



Amazon.com Inc / AMZN

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Current price	Daily move	Bid / Ask	Previous close
\$257.61	-0.90 -0.35%	\$257.57/\$257.86	\$258.51

Market	NYSE
Industry	Retail
Market data as of	Sep 8, 2026 11:30 PM EDT

JW Intelligence Report

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JW Rank	Rank label	Confidence	IV percentile
63.2 / 100	Balanced	high	35 / 100
Model reference	Upside scenario	Risk reference	Wheel strategy fit
\$255.00	\$270.00	\$248.00	66 / 100

Options stance	bullish
Tail-risk safety	32 / 100
JW Rank data coverage / as of	98.6% Sep 8, 2026 6:50 PM EDT

Key insight

Amazon Option Market Implies Continued Growth Despite Recent Volatility

Market read

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Strategy context

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JW AI conclusions

Short- and medium-term model interpretation

AI context bias

Bullish

AI analysis updated

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Short-term scenario

Cautious accumulate / Hold with tight risk management. Neutral-to-slightly-bullish setup in consolidation; wait for confirmation above 260 or dip to support. High uncertainty from mixed technicals, recent negative headlines (crash, lawsuit), and no near-term earnings catalyst (next report late October). Capex and FCF remain watch items. Position sizing conservative.

Three-month outlook

Moderately bullish but with notable uncertainty. AWS acceleration, \$496B backlog, AI/chip momentum, and advertising/retail scale support potential move toward 280-300+ if Q3 (late Oct) shows continued cloud strength and no major capex disappointments. Analyst 12-month targets imply ~27% upside. Risks include execution on \$220B capex (negative FCF), possible sequential sales slowdown, legal/regulatory issues, and broader market/tech rotation. Macro and AI demand sustainability are key variables; not a low-risk setup.

Market sentiment

Cautiously bullish to mixed among investors. Strong long-term conviction in AWS/AI growth, backlog, and Qualcomm deal as positive catalysts; many viewing current levels as attractive for accumulation despite YTD lag vs broader market. High analyst Buy ratings frequently cited. Some traders rotating capital to semis/power names or waiting for better entries. Occasional notes of insider selling tilt and legal overhangs, but overall sentiment leans constructive rather than panicked. Short-term price action frustration mentioned but fundamentals praised.

Supporting evidence

Implied volatility (IV) stands at 30.3%, reflecting market expectations for significant price swings. | The skew is balanced, indicating a neutral outlook on the direction of future price movement. | Strong demand for call options, particularly those with strikes above the current price, suggests bullish sentiment among option traders.

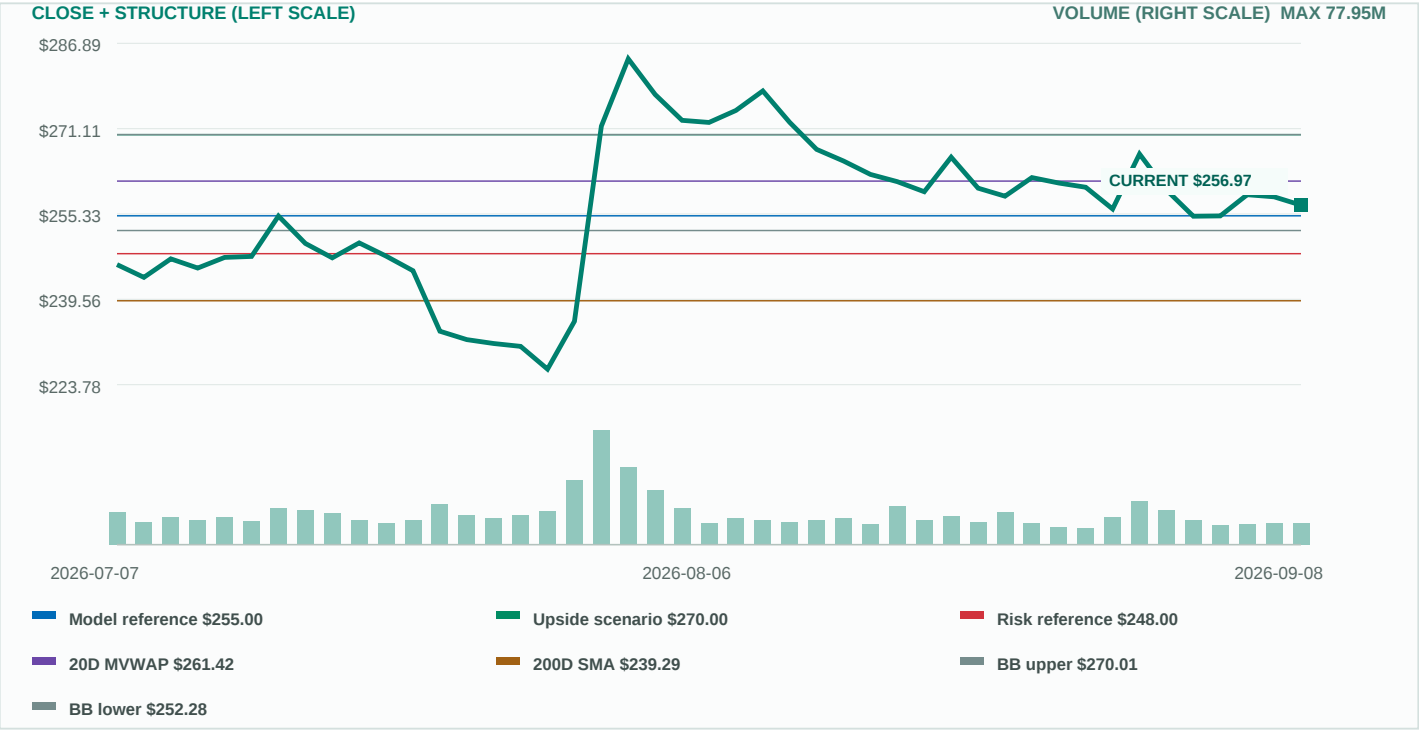
Risk watch

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Enhanced price structure

45 trading days with volume, model levels and current technical reference bands

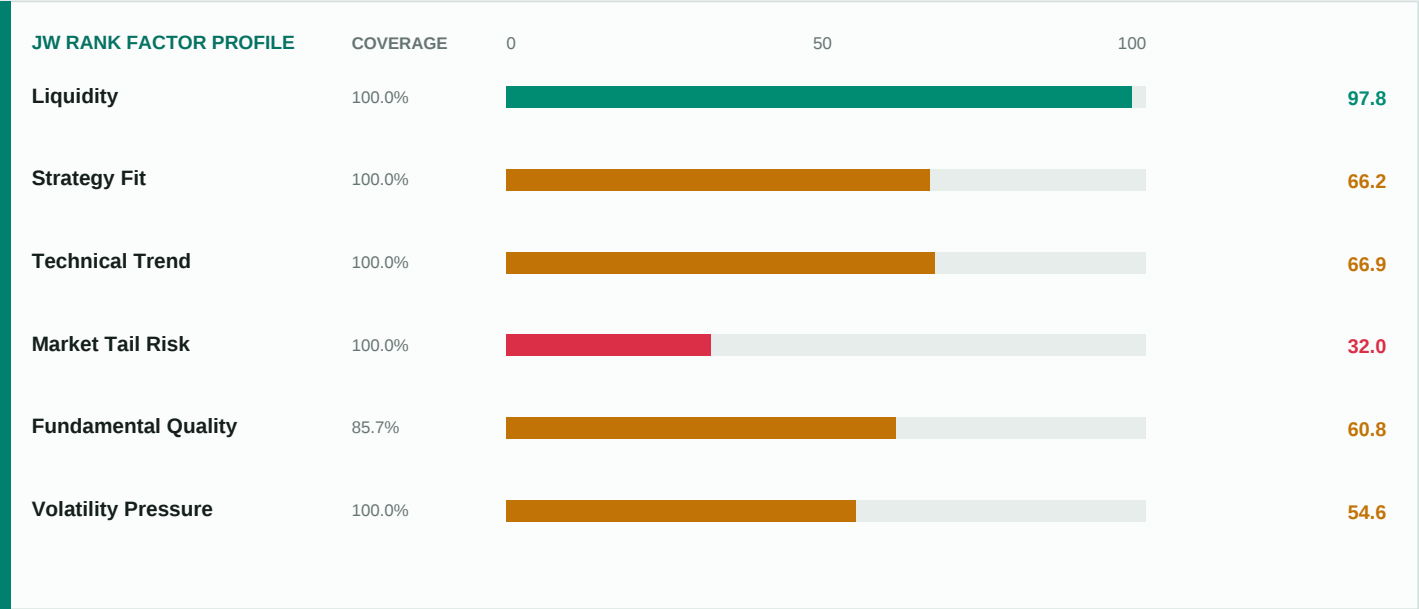


45 complete trading-session observations



JW Rank factors

Score, source coverage and interpretation for each decision factor



Decision summary

Primary model reads before the detailed indicator appendix

Momentum

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Institutional flow

Below MVWAP

Structure

Above 200D trend

Volatility

medium



Decision indicators

Detailed momentum, institutional and structural observations

Momentum kinematics

Direction, velocity and oscillator state

Current read	STRONG BULL neutral MACD decelerating
Trend signal	STRONG BULL
RSI signal	neutral
RSI (7 / 14 / 21)	44.28 / 48.12 / 49.80
RSI velocity	0.58
MACD line / signal / histogram	0.12 / - / 1.24
MACD acceleration	-0.15
Stochastic K / D	39.65 / 34.02

Institutional footprints

Volume-weighted cost, price location and flow

Current read	Below institutional MVWAP Distribution bias
Institutional flow	-0.79
20-day MVWAP	\$261.42
Price vs 20-day MVWAP	-1.46%
Daily reference VWAP	\$256.57
Price vs daily reference	+0.41%
Volume	14.66M

Structural context

Long-term trend and volatility boundaries

Current read	Above 200-day trend Negative macro velocity
Macro velocity	-0.84
20-day / 200-day SMA	\$261.14 / \$239.29
Bollinger range	\$252.28 - \$270.01
Bollinger position	0.265



Options and volatility intelligence

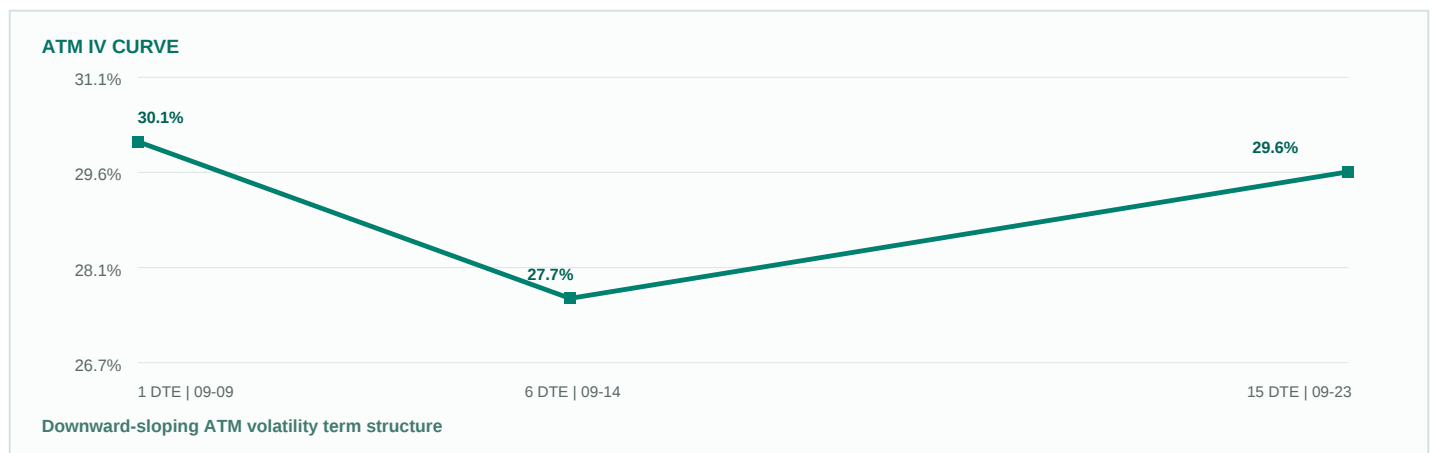
Structure, premium conditions and principal risks

IV rank 26 / 100	IV percentile 34 / 100	VVIX 87.47	SKEW 151.58
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Market regime	DANGER ZONE
Tail-risk regime	NORMAL TAIL RISK
Term structure	flat
Term slope	-0.47 pts
Skew read	balanced
Liquidity / quote coverage	89.6%
Options Snapshot IV sources	ATM: option chain Rank/percentile: fundamentals
Options Snapshot IV observed at	Sep 8, 2026 2:35 PM EDT
Options data quality	Coverage 88.9%

Option term structure

ATM implied-volatility curve by days to expiration



EXPIRATION	DTE	ATM IV	STATE
2026-09-09	1	30.1%	-
2026-09-14	6	27.7%	-
2026-09-23	15	29.6%	-



Reference spread payoff

Illustrative expiry profit/loss per one-lot structure, including quoted net credit



Event and tail-risk context

Known event windows and broad volatility conditions

Next earnings date	2026-10-29
Earnings IV-crush risk	NOT MEASURED
VIX	15.29
VVIX	87.47
SKEW index	151.58
Observation confidence	high
Option quote quality	reliable
Contracts observed	96



Event and tail-risk context (continued)

Known event windows and broad volatility conditions

FIELD	VALUE
Contracts with quotes	86

Strategy fit

Generalized structure fit; not a personalized recommendation

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Principal risks to monitor

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Fundamentals and events

Business quality, valuation and upcoming event context

Market capitalization	P/E (TTM)
\$2.79T	20.61
ROE	Revenue growth
30.5%	11.7%
EPS growth	Operating margin
-	12.1%
Net profit margin	Gross margin
17.4%	-
Free cash flow CAGR	Debt / equity
-21.6%	0.22
Dividend yield	Beta
-	1.50
52-week range	
\$196.00 - \$287.20	

Company or fund profile

Issuer identity and classification

Name	Market
Amazon.com Inc	NYSE
Industry	Country
Retail	US
Currency	IPO date
USD	1997-05-15
Shares outstanding	52-week return
10.76B	11.3%
Book value per share	Revenue per share
\$51.16	\$71.14
Website	amazon.com



Latest strategy observation

Most recent shared general market signal available when this report was generated

AMZN Covered Call signal	Sep 8, 2026 1:29 PM EDT
Covered Call 2026-09-11	
At signal \$257.07 Current \$257.61	
SHORT Option \$257.50 B \$2.93 / A \$2.98	
High turnover CR \$2.96	



Complete technical details

Full supporting indicator set used by the symbol detail experience

Volatility and options market

Price movement and premium conditions

ATR	\$6.48
ATR as % of price	2.5%
Volatility environment	medium
Current IV	30.5%
IV rank	26 / 100
IV percentile	35 / 100
Technical Snapshot IV source	Private fundamentals snapshot
Technical Snapshot IV observed at	Sep 8, 2026 7:30 PM EDT

Technical health and risk radar

Derived indicator health and event context

Overall health	84 / 100
Trend health	92 / 100
Momentum health	88 / 100
Volatility health	72 / 100
Structure health	76 / 100
Earnings risk / date	low 2026-10-29
Macro risk	unknown
Volatility risk	medium
Structure risk	low

Structural indicator levels

Moving averages, volatility bands and observed trading ranges

SMA (20 / 50 / 200)	\$261.14 / \$254.44 / \$239.29
EMA (9 / 21)	\$258.56 / \$259.30
Bollinger upper / middle / lower	\$270.01 / \$261.14 / \$252.28



Structural indicator levels (continued)

Moving averages, volatility bands and observed trading ranges

FIELD	VALUE
Bollinger %B	0.265
True high / low	\$258.51 / \$254.75
5-day true high / low	\$261.12 / \$251.93

Three-day indicator history

Short-horizon change and the underlying three-session observations

INDICATOR	3-DAY CHANGE	SESSION 1 / 2 / 3
SMA20	-0.841	-
SMA50	0.536	-
MVWAP20	-0.792	-
MACD	-0.150	-
RSI	0.580	-
Volume	572448.330	-
ATR	-0.149	-
T1	-	0.34 / 262.37 / 261.12 / 255.29
T2	-	0.46 / 263.20 / 259.50 / 254.98
T3	-	0.57 / 263.79 / 256.24 / 253.40



Detailed options evidence

Supporting option-chain, execution and data-quality observations

Underlying price at observation	\$257.05
Options Snapshot IV sources	ATM: option chain Rank/percentile: fundamentals
Options Snapshot IV observed at	Sep 8, 2026 2:35 PM EDT
Options data coverage	88.9%
SKEW regime	HIGH TAIL RISK SKEW
VVIX regime	VVIX FLAT
Front expiration / DTE	2026-09-09 1 DTE
Front at-the-money IV	30.1%
25-delta skew	-0.92
Put / Call 25-delta	\$255.00 Delta -0.303 / \$260.00 Delta 0.255
Median option bid/ask spread	6.9%
Bid/ask spread	-
Contracts observed / quoted	96 / 86

Price context

Last Price: 257.05 | Bid: 257.03 | Ask: 257.07 | Previous Close: 258.51 | Change: -1.46 | Daily change: -0.56% | Update Time: 2026-09-08T14:35:23.668325-04:00 | Latest History Date: 2026-09-08 | Latest History Price: 257.05

Historical context

Trading-day sample: 60 sessions | First Date: 2026-06-12 | Latest Date: 2026-09-08 | Latest Price: 257.05 | Max Drawdown 60d Percent: -11.10%

Fundamental context

Current Iv Percent: 30.30% | Iv Rank: 25.75 | Iv Percentile: 33.86 | Next Earnings Date: 2026-10-29 | Ex Dividend Date: N/A



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