

# Weekly Market Recap

July 5, 2022

Index	Price	Price Returns	
	Close	Week	YTD
S&P 500® Index	3,825	-2.2%	-19.7%
Dow Jones Industrial Average	31,097	-1.3%	-14.4%
NASDAQ	11,128	-4.1%	-28.9%
Russell 2000® Index	1,728	-2.2%	-23.1%
MSCI EAFE Index	1,846	5.3%	-15.6%
10-Year Treasury Yield	2.89%	-0.2%	1.3%
Oil WTI <sup>1</sup> (\$/bbl <sup>2</sup> )	\$108.16	0.5%	43.8%
Bonds <sup>3</sup>	\$102.35	1.3%	-10.1%

<sup>1</sup>WTI = West Texas Intermediate Oil. <sup>2</sup>bbl = Barrel. <sup>3</sup>Bonds are represented by the iShares U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF. Sources: Bloomberg L.P.; FactSet.

## Last Week:

### U.S. Equity Market

- U.S. large-cap equities (S&P 500 Index) fell -2.2% this week and gave back some of the gains from the prior week, as concerns related to potential earnings disappointments, Federal Reserve tightening, and elevated inflation weighed on investor sentiment. Fed Chair Powell said that while the Fed's aim is to keep growth positive, there's no guarantee it can achieve positive growth. The Chicago Mercantile Exchange (CME)'s FedWatch tool now shows only a 65% chance of a 75 basis points (bps) hike in July, which is lower from over 95% last week. Futures Markets also see rates peaking at 3.25-3.50% by December, followed by 50 bps of rate cuts by July 2023. Friday's June Institute for Supply Management (ISM) manufacturing index fell to a post-2020 low on softer new order trends. The Atlanta Fed's GDPNow model now expects a 2.1% contraction, which would represent its second straight quarterly contraction. Treasury yields dropped, including the ten-year, which fell 24 bps. The dollar was stronger, gold declined -1.6%, and WTI rose a modest +0.5%.
- S&P 500 Index Sector Returns (Price Return):
  - Utilities (+4.1%), healthcare (+0.4%), consumer staples (+0.3%), and real estate investment trusts (REITs) (-0.7%) outperformed, as investors favored more defensive stocks.
  - Energy (+1.3%) rose, as the price of WTI increased +0.5%.
  - Industrials (-0.8%) underperformed, with weakness industrial conglomerates.
  - Financials (-1.5%) underperformed, as banks lagged.
  - Materials (-3.1%) fell, with weakness from industrial metals stocks.
  - Technology (-4.5%) fell, led lower by semiconductor and software equities.
  - Communication services (-4.5%) dropped, led lower by social media and internet.
  - Consumer discretionary (-4.7%) fell, led by autos, retail, and travel stocks.

- Since 1948, the length of the average bear market was 388 days, but bear markets have been as short as 33 days and as long as 630 days. During the last 11 bear markets, the average decline was -34.2%, with the smallest decline at -20.6% and the greatest decline at -56.8%.

Exhibit 5: Bear Market History As A Guide.

The duration of the 12 bear markets since the World War II era...

Peak	Trough	Decline, %	Duration, in days
June 15, 1948	June 13, 1949	-20.6	363
July 15, 1957	Oct. 22, 1957	-20.7	99
Dec. 12, 1961	June 26, 1962	-28.0	196
Feb. 9, 1966	Oct. 7, 1966	-22.2	240
Nov. 29, 1968	May 26, 1970	-36.1	543
Jan. 11, 1973	Oct. 3, 1974	-48.2	630
Nov. 28, 1980	Aug. 12, 1982	-27.1	622
Aug. 25, 1987	Dec. 4, 1987	-33.5	101
March 24, 2000	Oct. 9, 2002	-49.1	929
Oct. 9, 2007	March 9, 2009	-56.8	517
Feb. 19, 2020	March 23, 2020	-33.9	33
Jan. 3, 2022	June 16, 2022*	-23.5*	164

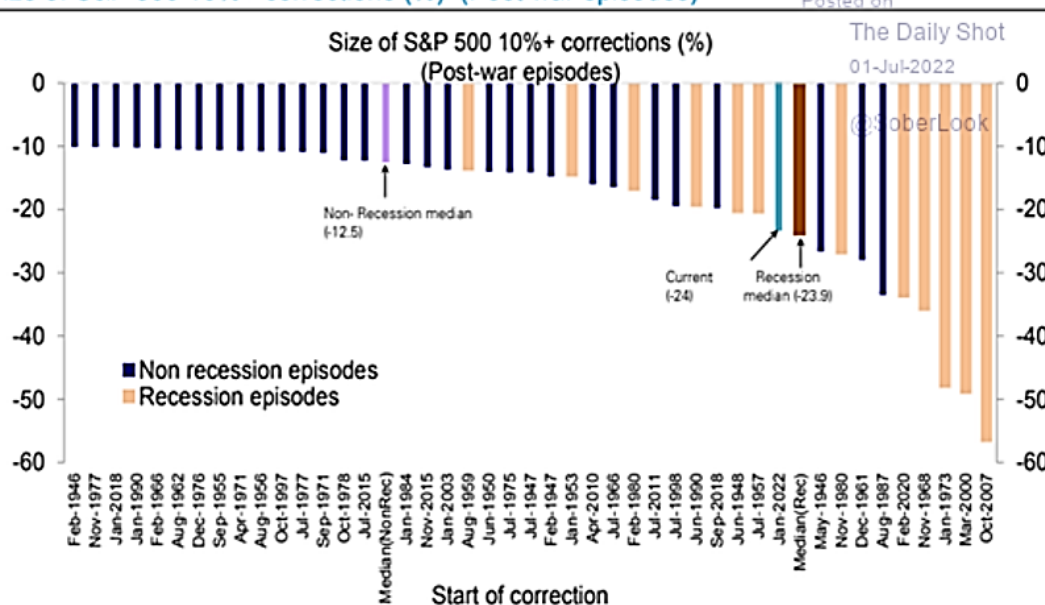
...and how long it took to recover from them.

New record high	Days from trough to new record high
Sept. 22, 1954	1,927
Sept. 24, 1958	337
Sept. 3, 1963	434
May 4, 1967	209
March 6, 1972	650
July 17, 1980	2,114
Nov. 3, 1982	83
July 26, 1989	600
May 30, 2007	1,694
March 28, 2013	1,480
Aug. 18, 2020	148

Sources: The Daily Shot; Merrill Lynch.

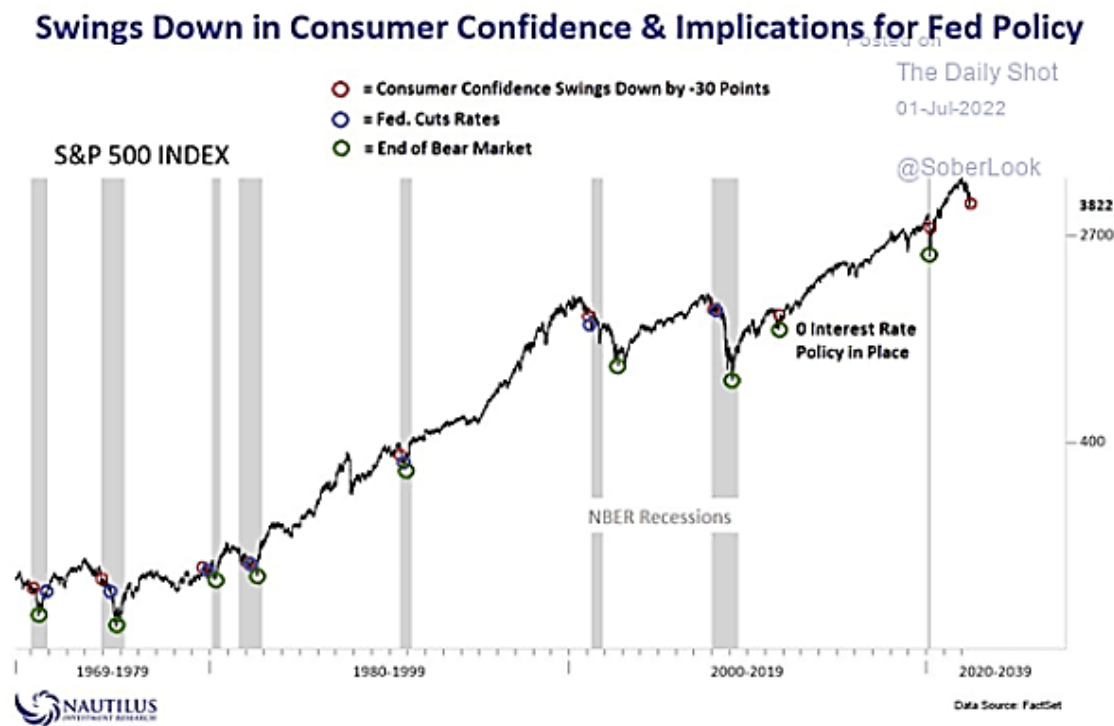
- Historically, the S&P 500 Index had a median correction (decline over 10%) of -12.5% in non-recessionary periods, and a median correction of -23.9% in recessionary periods.

Size of S&P 500 10%+ corrections (%) (Post-war episodes)

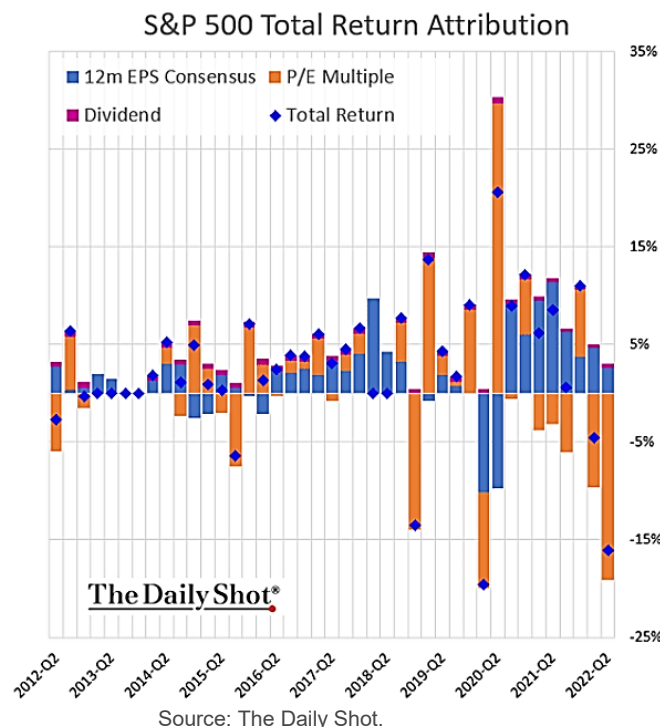


Source: The Daily Shot.

- Previously, significant declines in consumer confidence (30 point drops) preceded interest rate cuts and bear market bottoms.

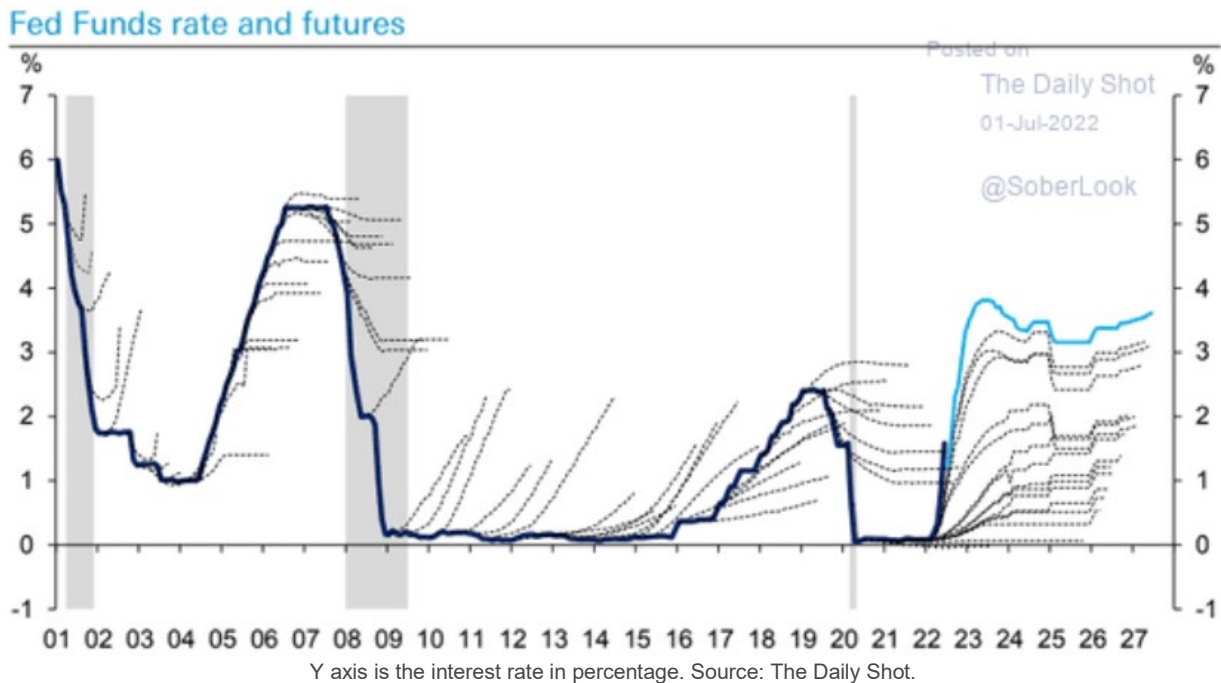


- The chart below shows that the price over earnings (P/E) multiple (orange bars) contracted in both the first and second quarters of 2022, while the 12-month earnings consensus (blue bars) continue to remain positive.

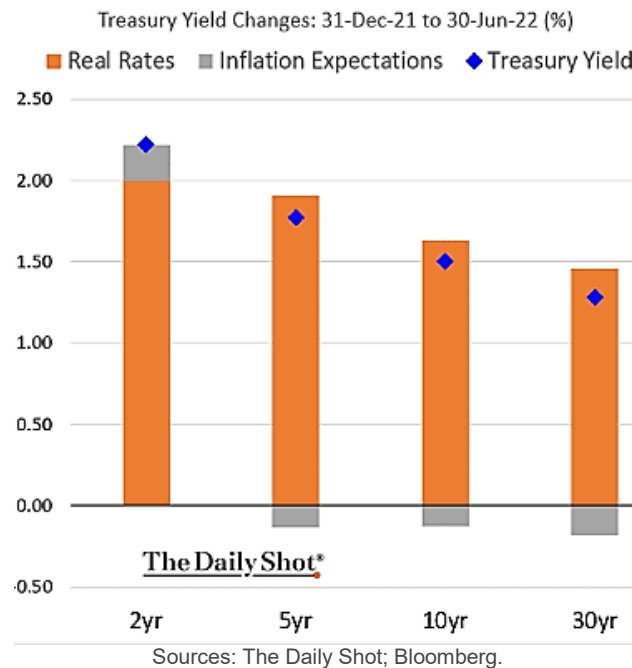


## Fixed Income Markets

- The chart below shows the fed funds rate (solid black line) and the futures market's expectations (dotted black line) for the fed funds rate over time. The futures market is currently expecting the fed funds to continue to increase in the short-term (blue line). However, historically, the futures market has not been precisely accurate.



- The front-end of the Treasury curve (two-year and five-year) increased faster than the long-end (ten-year and 30-year) as the Federal Reserve raised the fed funds rate in order to lower inflation.



## U.S. Economic and Political News

- Fed Chair Powell said that while the Fed's aim is to keep growth positive, there's no guarantee it can achieve positive growth. Powell also said the Fed's biggest risk isn't that it goes too far with policy, but rather is failing to restore price stability. Bloomberg noted that Powell's comments added to fears that the Fed could tighten policy too aggressively to fight inflation, leading to a recession.
- June consumer confidence was weaker than expected, and at the lowest level since 2013.
- On a positive note, May core personal consumption expenditures (PCE) inflation of 0.3% month-over-month was below expectations of 0.5%, which may have signaled a slowdown in the inflation rate.

## International Markets and News

- The Chinese stock market (Shanghai Composite) rose +1.3%, as strong factory data and easing COVID-19 restrictions improved sentiment for equities.
- European markets (STOXX 600 Index) fell -1.4%, as fears of elevated inflation and rising rates may drive the European economy into a recession.
  - European Central Bank (ECB) President Lagarde reiterated her guidance for an increase of 25 bps followed by another hike in September, with the size of the hike dependent on incoming data.
- Japanese equities (Nikkei 225 Index) fell -2.1%, as the global tightening cycle, global recession risks, and the Bank of Japan's large manufacturing survey showed weaker sentiment weighed on sentiment for Japanese equities.

### **This Week:**

- Corporate earnings reports will be light this week.
- U.S. Economic data:
  - Monday: U.S. equity market Holiday;
  - Tuesday: Building Permits, Factory Orders;
  - Wednesday: MBA Mortgage Purchase Applications, Services PMI, JOLTS;
  - Thursday: Challenger Job Cuts, ADP Employment Report, Trade Balance, Ivey PMI;
  - Friday: Nonfarm Payrolls, Unemployment Rate, Average Weekly Hours, Average Hourly Earnings, Employment, Consumer Credit.

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