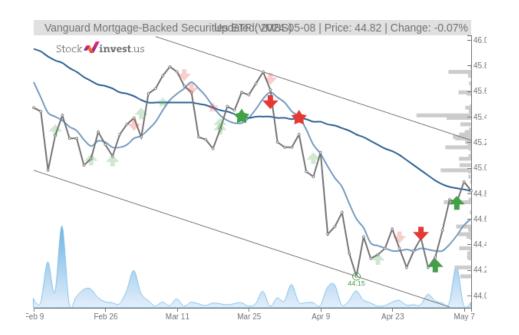
Vanguard Mortgage-Backed Securities ETF (Wed, May 08, 2024)

Hold candidate since May 07, 2024 Loss -0.16%



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score: -0.018

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

Tech commentaries:

The Vanguard Mortgage-Backed Securities ETF price fell by -0.156% on the last day (Wednesday, 8th May 2024) from \$44.89 to \$44.82. During the last trading day the ETF fluctuated 0.262% from a day low at \$44.73 to a day high of \$44.85. The price has risen in 6 of the last 10 days and is up by 1.01% over the past 2 weeks. Volume has increased on the last day by 232 thousand shares but on falling prices. This may be an early warning and the risk will be increased slightly over the next couple of days. In total, 1 million shares were bought and sold for approximately \$53.33 million.

The ETF lies in the middle of a narrow and falling trend in the short term and further fall within the trend is signaled. Given the current short-term trend, the ETF is expected to fall -2.43% during the next 3 months and, with a 90% probability hold a price between \$42.79 and \$44.12 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.

The Vanguard Mortgage-Backed Securities ETF holds buy signals from both short and long-term Moving Averages giving a positive forecast for the stock, but the ETF has a general sell signal from the relation between the two signals where the longterm average is above the short-term average. On corrections down, there will be some support from the lines at \$44.60 and \$44.82. A breakdown below any of these levels will issue sell signals. A buy signal was issued from a pivot bottom point on Tuesday, April 16, 2024, and so far it has risen 1.52%. 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. Volume rose on falling prices yesterday. This may be an early warning and the ETF should be followed more closely.

Vanguard Mortgage-Backed Securities finds support from accumulated volume at \$44.73 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 \$44.98, \$45.16 and \$45.41.

In general the ETF tends to have very controlled movements and with good liquidity the risk is considered very low in this stock. During the last day, the ETF moved \$0.117 between high and low, or 0.262%. For the last week the ETF has had daily average volatility of 0.395%.

Vanguard Mortgage-Backed Securities 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

Evaluation: Hold/Accumulate