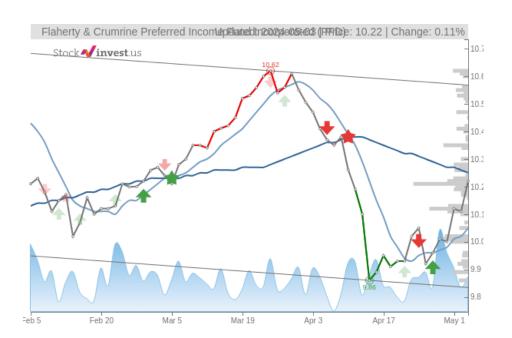
Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income Fund Incorporated (Fri, May 03,

Hold candidate since May 01, 2024 Gain 0.99%



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

Tech commentaries:

The Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income stock price gained 1.09% on the last trading day (Friday, 3rd May 2024), rising from \$10.11 to \$10.22. During the last trading day the stock fluctuated 0.541% from a day low at \$10.18 to a day high of \$10.23. The price has risen in 6 of the last 10 days and is up by 2.92% 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, 9 thousand more shares were traded than the day before. In total, 32 thousand shares were bought and sold for approximately \$324.06 thousand.

The stock is moving within a horizontal trend and further movements within this trend can be expected. Given the current horizontal trend, you can expect Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income stock with a 90% probability to be traded between \$9.73 and \$10.45 at the end of this 3-month period. A break of a horizontal trend is often followed by a large increase in the volume, and stocks seldom manage to go directly from the bottom of a trend up to the top. Stocks turning up in the middle of a horizontal trend are therefore considered to be potential runners.

A buy signal was issued from a pivot bottom point on Monday, April 15, 2024, and so far it has risen 3.65%. 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). Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income has increased volume and follows the last lift in the price. This is considered to be a technical positive sign as volume should follow the price-formation. Higher liquidity also reduces the general risk. Some negative signals were issued as well, and these may have some influence on the near short-term development. The Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income stock holds a buy signal from the short-term Moving Average; at the same time, however, the long-term average holds a general sell signal. Since the longterm average is above the short-term average there is a general sell signal in the stock giving a more negative forecast for the stock. On further gains, the stock will meet resistance from the long-term Moving Average at \$10.25. On a fall, the stock will find some support from the short-term average at \$10.05. A break-up through the long-term average will give another buy signal, while a fall below the short-term average will add another sell signal and strengthen the general signal.

Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income finds support from accumulated volume at \$10.21 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 just above today's level from accumulated volume at \$10.23, \$10.35 and \$10.62.

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 \$0.0550 between high and low, or 0.541%. For the last week the stock has had daily average volatility of 1.19%.

Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income 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.

Risk: Low