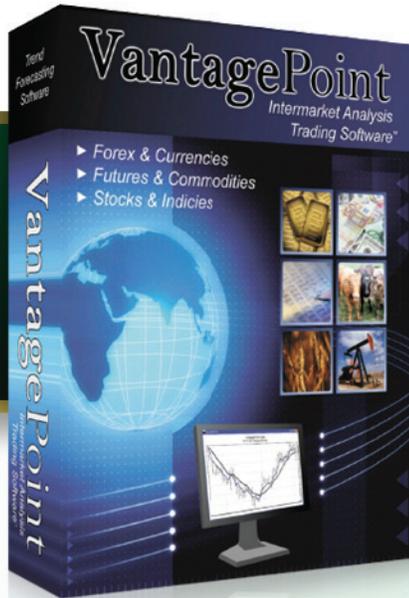


# VantagePoint 8.6

Intermarket Analysis Software utilizing leading, not lagging, indicators  
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Category: **Trading Software**

*A long record of success speaks as loudly as any review can about a product. In the world of trading and investing software, a long record of success means a whole lot more than any review. It means traders and investors are consistently making money. Since 1991, **VantagePoint Intermarket Analysis Software** has helped traders and investors consistently make money with accurate, short-term trend movement predictions. It is not enough, however, just to point that out. Traders and investors need to know why the analytic philosophy behind it and the technological structure creating the predictions helps traders and investors make money.*

## OVERVIEW

VantagePoint is different, and has been since Louis Mendelsohn fractured the trading software industry with his introduction of the first intermarket analysis trading software in 1991. The idea was “revolutionary” back then, but today, if you are not using intermarket analysis, your “edge” is not nearly as sharp as it could be. In today’s highly inter-connected, Internet-driven economic world, markets no longer behave in isolation. Single-market analysis is of little help anymore as markets affect markets profoundly on a daily and intraday basis. Thus, to maximize the probability of success in trading or investing, one needs to analyze a particular market in relation to other markets that affect that market – intermarket analysis. VantagePoint does this, and it does it well with an 80% plus accuracy rate of its Predicted Neural Index (PNI), which predicts market movement two days in advance. This predictive indicator, along with a bevy of other leading indicators (not lagging indicators) makes VantagePoint different.

The “80% plus” accuracy comes from numerous independent tests since 1991. For this review, however, an independent PhD and trader was commissioned to perform tests on VantagePoint’s accuracy. He chose at random a forex pair, a futures market, and an individual US Stock and then analyzed three years of actual market data from November 2008 to November 2011. The average of the results below is 79.7%, quite astonishing for the market volatility of the last three years, and it suggests strongly that the 80% plus accuracy rate itself is accurate.

Forex: <b>EUR/USD</b>	<b>79.0%</b>
Futures: <b>Emini Light Sweet Crude Oil</b>	<b>81.6%</b>
Stock: <b>Whole Foods (WFM)</b>	<b>78.5%</b>

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### New Features in 8.6

- The stocks category now includes 12 major sectors each stock market in the US, Canada, Australia, India, and the UK.
- The forex category now includes the eight major currency pairs and 13 important cross-pairs.
- This version increased the number of ETFs in seven categories: commodity, currency, international, short and ultra-short, Canada, UK, and US funds.

The other important differing aspect of VantagePoint is the intermarket analysis derives from neural networks, a highly sophisticated set of algorithms that create an intuitive outcome, a trend prediction for a market based on input from over 25 different but related markets. Understand, VantagePoint has been doing this since 1991, but in no way is it stagnant. With each new release, VantagePoint delivers retrained and updated neural networks that have learned the recent past for over 1300 markets in nine categories. Those are: Futures, Commodities, Forex, ETFs, US Stocks, Canadian Stocks, Canadian Funds, and Indian Stocks (certain restrictions exist), and in this newest version, VantagePoint offers the Australian Exchange (ASX), the 8th largest equity market in the world. VantagePoint has to stay ahead, as over 10,000 customers in 115 countries demand it. Version 8.6 is the latest improvement to satisfy that demand.

## CONCLUSION

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VantagePoint has been so good for so long that reviewing it is easy. Every version is faster, more reliable, more efficient, sleeker, easier to use, and it offers more categories to find potential trades. Some things, however, remain constant. One of those constants is the IntelliScan feature in VantagePoint. In less than 10 seconds, Intelliscan can identify many dozens of potential trades using criteria chosen from more than 70 filters. You can customize Intelliscan to your exact specifications, thus reducing or increasing considerably the number of potential trades identified.

Another constant is the quality of its customer service. Understand, this is so much more than someone on the other end of a phone answering questions. That exists, and those folks do their jobs well, but "customer service" for VantagePoint users means education in the use of VantagePoint. It means long-time traders writing in-depth articles about how to use VantagePoint. It means videos identifying and explaining successful VantagePoint strategies. It means e-books, webinars, forums, and other venues for discussing VantagePoint. It means, in short, the creators of VantagePoint want you to succeed and will do much to get you there.