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The Straits Times Index breakout above 3380 is slowly continuing. There is resistance near 3450. The breakout is on the back of a slow moving uptrend. It is difficult to define the uptrend.

The trend line uses the primary low points. It is a long distance away from the current index activity and this leaves room for a substantial fall for any retreats of the trend line. The index is also well above the upper edge of the long term GMMA. This also opens the potential for a substantial fall similar to the fall seen in October 2014.

These factors suggests this is a rally rather than a trend. Traders will tighten stops to protect profits.

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