Technical Coverage on Semiconductor Equipment Sector Equities - Applied Materials, Teradyne, Lam Research, Rubicon Technology, and KLA-Tencor

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Investor-Edge has initiated coverage on the following equities: Applied Materials Inc. (NASDAQ: AMAT), Teradyne Inc. (NYSE: TER), Lam Research Corporation (NASDAQ: LRCX), Rubicon Technology Inc. (NASDAQ: RBCN), and KLA-Tencor Corporation (NASDAQ: KLAC). Free research on these five companies can be accessed at: http://investor-edge.com/register_ On Friday, October 3, 2014, the NASDAQ Composite ended at 4,475.62, up 1.03%, the Dow Jones Industrial Average advanced 1.24%, to finish the day at 17,009.69, and the S&P 500 closed at 1,967.90, up 1.12%. The gains were broad based as all the sectors ended the session in positive. The S&P 500 Information Technology Sector Index ended the day at 654.33, up 0.77%, with the index also advancing 1.81% in the previous three months. Register for your complimentary reports on these five stocks at:

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Applied Materials Inc.'s stock gained 1.02%, to close the day at \$20.74. The stock recorded a trading volume of 11.16 million shares, below its three months average volume of 12.12 million shares. The stock oscillated between \$20.45 and \$20.81 during the session. Over the last three trading sessions and over the past one month, Applied Materials Inc.'s shares have fallen by 4.03% and 8.88%, respectively. However, the stock has surged 17.31% since the start of this year. The company's stock is trading above its 200-day moving average of \$20.20, while the 200-day moving average is below Applied Materials Inc. stock's 50-day moving average of \$21.84. Additionally, the stock traded at a PE ratio of 21.21 and has a Relative Strength Index (RSI) of 35.35. Sign up and read the free notes on AMAT at:

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On Friday, shares in Teradyne Inc. recorded a trading volume of 4.22 million shares, higher than its three months average volume of 2.65 million shares. The stock ended the day at \$18.35, which was 2.08% below its previous day's closing of \$18.74, and registered an intraday range of \$18.30 and \$18.77. Shares of the company traded at a PE ratio of 24.43. Teradyne Inc.'s shares have lost 5.36% in the previous three trading sessions and 8.30% in the last three months. However, the stock has advanced 4.14% on YTD basis. The company's stock is trading below its 50-day and 200-day moving averages of \$19.55 and \$19.09, respectively. Furthermore, shares of Teradyne Inc. have an RSI of 28.67. The complimentary notes on TER can be downloaded as in PDF format at:

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Lam Research Corp.'s stock edged 0.62% higher, to close Friday's session at \$72.74, after oscillating between \$72.32 and \$73.38. The stock recorded a trading volume of 1.43 million shares, below its three months average volume of 1.75 million shares. Over the last one month and the

previous three months, Lam Research Corp.'s shares have advanced 1.07% and 5.41%, respectively. Additionally, from the beginning of 2014, the stock has gained 33.59%. The company's stock is trading above its 50-day and 200-day moving averages. The stock's 50-day moving average of \$71.67 is above its 200-day moving average of \$61.36. Further, Lam Research Corp.'s stock traded at a PE ratio of 20.98 and has an RSI of 47.43. Register for free on Investor-Edge and access the latest research on LRCX at:

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Rubicon Technology Inc.'s stock finished Friday's session 0.44% higher at \$4.54. A total of 0.56 million shares were traded, which was below its three months average volume of 0.62 million shares. The stock moved between \$4.46 and \$4.61 during the session. Although, Rubicon Technology Inc.'s shares have gained 6.82% in the previous three trading sessions, it has plummeted 25.82% in the last one month and 54.37% on YTD basis. The company's shares are trading below their 50-day and 200-day moving averages of \$6.07 and \$9.16, respectively. Rubicon Technology Inc.'s stock has an RSI of 33.37. The complete research on RBCN is available for free at:

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On Friday, shares in KLA-Tencor Corp. traded between \$75.93 and \$76.67 before ending the session 0.52% lower at \$76.25. The stock reported a trading volume of 1.31 million shares, below its three months average volume of 1.55 million shares. Shares of the company traded at a PE ratio of 21.59. Over the previous three months and since the start of this year, KLA-Tencor Corp.'s shares have advanced 2.18% and 18.29%, respectively. However, the stock has fallen by 2.63% in the last one month. The company's stock is trading above its 50-day and 200-day moving averages of \$75.97 and \$68.80, respectively. Moreover, shares of KLA-Tencor Corp. have an RSI of 39.80. Free in depth research on KLAC is available at:

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