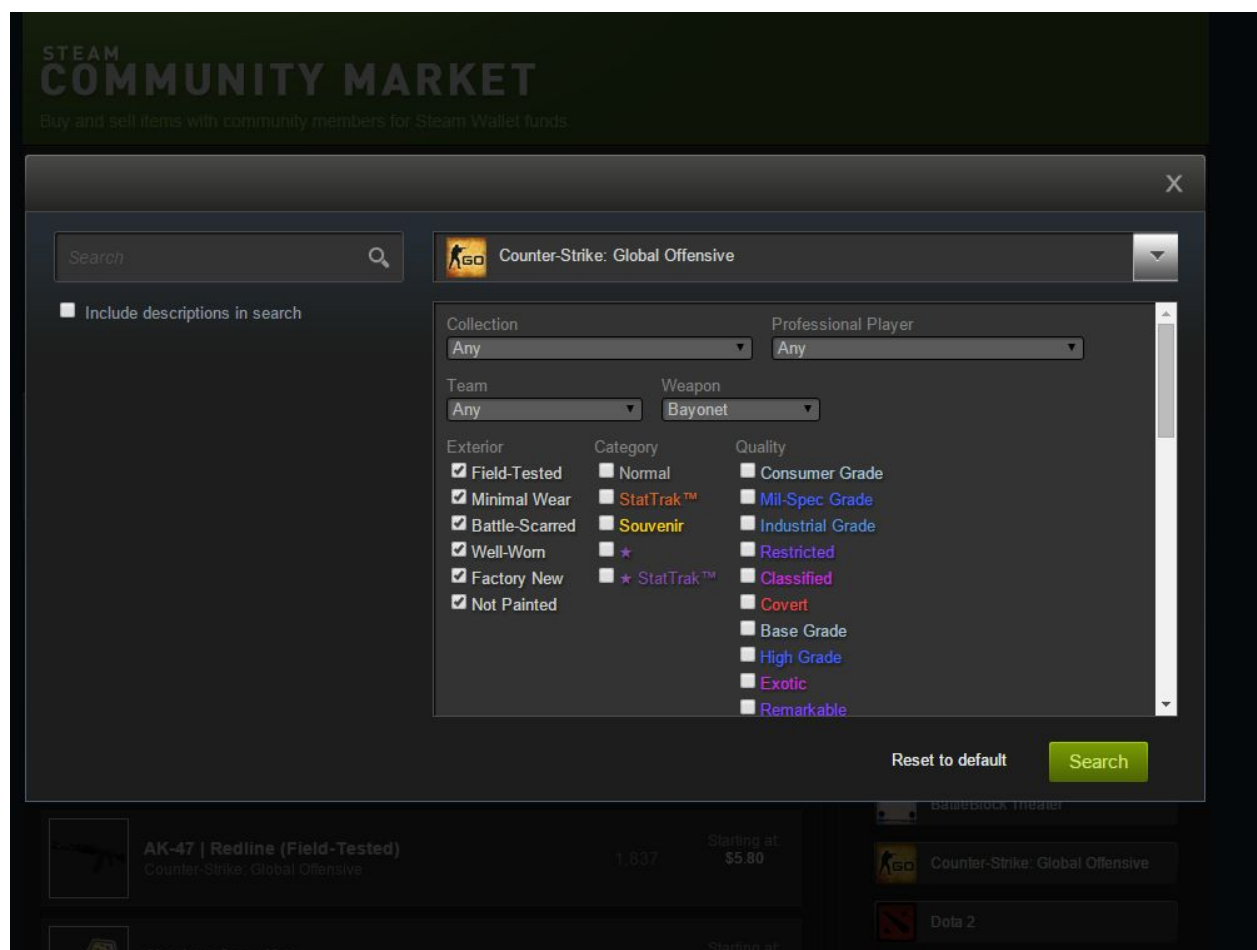


# User Profile: Markus Petersson

Markus is the 26-year-old manager of a convenience store, and much of his spare time is dedicated to playing CounterStrike: GO. While he admires all of the different cosmetic knives available on the Steam Community Market, he's never had the cash on hand to buy one himself. After receiving a \$100 holiday bonus, he's finally in the market. Unfortunately, under the current system there's no way for him to easily compare the prices of all the different types of knives, cosmetic skins, and skin conditions (scratches on the paint or lack thereof), preventing him from making an informed decision and getting the most bang for his buck. The best he can do currently is search by individual knife and select all the available conditions.



Even worse, once Markus submits the search, he finds that he can only sort the list by price, leaving him with an unorganized mess of different skins and conditions.

STEAM

COMMUNITY MARKET

Buy and sell items with community members for Steam Wallet funds.

Showing results for:

Counter-Strike: Global Offensive

Bayonet

Field-Tested

Minimal Wear







Battle-Scarred

Well-Worn

Factory New

Not Painted

Clear all

NAME	QUANTITY	PRICE ▲
 ★ Bayonet   Safari Mesh (Field-Tested) Counter-Strike: Global Offensive	16	Starting at \$71.70
 ★ Bayonet   Forest DDPAT (Battle-Scarred) Counter-Strike: Global Offensive	6	Starting at \$74.65
 ★ Bayonet   Safari Mesh (Well-Worn) Counter-Strike: Global Offensive	2	Starting at \$74.64
 ★ Bayonet   Safari Mesh (Battle-Scarred) Counter-Strike: Global Offensive	7	Starting at \$75.15
 ★ Bayonet   Urban Masked (Battle-Scarred) Counter-Strike: Global Offensive	6	Starting at \$75.00
 ★ Bayonet   Forest DDPAT (Field-Tested) Counter-Strike: Global Offensive	10	Starting at \$75.63

Find Items

Looking for a specific item?

Show advanced options...

What a headache! With CounterStrike: GO offering of nine different knives, nineteen skins, and five conditions, Markus could be here for a while.

With the new interface, Markus will find it's a bit easier to make the market work for him. Without even having to initiate a search, all the info he needs is right at his fingertips. Markus can easily get a general overview of the cheapest knives available...

Steam Community Market

Market (Knives) My Orders

Items Search Favorites

Altitude0 Lower & Foster  
BattleBlock Theater  
CounterStrike: GO  
Cases  
Keys  
Music  
Stickers  
Weapons  
Heavy  
Knives  
Bayonet  
Blue Steel  
Boreal Forest  
Case Hardened  
Crimson Web  
Factory New  
Minimal Wear  
Field Tested  
Well Worn  
Battle Scarred  
Damasus Steel  
Doppler  
Fade  
Forest DDPAT  
Marble Fade  
Night  
Rust Coat  
Safari Mesh  
Scorched  
Slaughter  
Stained  
Tiger Tooth  
Ultraviolet  
Urban Masked

CounterStrike: GO Knives

Sell An Item

Current Orders Price History

### SELLERS

Quantity	Price	Name	Skin	Condition	Seller	Age
1	\$50.72	Butterfly Knife	Forest DDPAT	Battle Scarred	Jon Jovi	45m22s
1	\$55.01	Butterfly Knife	Forest DDPAT	Battle Scarred	IDK My BFF Jill	32m22s
1	\$62.53	M9 Bayonet	Rust Coat	Well Worn	The_Enebricator	1h5m13s
1	\$72.34	Flip Knife	Fade	Field Tested	W+M1	43s
1	\$75.55	Karambit	Safari Mesh	Minimal Wear	Hilmar	2h53m2s
1	\$76.56	Karambit	Safari Mesh	Minimal Wear	Seagull	2h56m26s
1	\$84.43	Bayonet	Crimson Web	Well Worn	Tujiko Noriko	4h22m34s

### BUYERS

Quantity	Price	Name	Skin	Condition	Buyer	Age
1	\$398.48	Shadow Daggers	Case Hardened	Factory New	Anonymous (Selling Keys)	5m32s
1	\$377.72	Shadow Daggers	Crimson Web	Factory New	Barquo	2d12h22m7s
1	\$365.77	Out Knife	Fade	Factory New	Nikolai Agnon	17h13m18s
1	\$351.16	Flip Knife	Slaughter	Minimal Wear	Abzde	14h12m26s
1	\$325.81	Flip Knife	Stained	Factory New	Chill-out	5m44s
1	\$322.74	Karambit	Urban Masked	Factory New	Celmi	2h3m45s
1	\$315.12	M9 Bayonet	Safari Mesh	Factory New	Rina Kondur	44m23s

or view one knife in particular. However far he drills down into the item tree, he can always use the data table to sort by price, name, skin, or condition. By use of a context menu, he can also favorite an item, see more details or view it in game, and even share it with a friend to discuss the purchase.

Steam Community Market

Market (Bayonet) My Orders

Items Search Favorites

Altitude0 Lower & Foster  
BattleBlock Theater  
CounterStrike: GO  
Cases  
Keys  
Music  
Stickers  
Weapons  
Heavy  
Knives  
Bayonet  
Blue Steel  
Boreal Forest  
Case Hardened  
Crimson Web  
Factory New  
Minimal Wear  
Field Tested  
Well Worn  
Battle Scarred  
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Fade  
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Slaughter  
Stained  
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Urban Masked

CounterStrike: GO Knives Bayonet

Sell An Item

Current Orders Price History

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Buy  
Add To Favorites  
View Item Page  
View In Game  
Share

And of course, Markus can search. Using the newer, simpler, search feature, he can find any item much more quickly, and easily discover related items as well. In this example, he's used keywords 'CounterStrike', 'Safari Mesh', and 'Field Tested,' displaying all related items. Additionally, cases which contain items matching those criteria are also displayed.

Market (Bayonet)My Orders

ItemsSearchFavorites

CounterStrike: GO

Cases

Keys

Weapons

Heavy

Knives

Bayonet

Safari Mesh

Field Tested

Butterfly Knife

Falchion Knife

Flip Knife

Gut Knife

Huntsman Knife

Karambit

M9 Bayonet

Shadow Daggers

Pistols

Rifles

SMGs

CounterStrike: GOKnivesBayonetSafari Mesh

Field Tested

Sell An Item

Current OrdersPrice History

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# User Profile: Kyle Armstrong


Kyle is a 19-year-old college student, he buys and sells different items on the Steam Community Marketplace in order to generate a bit of pocket money. Recently, he's come up against a wall. As well as encountering the same issues Markus dealt with, the market is simply not designed for bulk or for-profit trading. Trade data is sparse, there's no data export or public API, and the listings are a nightmare. Currently, this is all the information available to Kyle when he decides whether or not an item would be a good investment.



For some items classified as commodities, there's a little bit more to go on, but it's not very helpful either.



### Shadow Case

 Counter-Strike: Global Offensive  
Base Grade Container

Container Series #80

Contains one of the following:

Dual Berettas | Dualing Dragons  
FAMAS | Survivor Z  
Glock-18 | Wraiths  
MAC-10 | Rangeen  
MAG-7 | Cobalt Core  
SCAR-20 | Green Marine  
XM1014 | Scumbria  
Galil AR | Stone Cold  
M249 | Nebula Crusader  
MP7 | Special Delivery  
P250 | Wingshot  
AK-47 | Frontside Misty  
G3SG1 | Flux  
SSG 08 | Big Iron  
M4A1-S | Golden Coil  
USP-S | Kill Confirmed  
or the Exceedingly Rare Shadow Daggers!

This item is a commodity, where all the individual items are effectively identical. Individual listings aren't accessible; you can instead issue orders to buy at a specific price, with the cheapest listing getting automatically matched to the highest buy order.

After purchase, this item:

- will not be tradable for one week

43448 for sale starting at \$1.43

Buy...

Price	Quantity
\$1.43	351
\$1.44	390
\$1.45	605
\$1.46	747
\$1.47	285
\$1.49 or more	41070

30297 requests to buy at \$1.33 or lower

Sell...

Price	Quantity
\$1.33	7
\$1.32	4
\$1.30	279
\$1.29	388
\$1.28	60
\$1.27 or less	29559













His own active buy and sell orders can at least be seen, but the readability could definitely be improved.

My Active Listings (10)

My Market History

Sell an item

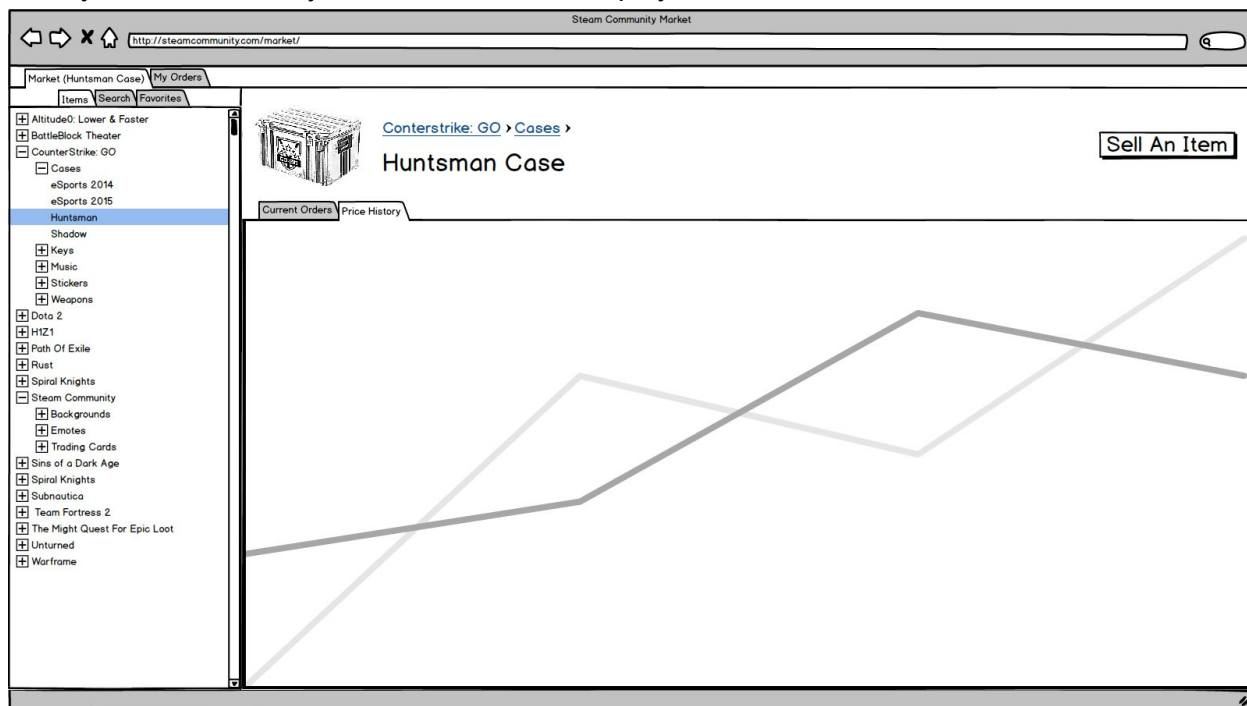
My sell listings (10)

NAME	LISTED ON	PRICE	
 <b>Transistor Booster Pack</b> Booster Pack	Jun 29	<b>\$1.39</b> (\$1.21)	Remove
 <b>Knights Leg Armor</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove
 <b>Knight Chestplate</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove
 <b>Berserker Leg Armor</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove
 <b>Minigun Turret</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove
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 <b>Speedy Shotgun</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove
 <b>Berserker Helmet</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove
 <b>Cryo Sniper</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove
 <b>Berserker Chestplate</b> Minimum	Aug 16	<b>\$0.03</b> (\$0.01)	Remove

My buy orders (0)

You do not have any buy orders.

Using the new Price History tab, Kyle can easily see market data for a particular item over a given period of time, with much more depth of information. A line chart displays market highs, lows, trading volume, and a Donchian channel. For commodities, as with all items under the new system, current buy and sell orders are displayed under the Current Orders tab.

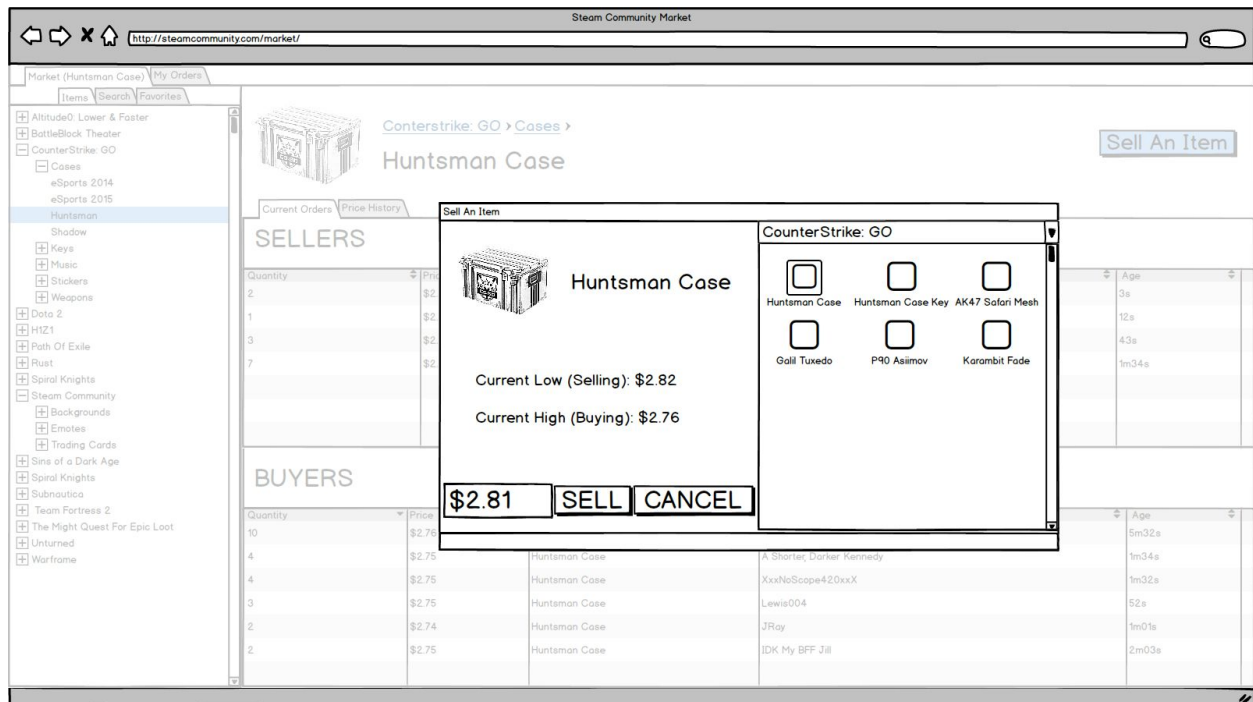


The My Orders page is also redesigned to display more data, and in a more easily readable format.

Steam Community Market				
http://steamcommunity.com/market/				
Market (Huntsman Case) My Orders				
SELLING				
Quantity	Price	Name	Game	Age
1	\$0.75	Negev Lighting (Minimal Wear)	CounterStrike:GO	1d3h27m5s
1	\$99.82	Vintage Earbuds	Team Fortress 2	23hr57m15s
BUYING				
Quantity	Price	Name	Game	Age
4	\$2.75	Huntsman Case	CounterStrike: GO	1m34s
1	\$0.11	FBI Trading Card	Steam Community	5h22m17s
Total Sell Orders: 2				
Total Sell Price: \$100.57				
Total Buy Orders: 2				
Total Buy Price: \$2.86				
Cash On Hand: \$13.40				



Kyle can also now easily view his inventory and list items for sale right from the store page, a feature new to the market.



NOTE: While this is a "Community" Market, fraud and scams are currently extremely commonplace. Because of this, the developers have disabled or restricted access to many social options, a decision reflected in the redesign as well.