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## Cycle Turn Indicator Direction and Swing Summary of Select Markets as of the close on December 20, 2024

Market	Daily CTI	Daily Swing	Weekly CTI	Weekly Swing
Industrial	Neutral	High	Negative	High
Transports	Negative	High	Negative	High
NDX	Negative	High	Neutral	Low
S&P Inverse Fund	Positive	N/A	Positive	Low
CRB Index	Negative	Low	Positive	Low
Gold	Negative	Low	Negative	High
XAU	Negative	Low	Negative	High
Dollar	Negative	Low	Positive	Low
Bonds	Negative	Low	Negative	High
Crude Oil	Negative	High	Positive	High
Unleaded	Negative	High	Positive	Low
Natural Gas	Positive	Low	Positive	Low

\*Since this fund is quoted at the end of the day it is impossible for the concept of swing highs and lows to apply on a daily level. The primary interests here are the weekly developments.

The daily is representative of the short-term and the weekly is representative of the intermediate-term

# Short-term Updates

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## **Note on the Cycle Turn Indicator**

The most important indicator we have is the Cycle Turn Indicator and the most important timeframe, at least in my mind, is the intermediate-term. This indicator has proven itself time and time again. In reality, this is all we really need to know. Everything else is secondary. That being said, please be sure to monitor the "Cycle Turn Indicator Direction and Swing Summary" above. Red indicates that a swing high and down turn of the Cycle Turn Indicator has occurred and lower prices should follow. The only exception here is that on the daily stock market signals we also want to see both the slow cycle Turn Indicator and the New High/New Low Differential in agreement with the original Cycle Turn Indicator, which is what is covered in this summary above. Yellow, is cautionary meaning that the Cycle Turn Indicator and the swing are not in agreement, which is typically indicative of a trend change. Green, means that a swing low has occurred and that the Cycle Turn Indicator is positive, which should be followed by higher prices. Again, the only exception here is the daily stock market signals in that we want to see both the slow Cycle Turn Indicator and the New High/New Low Differential in agreement with the original Cycle Turn Indicator, which is what is covered in this summary above. For everything else, all that matters is the formation of a swing and the direction of the Cycle Turn Indicator.

See Notes for New Subscribers at the bottom of the Short-Term Update Page or the Research Letter page for information on understanding Cycles and Swings.

December 22, 2024

## Stocks

End of Week Intermediate-Term Indicator Summary <b>Intermediate-Term Sell</b>	
<b>Primary Indicators</b>	
Formation of a Weekly Swing High	Bearish
Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bearish
CTI on Rydex Tempest Fund *	Bullish
<b>Confirming Indicators</b>	
Trend Indicator (TI)	Bullish
Advance/Decline Issues Diff	Bearish
New High New Low Diff	Bearish
<b>Secondary Indicators</b>	
5 3 3 Stochastic	Bearish
Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bearish
<i>*When this indicator is Bullish it is negative for the market and visa versa.</i>	

Daily Indicator Summary <b>Short-Term Sell</b>	
<b>Primary Indicators</b>	
Formation of a Daily Swing High	Bearish
Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bullish
Slow Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bearish
New High/New Low Differential	Bearish
<b>Confirming Indicators</b>	
Trend Indicator (TI)	Bearish
McClellan Intermediate Term Breadth Momentum Oscillator (ITBM)	Bearish
McClellan Intermediate Term Volume Momentum Oscillator (ITVM)	Bearish
McClellan Summation Index	Bearish
McClellan Volume Summation Index	Bearish
<b>Secondary Short Term Indicators</b>	
5 3 3 Stochastic	Bullish
Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bullish
Trading Cycle Oscillator	Bearish
Momentum Indicator	Bearish
Ratio Adjusted McClellan Oscillator Crossover	Bearish
Accumulation/Distribution Index	Bullish

All indicator summaries here have been updated. The December Research Letter has been posted and the latest commentary and analysis is covered there.

## Gold

### End of Week Intermediate-Term Indicator Summary **Intermediate-Term Sell**

#### Primary Indicators

Formation of a Weekly Swing High	Bearish
Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bearish

#### Confirming Indicators

Trend Indicator (TI)	Bearish
Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bearish

#### Secondary Indicators

5 3 3 Stochastic	Bearish
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### Daily Indicator Summary **Short-Term Sell**

#### Primary Indicators

Formation of a Daily Swing Low	Bullish
Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bearish

#### Confirming Indicators

Trend Indicator (TI)	Bearish
Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bearish

#### Secondary Short Term Indicators

5 3 3 Stochastic	Bullish
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## Dollar

<b>End of Week Intermediate-Term Indicator Summary</b> <b>Intermediate-Term Buy</b>	
<b>Primary Indicators</b>	
Formation of a Weekly Swing Low	Bullish
Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bullish
<b>Confirming Indicators</b>	
Trend Indicator (TI)	Bullish
Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bearish
<b>Secondary Indicators</b>	
5 3 3 Stochastic	Bullish

<b>Daily Indicator Summary</b> <b>Short-Term Buy</b>	
<b>Primary Indicators</b>	
Formation of a Daily Swing Low	Bullish
Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bearish
<b>Confirming Indicators</b>	
Trend Indicator (TI)	Bullish
Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bearish
<b>Secondary Indicators</b>	
5 3 3 Stochastic	Bearish

## Bonds

<b>End of Week Intermediate-Term Indicator Summary Intermediate-Term Sell</b>		<b>Daily Indicator Summary Short-Term Sell</b>	
<b>Primary Indicators</b>		<b>Primary Indicators</b>	
Formation of a Weekly Swing High	Bearish	Formation of a Daily Swing Low	Bullish
Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bearish	Cycle Turn Indicator (CTI)	Bearish
<b>Confirming Indicators</b>		<b>Confirming Indicators</b>	
Trend Indicator (TI)	Bearish	Trend Indicator (TI)	Bearish
Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bearish	Cycle Momentum Indicator	Bullish
<b>Secondary Indicators</b>		<b>Secondary Short Term Indicators</b>	
5 3 3 Stochastic	Bearish	5 3 3 Stochastic	Bullish

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