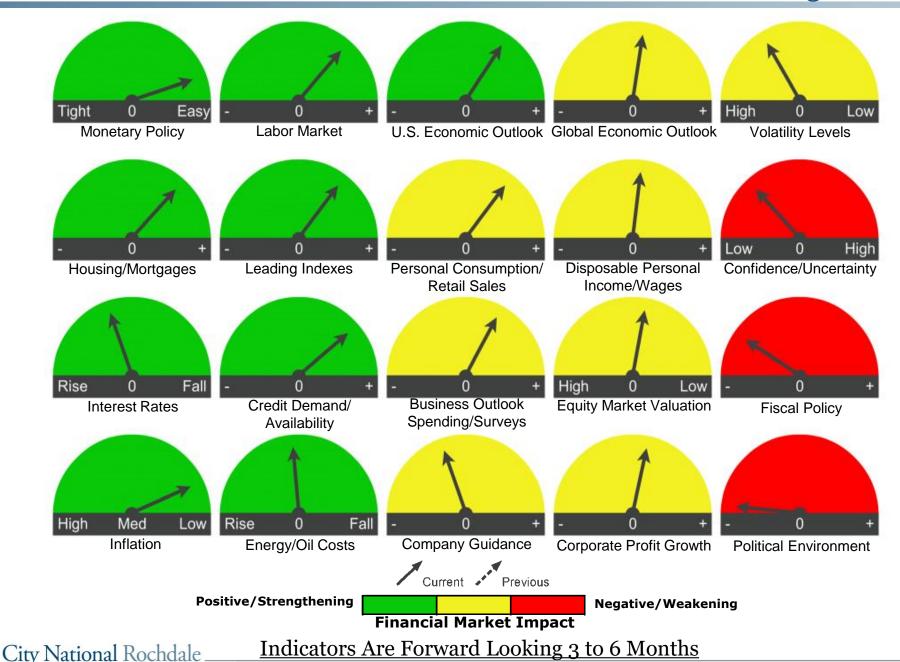
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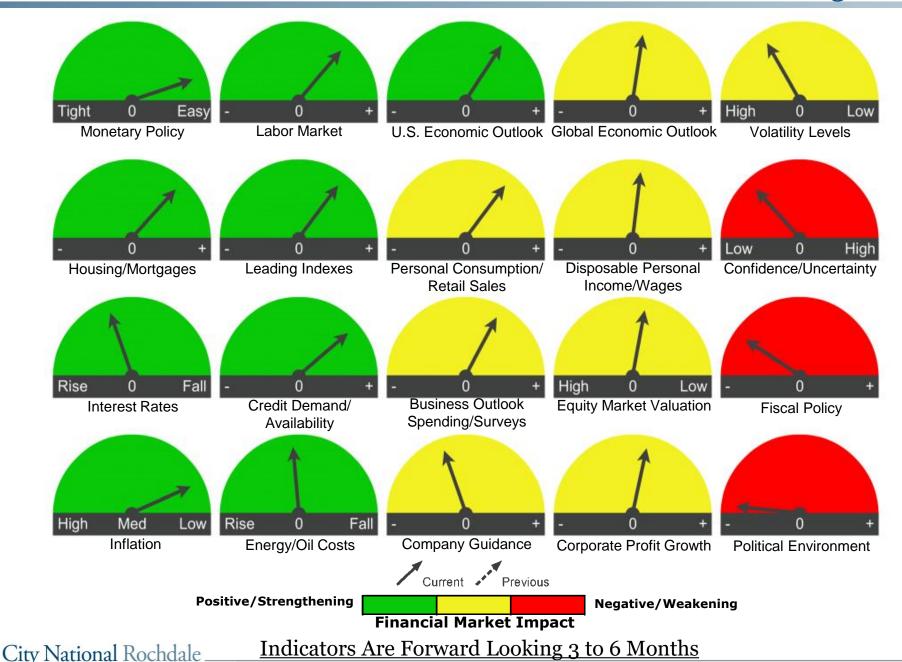
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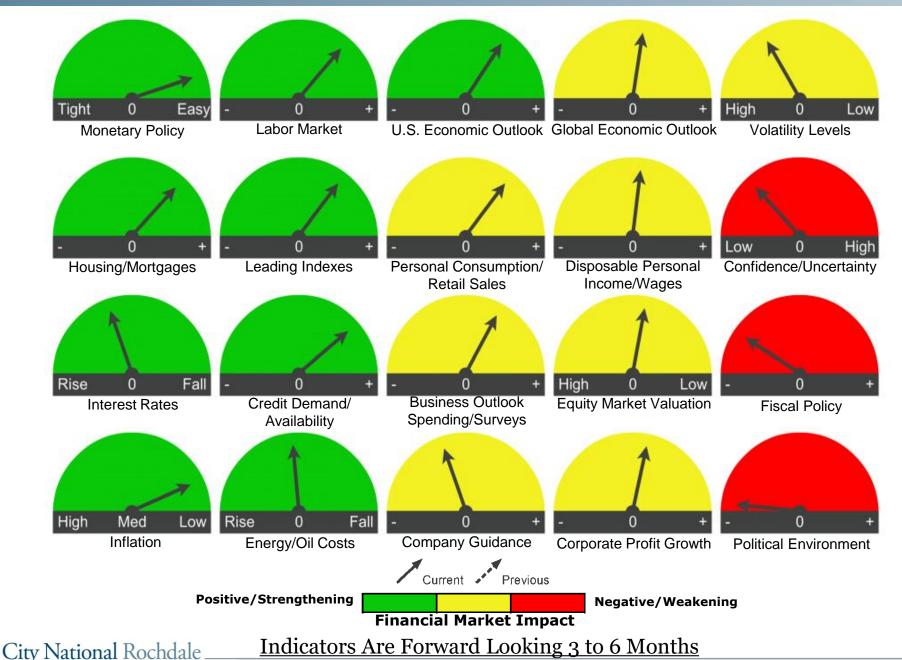
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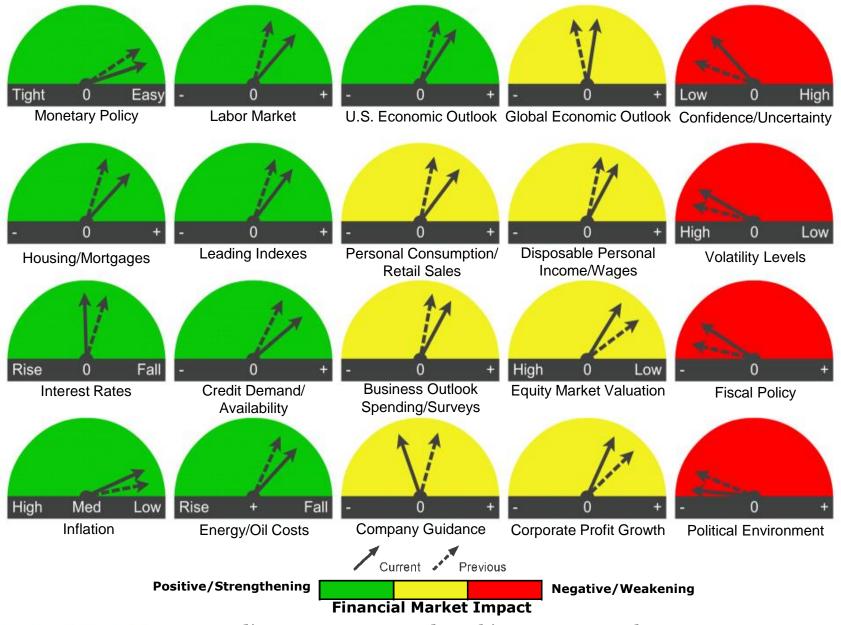
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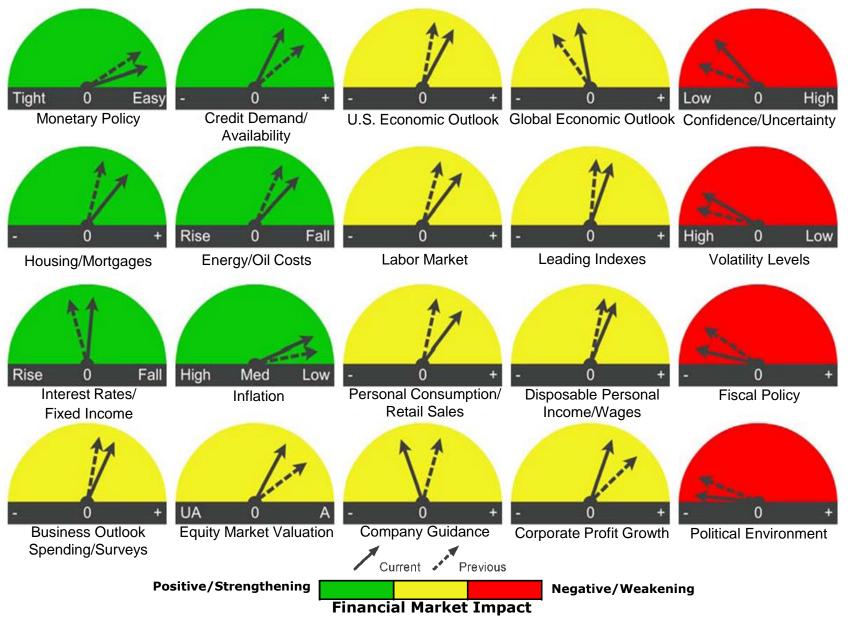
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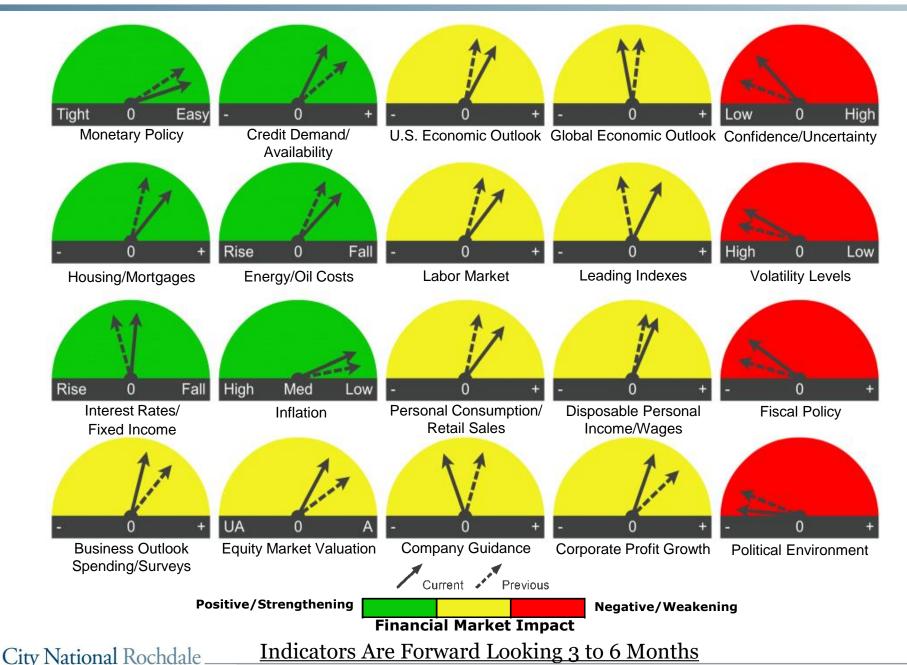
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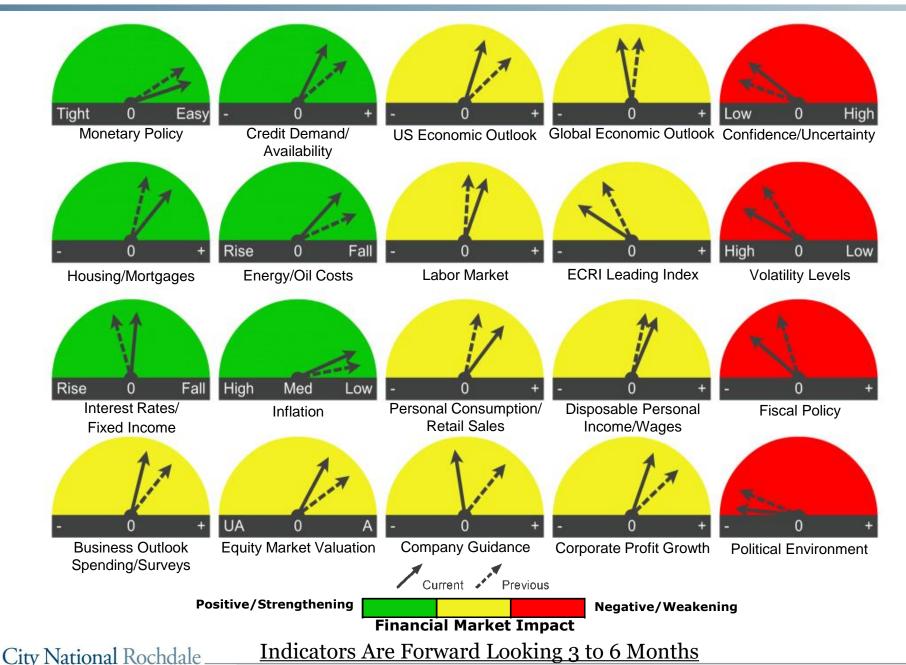
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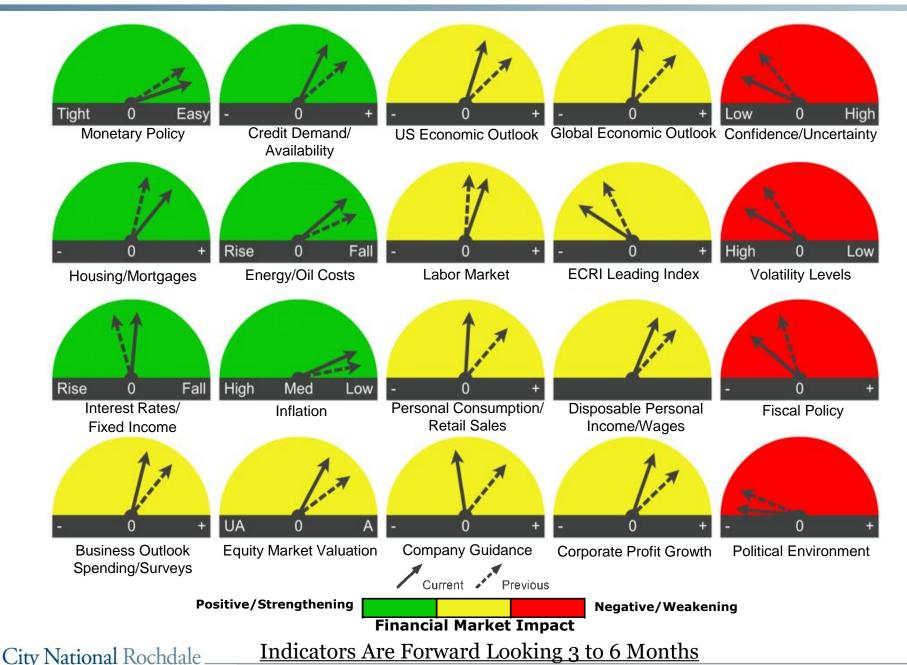


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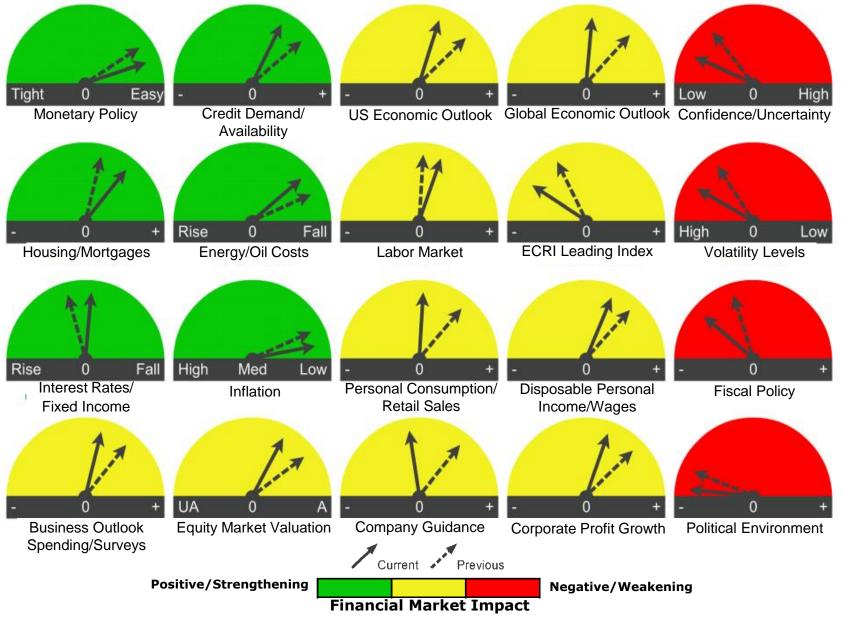


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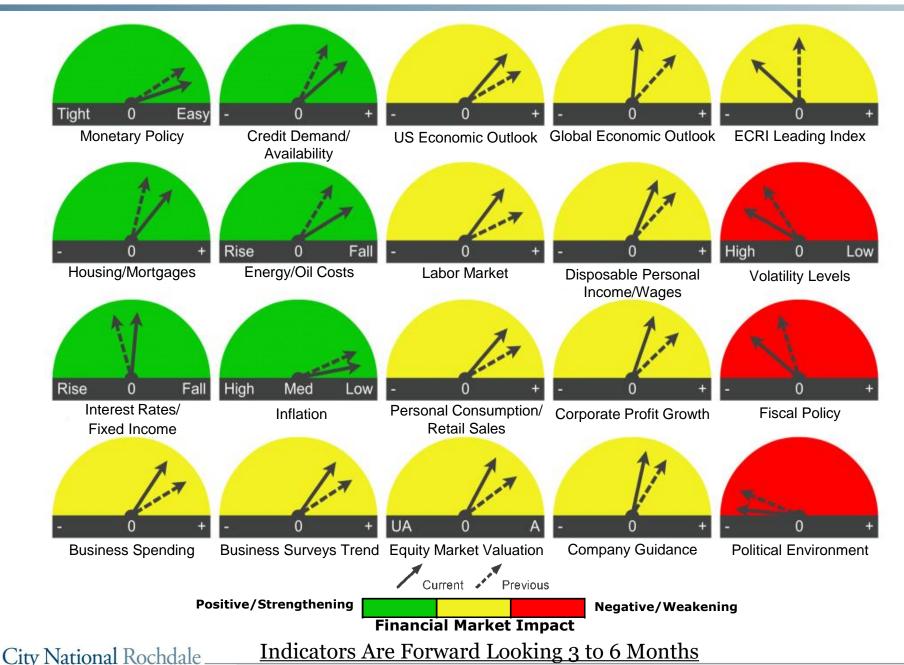
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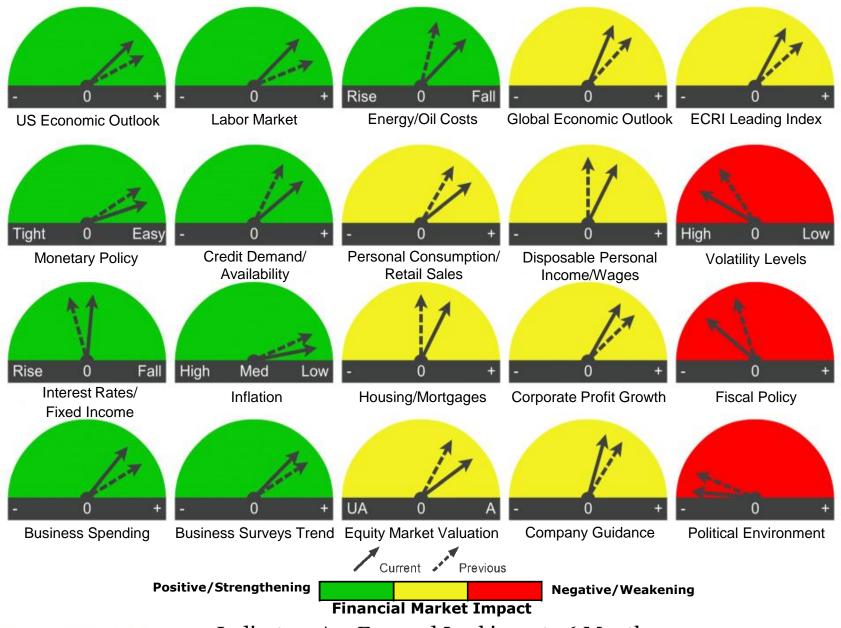
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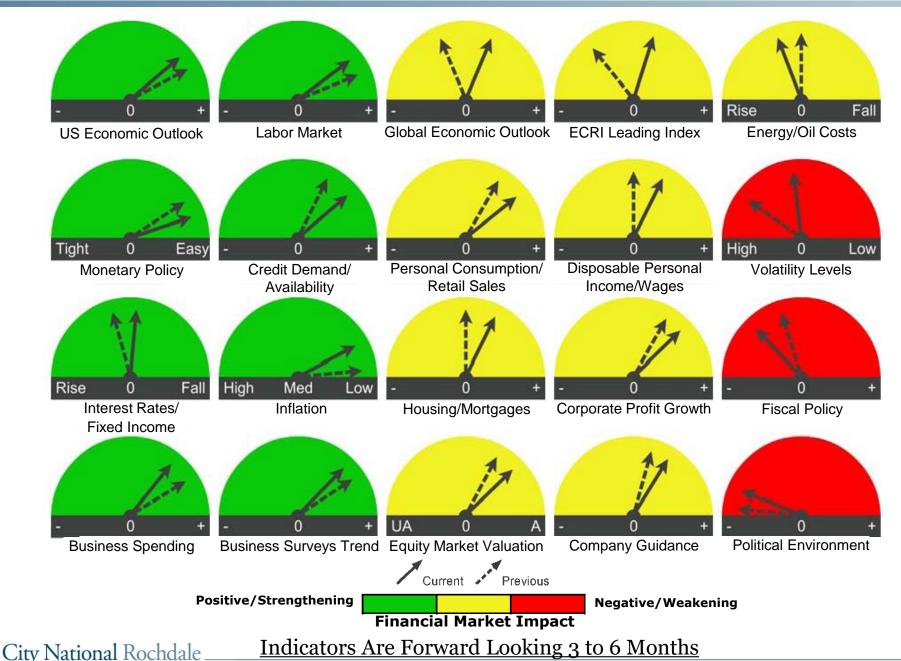


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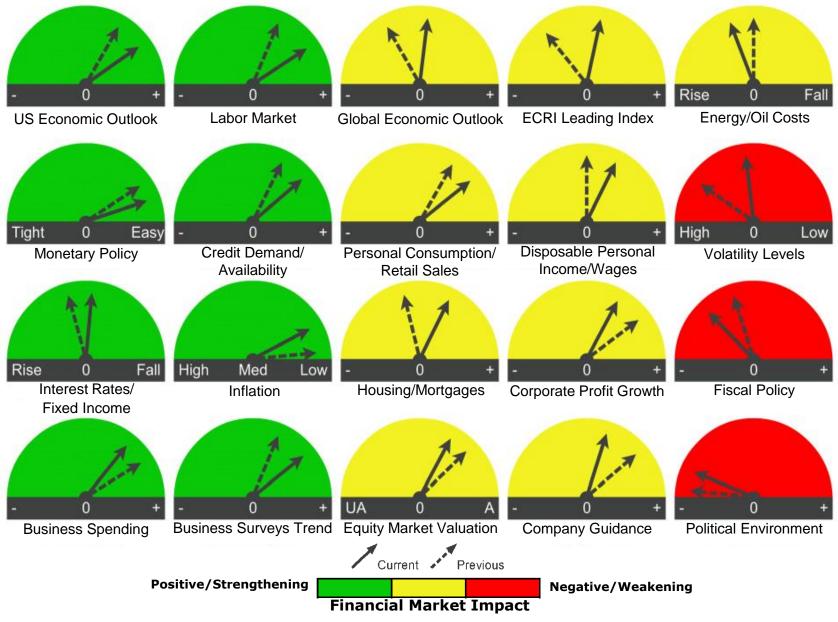
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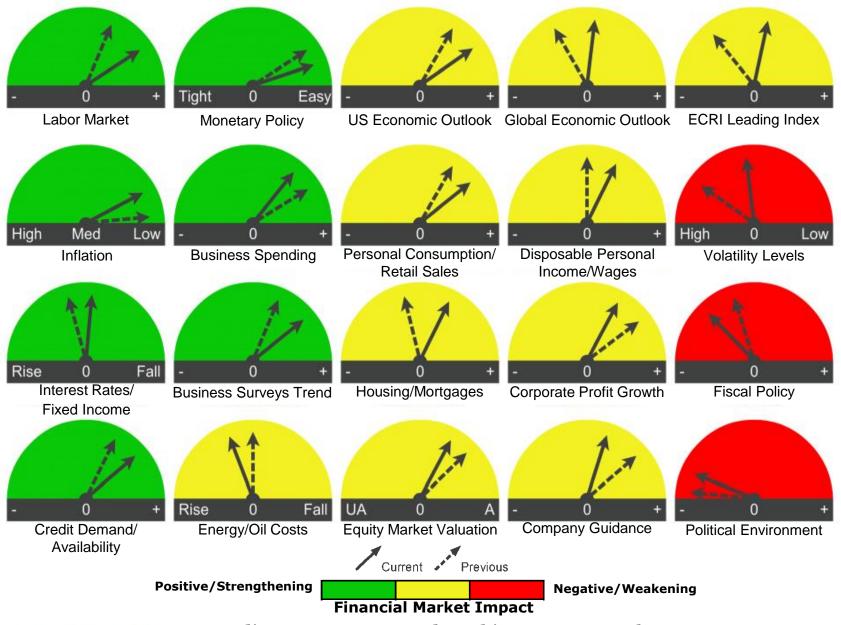




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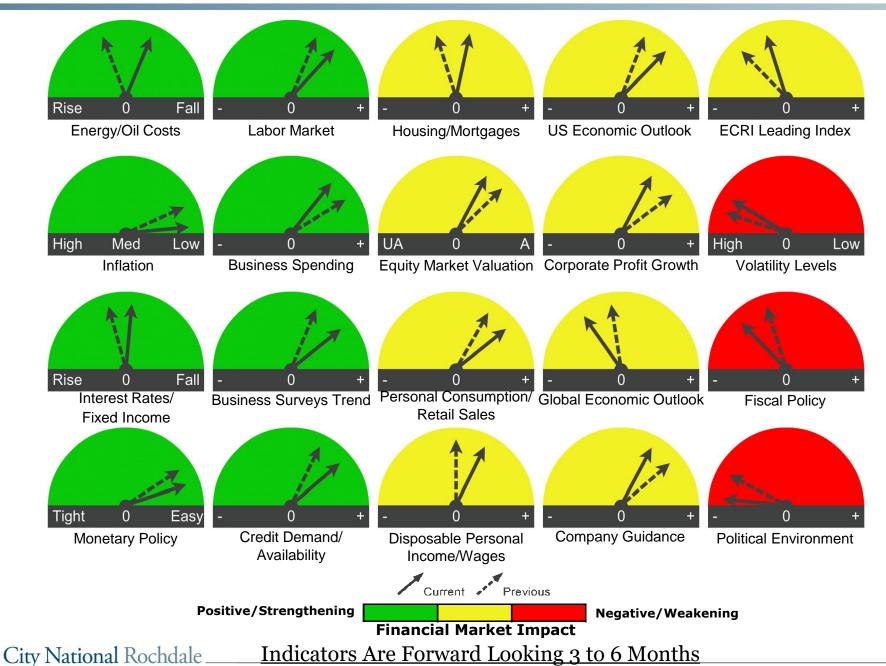
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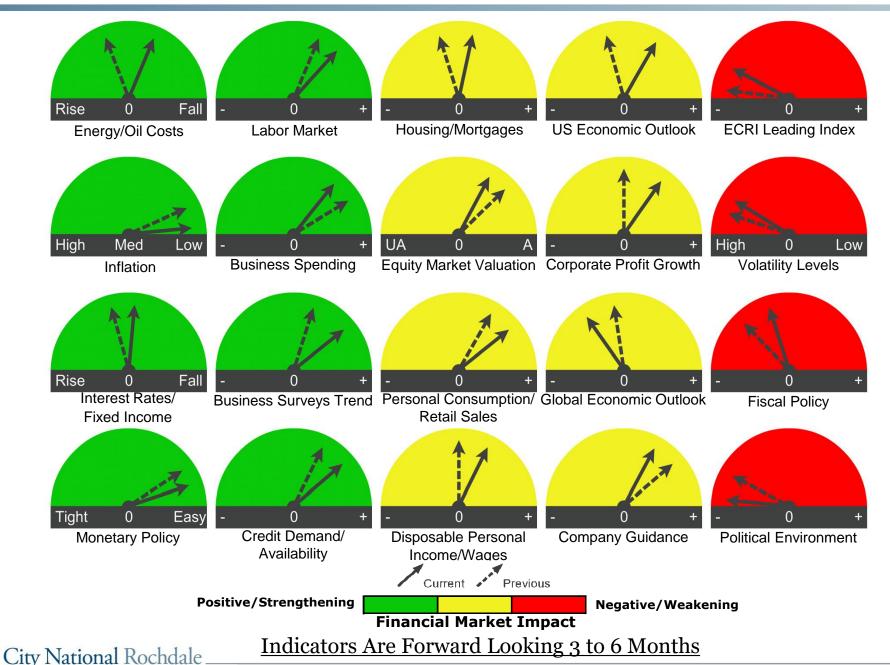
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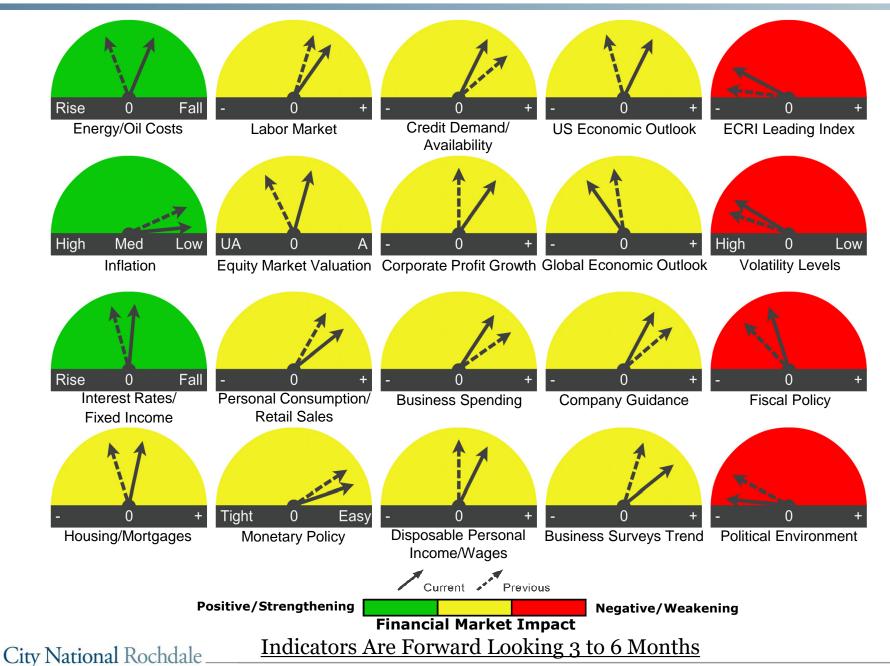
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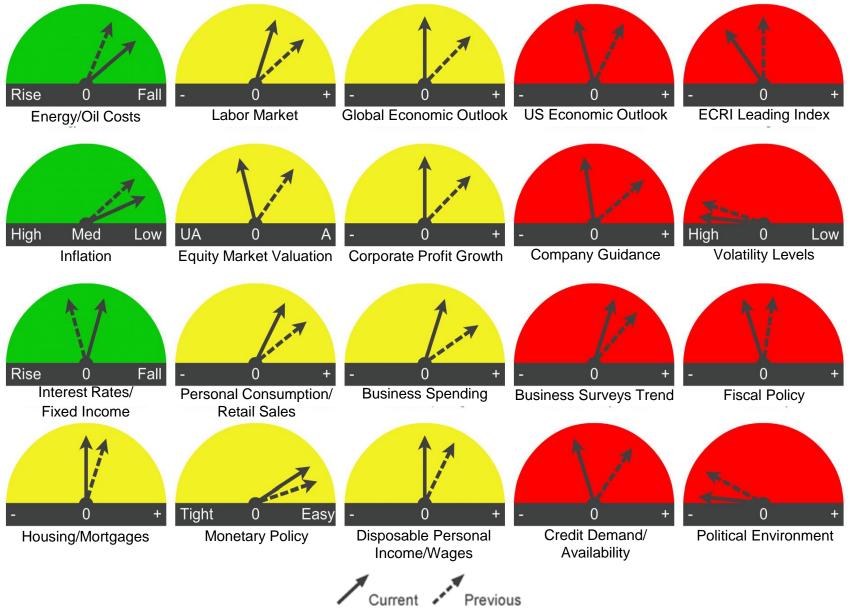
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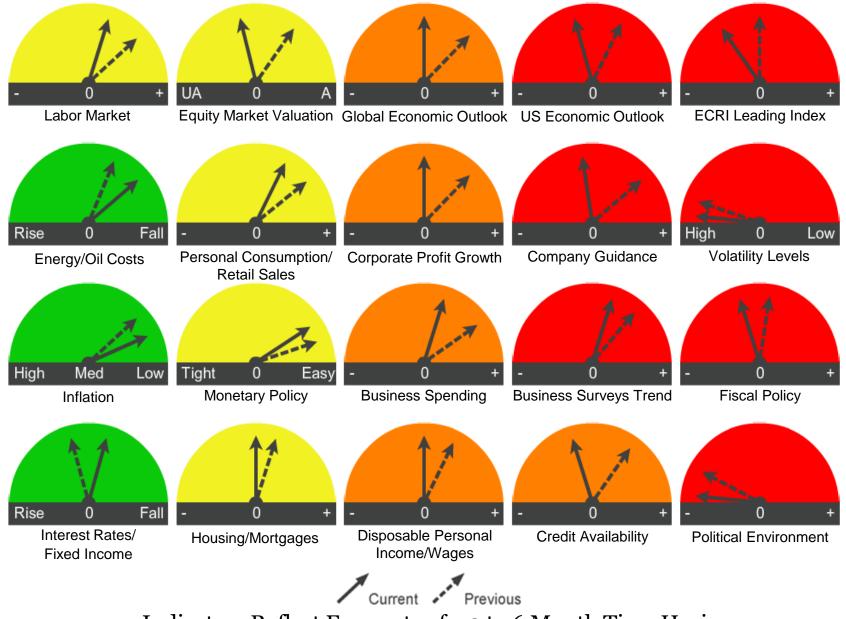


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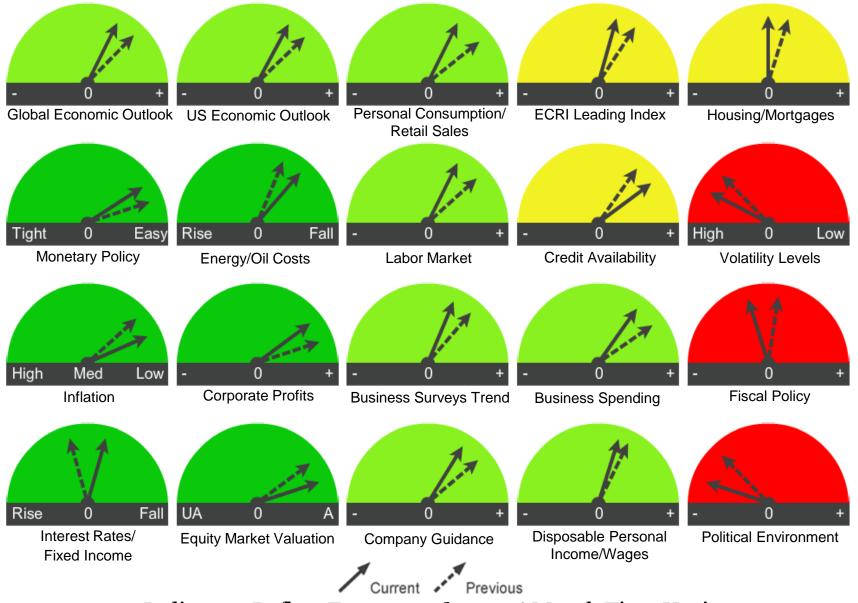
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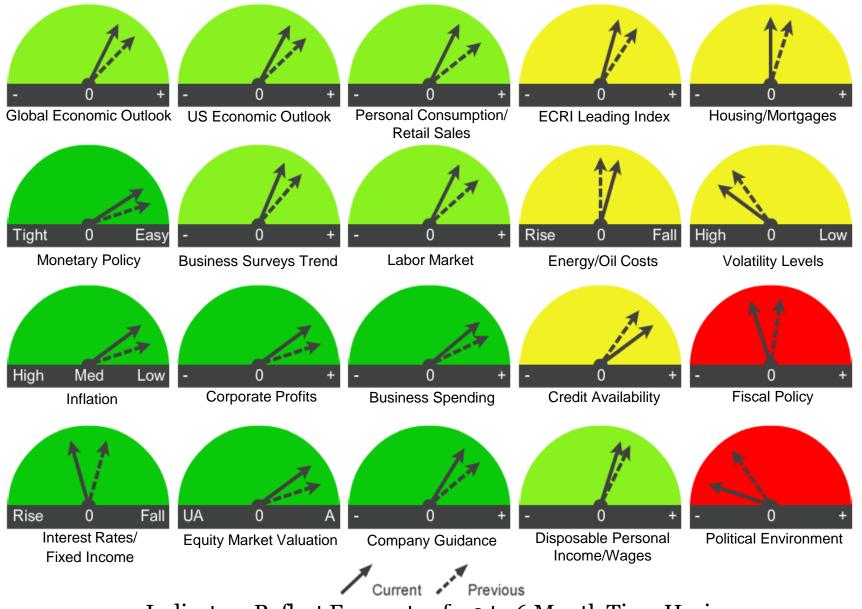
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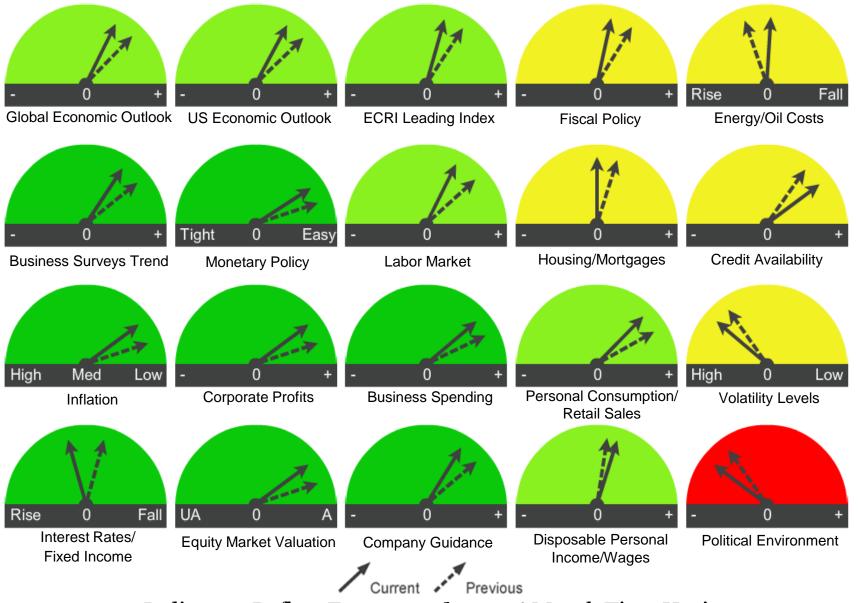
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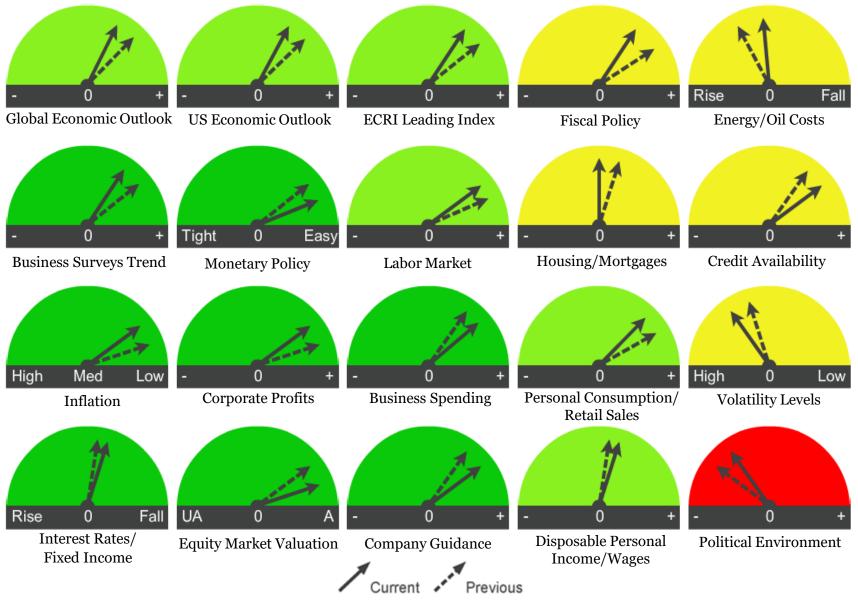
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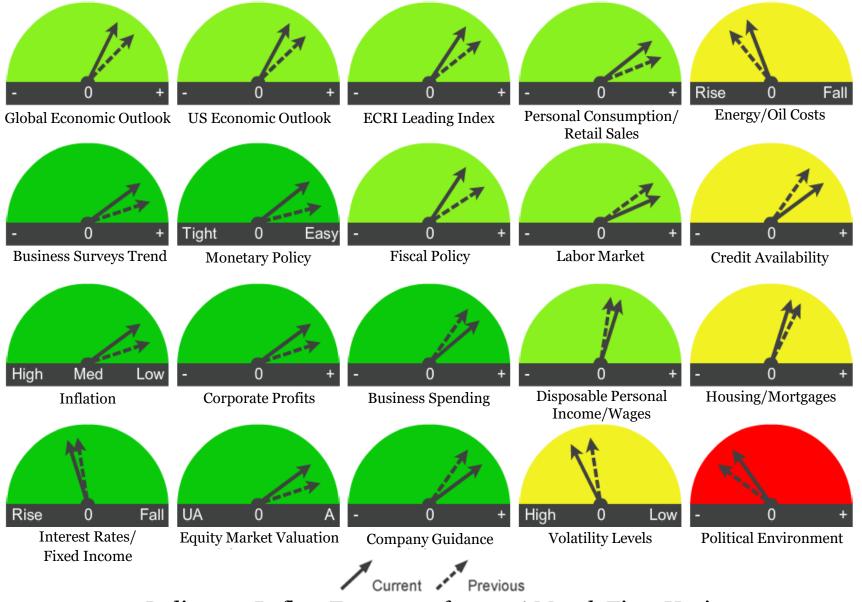
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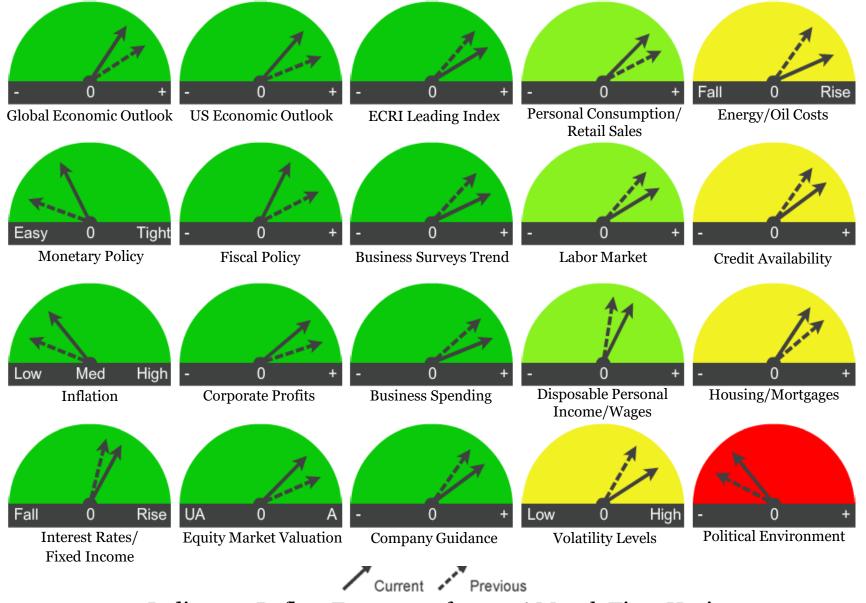
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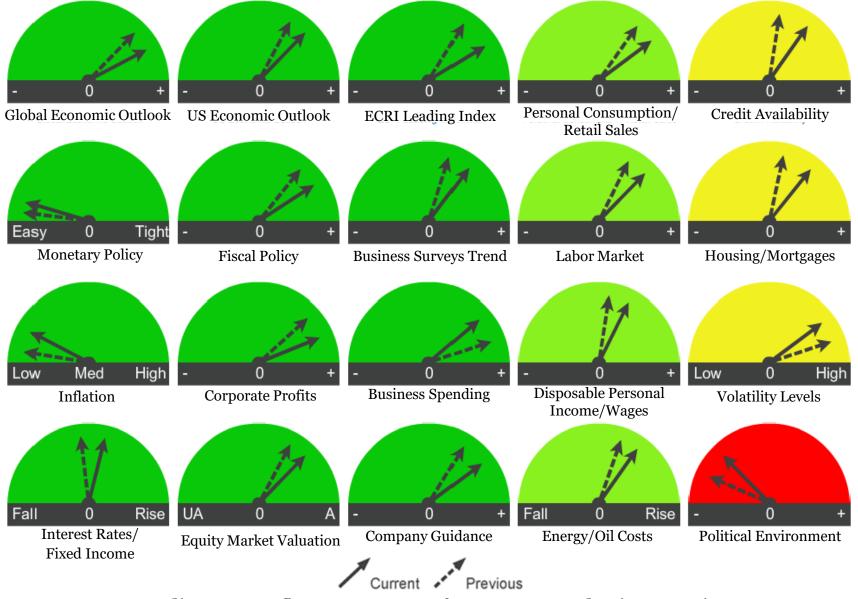
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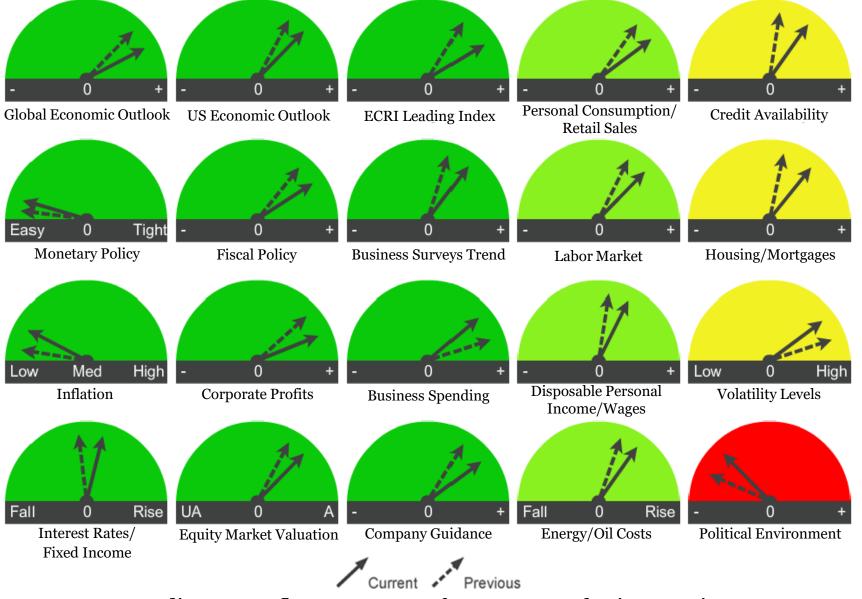
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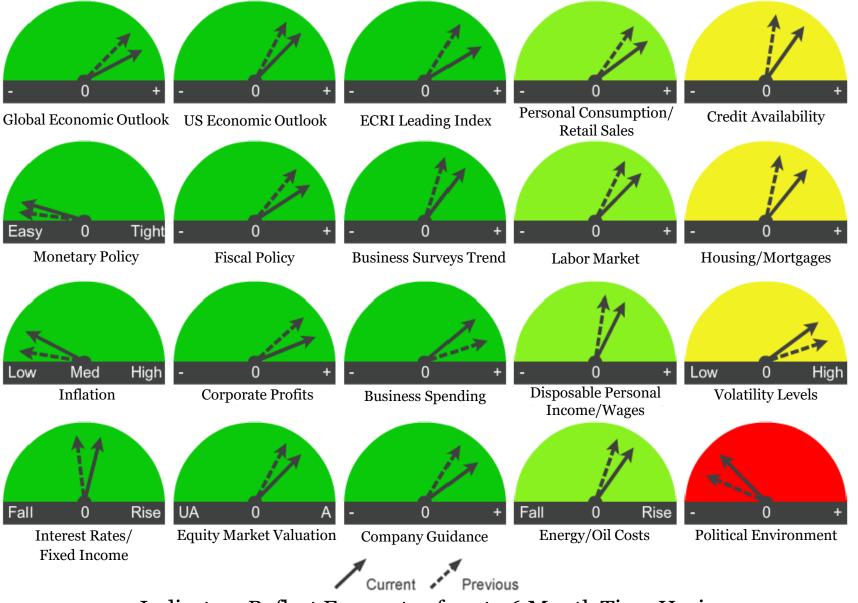
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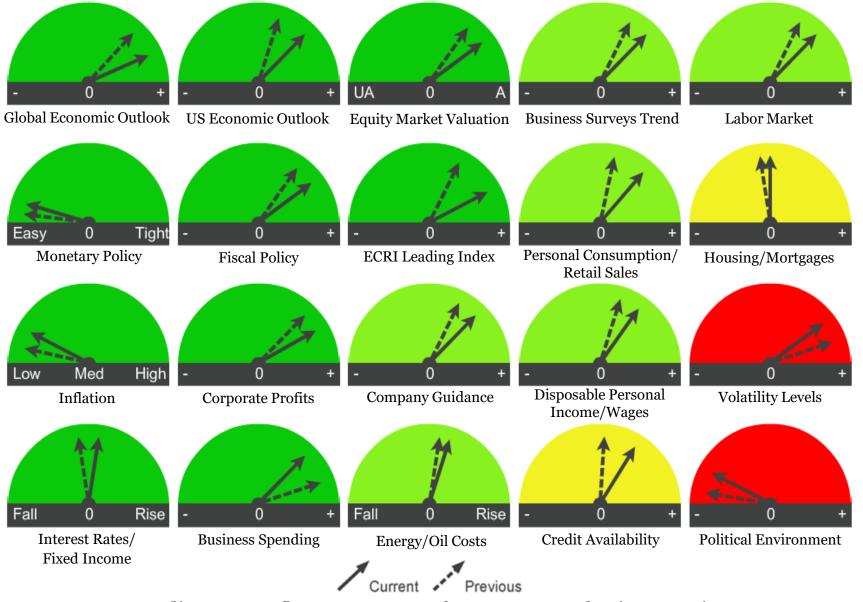
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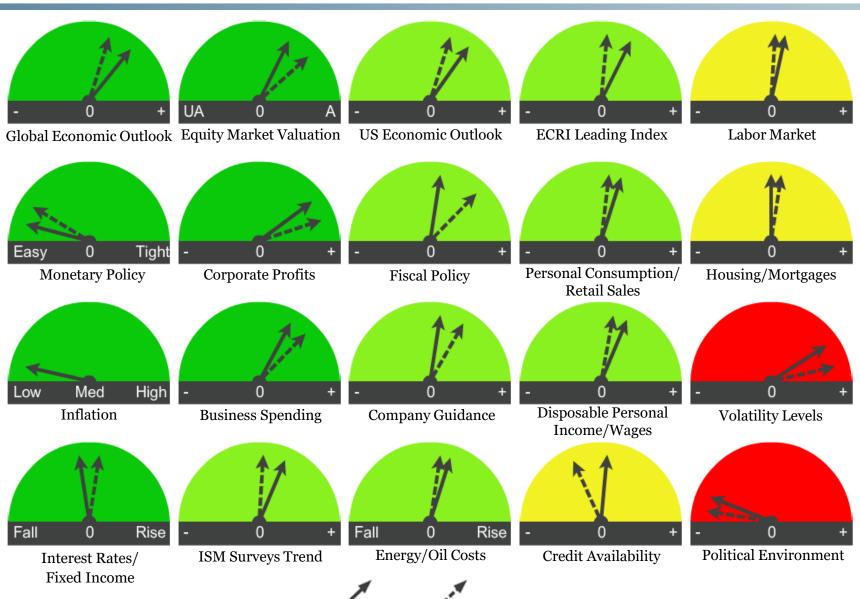
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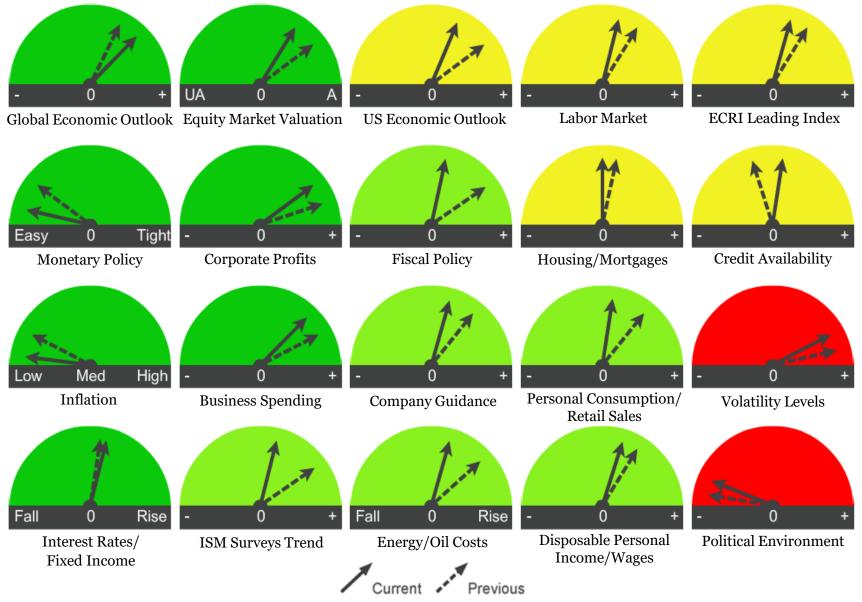
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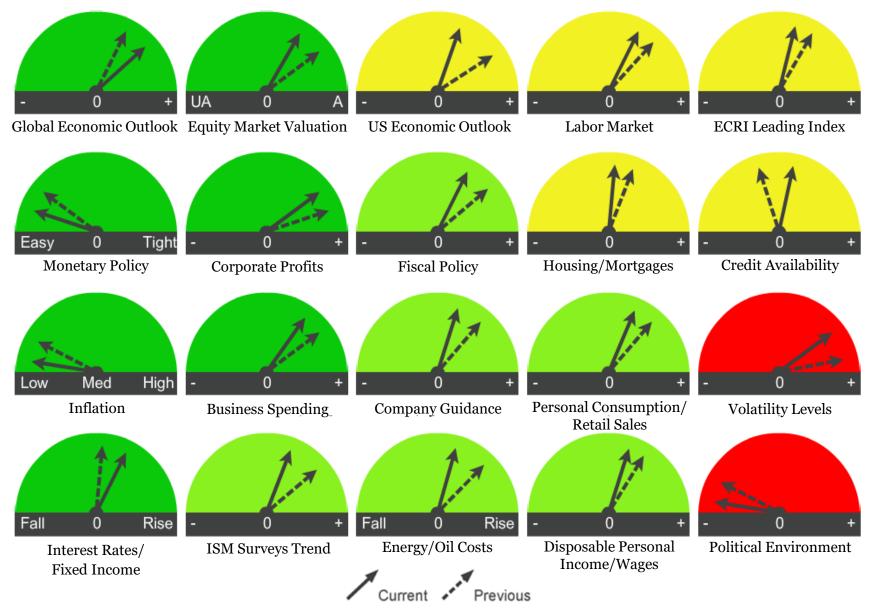
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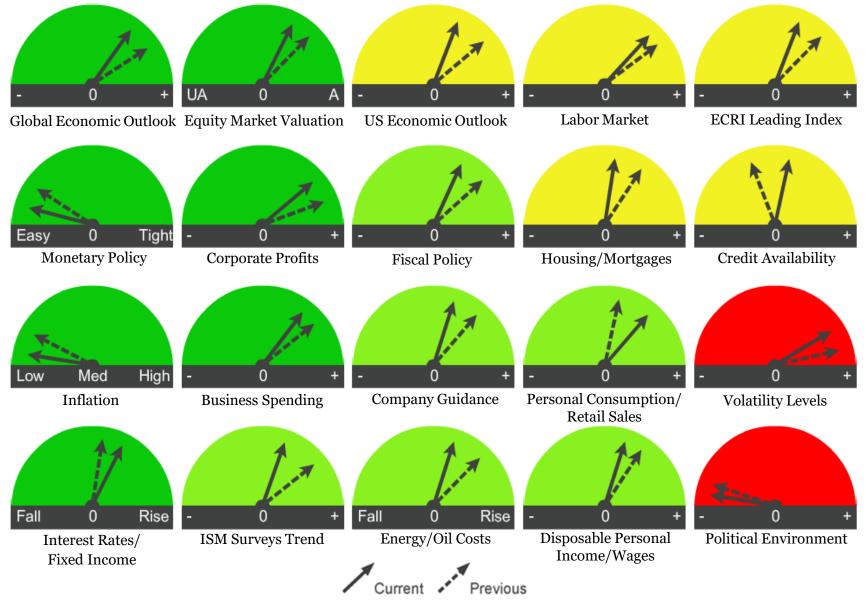
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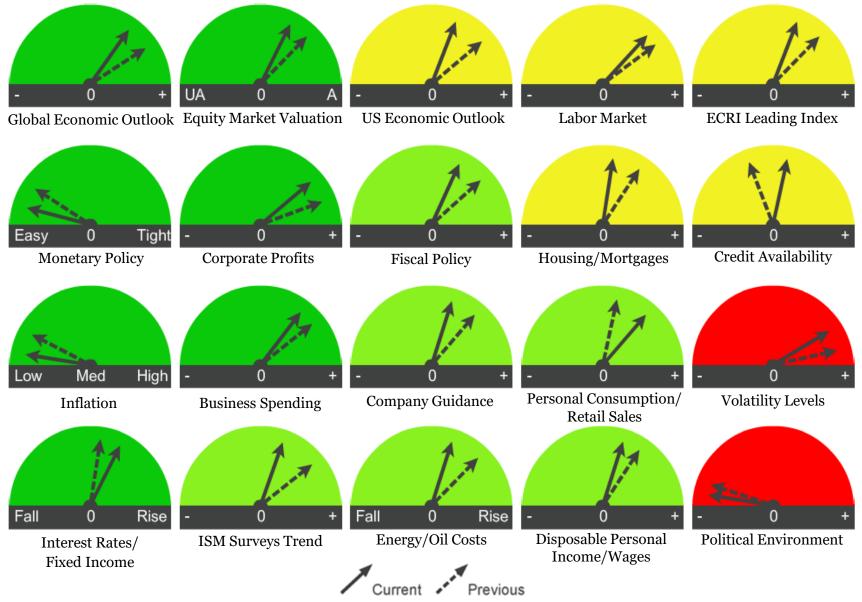
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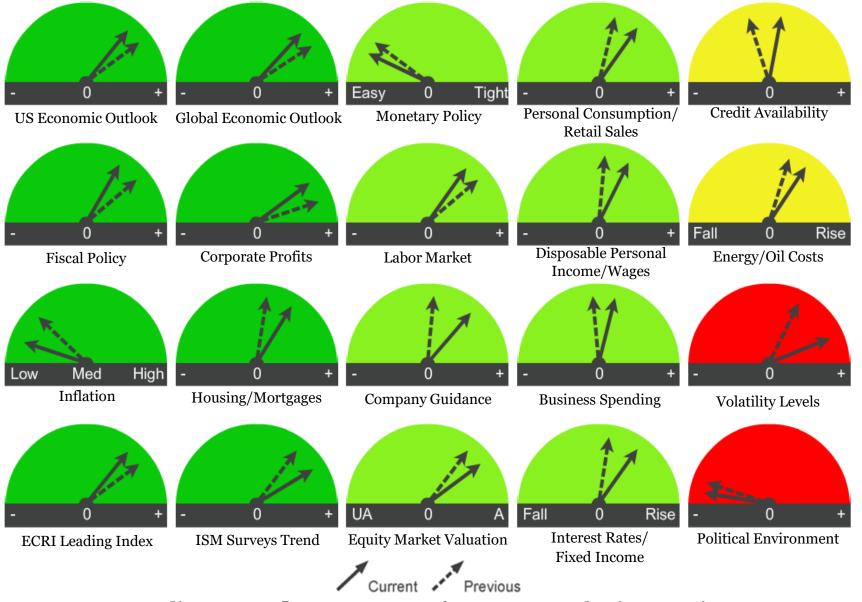
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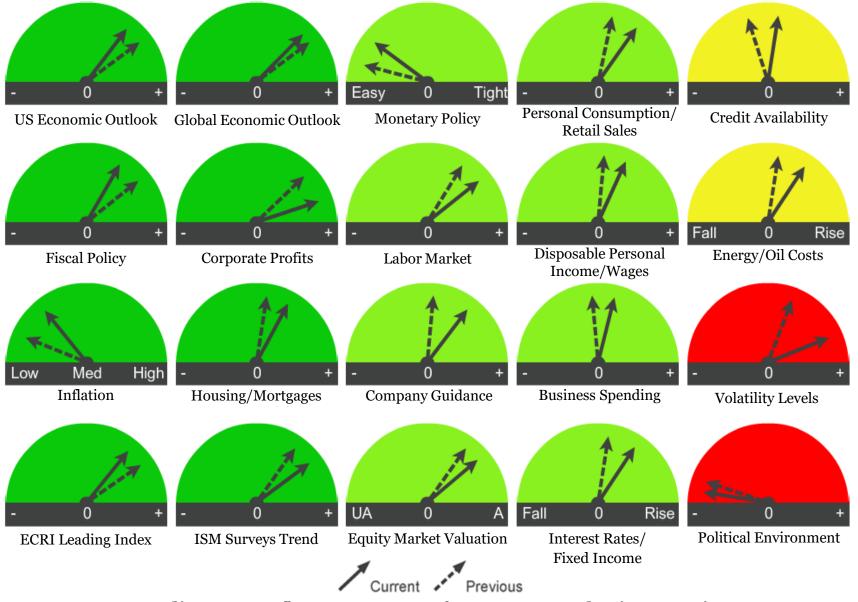
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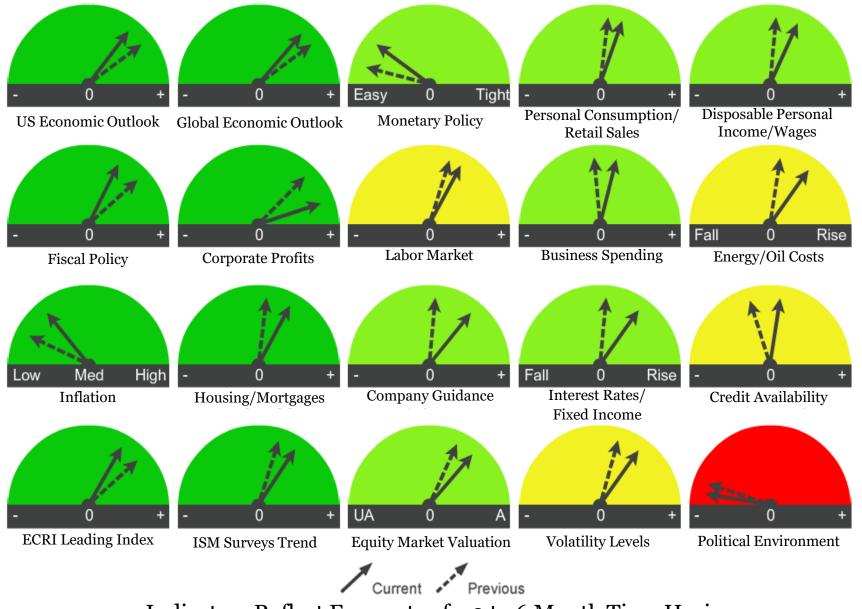
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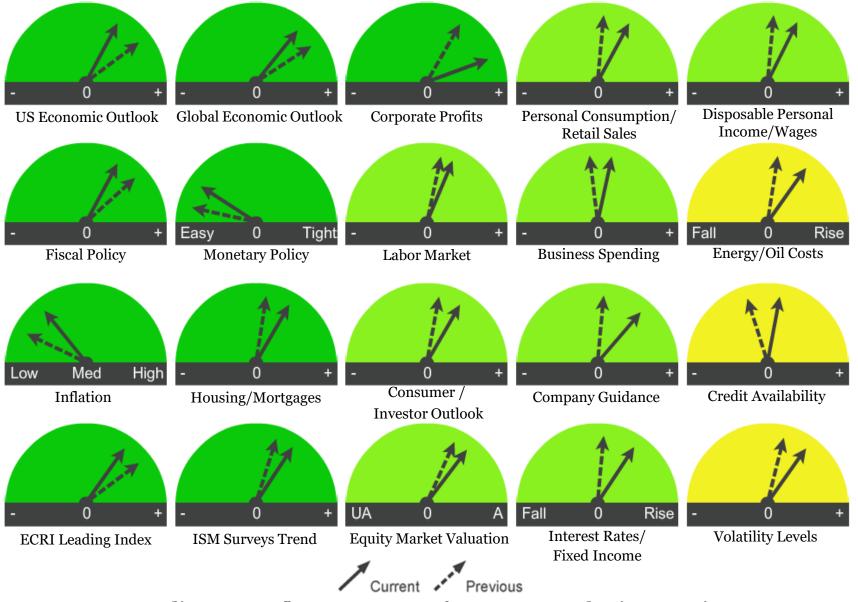
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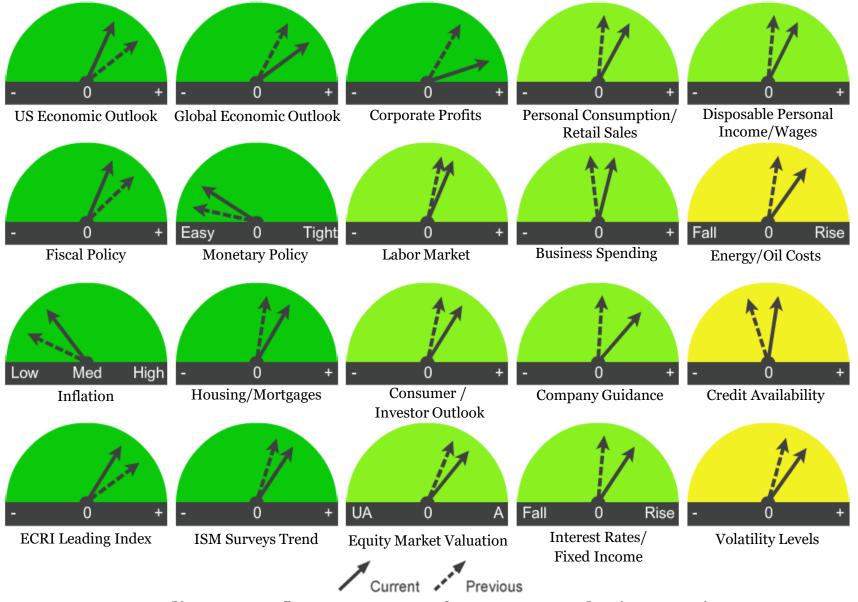
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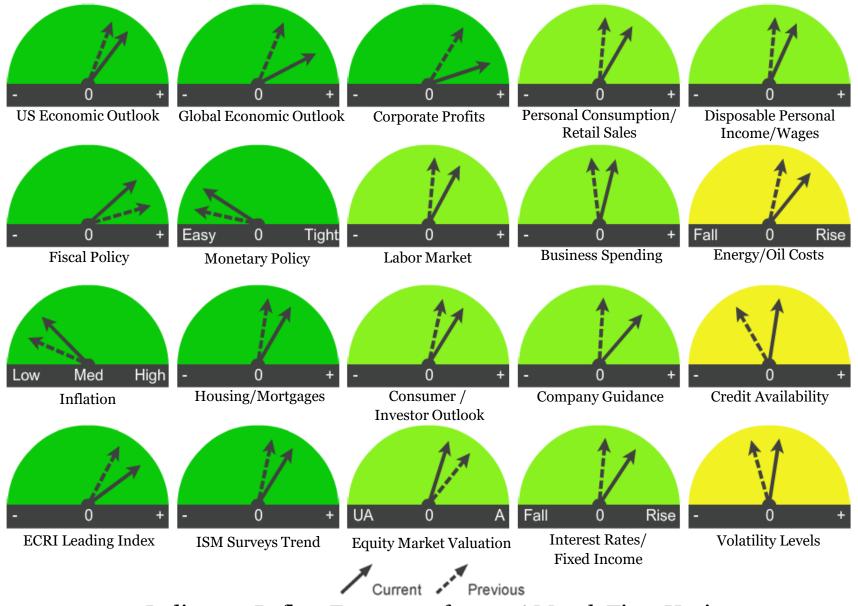
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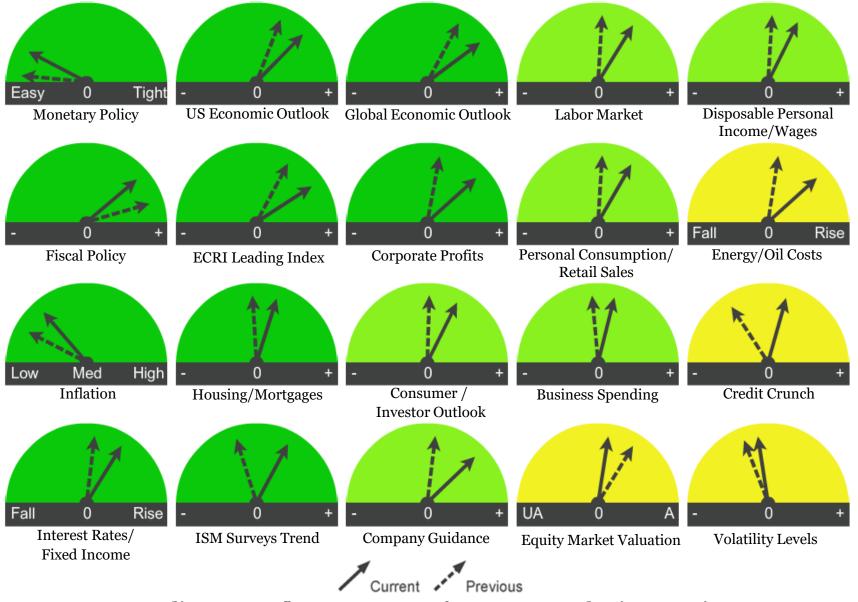
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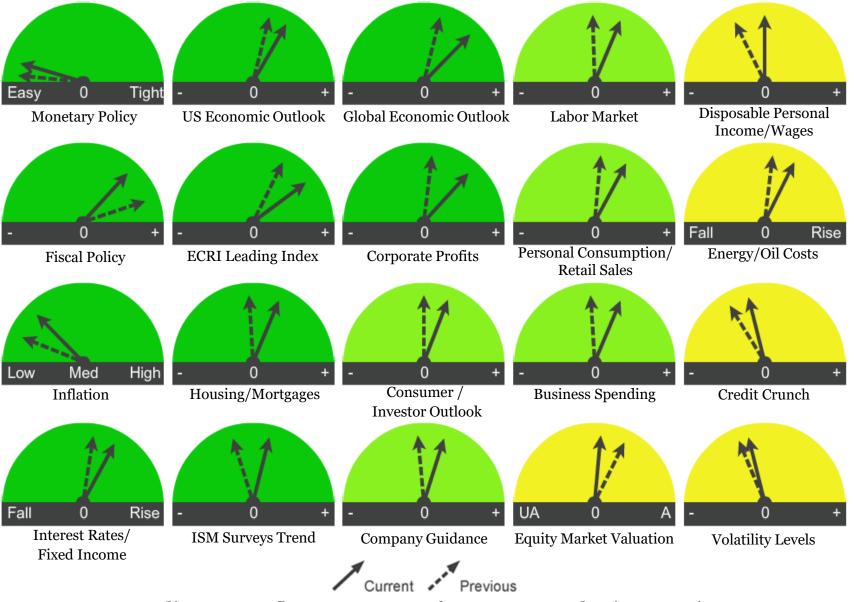
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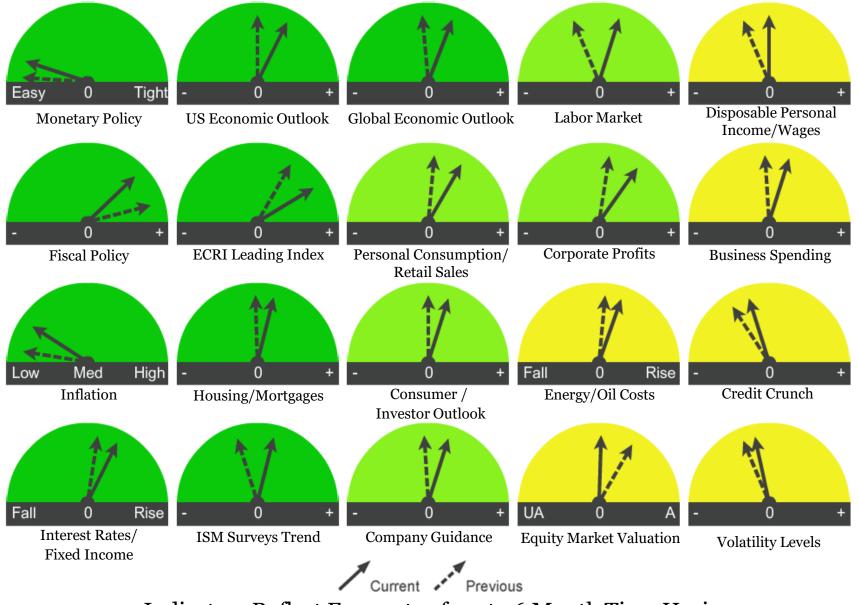
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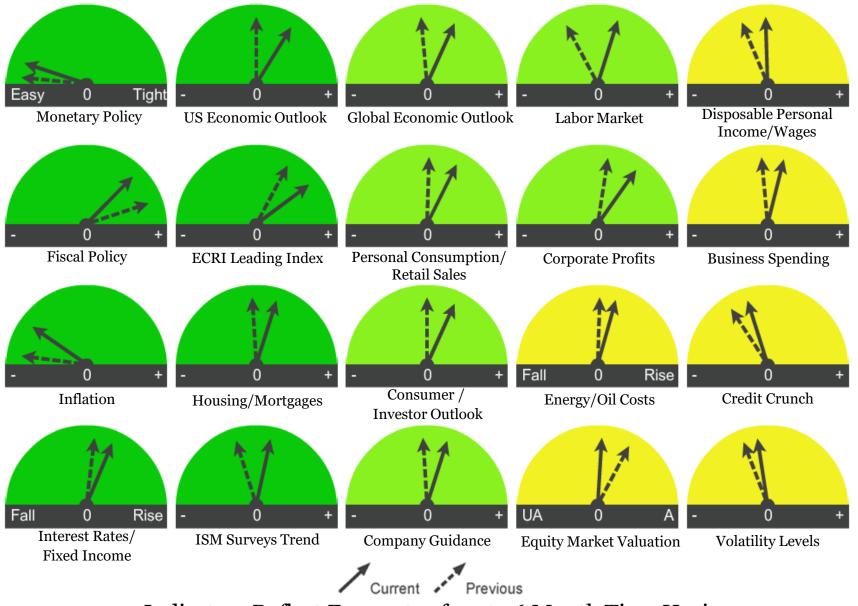
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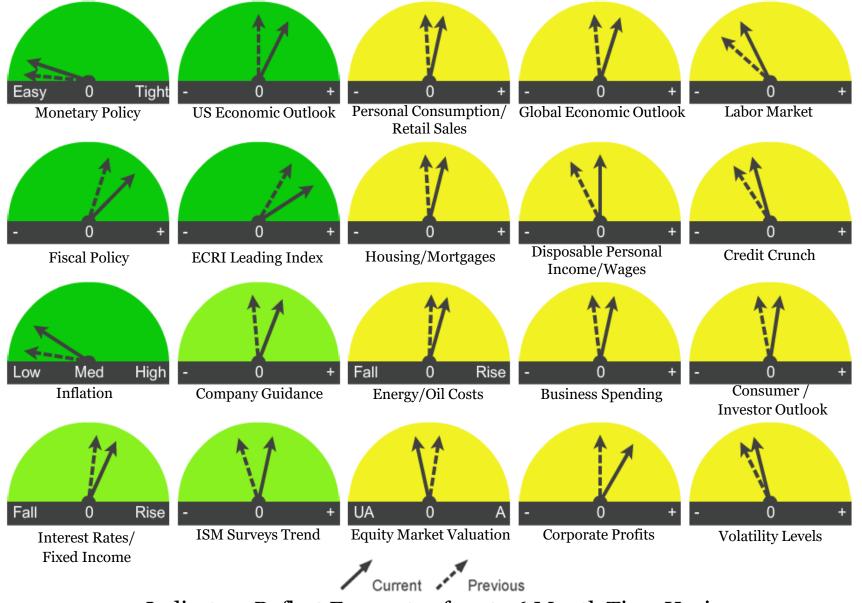
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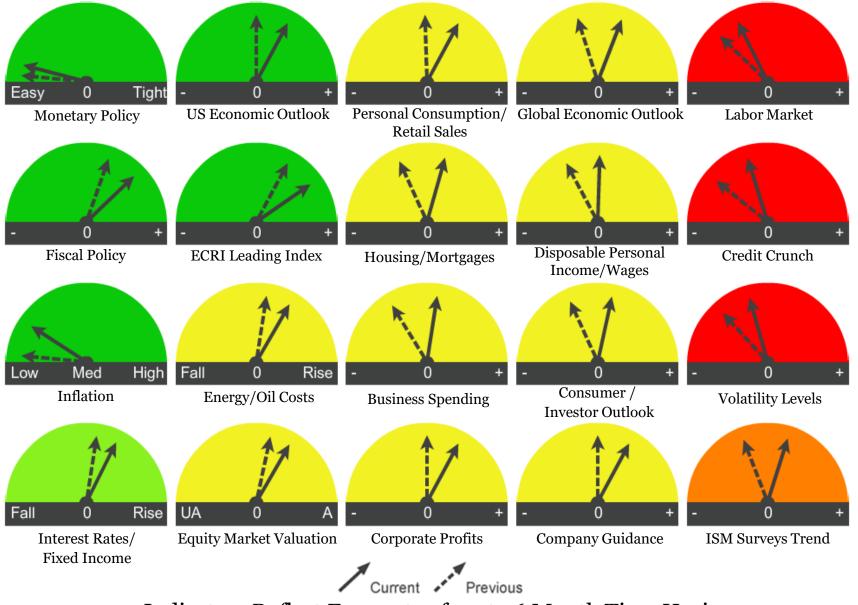
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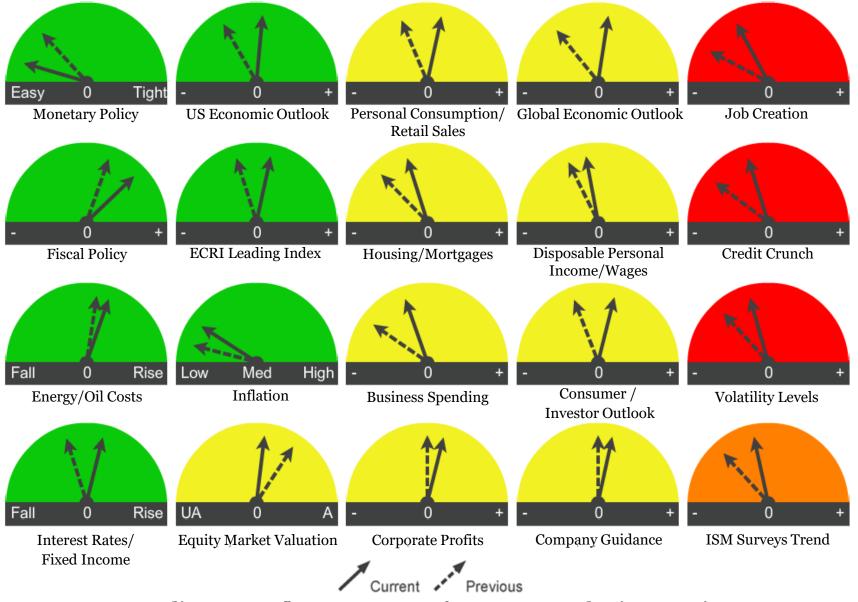
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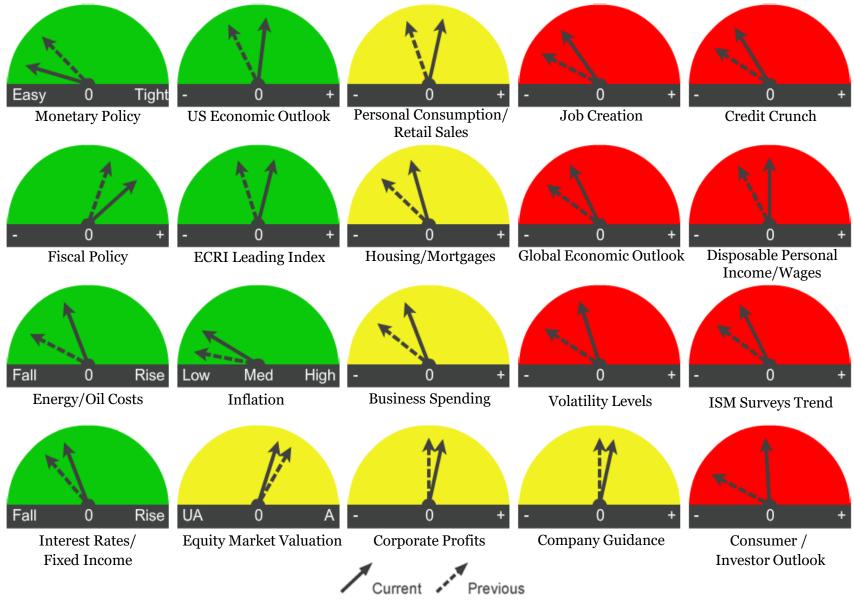
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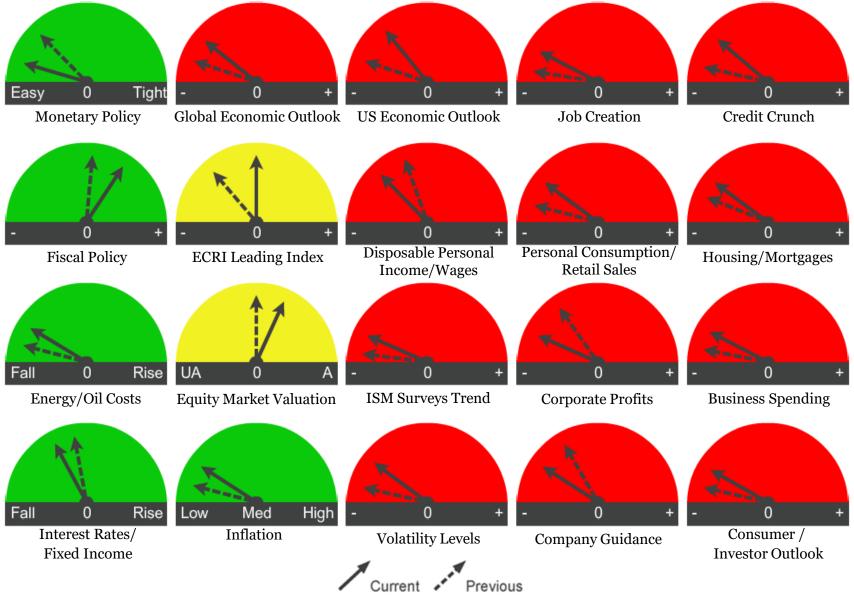
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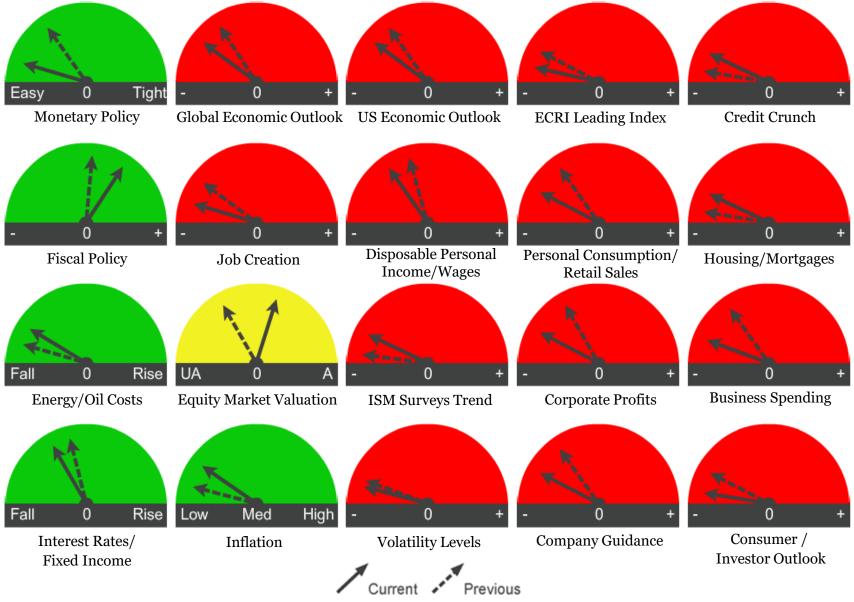
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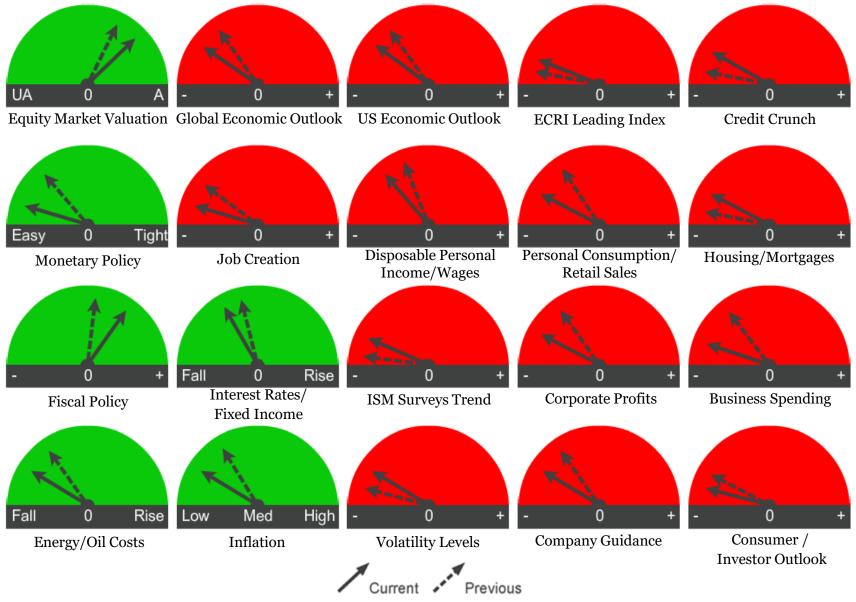
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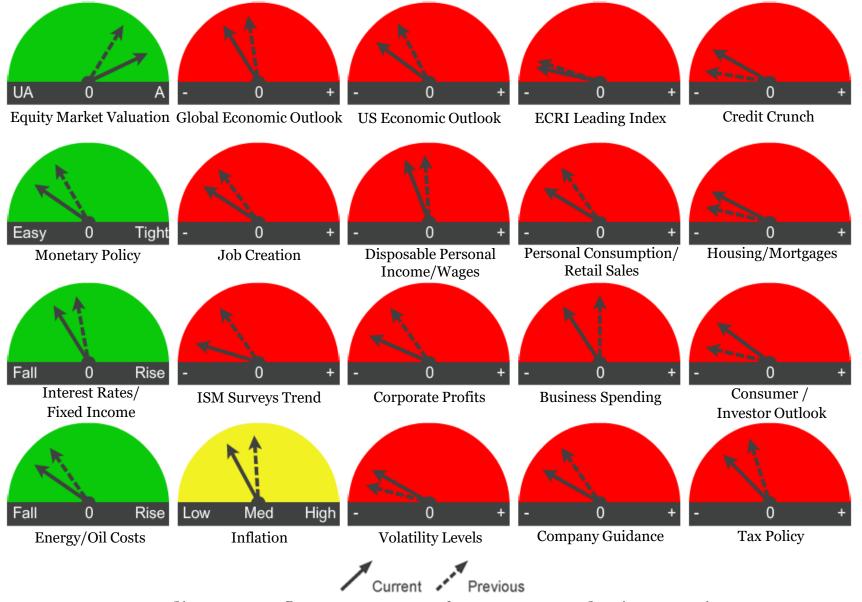
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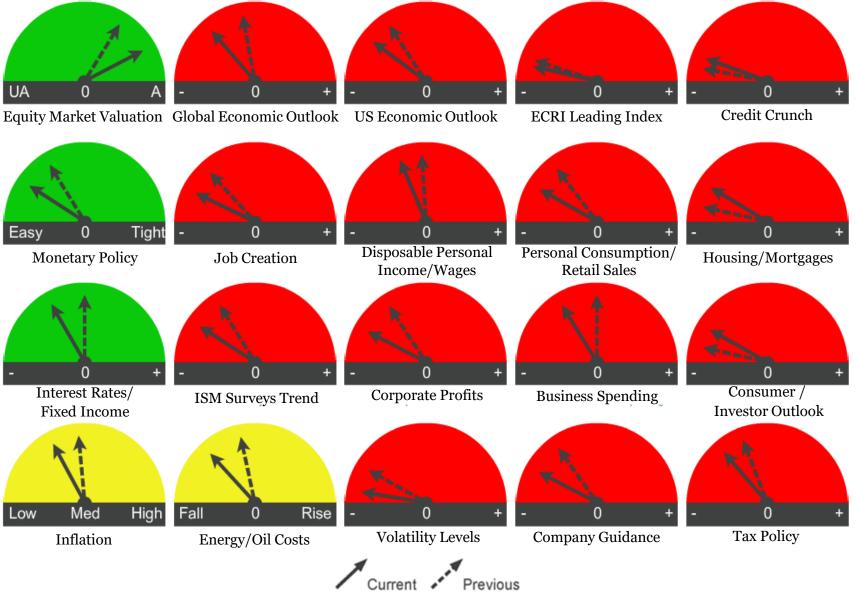
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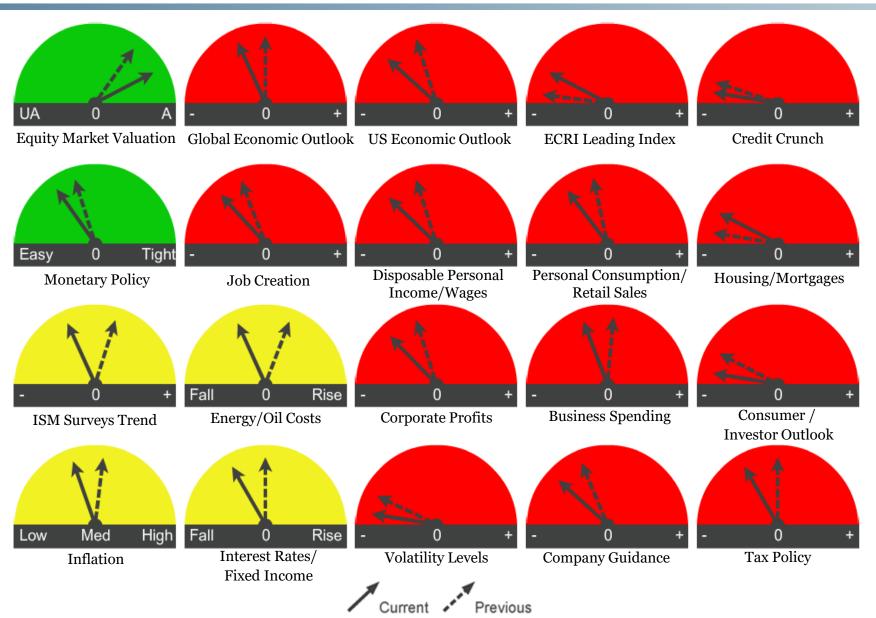
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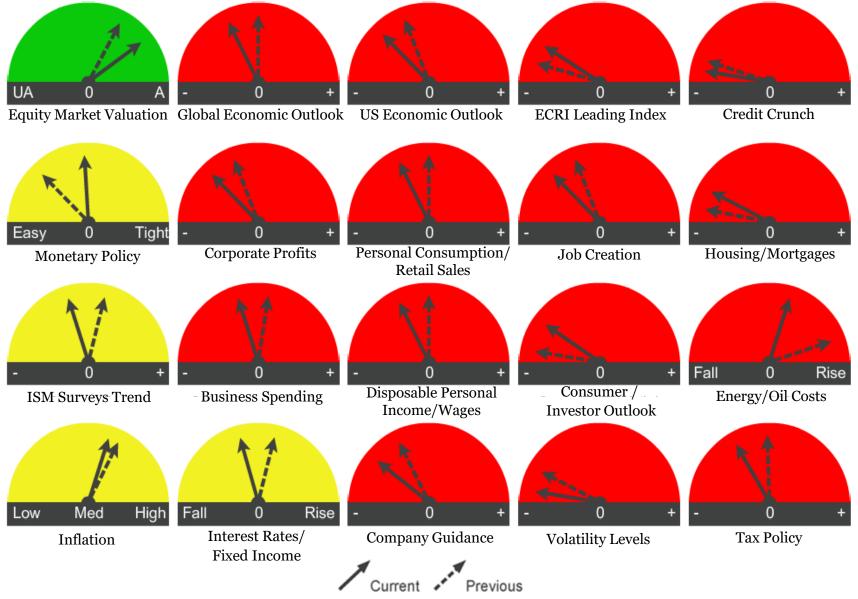
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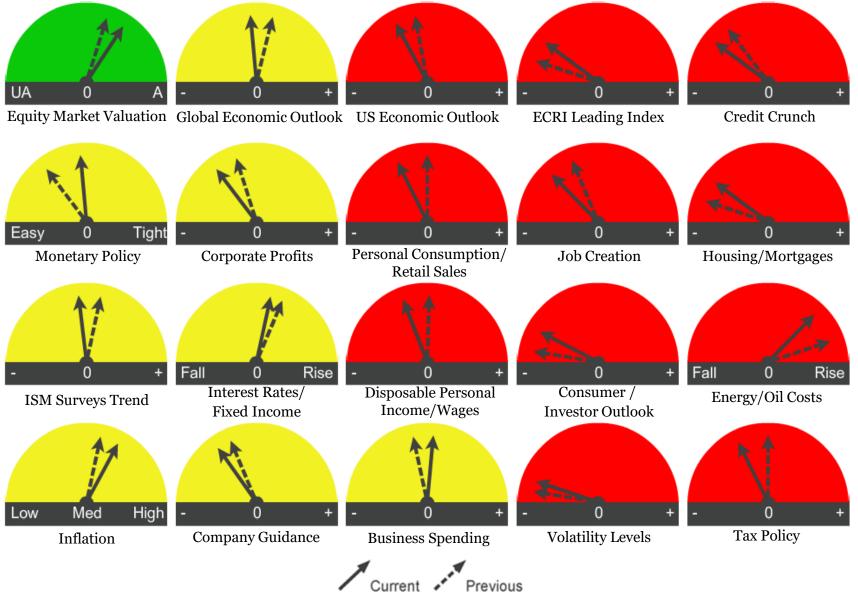
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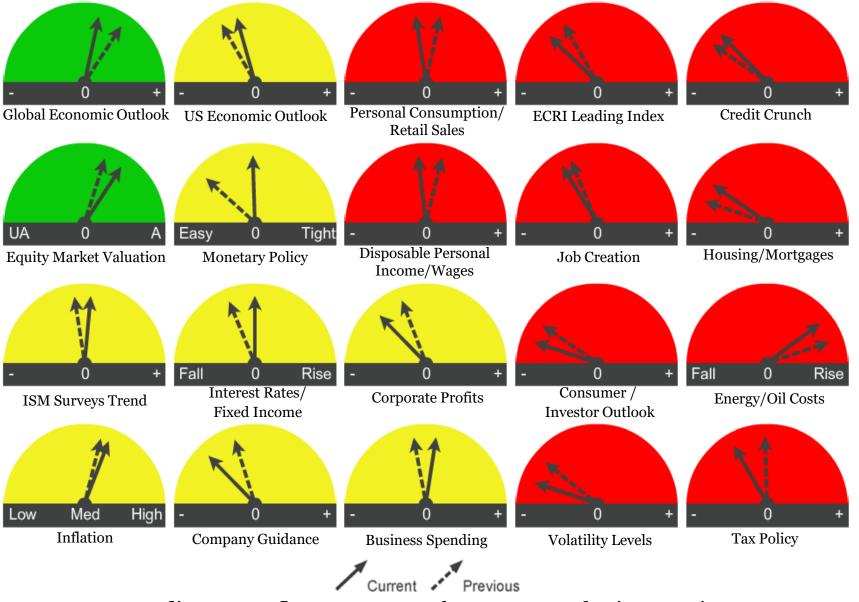
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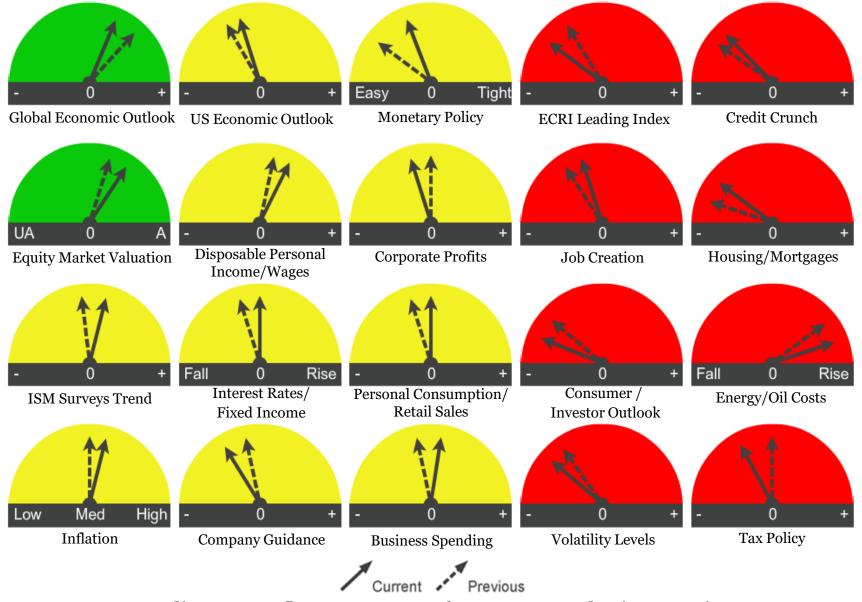
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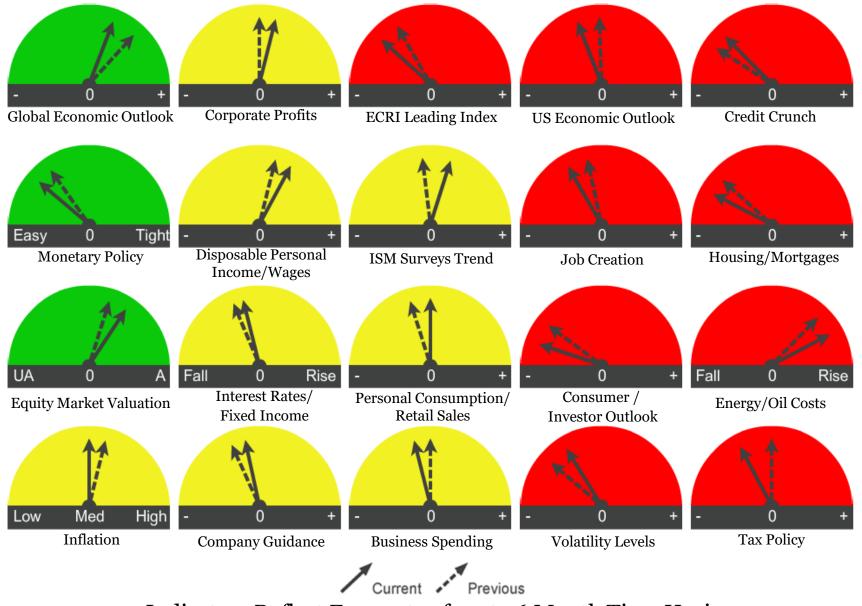
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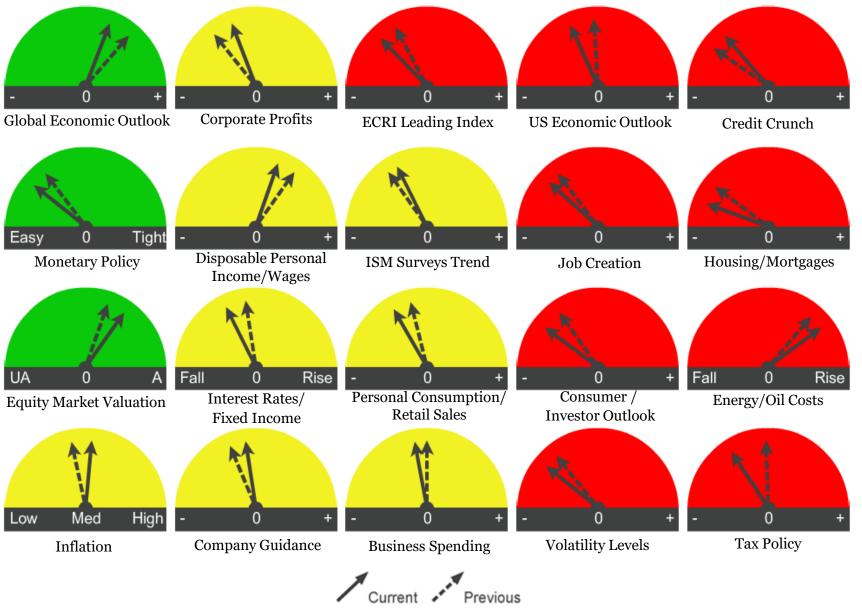
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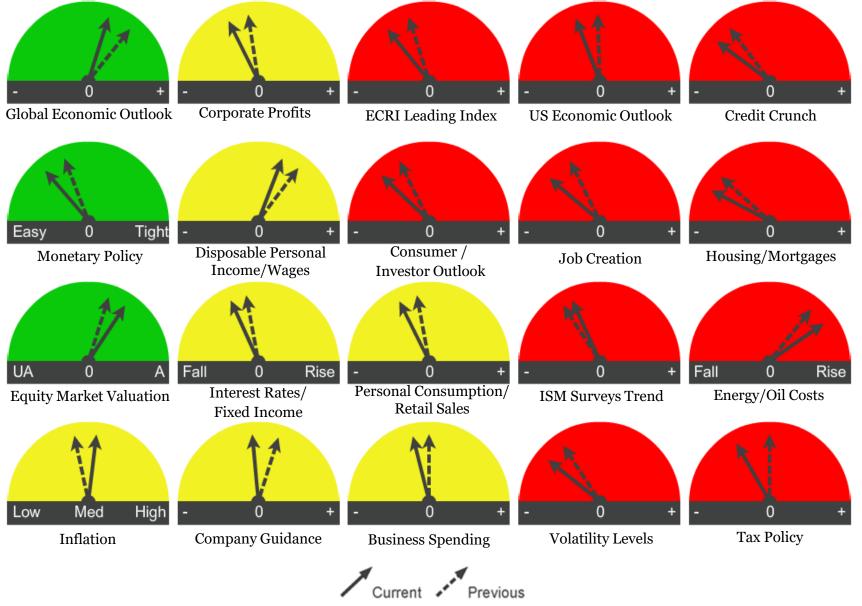
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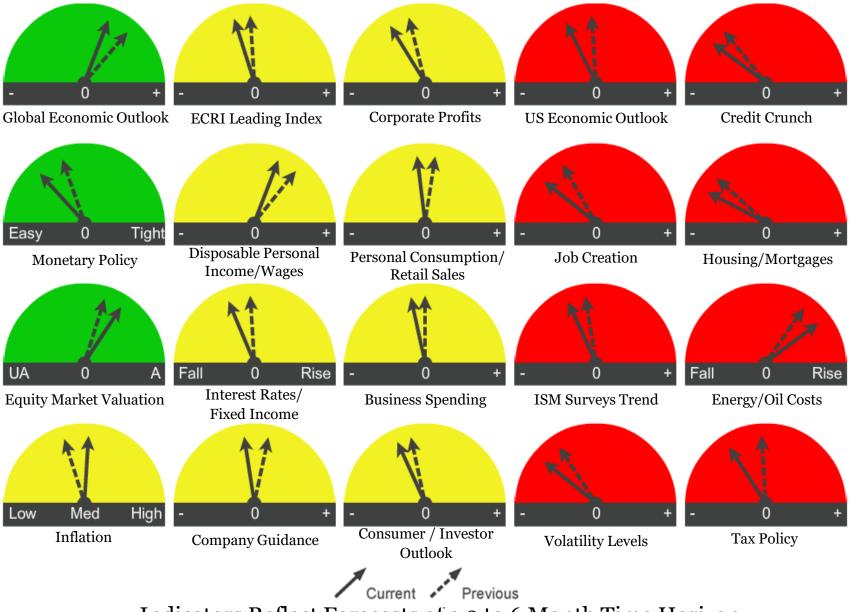
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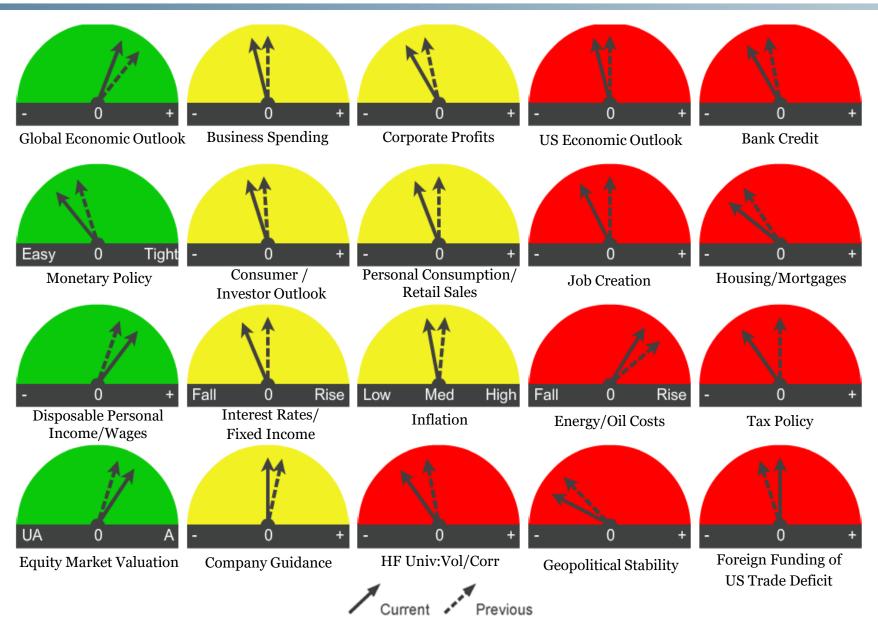
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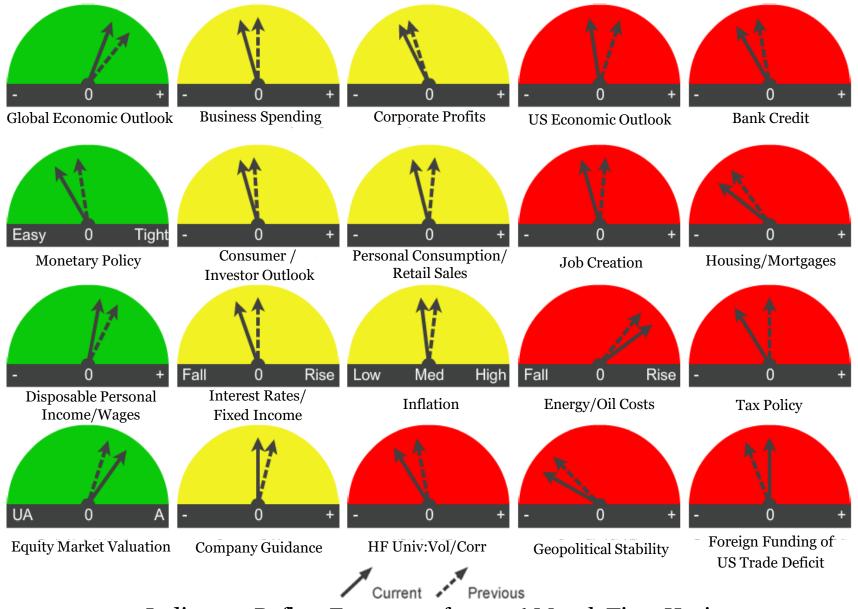
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