



Dell Technologies Inc / DELL

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Current price	Daily move	Bid / Ask	Previous close
\$535.90	-0.12 -0.02%	\$538.88/\$541.45	\$536.02

Market	NYSE
Industry	Technology
Market data as of	Sep 25, 2026 12:09 AM EDT

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JW Rank	Rank label	Confidence	IV percentile
66.0 / 100	Constructive	high	0 / 100
Model reference	Upside scenario	Risk reference	Wheel strategy fit
\$528.00	\$575.00	\$495.00	59 / 100

Options stance	mixed
Tail-risk safety	32 / 100
JW Rank data coverage / as of	100.0% Sep 24, 2026 6:50 PM EDT

Key insight

DELL Option Market Implies Uncertainty After Recent Pullback

Market read

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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 tactical dip-buy only, not a chase. 1-3 week idea is a limit entry if price stabilizes around the 20-day average; stand aside if that area fails. Short-term momentum is fading after a parabolic YTD run, insider selling and a weaker PC headline are weighing on the tape, and a further slide toward the 50-day is plausible. This is an uncertain trade plan, not a recommendation, and can be wrong.

Three-month outlook

Base case is choppy and only modestly constructive, not a straight continuation of the 2026 melt-up. The \$95B AI backlog, Q3 AI-server revenue expectation near \$19B, and raised FY27 guide (\$192B revenue, \$74B AI servers, \$25.50 non-GAAP EPS) support earnings if orders convert on time and margins hold. Average published 12-month targets near \$567-\$585 imply limited upside from \$535, while the high end (\$640-\$735) and low end (~\$289) show extreme disagreement. Upside path: reclaim \$575-\$595 and probe the low-\$600s if Q3 shipments track the guide. Downside path: a reset toward the 50-day (~\$470) or the mid-\$400s if PC demand, memory costs, or an AI-spending scare hits a stock more than 300% above its 200-day average. The main fundamental catalyst inside three months is the fiscal Q3 report (quarter ends Oct. 31; exact report date is not confirmed here and is expected in early December). Uncertainty is high on backlog conversion, gross-margin mix, component inflation, insider selling, and how much of the AI cycle is already in the price. Not investment advice.

Market sentiment

Near-term X tone is mixed and low-confidence, not a clean bullish consensus. Some traders describe a pivot/20-EMA test and a buy-the-dip if that average holds, and note the stock is still above the 20/50/200-day averages inside a roughly \$422-\$596 recent range. Others prefer stronger same-day peers (one post explicitly favored HPE over DELL) or say the trend is over. A Sept. 22 crowd note was long toward \$585-\$595 with a \$567 stop that price has since broken. Promotional posts citing \$650 'must buy' targets and WhatsApp groups are noise and should be discounted. Structural AI-infrastructure interest remains, but today's tape shows profit-taking and softer relative strength. Social samples are small, spam-heavy, and not representative of institutional positioning.

Supporting evidence

Implied volatility (IV) is above average at 58.77%, suggesting market participants anticipate significant price movement in the coming weeks. | The term structure of IV shows a slight backwardation, with near-term options slightly more expensive than longer-dated options. This could indicate some underlying bullish sentiment despite recent price weakness. | Recent insider selling and concerns about slowing PC demand create a bearish backdrop for DELL. | The stock is trading below its 10-day moving average but remains above both the 50-day and 200-day moving averages, suggesting a potential short-term correction within an overall uptrend.

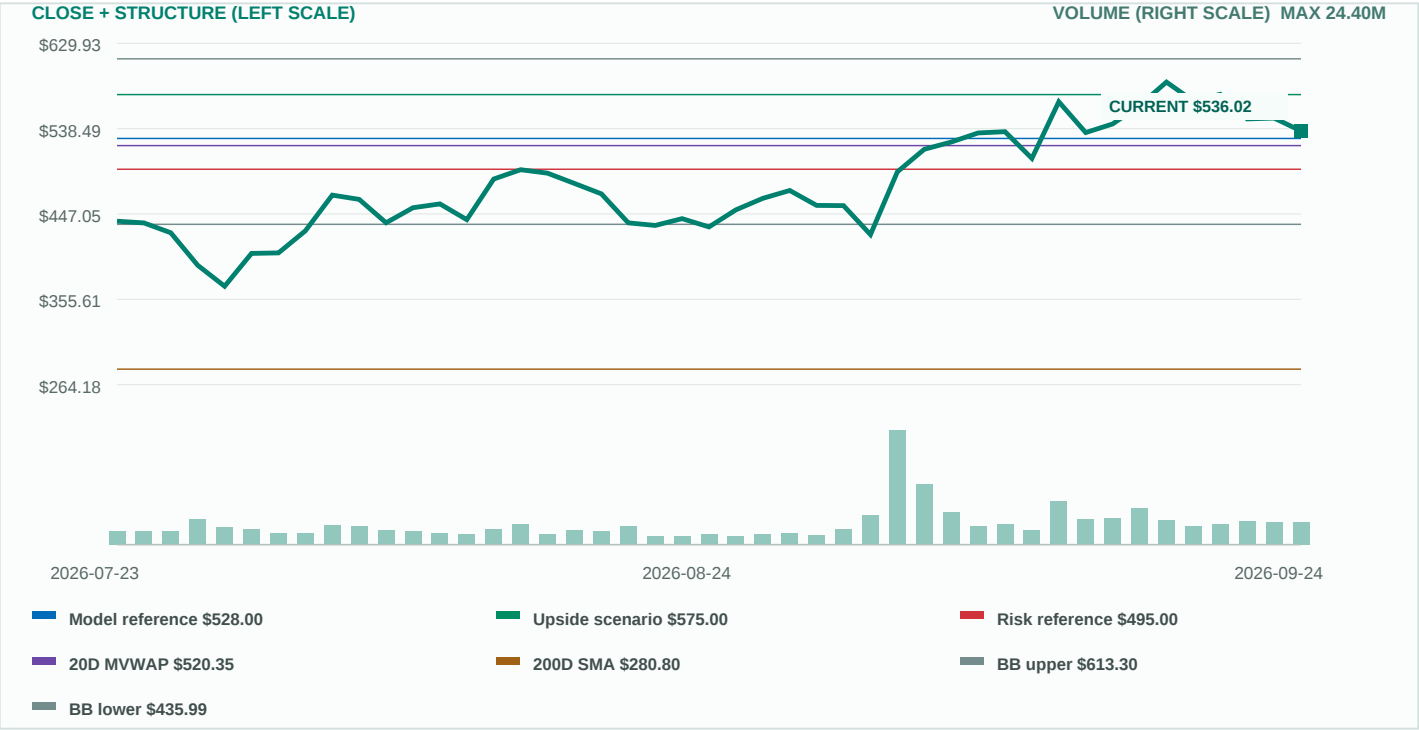
Risk watch

Insider selling could indicate a loss of confidence in the company's future prospects. | Slowing PC demand and rising memory costs pose risks to DELL's profitability.



Enhanced price structure

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

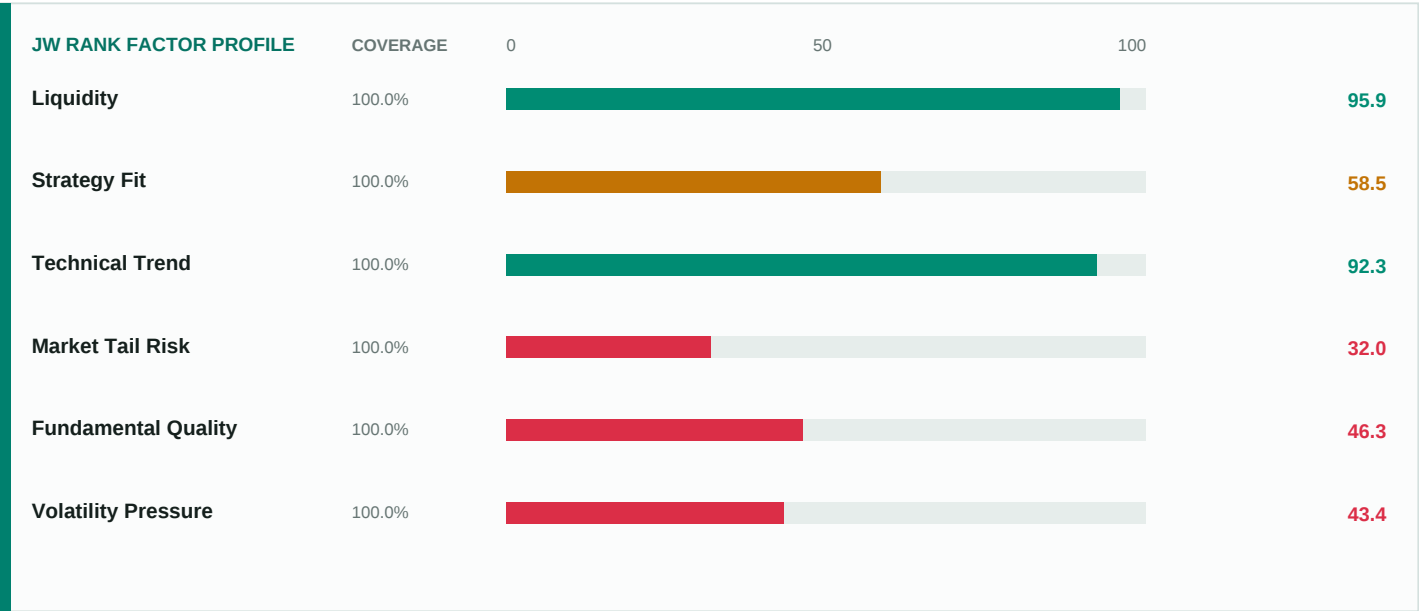


45 complete trading-session observations



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

Above MVWAP

Structure

Above 200D trend

Volatility

high



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)	47.13 / 54.09 / 55.64
RSI velocity	-2.90
MACD line / signal / histogram	26.06 / - / 27.77
MACD acceleration	-2.26
Stochastic K / D	55.28 / 70.08

Institutional footprints

Volume-weighted cost, price location and flow

Current read	Above institutional MVWAP Accumulation bias
Institutional flow	2.53
20-day MVWAP	\$520.35
Price vs 20-day MVWAP	+2.99%
Daily reference VWAP	\$538.77
Price vs daily reference	-0.53%
Volume	4.87M

Structural context

Long-term trend and volatility boundaries

Current read	Above 200-day trend Positive macro velocity
Macro velocity	4.77
20-day / 200-day SMA	\$524.64 / \$280.80
Bollinger range	\$435.99 - \$613.30
Bollinger position	0.564



Options and volatility intelligence

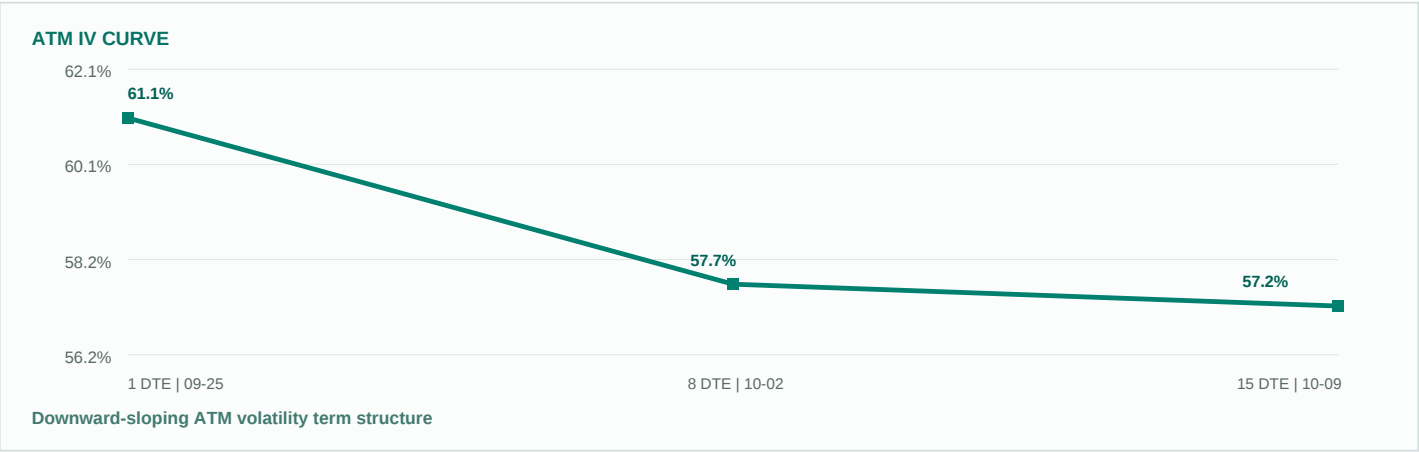
Structure, premium conditions and principal risks

IV rank	IV percentile	VVIX	SKEW
35 / 100	49 / 100	90.21	146.15

Market regime	DANGER ZONE
Tail-risk regime	NORMAL TAIL RISK
Term structure	backwardation
Term slope	-3.87 pts
Skew read	CALL DEMAND ELEVATED
Liquidity / quote coverage	100.0%
Options Snapshot IV sources	ATM: option chain Rank/percentile: fundamentals
Options Snapshot IV observed at	Sep 24, 2026 2:37 PM EDT
Options data quality	Coverage 88.9%

Option term structure

ATM implied-volatility curve by days to expiration



EXPIRATION	DTE	ATM IV	STATE
2026-09-25	1	61.1%	-
2026-10-02	8	57.7%	-
2026-10-09	15	57.2%	-

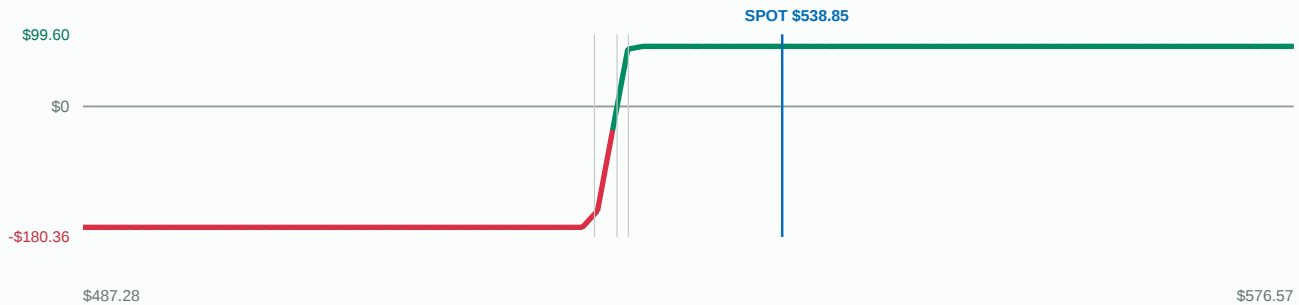


Reference spread payoff

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

Bull Put Spread reference

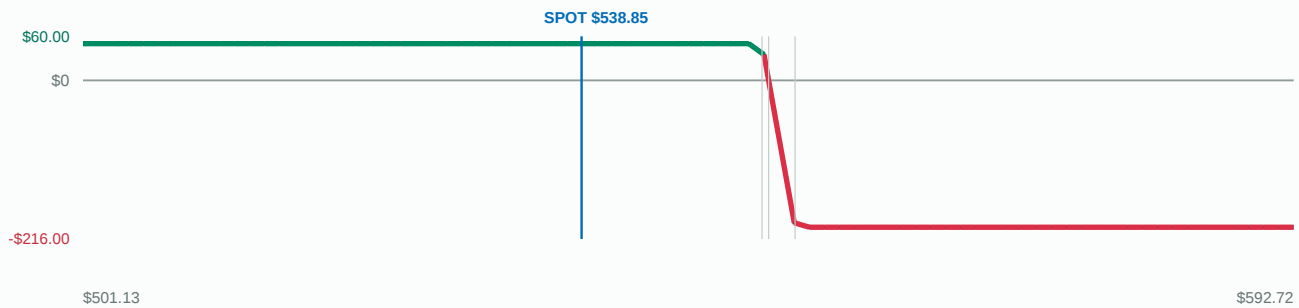
Short \$527.50 | Long \$525.00 | Width \$2.50 | Net credit \$0.83



Max profit \$83.00 | Max loss -\$167.00 | Break-even \$526.67 | Per contract at expiry

Bear Call Spread reference

Short \$552.50 | Long \$555.00 | Width \$2.50 | Net credit \$0.50



Max profit \$50.00 | Max loss -\$200.00 | Break-even \$553.00 | Per contract at expiry

Event and tail-risk context

Known event windows and broad volatility conditions

Next earnings date	2026-11-27
Earnings IV-crush risk	NOT MEASURED
VIX	15.58
VVIX	90.21
SKEW index	146.15
Observation confidence	high
Option quote quality	reliable
Contracts observed	140



Event and tail-risk context (continued)

Known event windows and broad volatility conditions

FIELD	VALUE
Contracts with quotes	140

Strategy fit

Generalized structure fit; not a personalized recommendation

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Principal risks to monitor

Insider selling could indicate a loss of confidence in the company's future prospects. | Slowing PC demand and rising memory costs pose risks to DELL's profitability.



Fundamentals and events

Business quality, valuation and upcoming event context

Market capitalization	P/E (TTM)
\$349.59B	30.67
ROE	Revenue growth
130.7%	3.5%
EPS growth	Operating margin
38.8%	9.4%
Net profit margin	Gross margin
7.5%	-
Free cash flow CAGR	Debt / equity
-1.7%	13.29
Dividend yield	Beta
2.0%	1.43
52-week range	
\$110.22 - \$595.51	

Company or fund profile

Issuer identity and classification

Name	Market
Dell Technologies Inc	NYSE
Industry	Country
Technology	US
Currency	IPO date
USD	2016-08-01
Shares outstanding	52-week return
648.11M	304.5%
Book value per share	Revenue per share
\$11.67	\$231.90
Website	dell.com / En In



Latest strategy observation

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

DELL Covered Call signal
Covered Call | 2026-09-25
At signal \$537.15 | Current \$535.90
SHORT Option \$532.50 B \$10.80 / A \$12.30
High turnover | CR \$11.55

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Complete technical details

Full supporting indicator set used by the symbol detail experience

Volatility and options market

Price movement and premium conditions

ATR	\$31.12
ATR as % of price	5.8%
Volatility environment	high
Current IV	0.0%
IV rank	0 / 100
IV percentile	0 / 100
Technical Snapshot IV source	Private fundamentals snapshot
Technical Snapshot IV observed at	Sep 24, 2026 8:11 PM EDT

Technical health and risk radar

Derived indicator health and event context

Overall health	80 / 100
Trend health	92 / 100
Momentum health	98 / 100
Volatility health	23 / 100
Structure health	94 / 100
Earnings risk / date	low 2026-11-27
Macro risk	unknown
Volatility risk	high
Structure risk	low

Structural indicator levels

Moving averages, volatility bands and observed trading ranges

SMA (20 / 50 / 200)	\$524.64 / \$472.29 / \$280.80
EMA (9 / 21)	\$548.78 / \$526.77
Bollinger upper / middle / lower	\$613.30 / \$524.64 / \$435.99



Structural indicator levels (continued)

Moving averages, volatility bands and observed trading ranges

FIELD	VALUE
Bollinger %B	0.564
True high / low	\$549.85 / \$530.45
5-day true high / low	\$595.51 / \$530.45

Three-day indicator history

Short-horizon change and the underlying three-session observations

INDICATOR	3-DAY CHANGE	SESSION 1 / 2 / 3
SMA20	4.771	-
SMA50	2.250	-
MVWAP20	2.527	-
MACD	-2.264	-
RSI	-2.901	-
Volume	166097.670	-
ATR	-0.511	-
T1	-	28.95 / 518.52 / 570.72 / 542.23
T2	-	30.82 / 516.06 / 575.31 / 547.71
T3	-	32.85 / 512.77 / 592.44 / 567.38



Detailed options evidence

Supporting option-chain, execution and data-quality observations

Underlying price at observation	\$538.85
Options Snapshot IV sources	ATM: option chain Rank/percentile: fundamentals
Options Snapshot IV observed at	Sep 24, 2026 2:37 PM EDT
Options data coverage	88.9%
SKEW regime	HIGH TAIL RISK SKEW
VVIX regime	VVIX FLAT
Front expiration / DTE	2026-09-25 1 DTE
Front at-the-money IV	61.1%
25-delta skew	-3.58
Put / Call 25-delta	\$527.50 Delta -0.240 / \$552.50 Delta 0.249
Median option bid/ask spread	8.8%
Bid/ask spread	-
Contracts observed / quoted	140 / 140

Price context

Last Price: 538.85 | Bid: 538.85 | Ask: 539.88 | Previous Close: 549.83 | Change: -10.98 | Daily change: -2.00% | Update Time: 2026-09-24T14:37:54.614046-04:00 | Latest History Date: 2026-09-24 | Latest History Price: 539.51

Historical context

Trading-day sample: 60 sessions | First Date: 2026-07-01 | Latest Date: 2026-09-24 | Latest Price: 539.51 | Max Drawdown 60d Percent: -19.21%

Fundamental context

Current Iv Percent: 58.77% | Iv Rank: 34.86 | Iv Percentile: 49.00 | Next Earnings Date: 2026-11-27 | Ex Dividend Date: 2026-10-19



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