Thursday, 6/20/13

EUR French Flash Manufacturing PMI						RISK: 2	6E 09-13	
3:00 am Easterr	n Paci	fic	Forecast: 47.1					
Avg 1st Peak: 16 ticks		Min: 6 ticks (OCT '12)			Max: 34 ticks (JAN '13)			
(1-4 min after r								
Avg 2nd Peak: 33 ticks		Min: 20 ticks (FEB '13))	Max: 44 ticks (JAN '13)		
(9-29 min after report)								
Avg Reversal: 15 ticks		Min: 9 ticks (AUG '12)				Max: 31 ticks (JUL '12)		
(12-23 min after report)								
Last 6 Reports:	4 : SPK/R	4 : SPK/REV 5		ND PK	1 : DULL		1: INDECISIVE	
Last 12 Reports:	3:SPK/REV		7:2	ND PK	1 : DULL		1: INDECISIVE	
Recommended BracketDistance setting:				3		5 Tick Stop		

Newer report for JOBB. This report releases 2 min early so you will see the spike move on the :59 bar. Set your activation time for xx:57:57. Last month was indecisive with the services reading opposing the manufacturing, but the only indecisive of the last year. This is a smaller moving report and often peaks after the first bar. It has had 1 dull reaction (6 ticks) in the last year, but with a 3 tick bracket still allows for 2-3 ticks to be captured. Look for 8-17 ticks on the spike, 25-35 ticks on a possible 2nd peak, and 10-17 ticks on the reversal in 12-23 min. This breaks at the beginning of the European trading session, so the volume on the 6E will be fairly high. The potential for a 2nd peak is fairly high with 7 occurrences in the last 12. Remember the German report breaks 30 min after the French, so ensure you are out of any trade before the bottom of the hour (:27 bar).

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EUR German Flash Manufacturing PMI						RISK: 2	6E 09-13	
3:30 am Eastern / 12:30 am Pacific				Forecast: 49.9				
Avg 1st Peak: 2! (1-4 min after r	Min: 7 ticks (NOV '12))	Max: 53 ticks (APR '13)			
Avg 2nd Peak: 47 ticks (9-29 min after report)		Min: 23 ticks (NOV '12)			2)	Max: 104 ticks (APR '13)		
Avg Reversal: 27 ticks		Min: 13 ticks (APR '13)			3)	Max: 40 ticks (MAR '13)		
(12-23 min after report)								
Last 6 Reports:	0:SPK/REV 5:		5 : 2	ND PK	0 : DULL		1: INDECISIVE	
Last 12 Reports:	s: 0:SPK/REV		10:2	ND PK	1 : DULL		1: INDECISIVE	
Recommended BracketDistance setting:				4		5 Tick Stop		

Newer report for JOBB. This report releases 2 min early so you will see the spike move on the :29 bar. Set your activation time for xx:27:57. Last month was indecisive with the services reading opposing the manufacturing, but the only indecisive of the last year. This is a consistent medium moving report and often peaks after the first bar. It has had one dull reaction of 7 ticks. 10 out of the last 12 reports have yielded a 2nd peak. Look for 12-30 ticks on the spike, 26-50 ticks on a likely 2nd peak in 9-25 min, and 10-17 ticks on the reversal in 12-23 min. This breaks 30 min after the beginning of the European trading session and the French report, so the volume on the 6E will be fairly high.

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Unemployment Claims						RISK: 2	6J 09-13	
8:30 am Eastern	Pacific Forecast: 34			t: 34	3 K			
Avg 1st Peak: 16 (1-3 min after r	Min: 5 ticks (1/31/13)				Max: 41 ticks (5/16/13)			
Avg 2nd Peak: 38 ticks (12-26 min after report)		Min: 17 ticks (2/21/13)			3)	Max: 67 ticks (5/9/13)		
Avg Reversal: 27 ticks (13-64 min after report)		Min: 8 ticks (3/21/13)			Max: 83 ticks (5/2/13)			
Last 10 Reports: 5 : SPK/REV		EV	3:21	ND PK		1 : DULL	1: INDECISIVE	
Recommended BracketDistance setting:				g:	4 10 1		10 Tick Stop	

2 weeks ago was indecisive due to the result matching the forecast, but the first on the 6J recommended for trading since late January. It may not average as many ticks, but it tends to be safer and more reliable. Through late FEB and early MAR, the claims have been between 330 and 345K. April and May saw a downturn to the 350 - 360K area. Then the last 2 weeks were 334K and 346K. With the forecast of 343K in the middle of there, if the reading comes in better than 330K, or worse than 360K look for a big pop of 20 or more ticks. Otherwise, a quick 10-15 ticks with a pullback a few seconds later will likely be seen on a reading within 20K of the forecast - in that case move the stop loss to near breakeven and exit quickly.

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Natural Gas Storage (Yellow Report)						RISK: 5	NG 07-13	
10:30 am Easte	rn / 7:30 ar	n Pacific Forecast: xx			t: xxB	FT ³		
Avg 1st Peak: 68 (1-2 min after r	Min: 16 ticks (10/25/12)			12)	Max: 170 ticks (5/2/13)			
Avg 2nd Peak: 121 ticks (4-20 min after rpt)		Min:	39 ticks	s (7/26/1	2)	Max: 257	ticks (6/14/12)	
Avg Reversal: 68 ticks		Min: 16 ticks (3/8/12))	Max: 155 ticks (8/16/12)		
(11-40 min afte	r Pk)							
Last 10 Reports:	4:SPK/REV		4:2	2ND PK) : DULL	2 : INDECISIVE	
Last 25 Reports:	Reports: 12 : SPK/REV		10:2	2ND PK) : DULL	3: INDECISIVE	
Recommended BracketDistance setting:						10	20 Tick Stop	

Trade with caution and ensure you understand the risk. THIS IS THE RISKIEST REPORT FOR JOBB. Occasionally prone to opposite direction spike 1-2 sec before report is released. USE of JOBB is highly risky due to the potential of the order filling in the wrong direction.

We are recommending a new approach to this report after a successful trial period in the last 2 months. This report offers large profit potential, but often has a premature spike and high slippage. **Set your bracket entry time 1 min early** (xx:28:57). If you get a premature spike, then look to exit and take the profit. If you do not get a filled on the :30 bar, leave the order to wait to fill on the :31 bar for the normal move.

This report is similar to the CL inventory, but it is prone to a decisive direction after the report release and about 15-25 ticks of slippage. Look for 20-40 ticks net on the spike after slippage, and a reversal that often exceeds the spike. If the offset between the result and the forecast is less than 10, trading the reversal is a safe proposition. If the results are matching or nearly matching, trap trading the breakouts is a good play.