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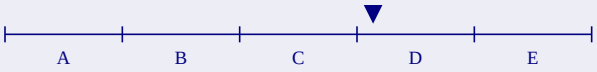
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NYSE; shops; SIC 5812, Retail-Eating Places; CIK 0000063908

C/D

on the C/D boundary of 256 graded peers in shops

rank 161 of 256; percentile 62.7; sampling error 2.9 points; lower is stronger



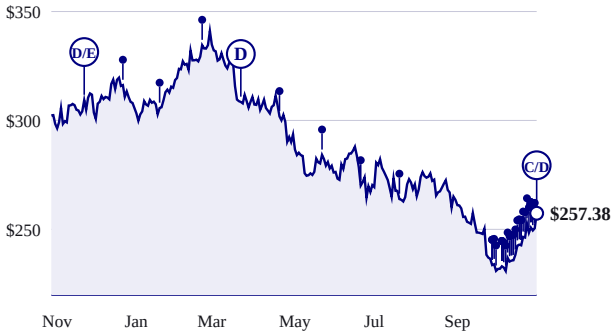
C/D, the tortoise



Scoreboard

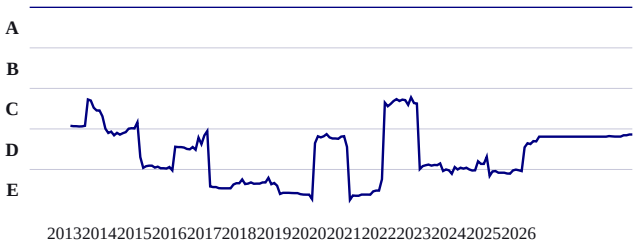
Profitability	D percentile 68.3
Solvency	C/D percentile 57.4
Growth and financing	B/C percentile 39.5
Reliability	0.94 AUC filers with over $2.67B assets; 95% interval 0.88 to 0.97; 61 events, 2020 to 2025
Peer failure rate	0.52% a year Item 1.03 bankruptcies, same asset band, 2012 to 2025
Size band	over $2.67B assets total assets $59.5B
Standard universe	inside revenue above $1M and assets above $10M
Warnings	none triggered not computable: distress
Inputs computable	8 of 14
Graded from	filings received through Feb 24, 2026 248 days before the rescan; latest periodic filing 10-Q received Aug 7, 2026
Last close	$257.33 2026-10-29; market equity $182.1B; 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 24, 2026

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The fourteen inputs

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

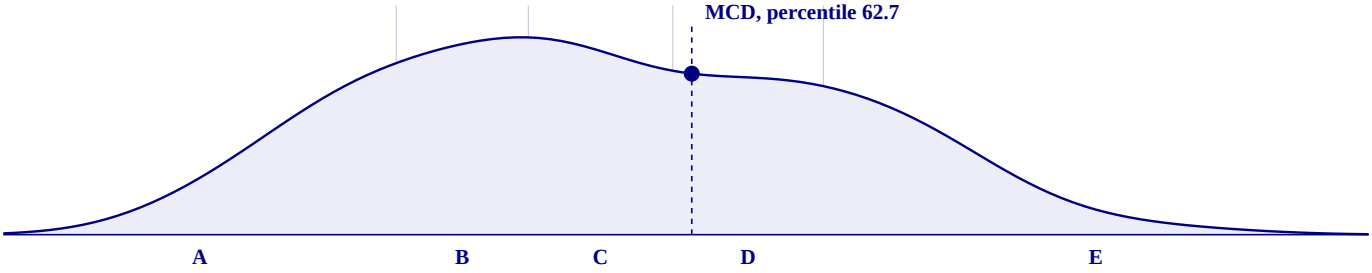
Input	Value	Peer median	Percentile, 0 to 100	Pct	Peers	Period end
Profitability, sleeve percentile 68.3						
Gross profitability	not computable	42.0%				
one or more required annual facts are missing						

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Return on invested capital	not computable	10.9%				
one or more required annual facts are missing						
Accruals ratio	(3.5%)	(4.8%)		68.3	285	2025-12-31
Gross margin stability, five years	not computable	1.2 pts				
five annual gross margins are required; found 0						
Solvency, sleeve percentile 57.4						
Twelve-month failure probability	not computable	0.04%				
liabilities and a nearby cover-page share count are required at 2026-06-30						
Altman Z double-prime	not computable	1.93				
one or more required annual facts are missing						
Net debt to EBITDA	3.05x	1.84x		71.7	100	2025-12-31
Interest coverage	7.83x	2.28x		24.2	63	2025-12-31
Current ratio	0.95x	1.38x		76.4	293	2025-12-31
Growth and financing, sleeve percentile 39.5						
Revenue growth, three-year compound	5.1%	1.6%		32.0	267	2025-12-31
Free cash flow growth, three-year compound	9.4%	5.2%		41.5	148	2025-12-31
Reinvestment rate	not computable	8.4%				
one or more required annual facts are missing						
Asset growth, three years	5.7%	3.4%		36.8	270	2025-12-31
Net share issuance, one year	(0.6%)	(0.6%)		47.8	208	2026-01-31

Among 256 peers

shops; 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
156	Stitch Fix, Inc. (SFIX)	60.8	C/D	
157	Resideo Technologies, Inc. (REZI)	61.2	C/D	short runway
158	Wayfair Inc. (W)	61.6	C/D	
159	MGP Ingredients Inc. (MGPI)	62.0	C/D	
160	Kohls Corp. (KSS)	62.4	C/D	
161	Mcdonalds Corp. (MCD)	62.7	C/D	
162	Marinemax Inc. (HZO)	63.1	D	
163	Asbury Automotive Group Inc. (ABG)	63.5	D	
164	CarParts.com, Inc. (PRTS)	63.9	D	
165	NU Skin Enterprises, Inc. (NUS)	64.3	D	distress, fortress balance sheet
166	1stdibs.com, Inc. (DIBS)	64.7	D	

What the price implies

at the 2026-10-29 close; none of these enters the grade

Measure	Value	Peer median	Percentile
Twelve-month price change, skipping the latest month	(12.3%)	0.7%	36
Distance from 52-week high	(24.5%)	(19.4%)	43
EBIT to enterprise value	5.6%	5.2%	54

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Free cash flow yield	3.9%	3.9%	50
Book value to price	(0.01)	0.35	14
Sales to price	0.15	1.59	1
Composite equity issuance, five years	(17.9%)	(16.8%)	47
Relative strength against the sector, log excess return	(0.11)	0.03	36

Diagnostics

shown on every report; none enters the grade

Measure	Value
Piotroski F-score None of 9, period end 2025-12-31	
Return on assets above zero	pass
Operating cash flow above zero	pass
Return on assets improved	pass
Operating cash flow exceeds net income	pass
Long-term leverage fell	fail
Current ratio improved	fail
No new shares issued	pass
Gross margin improved	fail
Asset turnover improved	pass
Cash, filings, liquidity	
Cash and equivalents	$822.0M
Operating cash flow, four quarters	$11.3B
Months of runway	not finite
Days since last periodic filing	84 (10-Q received Aug 7, 2026)
Median daily dollar volume, 63 sessions	$1.2B

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	net income	us-gaap:NetIncomeLoss	$8.6B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
2	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$10.6B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
3	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$59.5B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
4	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$55.2B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
5	total debt	us-gaap:LongTermDebt	$40.0B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
6	cash	us-gaap:CashAndCashEquivalentsAtCarryingValue	$774.0M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
7	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	$12.4B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
8	depreciation amortization	us-gaap:DepreciationDepletionAndAmortization	$457.0M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
9	interest expense	us-gaap:InterestExpense	$1.6B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
10	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$4.2B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
11	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$4.4B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
12	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$26.9B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
13	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$25.9B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
14	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$25.5B	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
15	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$23.2B	2022-12-31	2025-02-25	10-K	25-000012
16	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$3.4B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
17	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$9.4B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
18	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$2.8B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
19	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$9.6B	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
20	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$2.4B	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
21	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$7.4B	2022-12-31	2025-02-25	10-K	25-000012
22	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$1.9B	2022-12-31	2025-02-25	10-K	25-000012
23	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$56.1B	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035
24	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$50.4B	2022-12-31	2025-02-25	10-K	25-000012
25	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	710,398,642	2026-01-31	2026-02-24	10-K	26-000035

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26	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	714,461,139	2025-01-31	2025-02-25	10-K	25-000012	