## North American Energy Partners Inc (Wed, May 01, 2024)

Sell candidate since Apr 30, 2024 Gain 0.09%

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

## Tech commentaries:

The North American Energy Partners Inc stock price gained 0.0948% on the last trading day (Wednesday, 1st May 2024), rising from \$21.10 to \$21.12. During the last trading day the stock fluctuated 2.35% from a day low at \$20.83 to a day high of \$21.32. The price has risen in 7 of the last 10 days and is up by 1.59% over the past 2 weeks. Volume fell on the last day by -38 thousand shares and in total, 55 thousand shares were bought and sold for approximately \$1.16 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 middle of a wide and falling trend in the short term and further fall within the trend is signaled. Given the current short-term trend, the stock is expected to fall -12.17% during the next 3 months and, with a 90% probability hold a price between \$17.66 and \$20.69 at the end of this 3-month period. Do note, that if the stock price manages to stay at current levels or higher, our prediction target will start to change positively over the next few days as the conditions for the current predictions will be broken.

A buy signal was issued from a pivot bottom point on Friday, April 19, 2024, and so far it has risen 2.82%. 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). Some negative signals were issued as well, and these may have some influence on the near short-term development. The North American Energy Partners Inc stock holds sell signals from both short and long-term Moving Averages giving a more negative forecast for the stock. Also, there is a general sell signal from the relation between the two signals where the long-term average is above the short-term average. On corrections up, there will be some resistance from the lines at \$21.57 and \$22.19. A break-up above any of these levels will issue buy signals. Volume fell during the last trading day while the price increased. This causes a divergence and may be considered as an early warning, but it may also not.

North American Energy Partners Inc finds support from accumulated volume at \$21.10 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 stock meets some resistance from accumulated volume at \$22.44, \$23.13 and \$25.17.

This stock has average movements during the day, but be aware of low or falling volume as this increases the risk. During the last day, the stock moved \$0.490 between high and low, or 2.35%. For the last week the stock has had daily average volatility of 2.85%.

North American Energy Partners Inc holds several negative signals and is within a wide and falling trend, so we believe it will still perform weakly in the next couple of days or weeks. We therefore hold a negative evaluation of this stock. We have upgraded our analysis conclusion for this stock since the last evaluation from a Strong Sell to a Sell candidate.

## **Risk: Medium**

## **Evaluation: Sell Candidate**

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