

# **KAMCO** Research

# **Technical Analysis – Boursa Kuwait**

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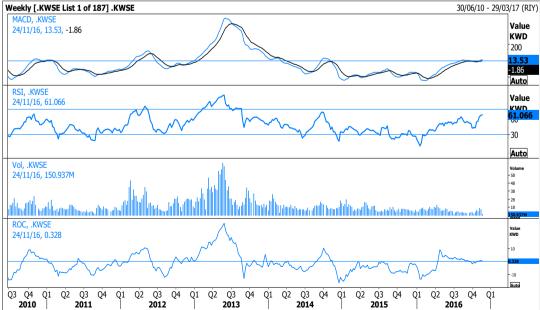
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#### **Boursa Kuwait**

The Price Index <.KWSE> closed at 5,517.75 point. It is yet impossible to tell whether the current upside move was completed or if there is yet another leg up towards the resistance level at 5,650 point, knowing that a sustainable close above the support line at 5,400 point and other technical indicators still suggest a move north. Ending below 5,400 point should be rather reliable sign that a re-test of 5,260 point is underway. However, managing to surpass 5,650 point would increase the probability of reaching the critical resistance line at 5,816 point. Both weekly and daily RSI indicators are currently looking neutral.

Medium-term investors can stay in the market as long as the index is closing above 5,400 point, while long-term investors can enter above 5,816 point.





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#### **Boubyan Bank**

Reuters Ticker: <BOUK.KW>

**Price closed at KWD0.395.** Although it is moving within the positive territory, the stock needs to show buying momentum above the horizontal level at KWD0.400 to confirm a jump back to the resistance zone at KWD0.430-KWD0.440. On the counter side, a fall back below the tiny support level at KWD0.390 would most likely trigger KWD0.370 but it is necessary for the stock to maintain a close above the support area at KWD0.355-KWD0.340 to prevent an aggressive move down.



## **Kuwait International Bank**

Reuters Ticker: <KIBK.KW>

**Price closed at KWD0.200.** The support area at KWD0.170-KWD0.176 rejected further slippage and allowed the stock to head north. Additional strength cannot be ruled out as the price managed to move above its MAs, knowing that the next layer of resistance comes at KWD0.216, which if broken would promote further rally towards an initial target at KWD0.238. However, a dip back below KWD0.194 would delay the upwards move and trigger KWD0.184.



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#### **Kuwait Real Estate Co.**

Reuters Ticker: <KREK.KW>

**Price closed at KWD0.055.** The bias is positive as the stock broke above the 26-months descending trend line along with a bullish RSI indicators. Eyes now have shifted towards the resistance level at KWD0.058, while a firm close above there would confirm a base near KWD0.041 and call for an advance towards KWD0.063 and KWD0.068. However, an aggressive move down is not favored but some attempts to go down could be seen to KWD0.052 and KWD0.048.



### The Commercial Real Estate Co.

Reuters Ticker: <TIJK.KW>

**Price closed at KWD0.081.** The sentiment turned cautious with the high of KWD0.083 continuing to frustrate the upside move and we are not surprised to see the stock ease back from here. However, a breakthrough there is required to open a window of opportunity for a moderate rally to KWD0.087 and KWD0.091. On the opposite side, a dip below KWD0.077 could once again allow a re-test of KWD0.074 but only below KWD0.071 would increase the downside risk.



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#### **Definitions**

**Technical Analysis:** Aims to identify the direction of prices and reveal any indication of possible changes as soon as possible, so it can be used as much as possible in making buying and selling decisions in the most appropriate time in order to minimize risk and maximize profits.

**Trend:** The general direction of a market or of the price of an asset.

Resistance: A chart point or range that caps an increase in the level of a stock or index over a period of time.

Support: The price level which, historically, a stock has had difficulty falling below. It is thought of as the level at which a lot of buyers tend to enter the stock.

**Breakout:** A signal that prices are beginning to trend, either upward or downward.

Bull: An investor who thinks the market, a specific security or an industry is likely to rise.

Bear: An investor who thinks the market, a specific security or an industry is likely to decline.

Channel: is two parallel trend lines either rising or declining.

Consolidation Area: is a sideways movement in prices that interrupts or reverse a trend.

Moving Average (MA): The most common applications of MAs are to identify the trend direction and to determine support and resistance levels.

MACD (Moving Average Convergence-Divergence): A trend-following momentum indicator that shows the relationship between two moving averages of prices.

**Relative Strength Index:** A technical momentum indicator (ranges from 0 to 100) that compares the magnitude of recent gains to recent losses in an attempt to determine overbought and oversold conditions of an asset.

**Overbought:** A situation in which the price of a security has risen to such a degree that an oscillator has reached its upper bound. This is generally interpreted as a sign that the price of the asset is becoming overvalued and may experience a pullback.

**Oversold:** A situation in which the price of a security has fallen to such a degree that an oscillator has reached its upper bound. This is generally interpreted as a sign that the price of the asset is becoming undervalued and may represent a buying opportunity for investors.

Fibonacci: A term refers to areas of support or resistance and to help identify strategic places for transactions to be placed, target prices or stop losses.

On Balance Volume (OBV): is a simple running total of up day (added) and down day (subtracted) volume. If OBV is moving with price, it confirms the current trend. Divergences between OBV and price indicates the price may be due for a reversal.

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