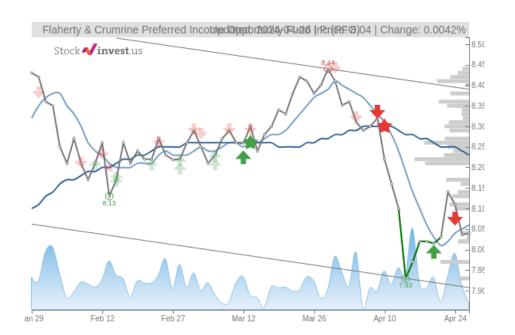
## Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income Opportunity Fund Inc (Fri, Apr 26,

Sell candidate since Apr 24, 2024 Loss -0.86%



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score: -3.02

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

## **Tech commentaries:**

The Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income stock price gained 0.0523% on the last trading day (Friday, 26th Apr 2024), rising from \$8.04 to \$8.04. During the last trading day the stock fluctuated 0.486% from a day low at \$8.04 to a day high of \$8.08. The price has been going up and down for this period, and there has been a -0.74% loss for the last 2 weeks. Volume fell on the last day by -17 thousand shares and in total, 12 thousand shares were bought and sold for approximately \$99.51 thousand. 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 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 \$7.76 and \$8.24 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 1.39%. Further rise is indicated until a new top pivot has been found. 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 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 \$8.06 and \$8.23. A break-up above any of these levels will issue buy signals. Furthermore, there is currently a sell signal from the 3 month Moving Average Convergence Divergence (MACD). 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 not be. The very low volume increases the risk and reduces the other technical signals issued.

Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income finds support from accumulated volume at \$8.02 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 \$8.21, \$8.22 and \$8.26.

In general the stock tends to have controlled movements and therefore the general risk is considered low. However, be aware of low or falling volume and make sure to keep an eye on the stock. During the last day, the stock moved \$0.0391 between high and low, or 0.486%. For the last week the stock has had daily average volatility of 1.00%.

Flaherty & Crumrine Preferred Income holds several negative signals and is within a 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.

Risk: Low

**Evaluation: Sell Candidate**