

Buy - Shire (SHP)

April 11, 2013

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Trade parameters:

Opening Price 1962p Stop Loss 62p away (1900p) Limit/Target 2150p

Reward vs. Risk 3.0x CFD Margin 5%

Observations - For

- 200-day moving average (thick blue) support/resistance for 3yr
- MACD close to prior lows; ADX (trend strength) rising).
- Directional indicators converging bullishly
- RSI in oversold territory; Momentum bounce off rising support
- Stochastics suggests oversold

Observations - Against

- MACD not yet bounced
- Momentum not yet gone positive again
- Shares been underperforming FTSE100
- RSI not yet bounced
- ADX (trend strength) well off recent highs

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Company buying back shares regularly, normally considered supportive for share price (11 Apr). Company to buy SARCode Bioscience for \$160m adding dry eye treatment to stable (25 Mar). Dow Jones news says potential acquisition target for major Pharma (1 Mar). Nomura cuts to neutral seeing limited prospects for Attention Deficit Hyper Activity drug Vyanase and for US price growth as biggest brand Concerta goes generic, a negative overhang (28 Feb). Consensus Buy. **Next Event:** AGM, 30 Apr; Q1 Results 2 May

Latest Broker 12m Consensus: 24 x Buy, 5 x Hold, 0 x Sell (Source: Digital Look, Alpha Terminal, Brokerforecasts.com) (U = Upgrade / D = Downgrade)

9-Apr, JPMorgan, Overweight, TP 2340p; 4-Apr, Goldman Sachs, Strong Buy, TP 2675p; 2-Apr, ExaneBNP, Outperform, TP 2300p; 2-Apr, Credit Suisse, Outperform, TP 2350p; 12-Mar, Deutsche, Buy, TP 2325p; 5-Mar, BoA-ML, Neutral, TP 2157p;



Stock description

Shire PLC markets, licenses and develops prescription medicines. The Group focuses its operations on attention deficit and hyperactivity disorders, human genetic therapies, gastrointestinal, and renal diseases.

Graph: 3-year (daily)

Stock last used as Trade Idea; 4-Jan 2013

**Source: DowJones Newswires, Reuters News or Company Press releases, Bloomberg.com

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Graph: 2-year (daily) - ADX and Directional Indicators, MACD & Volume



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Graph: 3-year (daily) - RSI, Momentum and Performance relative to FTSE 100



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