

TimingResearch.com Newsletter BETA

Week 5 - 10/27/13 Report

Excellent responses again this week, thank you!

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This Week's Responses:

Below are the questions, some thoughts about several of them, and the results. You can also download the raw data for yourself at TimingResearch.com/rawdata.

#1: Optional: What economic, political, or other news and events are you expecting to happen next week that might have a positive or negative effect on the markets?

"jobs report"

"slow week-earnings wont surprise--govt takes a deep breath and ob care gets a refresher"

"Good or Bad it doesn't matter any more as it only seems to effect the market for a short time."

"I think there is a jobs report"

"This week gas prices are lower, which should bring up the DOW next week."

"Fed Meeting"

"Time for a pull back after recent advances."

"Janet Yellen"

"Corporate earnings"

"Central Banks in Europe raising equity and People's Bank of China tightening cash positions as well."

"Influence from Asia may have the markets moving sideways to slightly down."

"earnings announcements"

"none - slow week"

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"Obamacare problems....."

#2: Would you guess that the Dow Jones Industrial Average (Dow 30) index will move higher or lower next week? (from Monday's open to Friday's close)

Higher: 65.38%
Lower: 34.62%

#3: How many percentage points would you guess that this move will end up being? (the average for this time period is about 1.7%, the largest ever is about 18%, and last week's was lower by 1.16%)

Total Average: 0.54%
Higher Average: 1.53%
Lower Average: -1.22%

#4: Rate your level of confidence in your answer to Question #2.

Total Average: 60.00%
Higher Guess Average: 62.50%
Lower Guess Average: 55.56%

#5: Which Dow 30 stock do you think will have the largest percentage gain next week? (ticker symbol only please)

Number of mentions and symbol.

4: V	1: CSCO	1: PG
2: BA	1: DD	1: TRV
2: IBM	1: HD	1: VZ
2: MSFT	1: JNJ	1: XOM
2: T	1: JPM	
1: AXP	1: NKE	

#6: Which Dow 30 stock do you think will have the largest percentage loss next week? (ticker symbol only please)

Number of mentions and symbol.

3: IBM	1: CSCO	1: T
3: XOM	1: CVX	1: TRV
2: HD	1: DIS	1: UTX
2: JPM	1: JNJ	1: WMT
2: MCD	1: MRK	
1: CAT	1: PFE	

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#7: You are trade or invest in which of the following asset types?

Stocks/ETFs: 83.33%
Options: 83.33%
Futures: 16.67%
Currencies: 20.83%
Bonds: 8.33%
Real Estate: 12.50%
None of the above: 4.17%

#8: Over the last year or so, what of the following methods of trading have you tried that have been *profitable* for you? (feel free to provide more details in the comments if you would like to)

Trading based on a system you developed yourself: 50.00%
Trading based on methods you learned in a course/book: 40.91%
Trading based on a newsletter or recommendation service: 22.73%
Trading based on black box /autotrading software program: 0.00%
Trading based on the advice from a trading room: 13.64%
Other: 9.09%

#9: Over the last year or so, what of the following methods of trading have you tried that have been *unprofitable* for you? (feel free to provide more details in the comments if you would like to)

Trading based on a system you developed yourself: 4.76%
Trading based on methods you learned in a course/book: 23.81%
Trading based on a newsletter or recommendation service: 57.14%
Trading based on black box /autotrading software program: 28.57%
Trading based on the advice from a trading room: 23.81%
Other: 4.76%

#10: Comments/Questions/Suggestions?

"Lots of crap out there. If the performance was as good as the marketing, we'd all be rich."

"2 new questions were excellently worded...very useful and interesting...good job!"

Last Week's Results:

For the survey guessing the activities of the market for October 21st through 25th, the following results were produced:

Higher: 66.67%
Lower: 33.33%

Higher Guess Average: 3.08%
Lower Guess Average: 1.24%

Overall Guess: Higher by 1.64%

The actual result ended up being: Higher by 1.10%

For which stock would have the largest gain, here are some of the popular guesses and their actual percentage change:

3: DIS - 2.96%
2: MRK - -0.34%
2: VZ - 1.40%

For which stock would have the largest loss, here are some of the popular guesses and their actual percentage change:

4: IBM - 1.39%
2: WMT - 0.48%
2: XOM - 0.54%

You can download the full spreadsheet showing the results of all components during this time period at this link: TimingResearch.com/rawdata.

Thank you to everyone for participating, surveys will be posted each week by Thursday morning at the following link and you will be notified by email: TimingResearch.com/currentsurvey.

Email me with any feedback: news@timingresearch.com