## Gap Inc (The) (Thu, Mar 28, 2024)

Buy candidate since Mar 08, 2024 Gain 31.69%



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

## **Tech commentaries:**

The Gap Inc (The) stock price gained 0.95% on the last trading day (Thursday, 28th Mar 2024), rising from \$27.29 to \$27.55. During the last trading day the stock fluctuated 2.04% from a day low at \$27.22 to a day high of \$27.77. The price has risen in 6 of the last 10 days and is up by 19.78% over the past 2 weeks. Volume fell on the last day by -2 million shares and in total, 6 million shares were bought and sold for approximately \$153.08 million. You should take into consideration that falling volume on higher prices causes divergence and may be an early warning about possible changes over the next couple of days.

The stock lies in the upper part of a very wide and strong rising trend in the short term, and this may normally pose a very good selling opportunity for the short-term trader as reaction back towards the lower part of the trend can be expected. A break-up at the top trend line at \$28.95 will firstly indicate a stronger rate of rising. Given the current short-term trend, the stock is expected to rise 24.52% during the next 3 months and, with a 90% probability hold a price between \$25.60 and \$36.05 at the end of this 3month period.

There are mixed signals in the stock today. A sell signal was issued from a pivot top point on Thursday, March 21, 2024, and so far it has fallen -3.27%. Further fall is indicated until a new bottom pivot has been found. The Gap Inc (The) stock 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 stock giving a positive forecast for the stock. On further gains, the stock will meet resistance from the short-term Moving Average at approximately \$27.72. On a fall, the stock will find some support from the long-term average at approximately \$22.00. 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). Volume fell during the last trading day despite gaining prices. This causes a divergence between volume and price and it may be an early warning. The stock should be watched closely.

On the downside, the stock finds support just below today's level from accumulated volume at \$23.59 and \$21.64. On the upside the stock meets some resistance just above today's level from accumulated volume at \$27.91, \$28.08 and \$28.48.

This stock may move very much during the day (volatility) and with a very large prediction interval from the Bollinger Band this stock is considered to be "very high risk". During the last day, the stock moved \$0.555 between high and low, or 2.04%. For the last week, the stock has had daily average volatility of 2.57%.

Several short-term signals, along with a general good trend, are positive and we conclude that the current level may hold a buying opportunity as there is a fair chance for Gap Inc (The) stock to perform well in the short-term.

Risk: Very High

**Evaluation: Buy Candidate**