American States Water Co.

AWR

NYSE; utilities; SIC 4941, Water Supply; CIK 0001056903

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strongest fifth of 148 graded peers in the pooled energy and...

rank 13 of 148; percentile 8.2; sampling error 3.6 points; lower is stronger

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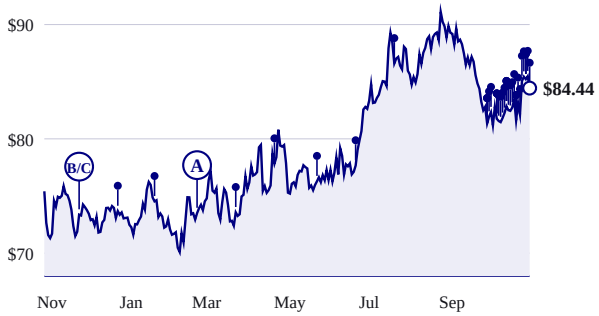
A, the bull



Scoreboard

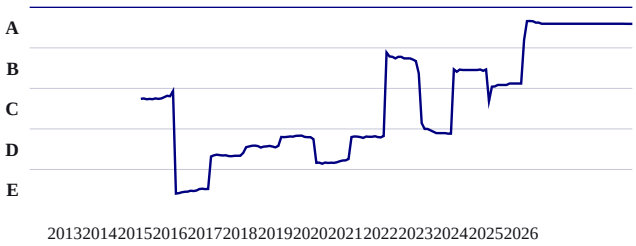
Profitability	B percentile 30.4
Solvency	B percentile 33.9
Growth and financing	B percentile 30.5
Reliability	0.94 AUC filers with over $2.67B assets; 95% interval 0.88 to 0.97; 61 events, 2020 to 2025
Peer failure rate	0.52% a year Item 1.03 bankruptcies, same asset band, 2012 to 2025
Size band	over $2.67B assets total assets $2.7B
Standard universe	inside revenue above $1M and assets above $10M
Warnings	none triggered not computable: distress
Inputs computable	10 of 14
Graded from	filings received through Feb 18, 2026 253 days before the rescan; latest periodic filing 10-Q received Aug 5, 2026
Last close	$84.47 2026-10-28; market equity $3.3B; no price enters the letter

Share price, twelve months to the rescan



Split-adjusted close. Each lollipop is a rescan and carries the letter held then.

Letter at every rescan, 2012 to 2026



Sector percentile at each rescan, stronger toward the top; facts filed by each date only.

Business, in the company's words

opening of Item 1 of the 10-K received Feb 18, 2026

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The fourteen inputs

lower percentile is stronger; sleeves and inputs within a sleeve carry equal weight

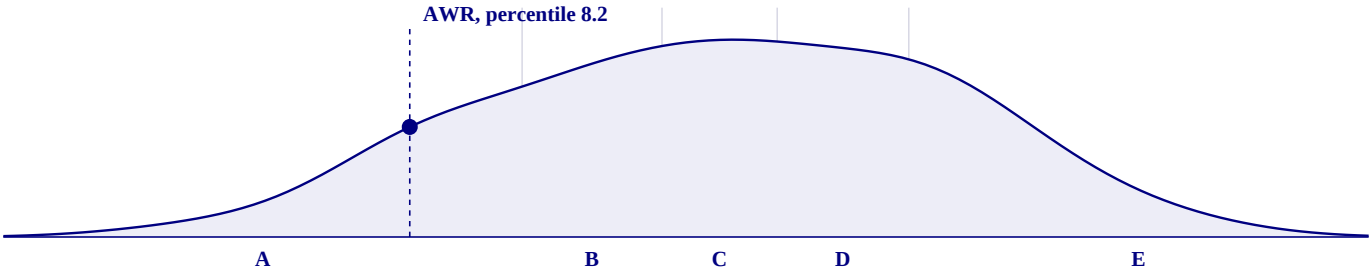
Input	Value	Peer median	Percentile, 0 to 100	Pct	Peers	Period end
Profitability, sleeve percentile 30.4						
Gross profitability	22.0%	17.5%		32.5	81	2025-12-31
Return on invested capital	9.3%	6.0%		23.3	91	2025-12-31
Accruals ratio	(3.8%)	(5.0%)		60.4	271	2025-12-31
Gross margin stability, five years	0.9 pts	4.6 pts		5.6	55	2025-12-31

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Solvency, sleeve percentile 33.9						
Twelve-month failure probability	not computable	0.06%				
liabilities and a nearby cover-page share count are required at 2026-06-30						
Altman Z double-prime	not computable	1.48				
one or more required annual facts are missing						
Net debt to EBITDA	3.04x	3.63x		39.7	117	2025-12-31
Interest coverage	not computable	2.37x				
latest aligned inputs end 2023-12-31; latest annual assets end 2025-12-31						
Current ratio	1.32x	0.97x		28.1	282	2025-12-31
Growth and financing, sleeve percentile 30.5						
Revenue growth, three-year compound	10.2%	0.7%		14.9	222	2025-12-31
Free cash flow growth, three-year compound	not computable	(11.8%)				
current FCF must be positive and base FCF must exceed $100,000						
Reinvestment rate	190.6%	59.0%		11.3	72	2025-12-31
Asset growth, three years	10.1%	6.4%		31.0	246	2025-12-31
Net share issuance, one year	2.4%	0.4%		64.7	157	2026-02-18

Among 148 peers

utilities; letters are fifths of this list



Composite score of every graded peer, smoothed; vertical rules are the letter band edges; stronger to the left.

Rank	Company	Percentile	Letter	Warnings
8	Permian Resources Corp. (PR)	4.8	A	
9	Halliburton Co. (HAL)	5.4	A	
10	Patterson UTI Energy Inc. (PTEN)	6.1	A	
11	Conocophillips (COP)	6.8	A	
12	ProPetro Holding Corp. (PUMP)	7.5	A	fortress balance sheet
13	American States Water Co. (AWR)	8.2	A	
14	Matador Resources Co. (MTDR)	8.8	A	
15	Alliance Resource Partners L.P. (ARLP)	9.5	A	
16	Expand Energy Corp. (EXE)	10.2	A	
17	Northern OIL & GAS, Inc. (NOG)	10.9	A	
18	Ranger Energy Services, Inc. (RNGR)	11.6	A	fortress balance sheet

What the price implies

at the 2026-10-28 close; none of these enters the grade

Measure	Value	Peer median	Percentile
Twelve-month price change, skipping the latest month	25.1%	15.5%	63
Distance from 52-week high	(7.3%)	(13.1%)	73
EBIT to enterprise value	4.9%	4.5%	55
Free cash flow yield	(0.2%)	1.4%	37
Book value to price	0.34	0.52	19
Sales to price	0.20	0.44	8
Composite equity issuance, five years	(4.5%)	(7.2%)	55

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Relative strength against the sector, log excess return	0.24	0.04	78

Diagnostics

shown on every report; none enters the grade

Measure	Value
Piotroski F-score 4 of 9, period end 2025-12-31	
Return on assets above zero	pass
Operating cash flow above zero	pass
Return on assets improved	fail
Operating cash flow exceeds net income	pass
Long-term leverage fell	fail
Current ratio improved	pass
No new shares issued	fail
Gross margin improved	fail
Asset turnover improved	fail
Cash, filings, liquidity	
Cash and equivalents	$21.7M
Operating cash flow, four quarters	$236.6M
Months of runway	not finite
Days since last periodic filing	85 (10-Q received Aug 5, 2026)
Median daily dollar volume, 63 sessions	$18.3M

Sources

every fact behind the inputs; each row links to its filing index on sec.gov

#	Concept	XBRL tag	Value	Period end	Received	Form	Accession
1	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$658.1M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
2	cost of revenue	us-gaap:CostOfGoodsAndServicesSold	$60.6M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
3	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$2.7B	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
4	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	$203.3M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
5	pretax income	us-gaap:IncomeLossFromContinuingOperationsBeforeInc...	$169.8M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
6	income tax	us-gaap:IncomeTaxExpenseBenefit	$39.4M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
7	total debt	us-gaap:LongTermDebtAndCapitalLeaseObligations	$782.7M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
8	book equity	us-gaap:StockholdersEquity	$1.0B	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
9	cash	us-gaap:CashAndCashEquivalentsAtCarryingValue	$18.8M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
10	total debt	us-gaap:LongTermDebtAndCapitalLeaseObligations	$640.4M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
11	book equity	us-gaap:StockholdersEquity	$920.1M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
12	cash	us-gaap:CashAndCashEquivalentsAtCarryingValue	$26.7M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
13	net income	us-gaap:NetIncomeLoss	$130.4M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
14	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$229.7M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
15	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$2.5B	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
16	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$595.5M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
17	cost of revenue	us-gaap:CostOfGoodsAndServicesSold	$54.5M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
18	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$595.7M	2023-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
19	cost of revenue	us-gaap:CostOfGoodsAndServicesSold	$57.9M	2023-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
20	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$491.5M	2022-12-31	2025-02-19	10-K	25-006389
21	cost of revenue	us-gaap:CostOfGoodsAndServicesSold	$53.2M	2022-12-31	2025-02-19	10-K	25-006389
22	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$498.9M	2021-12-31	2024-02-21	10-K	24-005922
23	cost of revenue	us-gaap:CostOfGoodsAndServicesSold	$56.9M	2021-12-31	2024-02-21	10-K	24-005922
24	depreciation amortization	us-gaap:DepreciationDepletionAndAmortization	$47.8M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
25	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	$196.7M	2023-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
26	interest expense	us-gaap:InterestExpense	$42.8M	2023-12-31	2024-02-21	10-K	24-005922
27	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$231.1M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
28	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$174.6M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
29	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$236.8M	2025-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
30	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$198.7M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114

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31	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$232.0M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
32	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$67.7M	2023-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
33	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$188.5M	2023-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
34	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$117.8M	2022-12-31	2025-02-19	10-K	25-006389
35	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$166.2M	2022-12-31	2025-02-19	10-K	25-006389
36	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$233.3M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
37	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$285.5M	2024-12-31	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
38	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$2.2B	2023-12-31	2025-02-19	10-K	25-006389
39	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$2.0B	2022-12-31	2024-02-21	10-K	24-005922
40	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	39,082,470	2026-02-18	2026-02-18	10-K	26-009114
41	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	38,156,568	2025-02-18	2025-02-19	10-K	25-006389

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