Question #1. Which direction do you think the S&P500 index will move from this coming Monday's open to Friday's close (September 16th to 20th)?
(The order of possible responses to this question on the survey were randomized for each viewer.)

Higher: 47.8%
Lower: 52.2%
Higher/Lower Difference: -4.3%

Question #2. Rate your confidence in your answer to Question #2 by estimating the probability you have correctly predicted next week's market move.

Average of All Responses: 67.0%
Average For "Higher" Responses: 68.6%
Average For "Lower" Responses: 65.4%
Higher/Lower Difference: 3.2%

Responses Submitted This Week: 25
52-Week Average Number of Responses: 36.5

TimingResearch Crowd Forecast Prediction: 55% Chance Higher
This prediction is an attempt by the editor of this newsletter to use the full 5+ year history of data collected from this project to forecast a probability estimate for whether this week's sentiment is going to be correct and ultimately what the markets will do this coming week.

Details: Last week's majority sentiment from the survey was 70.6% Higher, and the Crowd Forecast Indicator prediction was 60% Chance Higher; the S&P500 closed 0.63% Higher for the week. This week’s majority sentiment from the survey is 52.2% Lower with a greater average confidence from those who responded Higher. Similar conditions have occurred 22 times in the previous 311 weeks, with the majority sentiment (Lower) being correct 45% of the time and with an average S&P500 move of 0.10% Lower for the week. Based on that history, the TimingResearch Crowd Forecast Indicator is forecasting a 55% Chance that the S&P500 is going to move Higher this coming week.
Full Weekly Results (full version of this chart available in the raw data spreadsheet for this week, "Date" field below lists the Monday of the week being predicted).

**Overall Sentiment All-Time “Correct” Percentage: 51.8%**

**Overall Sentiment 52-Week “Correct” Percentage: 54.9%**

**Overall Sentiment 12-Week “Correct” Percentage: 45.5%**

Only the previous 52 weeks of data are shown below, please download the raw data to see the full range of past data.
NOTE: The following open-ended answers are solely the opinions of the anonymous respondents to this survey. Responses are mostly unedited, but some have been reformatted slightly for to make them easier to read. Some irrelevant responses (e.g. "none"), or anything obviously fake, or copy and pasted responses have been omitted. All-caps responses have been changed to all lowercase. All responses for each week, unedited, are available in the raw data spreadsheets at TimingResearch.com/data.

Question #3. For your answer to Question #1, please share what specific reason(s) you think the S&P500 will be heading the direction you chose.

“Higher” Respondent Answers:

• trend
• Bounce
• FED lowering interest rate
• wave 5 still finishing
• recently the S & P broke out of compression
• Momentum
• Market ready for a blow off when rates rise, Setup continues until rates rise blow off coming soon
• sideways move at highs before breaking to new highs
• momentum Fed anticipation internals

“Lower” Respondent Answers:

• Resistance area maybe more selling than buying
• travel too far  too fast
• Chart top
• Oil issues middle east and other macroeconomic factors in Europe.
• The S&P 50-day MA is flattening, and the S&P is skirting near the top Bollinger band, which makes a short-time pop less likely. Also, dissent on the Fed may keep the FOMC statement from being dovish.
• Thursday high
• Profit booking may come in the next week
Question #4. What methods or techniques do you use to overcome the emotional aspects of trading?

- Have a fixed plan for long term investing
- daily chart
- 20 day. 50 day ma
- I STAY in my Comfort Zone
- sit and watch all my right analysis go to waste
- Oversold/overbought conditions
- back tested strategies and rules
- I am not all that successful at it but try to follow a plan
- Scotch on the Rocks!
Question #5. Additional Comments/Questions/Suggestions?

Thank you for all the feedback, feel free to contact us at any time with any other questions or comments.

- i think i will like this page it is like having a trading buddy
- Gold stalls and begins to move higher
Standing Predictions

Below are some of the one-time prediction-type questions asked in previous weeks that have not been finalized yet or have been finalized recently. Suggest a future question here.

**Week #283, 02/24/19 Report** - What year do you think recreational cannabis use will be federally legalized in the United States?
- 4%: 2019
- 40%: 2020
- 12%: 2021
- 20%: 2022
- 0%: 2023
- 8%: 2024
- 16%: After 2024 or Never