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Observation Sheet: Market Sentiment vs Trader Performance Analysis

1. Total Trader PnL by Market Sentiment

• Visualization: Bar Chart showing total PnL grouped by sentiment classification.

• Insight:

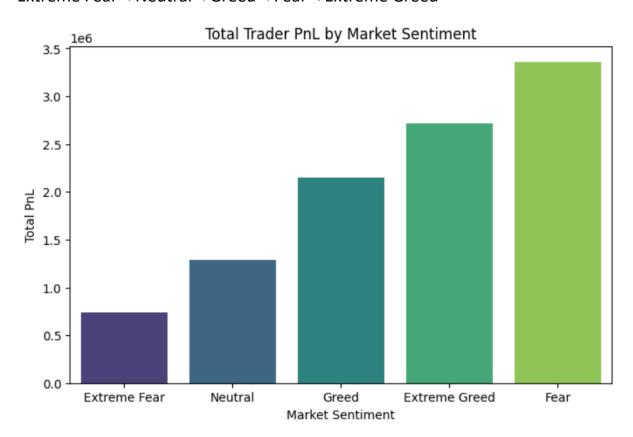
The total profit or loss generated by traders varies significantly across different market sentiment classes.

Based on the data:

- The lowest total PnL occurs during Extreme Fear.
- o This is followed by Neutral, Greed, and Fear.
- The highest total PnL is observed during Extreme Greed.

· Trend Order (Ascending):

Extreme Fear < Neutral < Greed < Fear < Extreme Greed



2. Average PnL per Trade by Sentiment

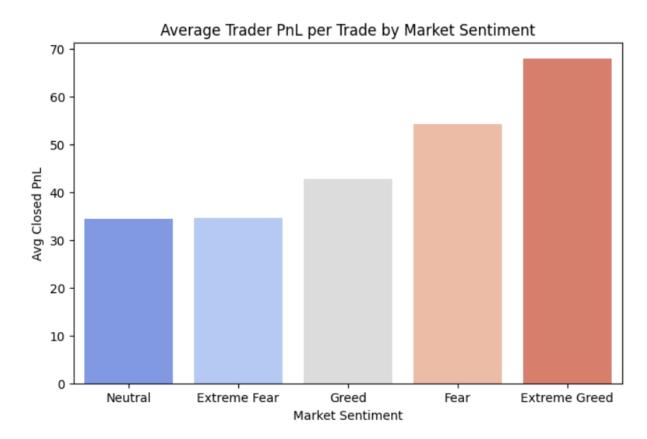
• Visualization: Bar Chart displaying average (mean) PnL per trade per sentiment class.

Insight:

While the total PnL helps understand overall gain/loss, average PnL highlights efficiency per trade.

On average:

- Trades made during Neutral and Extreme Fear sentiments yield the least average returns.
- Average profitability improves as sentiment shifts to Greed and Fear.
- The highest average PnL per trade is seen during Extreme Greed.
- Trend Order (Ascending):
 Neutral = Extreme Fear < Greed < Fear < Extreme Greed



3. <u>Trader PnL Over Time (Time Series)</u>

 Visualization: Line graph showing total daily PnL from all traders over time.

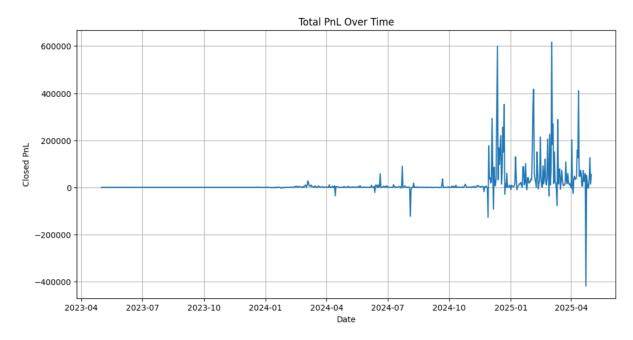
Insight:

This time series visualization captures temporal fluctuations in trader profitability.

- From early 2024 to November 2024, the PnL pattern shows small jittering, indicating stable but low activity.
- Starting from December 2024 to May 2024, there is a moderate to large increase in total trader profits, with multiple significant spikes.
- After this period, there is a sharp decline, marking a major dip in trader performance.

Conclusion:

Trader behaviour and profitability appear to follow cyclical or reactive patterns, possibly influenced by broader market changes or external events during those months.



4. Correlation Between Market Sentiment and Trader Performance

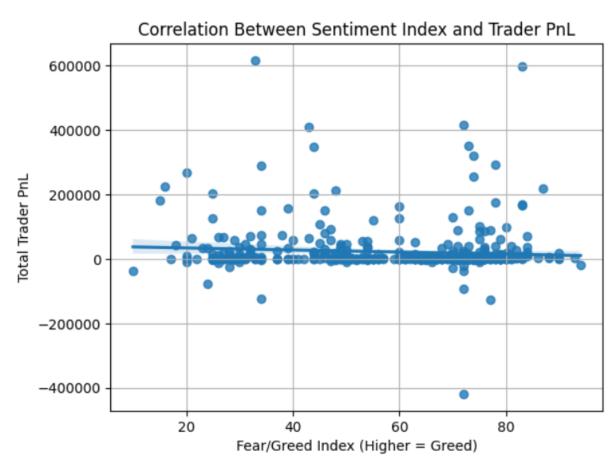
• Visualization: Scatter plot with regression line showing relationship between sentiment index (0–100) and total daily PnL.

Insight:

- The regression line shows a slightly negative slope, suggesting a mild inverse correlation between market sentiment and trader profitability.
- This indicates that traders may perform slightly better when the market is more fearful, possibly due to contrarian strategies or market inefficiencies during such periods.

Conclusion:

While the relationship isn't strong, it hints at possible behavioural trends — traders might be taking advantage of dips or panic phases.



<u>Summary of Key Findings</u>

- Extreme Greed is consistently associated with higher profits, both in total and per trade.
- Fear-based sentiment (Extreme Fear, Neutral) is linked to lower returns, but may still offer opportunities for some traders.
- The market period from Dec 2024 to May 2024 saw the highest activity and profit, followed by a downturn.
- Overall, trader profitability does not linearly increase with positive sentiment — performance may actually peak during high volatility or overconfidence (Extreme Greed), and some traders profit in fearful conditions.