

VantagePoint Intermarket Analysis Software

Trading is hard work normally, but in these tumultuous times of algorithmic trading, hedge fund dominance, and global, macro forces driving markets, traders need a sharp edge to compete successfully and come out on the winning side. **VantagePoint Intermarket Analysis Software** from Market Technologies gives individual traders that needed edge.

To be clear, VantagePoint does not produce buy or sell signals, nor is it an automated trading system. Instead, VantagePoint uses proprietary, patent-pending technologies involving neural networks applied to global intermarket analysis to analyze how related markets influence each other. These technologies produce unique predictive, technical indicators that make short-term, highly accurate trend forecasts.

In the trading world, the trend is truly your friend, and having a tool that can identify trends – particularly impending changes in trend direction -- reliably and consistently is a big step toward trading success.

VantagePoint has been serving traders since 1991 when Louis Mendelsohn first introduced trading software that utilized what, at the time, was his revolutionary intermarket-analysis approach using the pattern recognition features of neural networks. Mendelsohn is no stranger to

technical analysis. In 1983, he was the first person in the world to introduce strategy backtesting in commercially available trading software for personal computers.

Market Technologies has continued to increase VantagePoint's predictive accuracy over the past two decades by refining its application of neural networks to global intermarket data, while adding more leading indicators, expanding the markets covered, and generally improving the software's functionality and user-friendliness. Even newcomers to trading can easily benefit from its forecasting capabilities without having to "look under the hood."

Product Overview

VantagePoint software provides leading indicators for more than 600 markets in four major categories: **forex, futures, stocks, and exchange-traded funds (ETFs)**. The **forex** category includes the eight major currency pairs and 13 important *cross rate pairs*. The **futures** category covers all of the major financial and commodity markets.

In prior versions, VantagePoint forecasted only **U.S. Stocks** comprised of 12 popular U.S. Stock Sectors. The newest version has added even more U.S. stocks in response to customer demand. Even more exciting to VantagePoint's customer base in over 125 countries is the

addition of **12 Sectors of Indian stocks** as well as **12 sectors of Canadian stocks**.

VantagePoint has also expanded its forecasting coverage of **ETFs and now includes Canadian ETFs** in addition to U.S., international, short, and ultra short funds.

VantagePoint makes searching all of these global markets extremely easy with its IntelliScan® feature. Users can choose from more than 70 filters when scanning markets for a potential trade. When a market fits the selected

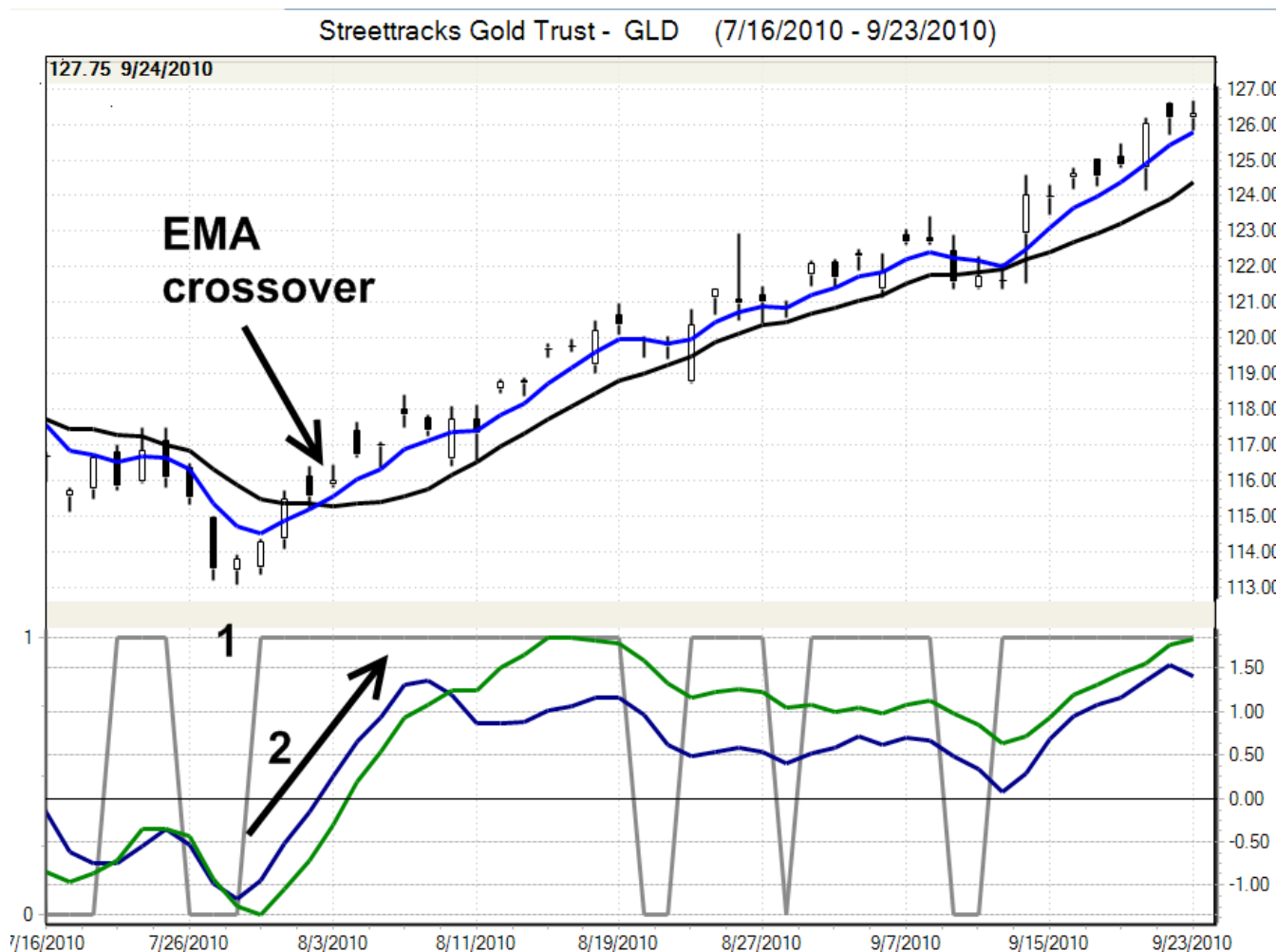
criteria, a mouse click takes you to that chart so you can decide if you want to make a trade. (This information is also available in daily and historical data tables, which are also exportable into Excel).

Leading Technical Indicators

The real power behind VantagePoint comes from the forecasts provided by its leading technical indicators derived from Mendelsohn's patent-pending technologies, which he and his research team have been perfecting

over the past quarter-century.

Predicted short-term, medium-term and long-term moving average crossovers When a predicted moving average crosses an actual moving average, it suggests an impending trend change. VantagePoint provides the optimal moving average combinations, but users can also choose their own combinations from among six predicted exponential moving averages of typical prices and three actual simple moving averages of the daily close.



Predicted short-term, medium-term and long-term differences

These indicators compare the differences between a predicted moving average and an actual moving average for the various time periods. The predicted differences act as a momentum indicator in evaluating a trend's strength or weakness and often provide an early alert about an impending trend change.

Predicted Neural Index (PIndex)

This proprietary indicator compares today's actual three-day moving average with a predicted three-day moving average to forecast whether the typical price will be up or down in two days. PIndex is the indicator cited by Market Technologies for its accuracy rates of up to 86% across a broad range of markets over a broad range of time. **PREDICTED NEXT DAY HIGH AND LOW**

This indicator gives traders a heads-up on what to expect for the next day's

trading range. Breakouts from this range can be used to identify precise entry/exit points to go along with the short-term forecasts provided by other indicators.

Other Predicted technical indicators

These indicators actually forecast values one day ahead for such popular indicators as Moving Average Convergence-Divergence (MACD), Stochastics, Relative Strength Index, and True Strength Index.



The VantagePoint charts also provide other information, such as volume, open interest, differences between the predicted high or low and actual high or low. Included as well is the nifty ProfitCalc™ tool, which lets you instantly see the difference in points and dollars between two dates on a chart. The tool even calculates pips for forex traders, and ticks and points for futures traders.

The Accuracy of the Leading Indicators

Extensive evaluations and certified independent, scientific studies conducted by Ph.D. mathematicians and rocket scientists over decades verify VantagePoint's accuracy statistics.

A recent study demonstrates, once again, VantagePoint's predictive indicators live up to the expectations set by Market Technologies. Here is a summary of the accuracy study broken down by market segment for the period 10/30/2009 to 4/30/2010. **Commodities:** The average percent accuracy for the Neural Index was 78.1%, with a low of 73.3% for E-mini Silver, to a high of 84.7% for ASX All Ordinaries, E-Mini Japanese Yen, Gas Oil.

Forex: The average percent accuracy for the Neural Index was 79.1%, with a low of 74.8% for Euro / U.S. Dollar, to a high of 82.4% for Australian Dollar / Canadian Dollar.

ETFs: The average percent accuracy for the Neural Index was 76.4%, with a low of 71.8% for iShares MSCI Germany IDX, to a high of 84.7% for iShares COMEX Gold Trust.

Stocks: The average percent accuracy for the Neural Index was 77.3%, with a low

of 70.2% for Adobe, to a high of 87.0% for Cheesecake Factory.

Of course, there is no "holy grail" in trading, and nothing works 100% of the time, but increasing the odds of success is what trading is all about. VantagePoint does this. The fact that traders across the globe have successfully utilized VantagePoint since 1991 is a testament to its predictive accuracy and increasing relevance in today's globally interconnected trading environment where correlations and hidden relationships between related (and even seemingly unrelated) markets now dictate market movements more than ever.

Conclusion

Intuitively, traders realize that today's markets influence each other, and the VantagePoint indicators, relying on intermarket analysis and an "intelligent" neural-network process, provide a unique perspective on markets, a perspective you won't find in any other analytical software package. Traders still need to develop their own strategies using these indicators, but with the outstanding customer support and the educational materials available, traders quickly get up to speed, which makes it possible to recoup the cost of the software very quickly. The quality of VantagePoint speaks to the adage, "You get what you pay for." If you are serious about becoming a successful trader or investor and you are looking for an edge that spots and helps confirm potentially profitable trading opportunities, while helping you to avoid dangerous traps, VantagePoint is the tool for the job.

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