

# INSIIDE Track

## “2022/2023: Gold, Solar, Seismic & War Cycles”

### 2021: Eye of the Storm

#### 2022/2023 Challenges Ahead

**09-29-21** - For over a decade, **2021** has been forecast to usher in a seismic global shift - both in the markets and beyond them. That does not mean that 2021 would be packed full with cataclysmic events.

It could be just the opposite - a bit like the eye of a hurricane in which a temporary cessation of the violent winds of change soon gives way to an equally or more intense 'wind'.

**2021** was forecast to time the culmination of the latest phase of the uncanny *40-Year Cycle of Currency Wars* - a battle that flares back up every ~40 years, pitting the proponents of fiat currency (paper, debt-backed script) against those that advocate hard currency (precious metals).

This battle was projected to time another strong advance in Gold - from 2016 (projected to be *The Golden Year* and usher in a new multi-year bull market in Gold) into 2021 as the two sides battle for currency supremacy.

That would perpetuate an uncanny cycle that timed related battles in 1976 - 1981, 1936 - 1941, 1896 - 1901, 1856 - 1861, 1816 - 1821 & 1776 - 1781 and well before the founding of the US, dating back into the 1200's. *Gold fulfilled that outlook.*

#### Context & Clarity

One of the challenges involved in publishing this type of cycle analysis is trying to explain why '*expecting the unexpected*' is not a contradiction in terms. The key is to remember the lessons of history and learn from them (instead of repeating them).

Very often, the general public is either ignorant or apathetic of these types of reality and are repeatedly explaining away these '*black swan events*' as something that no one could have anticipated or seen

coming. Perhaps that is true.

*But, is it possible to see the multiple warning signs leading up to these events - and to realize it is time to take some precautionary measures?*

Cycle analysis would adamantly argue it is possible!

Many 'unexpected events' (i.e. 2001 *War Cycles* that prompted published analysis for a '*surprise attack on America's shores*'; the 2007 culmination of *17 & 34-Year Cycles* that projected a 1-2 year, 50% drop in Stock Indices as well as a corresponding real estate debacle; Earthquake cycles in 2010 - 2011 that ushered in an unstable time on Earth; 2006 - 2014 projections for a spike in *Disease Cycles* in 2019/2020, *Stock Panic Cycles* forecast for 1Q '20) were discussed before the fact and ultimately came to fruition.

Another of these 'unexpected' events - expected in **2022 - 2023** - is a major solar storm and the resulting damage or disruption to power grids and communication networks, both ground and space-based.

*Hopefully, that will just be a temporary 'glitch'.*

However, history is replete with examples of similar events that caused pretty significant '*glitches*'.

2021 ushered in a 2 - 3 year period when *Solar Storm Cycles* intensify and collide. While **2023** is my primary focus in this analysis, the surrounding years could be just as dangerous. *Why?*

#### Synergy of Cycles

*Synergy is the key to all of life.* As the author of Ecclesiastes (usually assumed to be King Solomon) stated ~3,000 years ago:

*“Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor. For if one falls down, his companion can lift him up; but pity the one who falls with-*

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*out another to help him up! ...And though one may be overpowered, two can resist. Moreover, a cord of three strands is not quickly broken.”*

*Ecclesiastes 4:9 - 12 NIV*

That also applies to all forms of analysis, whether technical, cyclical, or even fundamental.

*The more corroborating events reaching the same conclusion (particularly when they normally have a high level of non-correlation), the greater the chances of it coming to fruition.*

In my work, that principle also applies to cycle hierarchy. When there are several independent or unrelated cycles that recur at the same time - it increases the reliability of that cycle. Let me explain...

I have discussed this topic before but it is always good to reiterate something of this significance.

For the past 3+ decades, I have written on - and attempted to highlight - the importance of two very natural cycles that strongly impact the interplay between the magnetic forces of Earth and the Sun... and therefore everything that is magnetic in nature (like humans).

[For a more detailed description, readers can start at <https://www.insiidetracktrading.com/17-year-cycle/> & <https://www.insiidetracktrading.com/11-year-cycle/>. Also refer to page 3 of the Sept '21 *INSIIDE Track*.]

-- The ~11.2-Year Cycle times the approximate (average) interval between highs and/or lows of the Sunspot Cycle. The impact on Earth is felt strongest when solar flares eject CMEs toward Earth creating a geomagnetic storm that sometimes strikes Earth.

-- The ~17-Year Cycle times the 'to and away' interplay between the Sun's and the Earth's geomagnetic force and, in my opinion, impacts everything from earth instability to socio-economic instability. Not surprisingly, it also drives the 17-year cicada from its

underground 'hibernation' - possibly influenced by a similar long-term cycle of magnetivity.

### The 34-Year Cycle

75% of the time, these two cycles are staggered - at the ~11, ~17 & ~22-year intervals.

25% of the time - at the ~34-year interval (as well as ~68 - 69 and 102 - 103 year intervals) - the ~11-Year Cycle and the ~17-Year Cycle converge, theoretically increasing the magnetic impact of their independent cycles.

As with any cycle, an individual recurrence of a single cycle typically has a muted effect and might not be noticed by anyone except the most astute observer. In contrast, the synergy of multiple cycles 'ups the ante' and increases the potential for resulting events.

*“A dominant 16–17 yr cycle was observed in the net exposure times of the Earth to Toward and Away field directions of the interplanetary magnetic field (IMF). A cycle of the same frequency and phase was observed in the polarity of the long-term hemispheric differences in coronal hole distributions... It is argued that the 17-yr cycle is a fundamental oscillation of coronal hole topology, which is transferred to Earth via variations in the neutral sheet.*

*...At Earth, evidence for a similar 17-yr cycle was observed in the horizontal magnetic field observations in a multitude of surface magnetic recording stations... It is concluded that sufficient preliminary evidence exists to consider the hypothesis that the Sun contains a magnetic moment with an oscillatory cycle of 17 years.”*

*Evidence for a 17-year Cycle in the IMF Directions at 1 AU, in Solar Coronal Hole Variations, and in Planetary Magnetospheric Modulations by David A. Juckett*

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### The 17-Year Solar Storm Cycle

*It is also worth noting when the unexpected occurs.*

One would naturally anticipate the ~11-year cycle to time some of the major solar storms of the past couple centuries.

While there is some truth to that, the more intriguing realization is that there continues to be a very consistent ~17-year cycle between some of the most significant, most powerful and/or most rapid solar storms (felt on Earth) of the past 150+ years.

The following list highlights many of the most dramatic (strongest, fastest moving, largest disruption) solar storms of the past ~120 years - all adhering closely to the 17-Year Cycle and hinting that a related storm could occur in/around **2023**:

**Oct - Nov 1903** - Most significant storm - during a solar minimum period\*\* - on record. \*\*It occurred less than 2 years from the start of *Solar Cycle 14* in Jan 1902... *similar to where Solar Cycle 25 is now.*

**May 1921** - Most intense geomagnetic storm of 20th century - also known as the *New York Railroad Storm* due to the fact it blew out the entire switching and signaling system of the NY Railroad - creating flames shooting out of the switchboard and igniting the entire building.

It wreaked havoc across Europe and was the lowest latitude aurora borealis ever documented (including observations in Pasadena, CA). *This storm was also near the low of the Sunspot Cycle.*

**Jan 16 - 26, 1938 (Fatima Storm)** - Massive solar storm that disrupted all transatlantic radio communication. Auroras seen around the globe on Jan 25/26, including S California, Bermuda, Scotland, Austria, Sicily, Gibraltar and Portugal. Due to the intensity of those aurora, cities like Venice, London and even San Diego were thought to be ablaze.

A few months earlier (in 1937), the ‘*worst storm in a hundred years*’ occurred and lasted 4 days. In the ensuing years (demonstrating that this 17-Year Cycle often times a multi-year period of solar storm ‘swarms’, similar to earthquake and volcano cycles), at least three other significant storms impacted Earth in 1940 - 1941.

**1955** did not produce any significant storms but ushered in a 3 - 4 year period with the greatest concentration of significant storms (Feb '56, Sept '57, Feb '58 & July '59) coming just after - arriving ~17 years from the 1940/41 storms just cited.

The Feb '56 *Acheron Submarine Storm* arrived less than two months after 1955 and produced ‘*the most intense cosmic ray blast ever recorded*’. Since the ~17-Year Cycle is actually a ~17.2-Year Cycle (a multiple of 2.15, 4.3 & 8.6-year cycles), this Feb '56 storm fulfilled that cycle.

**Aug 1972** - Fastest moving CME and most extreme *Solar Particle Event* in recorded history; caused accidental detonation of many magnetic-influenced sea mines. To date, this storm was the ‘*most hazardous to human spaceflight*’ (during the Space Age).

**Mar 1989 (Quebec Blackout Storm)** - Massive storm that disabled the entire Quebec power grid - impacting 6 million people, leaving many trapped in darkened office buildings in frigid weather. It produced auroras seen as far south as Florida and Cuba.

As later acknowledged, all that prevented the cascade from affecting the United States and creating catastrophic consequences in most Eastern US cities ‘*were a few dozen capacitors on the Allegheny Network*’.

(So, if you think these storms are just anomalies from ancient history - or only impact archaic power and communication systems - *think again.*)

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**Dec 2006** - Major (X-9) Solar flare (strongest in ~30 years) that seriously disrupted satellite-to-ground communications and GPS navigation signals.

**2023** - Next phase of 17-Year Cycle of Major Geomagnetic Storms.

### The 11.2-Year Sunspot Cycle

Reinforcing this 17-Year Cycle is the related ~11-Year Cycle that times the overall sunspot cycle. On July 23, 2012, a solar storm as powerful as the 1859 Carrington Event (the most destructive solar storm to impact Earth in at least 200 - 300 years) occurred. *Why have we not heard about this?*

Due to the Sun's rotation, that storm missed Earth by a mere 9 days. [See accompanying inset and [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Solar\\_storm\\_of\\_2012](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Solar_storm_of_2012).]

11 years from that 2012 event is also **2023**. *Will we be so lucky again?* More to follow. *IT*

This latest analysis is from the Oct. '21 **INSIIDE Track** and reinforces what has been described for several years...

2021 is the transition period - between *Currency Wars* and *Military Wars*, between the *Sunspot Cycle* nadir (Dec '19) and when solar storms are expected to accelerated and intensify (**2022 - 2024**), between a multi-year stock bull market and its topping phase, between an initial surge in Gold (2016 - 2020) and a new surge in Gold & Silver (**Sept '21 - Sept '22**), etc. - and is already laying the foundation for **2022/2023**.

Gold, Silver, XAU & HUI Indexes just signaled decisive lows in **late-Sept '21** and are poised for an overall surge into **~Sept 2022** (+ or - 1 month) even as equity markets are projected to set pivotal and divergent highs in **early-Jan '22** and then suffer a serious sell-off.

Paradoxically, the US Dollar Index signaled a multi-year bottom in early-2021 and is expected to also rally into/through 2022 even as Europe (Euro/DAX) is showing signs of brewing trouble.

However, it is the over-arching *War Cycles* and *Solar Cycles* that are expected to have the biggest impact in **2022/2023**. *War Cycles* (late-2021 - late-2025) have been discussed for 4 - 5 years and are now poised to kick in, potentially exacerbating the moves forecast for these often-related markets.

For related analysis, refer to previous reports and issues of *INSIIDE Track* - detailing more specific expectations for these markets and many others. Several commodities are also projecting another inflationary surge stretching into **3Q '22** with Wheat being one of the most intriguing as it prepares for an accelerated move higher.

The rest of this report is a compilation of corresponding analysis that has led up to this pivotal time when corroborating cycles are coming together as a harbinger of a very challenging time in **2022/2023**. See *Weekly Re-Lay* and *INSIIDE Track* publications for the most current outlooks and strategies. *IT*



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### ***The Solar Superstorm of 2012***

*“July 23, 2014: If an asteroid big enough to knock modern civilization back to the 18th century appeared out of deep space and buzzed the Earth-Moon system, the near-miss would be instant worldwide headline news.*

*Two years ago, Earth experienced a close shave just as perilous, but most newspapers didn't mention it. The "impactor" was an extreme solar storm, the most powerful in as much as 150+ years. "If it had hit, we would still be picking up the pieces," says Daniel Baker of the University of Colorado...*

*Extreme solar storms pose a threat to all forms of high-technology. They begin with an explosion--a "solar flare"—in the magnetic canopy of a sunspot. X-rays and extreme UV radiation reach Earth at light speed, ionizing the upper layers of our atmosphere; side-effects of this "solar EMP" include radio blackouts and GPS navigation errors.*

*Minutes to hours later, the energetic particles arrive. Moving only slightly slower than light itself, electrons and protons accelerated by the blast can electrify satellites and damage their electronics.*

*Then come the CMEs, billion-ton clouds of magnetized plasma that take a day or more to cross the Sun-Earth divide.*

*Analysts believe that a direct hit by an extreme CME such as the one that missed Earth in July 2012 could cause widespread power blackouts, disabling everything that plugs into a wall socket. Most people wouldn't even be able to flush their toilet because urban water supplies largely rely on electric pumps.”*

*[https://science.nasa.gov/science-news/science-at-nasa/2014/23jul\\_superstorm](https://science.nasa.gov/science-news/science-at-nasa/2014/23jul_superstorm)*

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### STOCK INDICES

**09/30/21 - STOCK INDEXES** (except for S+P 500 & NQ-100, being supported by a few key stocks) have been in a corrective period since **May/June '21** - the latest phase of an uncanny ~16-month cycle that has governed the majority of equities for several years. That cycle previously helped pinpoint the Sept/Oct '18 and Jan/Feb '20 highs as well as the sharp declines that followed each.

Most of the indexes fulfilled that cycle peak - topping in **May/June '21** and triggering 15 - 30% corrections in a diverse array of sectors and stocks. Those stocks and indexes - with the DJTA in the lead - were projected to initially bottom during the week of July 19 - 23, with July 19 forecast to create a blow-off low in a majority of stocks.

That was followed by a similar spike low on Aug 19 and a related spike low - projected for the DJTA and weaker indexes - on **Sept 20**.

The S+P 500 & Nasdaq 100 waited until Sept. '21 - 4 months from the May '21 cycle high and 4 months before a related cycle high in **Jan '22** - to set a higher peak while most stocks and indexes set lower peaks. In doing so, they fulfilled their weekly *LHR* indicators that portended peaks in the first half of Sept. (see Sept '21 *INSIIDE Track* for details)...

Looking out beyond Sept. '21, another multi-month high is still expected in **Jan./Feb. '22** - 8 months from the **May/June '21** cycle high in most stocks - reinforcing the overall *16-Month Cycle* as well as the uncanny *2-Year Cycle*.

### **The 3.25-Year Cycle**

Another corroborating cycle is a *3.25-Year Cycle* was powerfully validated with the Dec. '18 low in stocks and projected an overall advance into **1Q '22** - when the next phase should invert and time a 1 - 2 year (or longer) peak. That would fulfill a *3.25-year*

low (1Q '09) - low (2Q '12) - low (3Q '15) - low (4Q '18) - high (**1Q 2022**) *Cycle Progression*.

So, there is quite a bit of synergy coming into play in **2022**; particularly in **1Q '22**... 3 - 6 month & 6 - 12 month (and even 1 - 2 year) traders and investors should have been lightening up on long positions in early-Sept.

### Global Indices

The European **STOXX 600 Index** peaked on Sept 6 - perpetuating a consistent ~3-month/~90-degree high (Sept '20) - high (Dec '20) - high (Mar '21) - high (June '21) *Cycle Progression*. It has since sold off sharply but needs a weekly close below **445.0** to elevate this decline to a higher magnitude.

The German Dax Index peaked on Sept 6 - 13, attacking the level (~16,000) where the rally since late-Oct/early-Nov '20 equaled the magnitude of the initial rally from Mar into Sept '20 - the ideal level for a multi-month peak. It topped ~360 degrees (~1 year) from its Sept. 10 - 20, '20 peak and is completing a topping process that culminates an 18-year/5-wave advance illustrated in recent issues.

A peak in 2021 would fulfill a related 6-year low-low-high-(high) *Cycle Progression* that includes the 2015 peak and the preceding 2002 & 2009 lows. The DAX needs a weekly close below **14,800** to confirm a multi-month top.

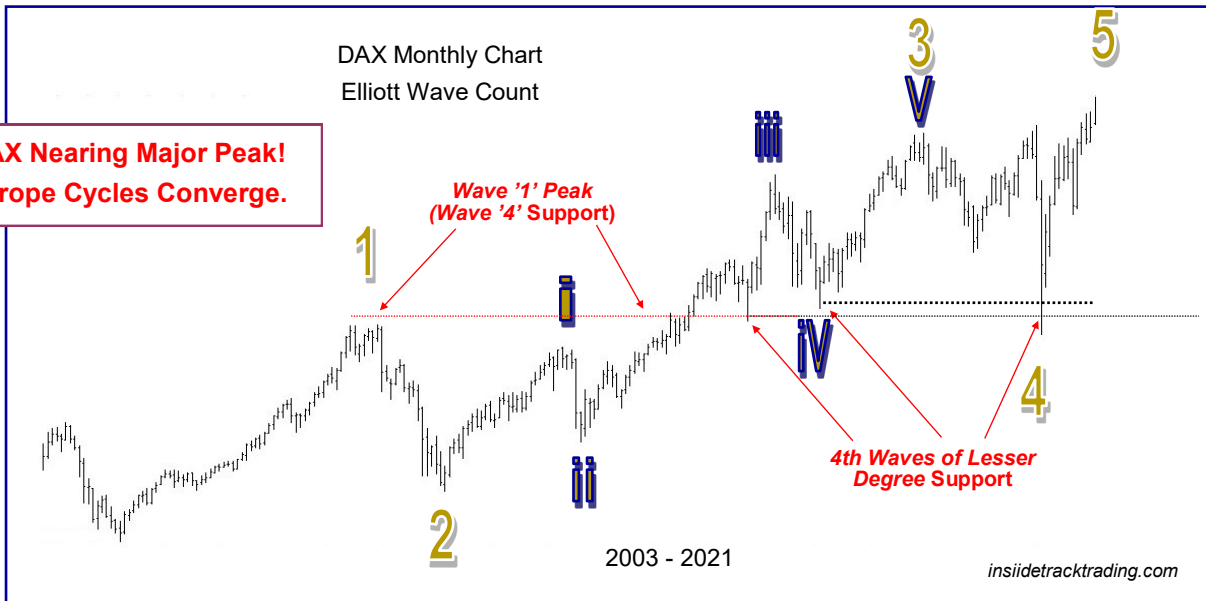
### INTEREST RATES

**09/30/21 - Bonds & Notes** fulfilled the 3 - 6 month outlook for an advance into **July/Aug '21** (when a secondary peak was forecast) after bottoming in fulfillment of analysis for an initial low in Mar '21. The July/Aug '21 peak perpetuated an ~11-month low (Oct '18) - high (Sept '19) - high (Aug '20) - high (**July '21**) *Cycle Progression*.

Notes turned their weekly trend down - confirming

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that peak - and then plunged, with Bonds still needing to confirm their 3Q '21 peak. Recent Fed testimony provided another fundamental factor, corroborating the outlook that has been described since July '20.

On a broader basis, Bonds & Notes are steadily validating the overall outlook for 2020 - 2023 in which interest rates have been forecast to slowly rise in response to developing inflation and other factors. Continued shortages - in every thing from housing to automobiles and chips to human workers - are likely to perpetuate some of that price inflation into 2022.

The primary peak in **July '20** perpetuated an uncanny *4-Year Cycle* that timed multi-year highs in July '12 & July '16 and preceding lows in mid-2004 and mid-2008. The next phase of that *4-Year Cycle* comes into play in **~July 2024** and should time another multi-year (secondary) high.

In between those two major cycle highs, Bonds &

Notes were/are expected to decline for 2 - 3 years and then rebound into **mid-2024**. That means that interest rates could slowly rise (and Bonds fall) in 2021 and 2022, possibly extending into 2023.

Longer-term investors and hedgers could have been liquidating long positions in Bonds & Notes and selling on intermediate rallies in 3Q/4Q '20... and should have just added to short positions in Aug '21.

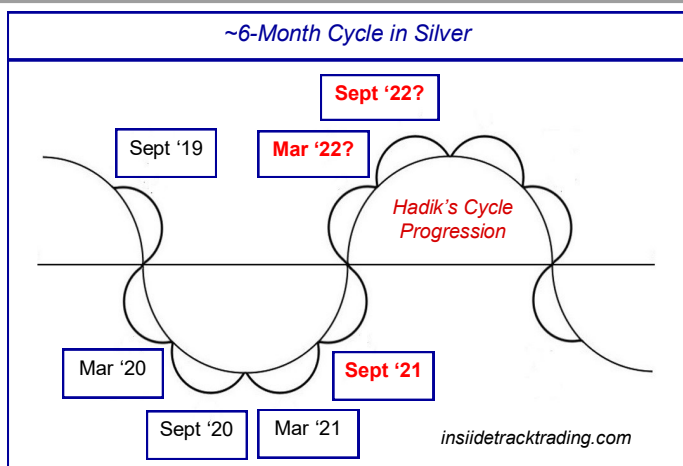
### **INFLATION MARKETS - METALS**

**09/30/21 - GOLD & SILVER** dropped to new lows and are set to fulfill a myriad of cycle lows in **late-Sept/early-Oct '21**.

That includes Silver's ~6-month high (Sept '19) - low (Mar '20) - low (Sept '20) - low (Mar '21) - low (**Sept '21**) *Cycle Progression* and the corresponding 27 - 28 week high (Feb '19) - high (Sept '19) - low (Mar '20) - low (Sept '20) - low (Mar '21) - low (**Oct 4 - 15**) *Cycle Progression*...

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The real intriguing aspect of the current cycle low is what the HUI has been projecting all year...

The **XAU & HUI** are also fulfilling the potential for a multi-month low in late-Sept/early-Oct. The XAU is nearing the convergence of 3 - 6 month, 6 - 12 month & 1 - 2 year support at **110 - 115.0**.

A 50% retracement - of its entire 2020/2021 rally - would have the XAU dropping to **114.90**.

That is very close to the Sept. '21 *HLS* - a monthly extreme downside target - at **114.01**. And both of them are just slightly above the Feb '20 peak - a critical level of *resistance turned into support* - at **113.73**.

Much in the way the DJTA has led the 2021 corrective period in the overall equity market, the *Gold Bugs Index* (HUI) has led a corrective period in precious metals and mining shares since Aug '20.

That was highlighted early this year, after the HUI had turned its monthly trend down and confirmed a 1 - 2 year topping phase.

It was then projected to rally to ~325.0/HUI, leading into multi-year cycle highs in May '21. At that time, the XAU diverged and set a slightly higher high (fulfilling those cycle highs) while the HUI remained

in sync with its monthly & intra-year downtrends and set a lower high. Its leadership role was reiterated in mid-2021 when the XAU turned negative:

**6-19-21** - "The **XAU** closed below **157.64** on June 15, turning its intermediate trend down, removing any remaining potential for a final spike high, and ushering in the time for a larger-magnitude decline in line with weekly & monthly cycles. It also fulfilled its outside-week/2 Close Reversal lower of June 4.

That corroborated what the HUI has been showing since mid-May when it fulfilled its outlook for a surge from ~250.0 (Mar '21 low) into 325.0 - briefly spiking to a new intra-year high (but NOT turning its intra-year trend up). That index has been leading this topping and transition phase. In early-June, the HUI confirmed an intermediate reversal lower..."

That ushered in the second phase of an overall ~year-long corrective period, stemming from the Aug. '20 peak. At least on a 6 - 12 month basis, that corrective period is now (likely) nearing fruition. That is due to several indicators and cycles...

Over the past decade, there has been a consistent ~3-Year Cycle in the HUI that timed the secondary high in Sept. 2012 followed by the culmination of the ensuing plunge in Sept. 2015.

That multi-year low triggered an initial advance and then a prolonged correction into Sept. 2018 - the next phase of that ~3-Year Cycle. The subsequent phase - when another higher low was/is expected is in **Sept. 2021... now!**

That ~3-Year Cycle has broken down and timed lows at 18-month intervals (with the March '17 low timing an intervening/secondary low that was not closed below until Feb '18) - creating lows in Sept '15, Mar '17, Sept '18 & Mar '20 while projecting a subsequent low for **late-Sept '21**.

Throughout 2021, the HUI has corroborated these longer-term cycles, first turning its monthly trend



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down in Feb. '21 - a lagging/confirming indicator that reinforced the Aug. '20 peak and portended a 2 - 3 month bounce followed by a 'C' wave decline into late-Sept. '21. That was reiterated in early-July:

**7-03-21** - “The HUI fulfilled its upside objectives - surging to **325.0** and peaking there without turning its intra-year trend up. It has since plummeted and turned its weekly trend down while closing well below its weekly 21 Low MAC. Most likely, that will lead to a rebound into a lower peak in **early-Aug** - the next phase of its own cycle highs, including an 11-week low-high-(high) Cycle Progression.”

**7-10-21** - “The XAU provided some additional clarity with the action in, and ultimate close of, the past week... This XAU action is also in sync with the HUI, which already fulfilled its upside objectives - surging to **325.0** in May '21 and peaking there without turning its intra-year trend up - and turned its weekly trend down while closing well below its weekly 21 Low MAC.

That index has been forecast to set a lower peak in **early-Aug** - the next phase of its own cycle highs, including an 11-week low-high-(high) Cycle Progression.

On a monthly basis, the HUI is doing what the XAU is expected to do on a weekly basis. The HUI turned its monthly trend down in late-Feb, setting an initial low and rebounding for 2 - 3 months. It has since resumed its monthly downtrend and is expected to work lower (on balance) into **Sept. '21**.

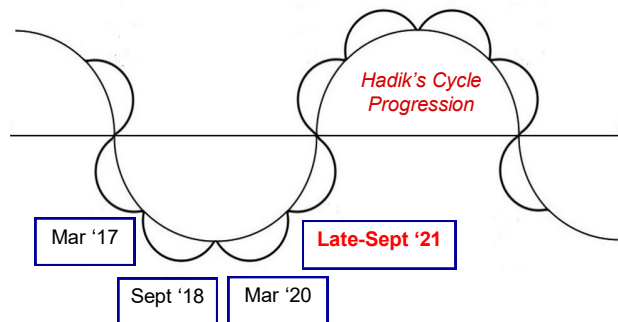
A low in **late-Sept. '21** would fulfill a 30-week low-high-high-low-(low) Cycle Progression and a larger-scale, 18-month low (Sept '18) - low (Mar '20) - low (**Sept '21**) Cycle Progression.

It would also complete a precise .618 retracement in time (~98 weeks up/~60 weeks down) while perpetuating a 3-year high (Sept '12) - low (Sept '15) - low (Sept '18) - low (**Sept '21**) Cycle Progression.”

While both indexes were setting lower highs in early-Aug - and entering the bearish period of **Aug/Sept '21** and projecting future lows for **late-Sept '21** - the XAU

### ~18-Month Cycle in HUI (Gold Bugs Index)

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was perpetuating its own intermediate (~2-month) cycle and portending a multi-week drop. That was forecast to trigger a drop into **late-Sept./early-Oct.**, which has now been fulfilled. As a result, a multi-week and possibly multi-month low could take hold at any time.

**Palladium** has declined since fulfilling projections for a surge to new all-time highs in **2Q '21**. It remains in a weekly downtrend and set a secondary peak in **July '21** - the latest phase of an 8 - 9-month low-low-high-(high) Cycle Progression. On balance, that could spur a decline into **Nov. '21** - the next phase of an ~11-month low-low-low-low Cycle Progression.

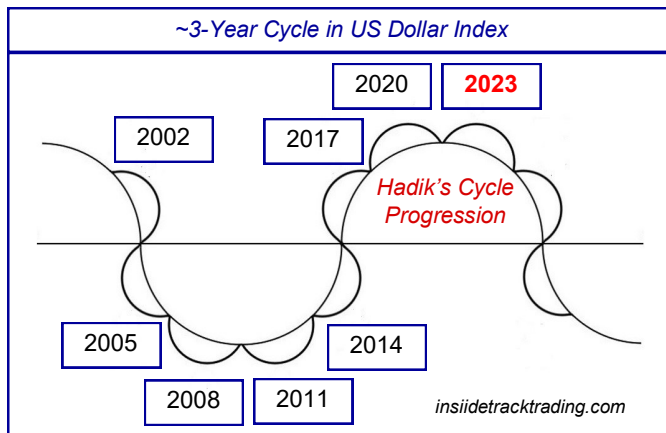
### **INFLATION MARKETS - GRAINS**

**09/30/21 - Soybeans, Corn & Wheat** have corrected after Soybeans & Corn reached major, multi-year upside targets (~1500/S & ~750.0/C) as Wheat attacked a 3 - 6 month upside price target at **760 - 780.0/W**.

Based on its weekly trend pattern, Wheat is now positioned to enter a new advance into **mid-Nov '21** (expected to ultimately take it above **950.0/W**).

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### US DOLLAR/INT'L CURRENCIES

**09/30/21** - The **Dollar Index** spiked down into early -Sept - attacking its *4th wave of lesser degree* support (**91.80/DXZ**) and reversing higher with its weekly uptrend intact. The following week, the Dollar Index turned its weekly **21 MAC** up. It has since rallied and remains on track for a 6 - 12 month and 1 - 2 year rally from its cycle lows in early-2021.

On a longer-term basis, the Dollar Index likely completed a 4+-year 'A-B-C' decline in 2Q '21 while perpetuating an uncanny 38 - 41 month cycle. That should lead to another advance, stretching into **2023** - when an uncanny ~3-Year Cycle recurs.

The **EURO** has declined after peaking in early-June while fulfilling a ~5-month low (early-Oct '19) - high (early-Mar. '20) - high (early-Aug '20) - high (early-Jan. '21) - high (**early-June '21**) *Cycle Progression*. It rebounded into early-Sept but could not exceed resistance, ushering in another leg down after twice neutralizing its weekly downtrend.

If it can rally in **early-Oct**, the Euro would likely set a lower peak in **mid-Oct**. - the latest phase of a ~20-week low-high-high-high-(high) *Cycle Progression*.

### ENERGY

**09/30/21** - **Crude Oil, Unleaded Gas & Heating Oil** resumed their uptrends after Crude corrected to its 1 - 2 month downside objective at **~61.00/CL...**

**Natural Gas** remains on track for an overall advance into **1Q '22**, stemming from major lows in early -2020. After setting an initial peak in early-Aug. '21, Natural Gas pulled back to intermediate support (**~3.900/NGZ**) and held - projecting a new advance that has seen it surge to weekly & monthly extremes in recent weeks. That could spur some consolidation - in the first half of Oct - before another advance.

Multi-year traders & hedgers could have phased into long positions during 1Q '20 (down to ~1.600/NG) and added or entered new longs in Dec '20 near 2.500 - 2.600/NG. Hold these into 1Q '22. *IT*

Gold, Silver, the XAU & HUI Indexes are setting the stage for a major low and subsequent advance that is likely to stretch into **~Sept '22**. Gold has adhered to range-trading targets, detailed throughout 2021 and illustrated on the following pages.

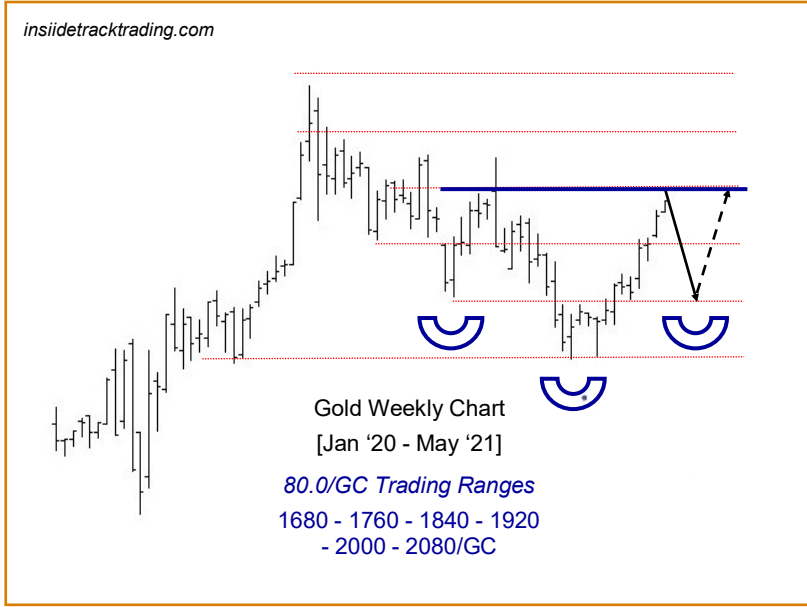
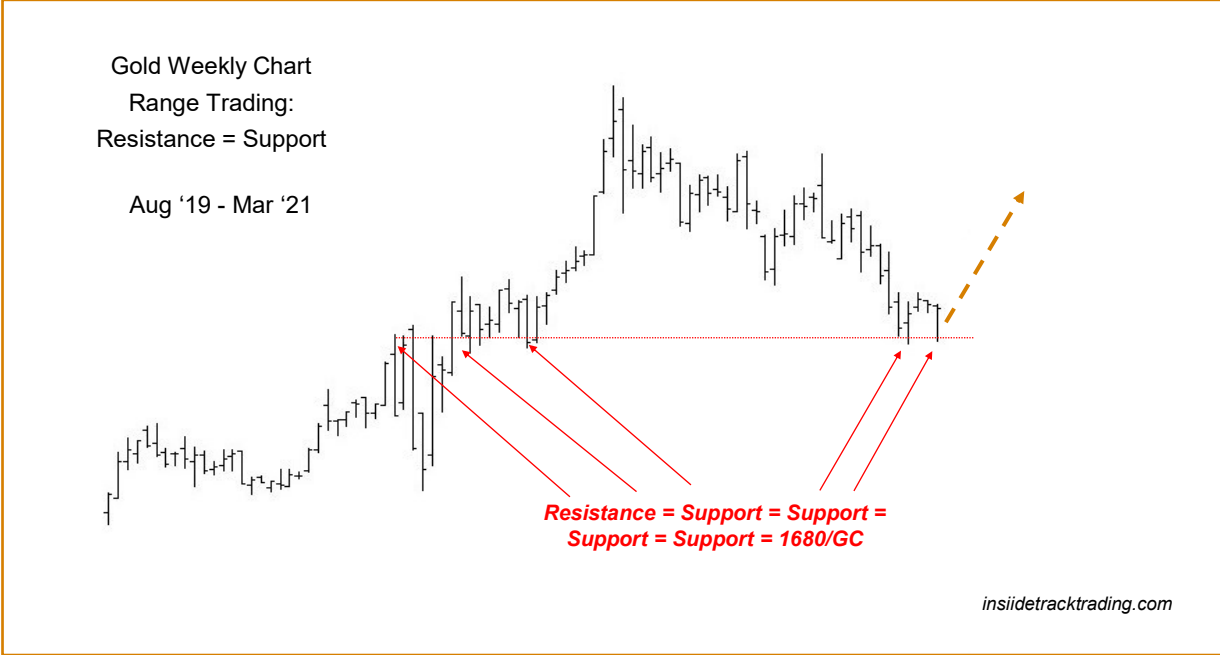
Silver is poised to set a 6 - 12 month or 1 - 2 year low as the HUI is perpetuating ~3-Year and ~18-month *Cycle Progressions* that also project major rallies to follow. 2021 is fulfilling expectations to be a 'transition year' - like the eye of a hurricane - between powerful crosswinds of **2019/2020** and potentially stronger ones in **2022/2023**.

The Dollar is corroborating that and projected to see a multi-year advance from its early-2021 cycle low. At the same time, the Euro - and a decisive European stock index (DAX) - are nearing the time when selling is expected to take hold. This is all occurring as *Solar Cycles* are poised to magnify *War Cycles* that collide in **late-2021 - late-2025**.

*Hold on tight! IT*

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### **Range Trading & LHR/HLS Indicator**

Some indicators and/or trading signals have overlapping principles at their core. A perfect example is the overlap of:

- Resistance turned into Support (and vice-versa)
- Range Trading Targets
- *LHR* (and *HLS*) Indicator

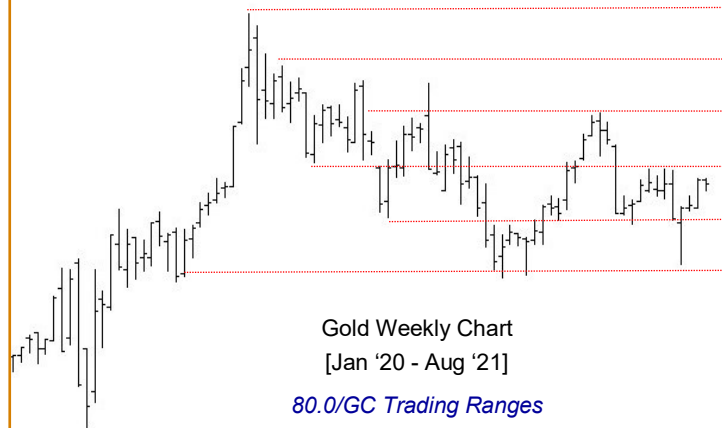
In each case, the indicator has a market balance point at its core. The market first approaches this point as resistance and may bump up against it multiple times... Eventually, the market breaks above that point but usually comes back to test it (balance/equilibrium) before proceeding further.

Ultimately, the market then rallies to a higher balance point and may begin a new and similar sequence at that new resistance level. In the case of *Range Trading Targets* (like what has been repeatedly discussed in Gold since it bottomed near 1680.0/GCM), that indicator provides an upside target but no timing to accompany that.

The point is that markets often trade in consistent ranges. That topic was described in Silver back in 2016 and 2017 when Silver was trading in very consistent and recurring ranges of 2.50/SI...

This principle is also an offshoot of one of W.D. Gann's primary principles dealing with markets moving in 100% increments (and 25% and 50% breakdowns) of their price lows. In this case, we are dealing with a market moving in 100% increments of a predetermined trading range. While very simple in nature, this principle can have some uncanny accuracy - particularly when the synergy of other indicators corroborates. *IT*

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Gold Weekly Chart  
[Jan '20 - Aug '21]

*80.0/GC Trading Ranges*  
1680 - 1760 - 1840 - 1920  
- 2000 - 2080/GC



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### War Cycles (This Week in Money Interview)

6-24-21 - *Jim*: 2021 is also when you forecast the beginning of conflict or war cycles. Is that still the case?

*Eric*: Yes. I still am looking at that and certainly see some subtle signs that you often get in the early stages of something like that... a corollary or an off shoot of my *40-Year Cycle* and the currency wars that every other *40-Year Cycle* you also had very significant war cycles.

I was discussing that from a US perspective but then documenting it back to the 1200's in Europe and around the globe, some of your most significant conflicts and wars were on a very consistent *80-Year Cycle*. Where the US was concerned, most recently you had the culmination of the Revolutionary War in 1781. And that timed the onset or inception of the Civil War in 1861 even though the conflicts from the Bloody Kansas battles in the mid-1850's all the way up to 1861, that was something slowly building, but it was 1861 when that really kicked in in the US. 80 years later was 1941 when the US entered WWII even though that had been going on for many years.

2021 is when you get the next phase of that cycle that stretches out really from 2021 into at least 2025. Looking for other signs, you could certainly see growing tensions that trace back several years to the middle of the 20 teens were the tensions between the US and Russia, US and China, other countries and China, other countries and Russia... conflicts that have been smoldering. And I expect to see some flaring up of that in the coming years. [June 24, '21 *This Week in Money* interview.] *IT*



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