Hour Loop, Inc.

HOUR

Nasdaq; shops; SIC 5961, Retail-Catalog & Mail-Order Houses; CIK 0001874875

A/B

on the A/B boundary of 254 graded peers in shops

rank 55 of 254; percentile 21.3; sampling error 3.0 points; lower is stronger

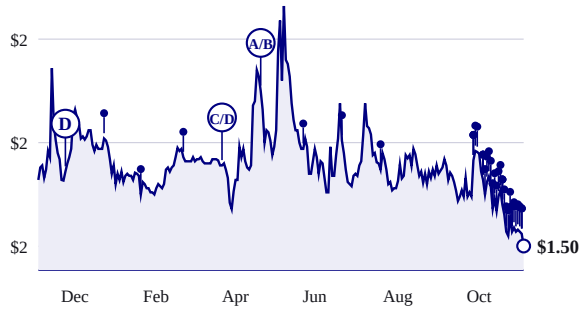
A B C D E

A/B, the bull



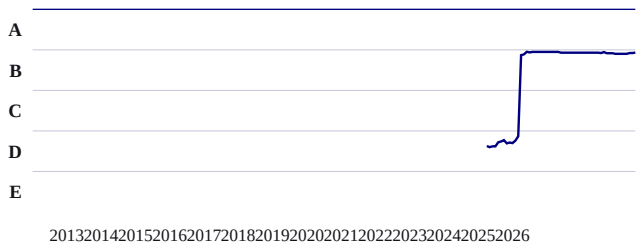
Scoreboard	
Profitability	B/C percentile 41.6
Solvency	B/C percentile 41.1
Growth and financing	B percentile 35.9
Reliability	0.83 AUC filers with $12.5M to $120M assets; 95% interval 0.79 to 0.86; 201 events, 2020 to 2025
Peer failure rate	1.07% a year Item 1.03 bankruptcies, same asset band, 2012 to 2025
Size band	$12.5M to $120M assets total assets $23.8M
Standard universe	inside revenue above $1M and assets above $10M
Warnings	none triggered not computable: short runway, distress, fortress balance sheet
Inputs computable	9 of 14
Graded from	filings received through Mar 24, 2026 225 days before the rescan; latest periodic filing 10-Q received Aug 11, 2026
Last close	$1.52 2026-10-30; market equity $53.5M; 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 Mar 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 41.6						
Gross profitability	313.3%	42.6%		0.4	238	2025-12-31
Return on invested capital	not computable	10.9%				
one or more required annual facts are missing						
Accruals ratio	(4.0%)	(4.8%)		62.4	283	2025-12-31

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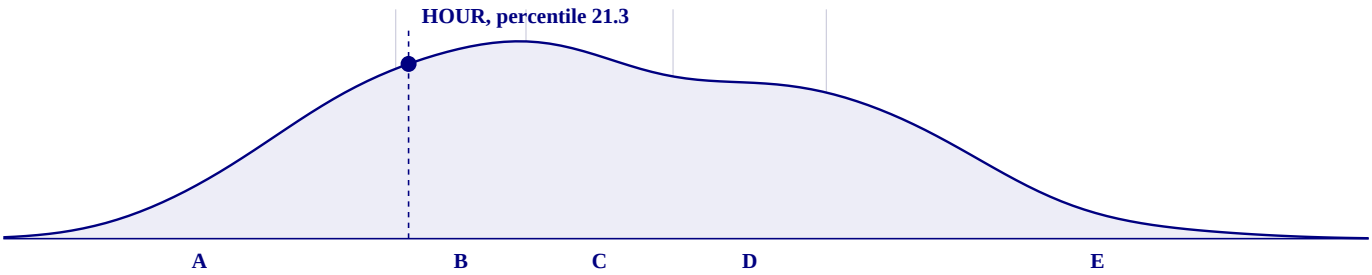
Gross margin stability, five years	1.7 pts	1.2 pts		61.9	216	2025-12-31
Solvency, sleeve percentile 41.1						
Twelve-month failure probability	not computable	0.03%				
latest liabilities, cash plus short-term investments, book equity, and shares are required						
Altman Z double-prime	3.00	1.93		32.5	204	2025-12-31
Net debt to EBITDA	not computable	1.88x				
one or more required annual facts are missing						
Interest coverage	not computable	2.49x				
latest aligned inputs end 2022-12-31; latest annual assets end 2025-12-31						
Current ratio	1.37x	1.37x		49.7	291	2025-12-31
Growth and financing, sleeve percentile 35.9						
Revenue growth, three-year compound	14.1%	1.6%		8.0	265	2025-12-31
Free cash flow growth, three-year compound	not computable	4.8%				
current FCF must be positive and base FCF must exceed $100,000						
Reinvestment rate	132.9%	8.4%		7.9	152	2025-12-31
Asset growth, three years	(2.5%)	3.4%		71.8	267	2025-12-31
Net share issuance, one year	0.09%	(0.6%)		56.0	210	2026-03-24

Among 254 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
50	Dick'S Sporting Goods, Inc. (DKS)	19.4	A/B	fortress balance sheet
51	Cardinal Health Inc. (CAH)	19.8	A/B	
52	Amazon COM Inc. (AMZN)	20.2	A/B	fortress balance sheet
53	Chewy, Inc. (CHWY)	20.6	A/B	
54	Buckle Inc. (BKE)	20.9	A/B	
55	Hour Loop, Inc. (HOUR)	21.3	A/B	
56	EVI Industries, Inc. (EVI)	21.7	A/B	
57	Wesco International Inc. (WCC)	22.1	A/B	
58	Sprouts Farmers Market, Inc. (SFM)	22.5	A/B	fortress balance sheet
59	Arhaus, Inc. (ARHS)	22.9	A/B	
60	Pricesmart Inc. (PSMT)	23.3	B	fortress balance sheet

What the price implies

at the 2026-10-30 close; none of these enters the grade

Measure	Value	Peer median	Percentile
Twelve-month price change, skipping the latest month	(2.2%)	(0.7%)	47
Distance from 52-week high	(43.6%)	(18.8%)	21
EBIT to enterprise value	not computable	5.2%	
Free cash flow yield	4.7%	3.9%	58
Book value to price	0.17	0.35	32
Sales to price	2.70	1.56	66

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Composite equity issuance, five years	not computable	(16.6%)	
Relative strength against the sector, log excess return	0.07	0.08	47

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	pass
No new shares issued	fail
Gross margin improved	pass
Asset turnover improved	pass
Cash, filings, liquidity	
Cash and equivalents	n/a
Operating cash flow, four quarters	n/a
Months of runway	not finite
Days since last periodic filing	85 (10-Q received Aug 11, 2026)
Median daily dollar volume, 63 sessions	$15,983

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	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$74.6M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
2	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$23.8M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
3	net income	us-gaap:NetIncomeLoss	$1.7M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
4	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$2.6M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
5	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$20.0M	2024-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
6	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA...	$142.4M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
7	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$72.0M	2024-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
8	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA...	$138.3M	2024-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
9	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$66.5M	2023-12-31	2025-03-27	10-K	25-000930
10	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA...	$132.1M	2023-12-31	2025-03-27	10-K	25-000930
11	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$49.0M	2022-12-31	2024-03-26	10-K	24-011298
12	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA...	$95.9M	2022-12-31	2024-03-26	10-K	24-011298
13	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$34.8M	2021-12-31	2023-03-31	10-K	23-010279
14	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA...	$62.8M	2021-12-31	2023-03-31	10-K	23-010279
15	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$22.9M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
16	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$16.7M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
17	retained earnings	us-gaap:RetainedEarningsAccumulatedDeficit	$1.1M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
18	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	$2.5M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
19	book equity	us-gaap:StockholdersEquity	$7.0M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
20	liabilities	us-gaap:Liabilities	$16.8M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
21	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	-$1.9M	2022-12-31	2024-03-26	10-K	24-011298
22	interest expense	us-gaap:InterestExpense	$144,479	2022-12-31	2023-03-31	10-K	23-010279
23	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$78,113	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
24	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$313,140	2024-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
25	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$35,996	2024-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
26	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	-$2.1M	2023-12-31	2025-03-27	10-K	25-000930
27	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$14,823	2023-12-31	2025-03-27	10-K	25-000930
28	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	-$11.6M	2022-12-31	2024-03-26	10-K	24-011298
29	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$339,518	2022-12-31	2024-03-26	10-K	24-011298

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30	depreciation amortization	us-gaap:Depreciation	$41,386	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
31	pretax income	us-gaap:IncomeLossFromContinuingOperationsBeforeInc...	$2.4M	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
32	income tax	us-gaap:IncomeTaxExpenseBenefit	$692,736	2025-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
33	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$18.7M	2024-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
34	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$14.8M	2024-12-31	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
35	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$19.6M	2023-12-31	2025-03-27	10-K	25-000930
36	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$25.7M	2022-12-31	2024-03-26	10-K	24-011298
37	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	35,183,890	2026-03-24	2026-03-24	10-K	26-012278
38	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	35,151,440	2025-03-27	2025-03-27	10-K	25-000930

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