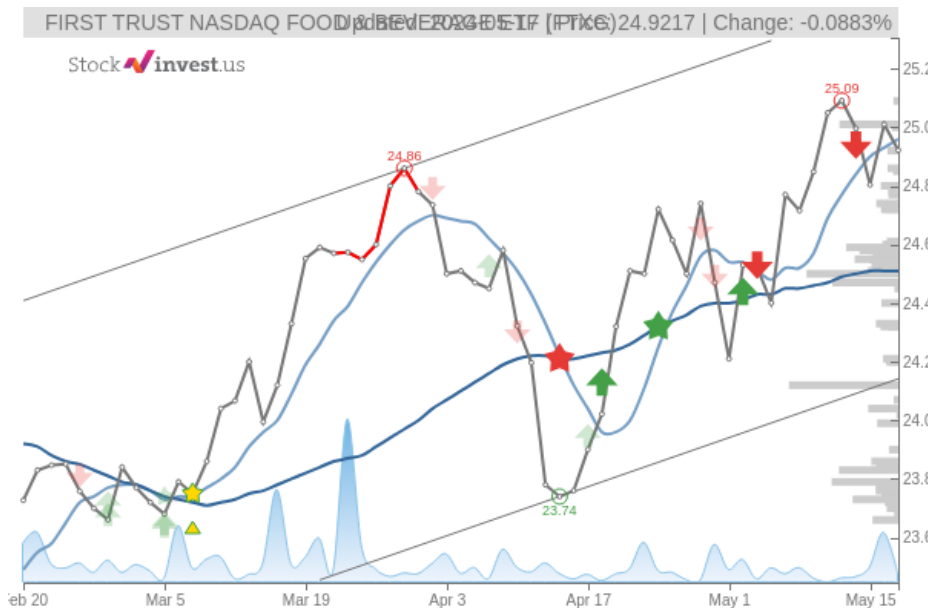


FIRST TRUST NASDAQ FOOD & BEVERAGE ETF (Fri, May 17, 2024)

Buy candidate since May 07, 2024

Gain 0.61%

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score: **-0.573**

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

Tech commentaries:

The **FIRST TRUST NASDAQ FOOD & BEVERAGE** ETF price fell by **-0.353%** on the last day (Friday, 17th May 2024) from **\$25.01** to **\$24.92**. During the last trading day the ETF fluctuated **0.277%** from a day low at **\$24.91** to a day high of **\$24.98**. The price has been going up and down for this period, and there has been a 1.63% gain for the last 2 weeks. Volume fell on the last day along with the ETF, which is actually a good sign as volume should follow the ETF. On the last day, the trading volume fell by **-29 thousand** shares and in total, **9 thousand** shares were bought and sold for approximately **\$224.10** thousand.

The ETF lies in the middle of a weak rising trend in the short term and a further rise within the trend is signaled. Given the current short-term trend, the ETF is expected to rise **4.25%** during the next 3 months and, with a 90% probability hold a price between **\$25.17** and **\$26.53** at the end of this 3-month period.

The **FIRST TRUST NASDAQ FOOD & BEVERAGE** ETF holds a sell signal from the short-term Moving Average; at the same time, however, there is a buy signal from the long-term average. Since the short-term average is above the long-term average there is a general buy signal in the ETF giving a positive forecast for the stock. On further gains, the ETF will meet resistance from the short-term Moving Average at approximately **\$24.96**. On a fall, the ETF will find some support from the long-term average at approximately **\$24.51**. A break-up through the short-term average will send a buy signal, whereas a breakdown through the long-term average will send a sell signal. Furthermore, there is a buy signal from the 3 month Moving Average Convergence Divergence (MACD). Some negative signals were issued as well, and these may have some influence on the near short-term development. A sell signal was issued from a pivot top point on **Monday, May 13, 2024**, and so far it has fallen - 0.675%. Further fall is indicated until a new bottom pivot has been found. Volume fell along with the price during the last trading day, which is technical positive. One should, however, note that this ETF may have low liquidity in periods, which increases the general risk.

FIRST TRUST NASDAQ FOOD & BEVERAGE finds support from accumulated volume at **\$24.57** and this level may hold a buying opportunity as an upwards reaction can be expected when the support is being tested. On the upside the ETF meets some resistance just above today's level from accumulated volume at **\$25.00**, **\$25.01** and **\$25.09**.

In general the ETF tends to have very controlled movements and therefore the general risk is considered very low. However, be aware of low or falling volume and make sure to keep an eye on the ETF. During the last day, the ETF moved **\$0.0691** between high and low, or **0.277%**. For the last week the ETF has had daily average volatility of **0.622%**.

FIRST TRUST NASDAQ FOOD & BEVERAGE 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 ETF since the last evaluation from a Buy to a Hold/Accumulate candidate.

Risk: Low

Evaluation: Hold/Accumulate

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