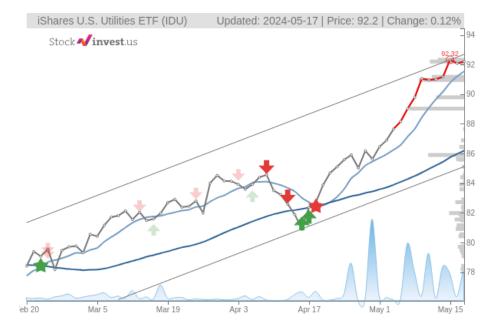
iShares U.S. Utilities ETF (Fri, May 17, 2024)

Buy candidate since Apr 17, 2024 Gain 11.93%







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

Tech commentaries:

The **iShares U.S. Utilities** ETF price gained **0.130%** on the last trading day (Friday, 17th May 2024), rising from **\$92.08** to **\$92.20**. During the last trading day the ETF fluctuated **0.588%** from a day low at **\$91.75** to a day high of **\$92.29**. The price has risen in 8 of the last 10 days and is up by **5.19%** 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, **213 thousand** more shares were traded than the day before. In total, **253** thousand shares were bought and sold for approximately **\$23.31** million.

The ETF lies in the upper part of a 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 **\$92.69** will firstly indicate a stronger rate of rising. Given the current short-term trend, the ETF is expected to rise **13.94%** during the next 3 months and, with a 90% probability hold a price between **\$96.99** and **\$105.61** at the end of this 3-month period.

The **iShares U.S. Utilities** ETF 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 **\$91.54** and **\$86.19**. A breakdown below any of these levels will issue sell signals. 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. 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 **Wednesday, May 15, 2024**, and so far it has fallen -0.130%. Further fall is indicated until a new bottom pivot has been found.

iShares U.S. Utilities finds support from accumulated volume at \$90.96 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 **\$92.32**.

This ETF has average movements during the day and with good trading volume, the risk is considered to be medium. During the last day, the ETF moved **\$0.540** between high and low, or **0.588%**. For the last week, the ETF has had daily average volatility of **0.672%**.

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 **iShares U.S. Utilities** ETF to perform well in the short-term.

Risk: Medium

Evaluation: Buy Candidate

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