

# Astrazeneca PLC (Thu, Apr 25, 2024)

Buy candidate since Apr 09, 2024

Gain 9.68%

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Trend: Buy  
MV Long: Buy  
MV Short: Buy  
Pivot: Buy  
Volume: Buy  
MACD: Buy

## Tech commentaries:

The **Astrazeneca PLC** stock price gained **5.38%** on the last trading day (Thursday, 25th Apr 2024), rising from **\$71.20** to **\$75.03**. It has now gained 5 days in a row. It will be exciting to see whether it manages to continue gaining or take a minor break for the next few days. During the last trading day the stock fluctuated **1.75%** from a day low at **\$74.50** to a day high of **\$75.81**. The price has risen in 6 of the last 10 days and is up by **8.03%** over the past 2 weeks. Volume has increased on the last day along with the price, which is a positive technical sign, and, in total, **10 million** more shares were traded than the day before. In total, **15 million** shares were bought and sold for approximately **\$1.15 billion**.

Given the current short-term trend, the stock is expected to rise **7.78%** during the next 3 months and, with a 90% probability hold a price between **\$70.49** and **\$80.87** at the end of this 3-month period.

The **Astrazeneca PLC** stock holds buy signals from both short and long-term Moving Averages giving a positive forecast for the stock. Also, there is a general buy signal from the relation between the two signals where the short-term average is above the long-term average. On corrections down, there will be some support from the lines at **\$70.38** and **\$67.85**. A breakdown below any of these levels will issue sell signals. A buy signal was issued from a pivot bottom point on **Tuesday, February 13, 2024**, and so far it has risen 22.94%. Further rise is indicated until a new top pivot has been found. Furthermore, there is a buy signal from the 3 month Moving Average Convergence Divergence (MACD). Volume is rising along with the price. This is considered to be a good technical signal.

On the downside, the stock finds support just below today's level from accumulated volume at **\$63.52** and **\$62.26**. There is no resistance from accumulated volume above today's level and given the right condition the stock may perform very well during the next couple of days.

In general the stock tends to have very controlled movements and with good liquidity the risk is considered very low in this stock. During the last day, the stock moved **\$1.31** between high and low, or **1.75%**. For the last week the stock has had daily average volatility of **1.32%**.

**Astrazeneca PLC** holds several positive signals, but we still don't find these to be enough for a buy candidate. At the current level, it should be considered as a hold candidate (hold or accumulate) in this position whilst awaiting further development. Due to some small weaknesses in the technical picture we have downgraded our analysis conclusion for this stock since the last evaluation from a Strong Buy to a Hold/Accumulate candidate.

**Risk:** Low

**Evaluation:** Hold/Accumulate

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