

Benchmark Electronics Inc. (BHE)

NYSE; business equipment; SIC 3672, Printed Circuit Boards; CIK 0000863436

Benchmark Electronics Inc. BHE; business equipment	
Grade	C A B C D E middle fifth of 497 graded peers percentile 54.4; sampling error 2.2 points; lower is stronger
Rank	271 of 497
Profitability	C percentile 54.9
Solvency	B percentile 30.3
Growth and financing	D percentile 64.1
Reliability	0.91 AUC filers with \$591M to \$2.67B assets; 95% interval 0.88 to 0.94; 160 events, 2020 to 2025
Peer failure rate	1.01% a year Item 1.03 bankruptcies, same asset band, 2012 to 2025
Size band	\$591M to \$2.67B assets total assets \$2.1B
Standard universe	inside revenue above \$1M and assets above \$10M
Warnings	none active; fortress balance sheet not computable: distress
Inputs computable	12 of 14
Graded from	filings received through Feb 24, 2026 227 days before the rescans; latest periodic filing 10-Q received Jul 29, 2026
Last close	\$81.17 2026-10-08; market equity \$2.9B
Price used in grade	None



C, the tortoise
middle fifth of its sector; letters are fifths of the 497 graded peers

Share price, twelve months to the rescans

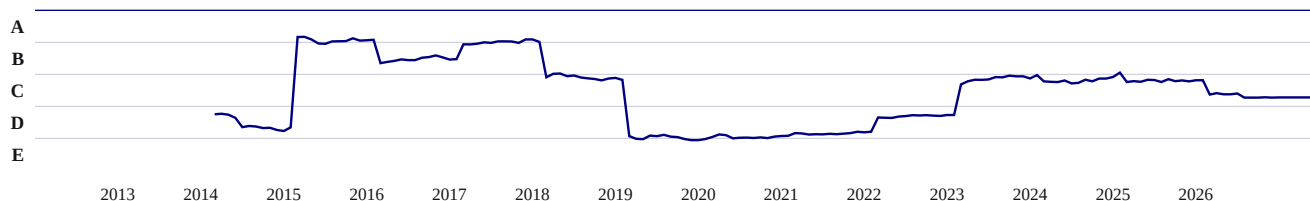
split-adjusted close; the letter is fixed at the rescans that set it



Rescans on file: B/C from Feb 21, 2024, C from Mar 21, 2024, B/C from Jan 21, 2025, C from Mar 21, 2025

Letter at every rescans

Jan 21, 2012 to Oct 9, 2026; sector percentile, 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

This Annual Report on Form 10-K (Report) contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act). These forward-looking statements are identified as any statement that does not relate strictly to historical or current facts and may include words such as "anticipate," "believe," "intend," "plan," "project," "forecast," "strategy," "position," "continue," "estimate,"

"expect," "may," "will," "could," "predict," and similar expressions of the negative or other variations thereof.

The fourteen inputs

lower percentile is stronger; equal-weighted sleeves

Input	Percentile, 0 to 100	Value	Peer median	Percentile	Peers	Period end
Profitability, sleeve percentile 54.9						
Gross profitability		13.0%	28.5%	76.5	558	2025-12-31
Return on invested capital		3.0%	10.9%	72.6	136	2025-12-31
Accruals ratio		(4.7%)	(7.4%)	66.6	621	2025-12-31
Gross margin stability, five years		0.5 pts	2.4 pts	3.7	429	2025-12-31
Solvency, sleeve percentile 30.3						
Twelve-month failure probability		not computable	0.05%			latest liabilities, cash plus short-term investments, book equity, and shares are required
Altman Z double-prime		4.90	2.18	23.4	566	2025-12-31
Net debt to EBITDA		(0.93x)	1.11x	8.2	147	2025-12-31
Interest coverage		3.77x	3.77x	47.2	90	2025-12-31
Current ratio		2.28x	2.02x	42.6	666	2025-12-31
Growth and financing, sleeve percentile 64.1						
Revenue growth, three-year compound		(3.0%)	6.4%	76.0	538	2025-12-31
Free cash flow growth, three-year compound		not computable	17.2%			current FCF must be positive and base FCF must exceed \$100,000
Reinvestment rate		(184.9%)	14.3%	83.6	226	2025-12-31
Asset growth, three years		(2.4%)	5.0%	67.4	563	2025-12-31
Net share issuance, one year		(1.0%)	0.5%	29.3	407	2026-02-19

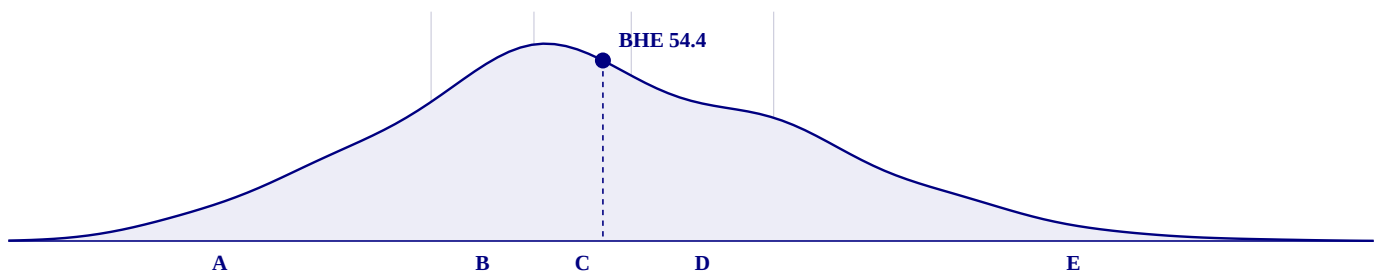
Warnings

1 of 7 checks triggered; none of them enters the letter

Check	Measured
Fortress balance sheet	cash minus debt is 115,238,000 USD; Altman Z is not used

Among 497 peers

business equipment; 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
266	Owlet, Inc. (OWLT)	53.4	C	dilution, fortress balance sheet

267	Diodes Inc. (DIOD)	53.6	C	fortress
				balance sheet
268	CareCloud, Inc. (CCLD)	53.8	C	fortress
				balance sheet
269	Salesforce, Inc. (CRM)	54.0	C	
270	Amkor Technology, Inc. (AMKR)	54.2	C	
271	Benchmark Electronics Inc. (BHE) <	54.4	C	fortress
				balance sheet
272	Palo Alto Networks Inc. (PANW)	54.6	C	
273	Skyworks Solutions, Inc. (SWKS)	54.8	C	fortress
				balance sheet
274	TTM Technologies Inc. (TTMI)	55.0	C	
275	Espey MFG & Electronics Corp. (ESP)	55.2	C	
276	Telos Corp. (TLS)	55.4	C	

What the price implies

at the 2026-10-08 close; none enters the grade

Measure	Value	Peer median	Percentile
Twelve-month price change, skipping the latest month	83.9%	2.2%	87
Distance from 52-week high	(17.7%)	(30.0%)	68
EBIT to enterprise value	2.7%	1.5%	63
Free cash flow yield	3.0%	2.7%	54
Book value to price	0.38	0.23	65
Sales to price	0.94	0.30	76
Composite equity issuance, five years	(12.7%)	3.9%	23
Relative strength against the sector, log excess return	0.33	(0.26)	87

Diagnostics

not in the grade

Measure	Value
Piotroski F-score 7 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	pass
Current ratio improved	fail
No new shares issued	pass
Gross margin improved	pass
Asset turnover improved	pass
Cash, filings, liquidity	
Cash and equivalents	\$314.8M
Operating cash flow, four quarters	\$177.0M
Months of runway	not finite
Days since last periodic filing	72 (10-Q received Jul 29, 2026)
Median daily dollar volume, 63 sessions	\$27.9M

Sources

each row links to the filing index on sec.gov

#	Concept	XBRL tag	Value	Period end	Received	Form	Accession
1	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	\$270.1M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
2	assets	us-gaap:Assets	\$2.1B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
3	operating income	us-gaap:OperatingIncomeLoss	\$76.0M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
4	pretax income	us-gaap:IncomeLossFromContinuingOperationsBeforeIncomeTaxesExtraord	\$115.5M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
5	income tax	us-gaap:IncomeTaxExpenseBenefit	\$36.7M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
6	total debt	us-gaap:LongTermDebtAndCapitalLeaseObligations	\$206.8M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
7	book equity	us-gaap:StockholdersEquity	\$1.1B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849

8	cash	us-gaap:CashAndCashEquivalentsAtCarryingValue	\$322.1M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
9	total debt	us-gaap:LongTermDebtAndCapitalLeaseObligations	\$250.5M	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
10	book equity	us-gaap:StockholdersEquity	\$1.1B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
11	cash	us-gaap:CashAndCashEquivalentsAtCarryingValue	\$315.2M	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
12	net income	us-gaap:NetIncomeLoss	\$24.9M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
13	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	\$124.0M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
14	assets	us-gaap:Assets	\$2.1B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
15	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingAssessedTax	\$2.7B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
16	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	\$270.0M	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
17	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingAssessedTax	\$2.8B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
18	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	\$271.1M	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
19	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingAssessedTax	\$3.0B	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
20	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	\$255.2M	2022-12-31	2025-02-27	10-K/A	0000950170-25-029247
21	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingAssessedTax	\$3.0B	2022-12-31	2025-02-27	10-K/A	0000950170-25-029247
22	gross profit	us-gaap:GrossProfit	\$205.9M	2021-12-31	2024-02-27	10-K	0000950170-24-020565
23	revenue	us-gaap:RevenueFromContractWithCustomerExcludingAssessedTax	\$2.3B	2021-12-31	2024-02-27	10-K	0000950170-24-020565
24	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	\$1.4B	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
25	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	\$635.6M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
26	retained earnings	us-gaap:RetainedEarningsAccumulatedDeficit	\$568.2M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
27	liabilities	us-gaap:Liabilities	\$971.9M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
28	depreciation amortization	us-gaap:DepreciationDepletionAndAmortization	\$47.6M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
29	interest expense	us-gaap:InterestExpense	\$20.2M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
30	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	\$35.6M	2025-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
31	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	\$189.2M	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
32	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	\$31.3M	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
33	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	\$174.3M	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
34	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	\$73.5M	2023-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
35	operating cash flow	us-gaap:NetCashProvidedByUsedInOperatingActivities	-\$177.5M	2022-12-31	2025-02-27	10-K/A	0000950170-25-029247
36	capital expenditure	us-gaap:PaymentsToAcquirePropertyPlantAndEquipment	\$43.4M	2022-12-31	2025-02-27	10-K/A	0000950170-25-029247
37	current assets	us-gaap:AssetsCurrent	\$1.5B	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
38	current liabilities	us-gaap:LiabilitiesCurrent	\$649.1M	2024-12-31	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
39	assets	us-gaap:Assets	\$2.3B	2023-12-31	2025-02-27	10-K/A	0000950170-25-029247
40	assets	us-gaap:Assets	\$2.2B	2022-12-31	2024-02-27	10-K	0000950170-24-020565
41	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	35,667,045	2026-02-19	2026-02-24	10-K	0001193125-26-064849
42	shares outstanding	dei:EntityCommonStockSharesOutstanding	36,016,624	2025-02-21	2025-02-27	10-K/A	0000950170-25-029247