# Alpha Teknova, Inc.

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Nasdaq; healthcare; SIC 2835, In Vitro & In Vivo Diagnostic Substances; CIK 0001850902

**D**

**fourth fifth of 305 graded peers in healthcare**

rank 212 of 305; percentile 69.4; sampling error 2.8 points; lower is stronger

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**D, the sloth**



## Scoreboard

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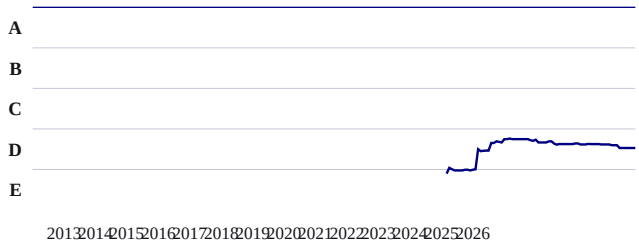
|---|---|
| **Profitability** | D<br>percentile 69.2 |
| **Solvency** | C<br>percentile 43.0 |
| **Growth and financing** | C<br>percentile 53.4 |
| **Reliability** | 0.83 AUC<br>filers with $12.5M to $120M assets; 95% interval 0.79 to 0.86; 201 events, 2020 to 2025 |
| **Peer failure rate** | 1.07% a year<br>Item 1.03 bankruptcies, same asset band, 2012 to 2025 |
| **Size band** | $12.5M to $120M assets<br>total assets $103.6M |
| **Standard universe** | inside<br>revenue above $1M and assets above $10M |
| **Warnings** | none triggered |
| **Inputs computable** | 8 of 13 |
| **Graded from** | filings received through Mar 2, 2026<br>266 days before the rescan; latest periodic filing 10-Q received Nov 5, 2026 |
| **Last close** | $7.65<br>2026-11-20; market equity $481.2M; 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 2, 2026*

Alpha Teknova, Inc. (referred to herein as the Company, Teknova, we, us or our) is a leading producer of critical reagents for the discovery, development, and commercialization of novel therapies, vaccines, and molecular diagnostics. Our more than 3,000 customers span the continuum of the life sciences market and include leading pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, contract development and manufacturing organizations, in vitro diagnostics franchises, and academic and government research institutions. Our Company is built around our knowledge, methods, and know-how in our manufacturing processes and infrastructure, which are highly adaptable and configurable.

## 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 69.2** | | | | | | |
| Gross profitability | 13.0% | 32.8% | | 72.8 | 346 | 2025-12-31 |
| Return on invested capital | not computable | 9.6% | | | | |

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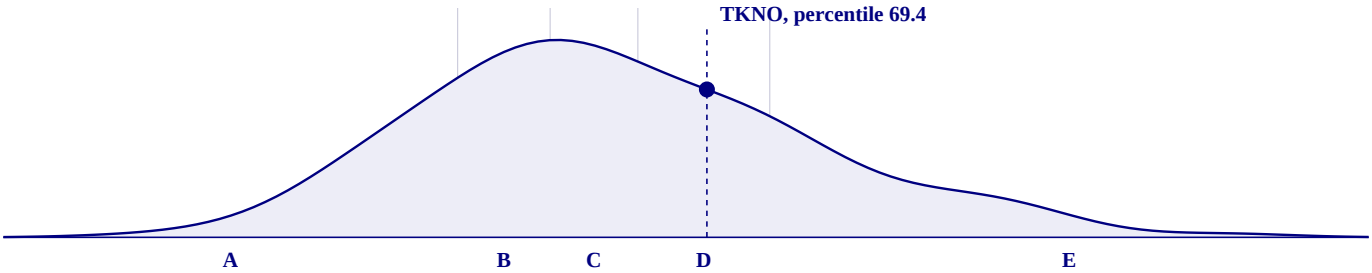
| *pretax income must exceed the validity floor and imply a 0%-100% tax rate* | | | | | |
| Accruals ratio | (7.7%) | (6.7%) | 50.5 | 756 | 2025-12-31 |
| Gross margin stability, five years | 10.1 pts | 2.8 pts | 84.3 | 237 | 2025-12-31 |
| **Solvency, sleeve percentile 43.0** | | | | | |
| Altman Z double-prime | (1.59) | 0.31 | 45.0 | 705 | 2025-12-31 |
| Net debt to EBITDA | not computable | 1.82x | | | |
| *EBITDA must exceed $100,000* | | | | | |
| Interest coverage | not computable | (3.61x) | | | |
| *one or more required annual facts are missing* | | | | | |
| Current ratio | 4.58x | 2.68x | 41.0 | 781 | 2025-12-31 |
| **Growth and financing, sleeve percentile 53.4** | | | | | |
| Revenue growth, three-year compound | (0.7%) | 9.6% | 73.2 | 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% | | | |
| *pretax income must exceed the validity floor and imply a 0%-100% tax rate* | | | | | |
| Asset growth, three years | (12.1%) | 3.2% | 71.9 | 663 | 2025-12-31 |
| Net share issuance, one year | 0.3% | 1.6% | 15.0 | 626 | 2026-02-27 |

## 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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 207 | Angiodynamics Inc. (ANGO) | 67.8 | D | fortress balance sheet |
| 208 | Exagen Inc. (XGN) | 68.1 | D | dilution, fortress balance sheet |
| 209 | American Shared Hospital Services (AMS) | 68.4 | D | late filer |
| 210 | Adaptive Biotechnologies Corp. (ADPT) | 68.8 | D | |
| 211 | U S Physical Therapy Inc. (USPH) | 69.1 | D | |
| 212 | Alpha Teknova, Inc. (TKNO) | 69.4 | D | |
| 213 | Scienture Holdings, Inc. (SCNX) | 69.7 | D | short runway, fortress balance sheet |
| 214 | Iridex Corp. (IRIX) | 70.1 | D | fortress balance sheet |
| 215 | Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (REGN) | 70.4 | D | |
| 216 | Bioventus Inc. (BVS) | 70.7 | D | |
| 217 | Bausch & Lomb Corp. (BLCO) | 71.1 | D | |

## What the price implies

*at the 2026-11-20 close; none of these enters the grade*

| Measure | Value | Peer median | Percentile |
|---|---|---|---|
| Twelve-month price change, skipping the latest month | 69.5% | (1.7%) | 86 |
| Distance from 52-week high | (18.2%) | (33.0%) | 68 |
| EBIT to enterprise value | (3.5%) | 0.5% | 39 |
| Free cash flow yield | (2.0%) | 0.6% | 39 |
| Book value to price | 0.12 | 0.29 | 27 |

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| Sales to price | 0.08 | 0.38 | 16 |
| Composite equity issuance, five years | not computable | 13.5% | |
| Relative strength against the sector, log excess return | 0.36 | (0.19) | 86 |
| Twelve-month failure probability, CHS model | 0.06% | 0.06% | 47 |

## Diagnostics

*shown on every report; none enters the grade*

| Measure | Value |
|---|---|
| **Piotroski F-score 5 of 9, period end 2025-12-31** | |
| Return on assets above zero | fail |
| Operating cash flow above zero | fail |
| 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 | $6.6M |
| Operating cash flow, four quarters | -$5.6M |
| Months of runway | 14.3 |
| Days since last periodic filing | 18 (10-Q received Nov 5, 2026) |
| Median daily dollar volume, 63 sessions | $2.6M |

## 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 | $13.4M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 2 | assets | us-gaap:Assets | $103.6M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 3 | operating income | us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss | -$17.0M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 4 | pretax income | us-gaap:IncomeLossFromContinuingOperationsBeforeInc... | -$17.2M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 5 | income tax | us-gaap:IncomeTaxExpenseBenefit | $58,000 | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 6 | total debt | us-gaap:LongTermDebt | $13.1M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 7 | book equity | us-gaap:StockholdersEquity | $68.8M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 8 | cash | us-gaap:CashAndCashEquivalentsAtCarryingValue | $5.9M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 9 | total debt | us-gaap:LongTermDebt | $9.4M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 10 | book equity | us-gaap:StockholdersEquity | $82.4M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 11 | cash | us-gaap:CashAndCashEquivalentsAtCarryingValue | $3.7M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 12 | net income | us-gaap:NetIncomeLoss | -$17.3M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 13 | operating cash flow | us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities | -$8.6M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 14 | assets | us-gaap:Assets | $118.8M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 15 | revenue | us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA... | $40.5M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 16 | gross profit | us-gaap:GrossProfit | $7.2M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 17 | revenue | us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA... | $37.7M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 18 | gross profit | us-gaap:GrossProfit | $10.3M | 2023-12-31 | 2025-03-07 | 10-K | 25-035705 |
| 19 | revenue | us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA... | $36.7M | 2023-12-31 | 2025-03-07 | 10-K | 25-035705 |
| 20 | gross profit | us-gaap:GrossProfit | $17.5M | 2022-12-31 | 2024-03-27 | 10-K | 24-036624 |
| 21 | revenue | us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA... | $41.4M | 2022-12-31 | 2024-03-27 | 10-K | 24-036624 |
| 22 | gross profit | us-gaap:GrossProfit | $17.6M | 2021-12-31 | 2023-03-30 | 10-K | 23-010926 |
| 23 | revenue | us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingA... | $36.9M | 2021-12-31 | 2023-03-30 | 10-K | 23-010926 |
| 24 | current assets | us-gaap:AssetsCurrent | $34.5M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 25 | current liabilities | us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent | $7.5M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 26 | retained earnings | us-gaap:RetainedEarningsAccumulatedDeficit | -$135.8M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |

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| 27 | liabilities | us-gaap:Liabilities | $34.8M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 28 | depreciation amortization | us-gaap:DepreciationDepletionAndAmortization | $6.3M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 29 | capital expenditure | us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment | $1.1M | 2025-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 30 | operating cash flow | us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities | -$12.4M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 31 | capital expenditure | us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment | $1.1M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 32 | operating cash flow | us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities | -$18.8M | 2023-12-31 | 2025-03-07 | 10-K | 25-035705 |
| 33 | capital expenditure | us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment | $7.9M | 2023-12-31 | 2025-03-07 | 10-K | 25-035705 |
| 34 | operating cash flow | us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities | -$27.4M | 2022-12-31 | 2024-03-27 | 10-K | 24-036624 |
| 35 | capital expenditure | us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment | $28.1M | 2022-12-31 | 2024-03-27 | 10-K | 24-036624 |
| 36 | current assets | us-gaap:AssetsCurrent | $42.8M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 37 | current liabilities | us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent | $11.2M | 2024-12-31 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 38 | assets | us-gaap:Assets | $128.6M | 2023-12-31 | 2025-03-07 | 10-K | 25-035705 |
| 39 | assets | us-gaap:Assets | $152.3M | 2022-12-31 | 2024-03-27 | 10-K | 24-036624 |
| 40 | shares outstanding | dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding | 53,587,662 | 2026-02-27 | 2026-03-02 | 10-K | 26-000002 |
| 41 | shares outstanding | dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding | 53,436,806 | 2025-03-05 | 2025-03-07 | 10-K | 25-035705 |

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