Tempus AI Inc / TEM

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Current price	Daily move	Bid / Ask	Previous close
$60.99	**-3.30 -5.13%**	**$60.91/$60.99**	**$64.29**

Market	**NYSE**
Industry	**Life Sciences Tools & Services**
Market data as of	**Sep 9, 2026 11:32 PM EDT**

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JW Rank	Rank label	Confidence	IV percentile
59.1 / 100	**Balanced**	**high**	**62 / 100**

Model reference	Upside scenario	Risk reference	Wheel strategy fit
$61.80	**$69.00**	**$57.80**	**59 / 100**

Options stance	**bullish**
Tail-risk safety	**32 / 100**
JW Rank data coverage / as of	**97.1% | Sep 9, 2026 6:51 PM EDT**

Key insight

TEM Option Market Implies Potential Upside Despite Recent Pullback

Market read

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Strategy context

TEM's recent pullback has created opportunities for bullish option strategies. The elevated IV provides room for premium decay while the backwardated term structure suggests potential for near-term gains.

JW AI conclusions

Short- and medium-term model interpretation

AI context bias	**Bullish**
AI analysis updated	**Sep 9, 2026 2:26 PM EDT**

Short-term scenario

Cautious/speculative buy on dip or hold if 61-62 support holds for potential 1-3 week bounce, given technical consolidation after rally and Sep 15 conference catalyst. High uncertainty from today's drop, mixed indicators, high volatility, and short interest.

Three-month outlook

Constructive bias from diagnostics/data growth, new FDA AI products, data flywheel, and Personalis MRD synergy (deal close expected late 2026/early 2027), with improving path to profitability. Significant uncertainty remains: rich valuation, acquisition integration/dilution risks, historically high cash burn, high beta/volatility, and sensitivity to AI/biotech sentiment or execution misses. Potential range $55-80 depending on Q3 results, deal progress, and market conditions; could retest lower 50s on disappointment or extend toward $75+ on positive catalysts.

Market sentiment

Bullish among traders: multiple posts on bull flag after breakout, long setups near $62.30, 'A+ setup' for potential monster move, positive reaction to CEO Fox Business interview emphasizing data generation for treatments, and PLTR-like AI/data platform comparisons. Some residual caution on Personalis deal dilution. Overall optimistic on technical bounce and long-term story.

Supporting evidence

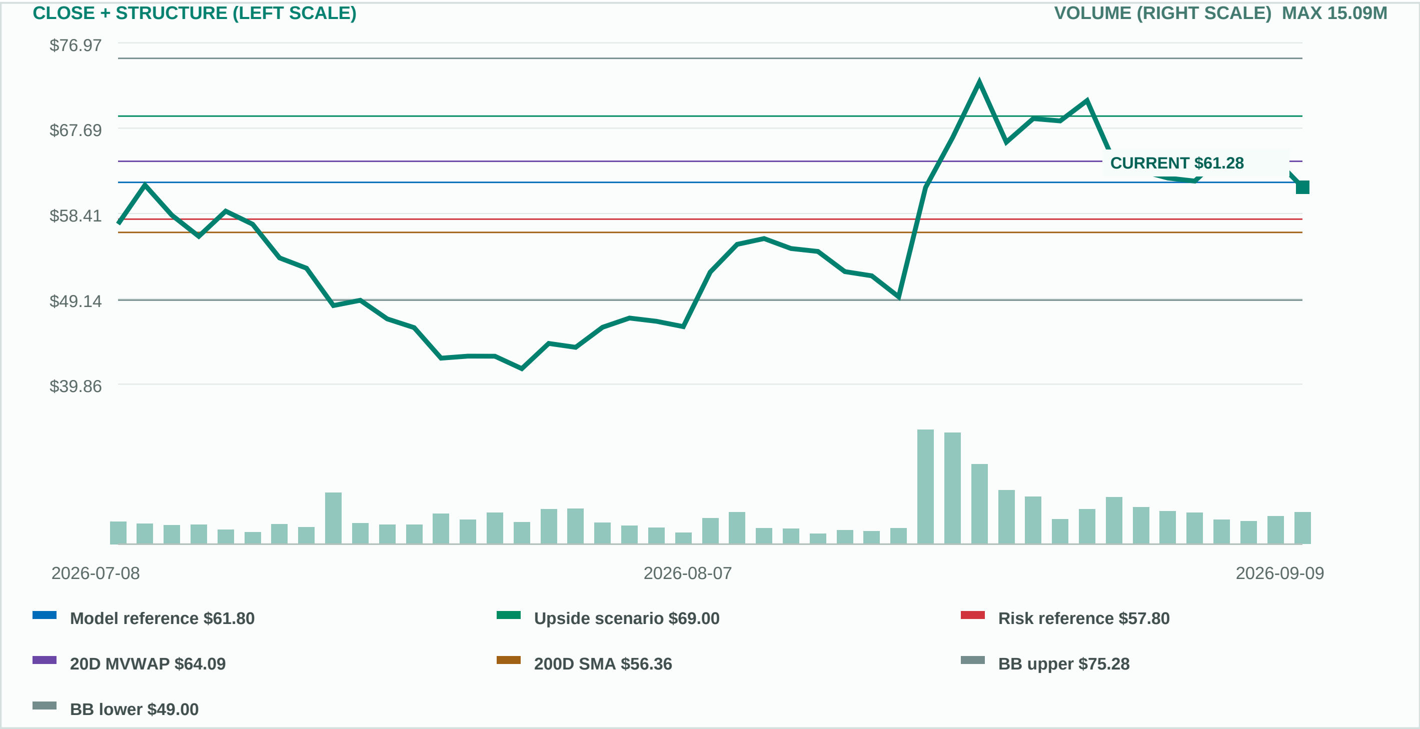
The skew is call-demand elevated, suggesting bullish sentiment and anticipation of price increases. | The front-month ATM IV is significantly higher than the further out expirations, indicating traders expect more volatility in the near term. | Despite the recent drop, the option market prices in a potential rebound, with support levels around $61-62. | The xAI analysis highlights positive sentiment among traders, citing technical indicators like a potential bull flag and bullish comparisons to PLTR.

Risk watch

The high short interest and beta expose TEM to significant volatility swings. | The Personalis acquisition, while potentially transformative, carries integration risks and could dilute earnings in the near term.

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

JW RANK FACTOR PROFILE	COVERAGE	0 – 50 – 100
Liquidity	100.0%	75.7
Strategy Fit	100.0%	59.4
Technical Trend	100.0%	74.9
Market Tail Risk	100.0%	32.0
Fundamental Quality	71.4%	22.3
Volatility Pressure	100.0%	56.4

Decision summary

Primary model reads before the detailed indicator appendix

Momentum	Institutional flow	Structure	Volatility
bullish_recovery	**Below MVWAP**	**Above 200D trend**	**high**

Decision indicators

Detailed momentum, institutional and structural observations

Momentum kinematics

Direction, velocity and oscillator state

Current read	**BULLISH RECOVERY | neutral | MACD decelerating**
Trend signal	**BULLISH RECOVERY**
RSI signal	**neutral**
RSI (7 / 14 / 21)	**43.30 / 51.83 / 53.35**
RSI velocity	**-1.96**
MACD line / signal / histogram	**2.81 / - / 3.42**
MACD acceleration	**-0.25**
Stochastic K / D	**42.12 / 54.55**

Institutional footprints

Volume-weighted cost, price location and flow

Current read	**Below institutional MVWAP | Accumulation bias**
Institutional flow	**0.33**
20-day MVWAP	**$64.09**
Price vs 20-day MVWAP	**-4.84%**
Daily reference VWAP	**$62.37**
Price vs daily reference	**-2.21%**
Volume	**4.20M**

Structural context

Long-term trend and volatility boundaries

Current read	**Above 200-day trend | Positive macro velocity**
Macro velocity	**0.46**
20-day / 200-day SMA	**$62.14 / $56.36**
Bollinger range	**$49.00 - $75.28**
Bollinger position	**0.467**

Options and volatility intelligence

Structure, premium conditions and principal risks

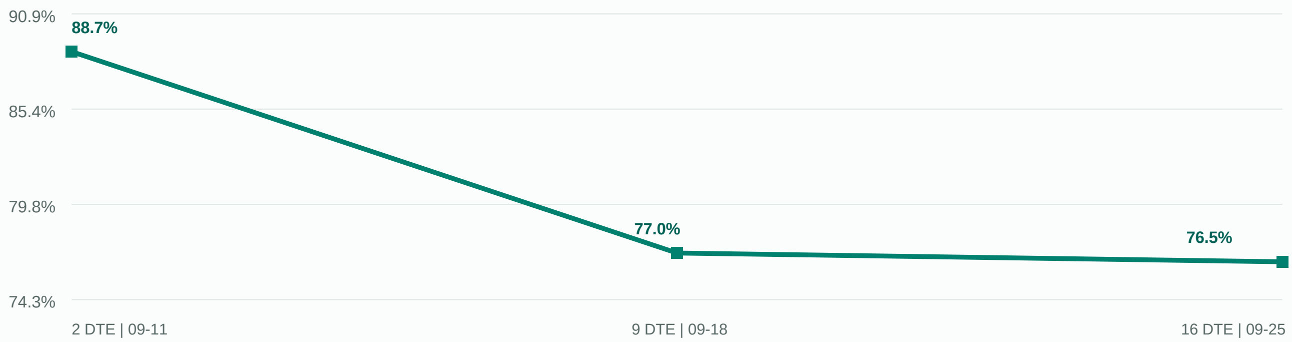
IV rank	IV percentile	VVIX	SKEW
67 / 100	71 / 100	93.26	148.86

Market regime	**DANGER ZONE**
Tail-risk regime	**NORMAL TAIL RISK**
Term structure	**backwardation**
Term slope	**-12.24 pts**
Skew read	**CALL DEMAND ELEVATED**
Liquidity / quote coverage	**95.4%**
Options Snapshot IV sources	**ATM: option chain | Rank/percentile: fundamentals**
Options Snapshot IV observed at	**Sep 9, 2026 2:58 PM EDT**
Options data quality	**Coverage 88.9%**

Option term structure

ATM implied-volatility curve by days to expiration

ATM IV CURVE



Downward-sloping ATM volatility term structure

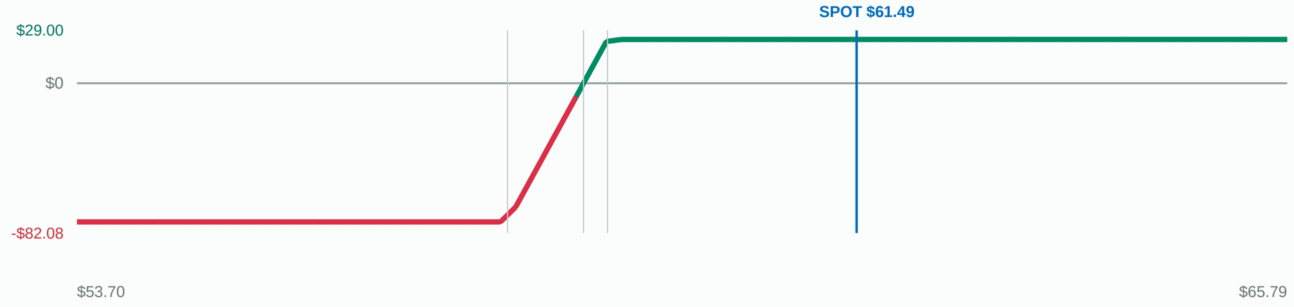
EXPIRATION	DTE	ATM IV	STATE
2026-09-11	2	88.7%	-
2026-09-18	9	77.0%	-
2026-09-25	16	76.5%	-

Reference spread payoff

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

Bull Put Spread reference

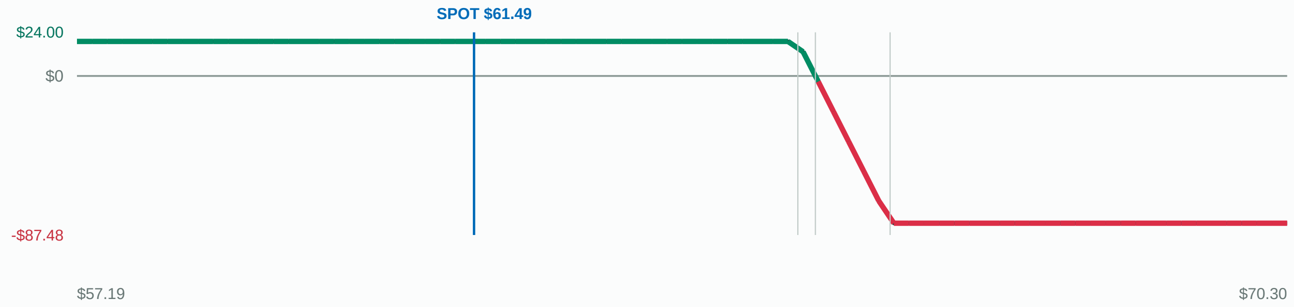
Short $59.00 | Long $58.00 | Width $1.00 | Net credit $0.24



Max profit $24.00 | Max loss -$76.00 | Break-even $58.76 | Per contract at expiry

Bear Call Spread reference

Short $65.00 | Long $66.00 | Width $1.00 | Net credit $0.19



Max profit $19.00 | Max loss -$81.00 | Break-even $65.19 | Per contract at expiry

Event and tail-risk context

Known event windows and broad volatility conditions

Next earnings date	**2026-11-03**
Earnings IV-crush risk	**NOT MEASURED**
VIX	**16.19**
VVIX	**93.26**
SKEW index	**148.86**
Observation confidence	**high**
Option quote quality	**reliable**
Contracts observed	**130**

Event and tail-risk context (continued)

Known event windows and broad volatility conditions

FIELD	VALUE
Contracts with quotes	**124**

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 **$11.06B**	ROE **-54.7%**
Revenue growth **58.3%**	EPS growth **-**
Operating margin **-21.4%**	Net profit margin **-17.8%**
Gross margin **-**	Free cash flow CAGR **-**
Debt / equity **2.52**	Dividend yield **-**
Beta **2.34**	52-week range **$40.77 - $104.32**

Company or fund profile

Issuer identity and classification

Name **Tempus AI Inc**	Market **NYSE**
Industry **Life Sciences Tools & Services**	Country **US**
Currency **USD**	IPO date **2025-05-30**
Shares outstanding **180.24M**	52-week return **-19.9%**
Book value per share **$2.47**	Revenue per share **$7.85**

Website	**investors.tempus.com**

Complete technical details

Full supporting indicator set used by the symbol detail experience

Volatility and options market

Price movement and premium conditions

ATR	**$4.49**
ATR as % of price	**7.3%**
Volatility environment	**high**
Current IV	**75.2%**
IV rank	**62 / 100**
IV percentile	**62 / 100**
Technical Snapshot IV source	**Private fundamentals snapshot**
Technical Snapshot IV observed at	**Sep 9, 2026 7:32 PM EDT**

Technical health and risk radar

Derived indicator health and event context

Overall health	**70 / 100**
Trend health	**78 / 100**
Momentum health	**94 / 100**
Volatility health	**0 / 100**
Structure health	**97 / 100**
Earnings risk / date	**low | 2026-11-03**
Macro risk	**unknown**
Volatility risk	**high**
Structure risk	**low**

Structural indicator levels

Moving averages, volatility bands and observed trading ranges

SMA (20 / 50 / 200)	**$62.14 / $55.91 / $56.36**
EMA (9 / 21)	**$63.48 / $61.32**
Bollinger upper / middle / lower	**$75.28 / $62.14 / $49.00**

Structural indicator levels (continued)

Moving averages, volatility bands and observed trading ranges

FIELD	VALUE
Bollinger %B	**0.467**
True high / low	**$64.91 / $60.93**
5-day true high / low	**$67.10 / $60.06**

Three-day indicator history

Short-horizon change and the underlying three-session observations

INDICATOR	3-DAY CHANGE	SESSION 1 / 2 / 3
SMA20	0.457	**-**
SMA50	0.139	**-**
MVWAP20	0.330	**-**
MACD	-0.245	**-**
RSI	-1.955	**-**
Volume	318589.670	**-**
ATR	-0.101	**-**
T1	-	**3.23 / 63.98 / 65.79 / 63.21**
T2	-	**3.40 / 63.57 / 66.30 / 63.11**
T3	-	**3.55 / 63.10 / 64.82 / 61.19**

Detailed options evidence

Supporting option-chain, execution and data-quality observations

Underlying price at observation	**$61.49**
Options Snapshot IV sources	**ATM: option chain | Rank/percentile: fundamentals**
Options Snapshot IV observed at	**Sep 9, 2026 2:58 PM EDT**
Options data coverage	**88.9%**
SKEW regime	**HIGH TAIL RISK SKEW**
VVIX regime	**VVIX FLAT**
Front expiration / DTE	**2026-09-11 | 2 DTE**
Front at-the-money IV	**88.7%**
25-delta skew	**-7.07**
Put / Call 25-delta	**$59.00 / $65.00 Delta 0.223**
Median option bid/ask spread	**14.6%**
Bid/ask spread	**-**
Contracts observed / quoted	**130 / 124**

Price context

Last Price: 61.49 | Bid: 61.48 | Ask: 61.53 | Previous Close: 64.29 | Change: -2.80 | Daily change: -4.36% | Update Time: 2026-09-09T14:58:05.129847-04:00 | Latest History Date: 2026-09-09 | Latest History Price: 61.49

Historical context

Trading-day sample: 60 sessions | First Date: 2026-06-15 | Latest Date: 2026-09-09 | Latest Price: 61.49 | Max Drawdown 60d Percent: -32.55%

Fundamental context

Current Iv Percent: 77.57% | Iv Rank: 66.56 | Iv Percentile: 71.31 | Next Earnings Date: 2026-11-03 | Ex Dividend Date: N/A

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Scope, limitations, risk and permitted interpretation

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