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- + Wheat



Soy and Grains Technical Analysis

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SOY Markets:

SOY BEANS, this market remains range-bound.

BEAN OIL We are bears in all time-frames.

SOY MEAL Despite the constructive short-term chart, the lack of clarity in the long and medium-term charts is discouraging the bulls

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Monthly Chart continuation:

Above the market lies resistance at 1125.

The market has been driven down from that resistance to remain within a wide trading range.



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Weekly Chart – Continuation:

A bottom looks to be in place...

Daily Chart Mar 17:

But in the short-term wait for a break of the range.



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SOY: Soy Bean Oil



Monthly Chart Continuation:

Was there <u>a completed H&S</u> bottom?

No, the bottom has failed at both prior resistance and the neckline....



Weekly Chart – Continuation:

The bulls may have had high hopes from the H&S reversal, but we recognised that the market also needed to break up through 36.80

It never did and the H&S pattern looks to have <u>failed</u>.

Watch diagonal support carefully in case of further breakdown.





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Daily Mar 17 Chart

Note the failure of the horizontal supports from the Prior Highs.

The short-term bears are in charge (while there's resistance at 34.57) and forcing the medium-term bulls to reconsider.

We are still sellers with stops above 35.50



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Monthly Chart Continuation:

The rally hasn't been sustained.

Stand back.



Weekly Chart – continuation:

The wide range.

Stand back for clarity.



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Daily Chart Mar 17

But this is more interesting: break up through 330 is powerful and shown to be powerful support on any pullbacks.

This remains a short-term buying opportunity....with stops beneath 330.



CORN and RAPESEED and WHEAT:

CORN The recent short-term failure reassures that it is right to remain square **RAPESEED** We are outright bulls in all time-frames still, though watching the support in the short-term chart carefully. **WHEAT** We remain outright bulls in all time-frames – the market is powerfully supported by clear levels.

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OTHER: Corn





Weekly cont. Chart

Yet the market remains within a medium-term range.

Daily bar chart Mar 17 contract

This isn't very clear. Stand back.

Watch though, for a break beneath 343.

Or above 374...

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OTHER: Rapeseed



Monthly Chart Continuation:

The 392 resistance level has been smashed.

And the Prior High 404 is overcome....

A bottom looks to be in place.

Look closer.

Weekly chart

Watch the retest of banded Support at 404.50 – 392

We are **buyers**....with stops beneath 390.





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Daily May 17 Chart:

The break above 421 establishes support beneath 421-418. We are buyers with stops beneath 418...



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OTHER: Wheat



Monthly Chart Continuation:

Historically the market has repeatedly bounced off the critical support of 424-434.

No longer. That level is now powerful resistance

Look closer at the breakdown.



Weekly chart

In greater detail.... Successive rallies to the 434 resistance have failed in the recent past.

Now that a break up through 434 has completes a Double Bottom.

The bulls are in charge



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Daily Mar 17 futures Chart:

The bull are in charge short, in the short and medium-term.

Expect good support at 435 and below.



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