

Wall Street Analysts Give Investors What They Want about **Ecopetrol S.A. (EC)**

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Moving toward the technical facts, its current distance from 20-Day Simple Moving Average is -11.18% and standing -10.73% away from 50-Day Simple Moving Average while traded -11.80% away from 200-Day Simple Moving Average.

A moving average is the average price of a contract over the previous n-period closes. For example, a 20-period moving average is the average of the closing prices for the past 20 periods, including the current period. For intra-day data the current price is used in place of the closing price. The moving average is used to observe price changes. The effect of the moving average is to smooth the price movement so that the longer-term trend becomes less volatile and therefore more obvious.

When the price rises above the moving average, it indicates that investors are becoming bullish on the commodity. When the prices fall below, it indicates a bearish commodity. As well, when a moving average crosses below a longer-term moving average, the study indicates a down turn in the market. When a short-term moving average crosses above a longer term moving average, this indicates an upswing in the market. The longer the period of the moving average, the smoother the price movement is. Longer moving averages are used to isolate long-term trends.

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DESCUBRE MÁS

Ecopetrol S.A. (EC) moved -1.64% to 18.58 on Friday. **Ecopetrol S.A.** received interesting focus from Active Investors and it has been trading on front line as seeing to it recent volume. Considering that the stock recent volume of 1278769 shares, this represents a noteworthy trading in volume size. This trading sentiment put the stock on Investors spotlight. EC maintained activity of relative volume at 1.43.

When analyzing volume, determine the strength or weakness of a move. As traders, we are more interested to take part in strong moves and don't join moves that show weakness - or we may even watch for an entry in the opposite direction of a weak move. These guidelines do not hold true in all situations, but they are a good general aid in trading decisions.

Ecopetrol S.A. (EC) stock managed performance -6.63% over the last week and switched with performance of -13.06% throughout past one month period. The stock price exposed a move of 17.00% so far this year and uncovered flow of -14.61% in recent year. The shares price displayed 3.57% return during the recent quarter while it has presented performance of -24.90% over the past six months. The stock exhibited 21.84% change to a low over the previous 12 months and manifested move of -33.55% to a high over the same period.

Currently, the 14-day Relative Strength Index (RSI) reading is at 31.45. As you can see RSI calculation is fairly simple. The objective of using RSI is to help the trader identify over sold and overbought price areas. Overbought implies that the positive momentum in the stock is so high that it may not be sustainable for long and hence there could be a correction. Likewise, an oversold position indicates that the negative momentum is high leading to a possible reversal. When the RSI reading is between 30 and 0, the security is supposed to be oversold and ready for an upward correction. When the security reading is between 70 and 100, the security is supposed to be heavily bought and is ready for a downward correction.

The Average True Range was recorded at 0.62. The volatility in the previous week has experienced by 2.65% and observed of 2.28% in the previous month. Institutional owners hold 3.30% stake while Insiders ownership held at 1.00% in the company. The stock price value Change from Open was at -0.85% with a Gap of -0.79%. The stock's short float is around of 4.75% and short ratio is 11.91. The stock has a beta value of 1.6. It sustained ROA (TTM) at 9.40%.



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