Niagen Bioscience, Inc.

NAGE

Nasdaq; healthcare; SIC 2833, Medicinal Chemicals & Botanical Products; CIK 0001386570

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strongest fifth of 305 graded peers in healthcare

rank 36 of 305; percentile 11.5; sampling error 2.8 points; lower is stronger

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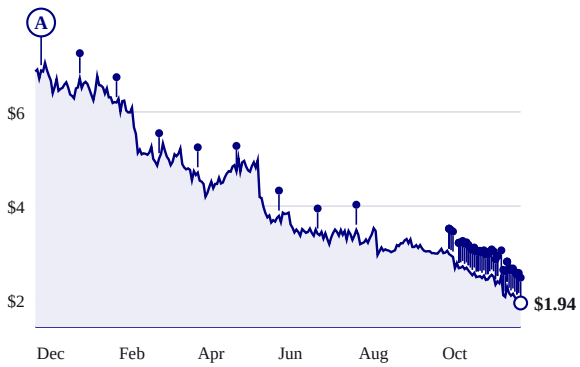
A, the bull



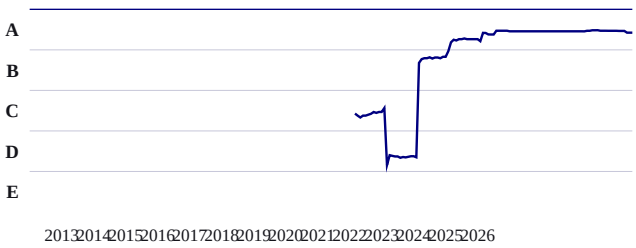
Scoreboard	
Profitability	B/C percentile 42.1
Solvency	B percentile 31.8
Growth and financing	B percentile 28.3
Reliability	0.83 AUC filers with $12.5M to $120M assets; 95% interval 0.79 to 0.86; 201 events, 2020 to 2025
Peer failure rate	1.07% a year Item 1.03 bankruptcies, same asset band, 2012 to 2025
Size band	$12.5M to $120M assets total assets $106.4M
Standard universe	inside revenue above $1M and assets above $10M
Warnings	none triggered not computable: short runway, distress, fortress balance sheet
Inputs computable	8 of 13
Graded from	filings received through Mar 4, 2026 260 days before the rescan; latest periodic filing 10-Q received Nov 4, 2026
Last close	$1.93 2026-11-18; market equity $152.9M; 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 4, 2026

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The thirteen 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 42.1						
Gross profitability	78.2%	32.8%		10.4	346	2025-12-31
Return on invested capital	not computable	9.6%				

required facts have no common fiscal period end

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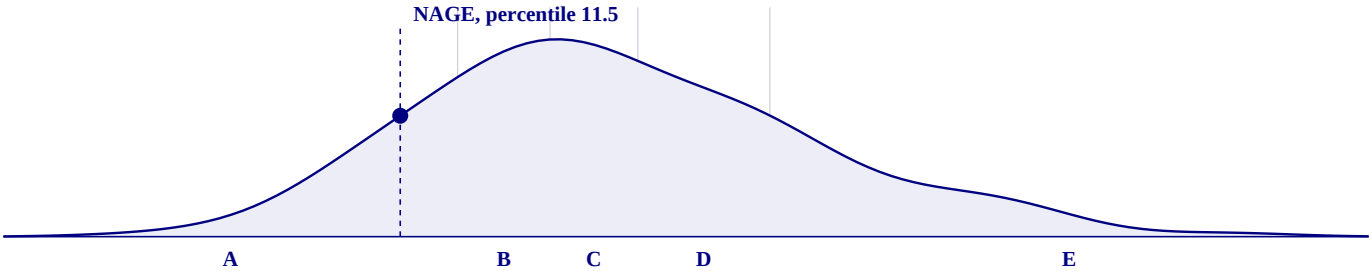
Accruals ratio	4.4%	(6.7%)	88.3	756	2025-12-31
Gross margin stability, five years	1.6 pts	2.8 pts	27.5	237	2025-12-31
Solvency, sleeve percentile 31.8					
Altman Z double-prime	3.42	0.31	24.7	705	2025-12-31
Net debt to EBITDA	not computable	1.82x			
required facts have no common fiscal period end					
Interest coverage	not computable	(3.61x)			
interest expense must exceed $100,000					
Current ratio	4.86x	2.68x	38.8	781	2025-12-31
Growth and financing, sleeve percentile 28.3					
Revenue growth, three-year compound	21.6%	9.6%	29.8	400	2025-12-31
Free cash flow growth, three-year compound	not computable	11.1%			
current FCF must be positive and base FCF must exceed $100,000					
Reinvestment rate	not computable	33.9%			
NOPAT must exceed $100,000					
Asset growth, three years	25.3%	3.2%	17.1	663	2025-12-31
Net share issuance, one year	3.0%	1.6%	38.0	625	2026-03-03

Among 305 peers

healthcare; 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
31	LivaNova plc (LIVN)	9.9	A	fortress balance sheet
32	RxSight, Inc. (RXST)	10.2	A	fortress balance sheet
33	Si-Bone, Inc. (SIBN)	10.5	A	fortress balance sheet
34	TransMedics Group, Inc. (TMDX)	10.9	A	
35	Treace Medical Concepts, Inc. (TMCI)	11.2	A	
36	Niagen Bioscience, Inc. (NAGE)	11.5	A	
37	Idexx Laboratories Inc. (IDXX)	11.8	A	
38	Natera, Inc. (NTRA)	12.2	A	fortress balance sheet
39	BridgeBio Pharma, Inc. (BBIO)	12.5	A	
40	Sanara MedTech Inc. (SMTI)	12.8	A	
41	Orthopediatrics Corp. (KIDS)	13.2	A	

What the price implies

at the 2026-11-18 close; none of these enters the grade

Measure	Value	Peer median	Percentile
Twelve-month price change, skipping the latest month	(61.3%)	(1.7%)	10
Distance from 52-week high	(72.4%)	(30.2%)	12
EBIT to enterprise value	17.3%	0.5%	95
Free cash flow yield	(13.8%)	0.6%	25
Book value to price	0.54	0.29	70
Sales to price	0.84	0.36	74

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Composite equity issuance, five years	17.1%	13.5%	55
Relative strength against the sector, log excess return	(1.12)	(0.19)	10
Twelve-month failure probability, CHS model	not computable	0.06%	

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	fail
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	15 (10-Q received Nov 4, 2026)
Median daily dollar volume, 63 sessions	$1.2M

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	$83.2M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
2	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$106.4M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
3	net income	us-gaap:NetIncomeLoss	$17.4M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
4	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	$13.5M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
5	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$68.3M	2024-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
6	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$129.4M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
7	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$61.6M	2024-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
8	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$99.6M	2024-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
9	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$50.8M	2023-12-31	2025-03-04	10-K	25-009774
10	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$83.6M	2023-12-31	2025-03-04	10-K	25-009774
11	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$42.8M	2022-12-31	2024-03-06	10-K	24-009380
12	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$72.0M	2022-12-31	2024-03-06	10-K	24-009380
13	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	$41.5M	2021-12-31	2023-03-08	10-K	23-006968
14	revenue	us-gaap:Revenues	$67.4M	2021-12-31	2023-03-08	10-K	23-006968
15	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$96.8M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
16	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$19.9M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
17	retained earnings	us-gaap:RetainedEarningsAccumulatedDeficit	-$164.5M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
18	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	$16.3M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
19	book equity	us-gaap:StockholdersEquity	$76.5M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
20	liabilities	us-gaap:Liabilities	$29.9M	2025-12-31	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
21	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	-$27.1M	2021-12-31	2023-03-08	10-K	23-006968
22	interest expense	us-gaap:InterestExpense	$55,000	2021-12-31	2022-03-14	10-K	22-006041
23	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	-$20.4M	2019-12-31	2021-03-12	10-K	21-002692
24	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$743,000	2019-12-31	2020-03-10	10-K	20-002437
25	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	-$20.9M	2018-12-31	2020-03-10	10-K	20-002437
26	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$1.3M	2018-12-31	2020-03-10	10-K	20-002437
27	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	-$9.8M	2017-12-30	2019-03-07	10-K	19-002395

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28	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$1.2M	2017-12-30	2019-03-07	10-K	19-002395
29	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	-$2.9M	2016-12-31	2018-03-15	10-K	18-002621
30	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	$1.5M	2016-12-31	2018-03-15	10-K	18-002621
31	depreciation amortization	us-gaap:DepreciationDepletionAndAmortization	$510,000	2017-12-30	2019-03-07	10-K	19-002395
32	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	-$16.4M	2017-12-30	2019-03-07	10-K	19-002395
33	pretax income	us-gaap:IncomeLossFromContinuingOperationsBeforeInc...	-$16.5M	2017-12-30	2018-03-15	10-K	18-002621
34	income tax	us-gaap:IncomeTaxExpenseBenefit	$0	2017-12-30	2018-03-15	10-K	18-002621
35	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$57.2M	2017-12-30	2019-03-07	10-K	19-002395
36	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$8.1M	2017-12-30	2019-03-07	10-K	19-002395
37	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	$15.7M	2016-12-31	2018-03-15	10-K	18-002621
38	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	$8.9M	2016-12-31	2018-03-15	10-K	18-002621
39	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$55.0M	2023-12-31	2025-03-04	10-K	25-009774
40	assets	us-gaap:Assets	$54.1M	2022-12-31	2024-03-06	10-K	24-009380
41	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	80,080,488	2026-03-03	2026-03-04	10-K	26-000013
42	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	77,750,447	2025-03-03	2025-03-04	10-K	25-009774

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