

WRLD · NASDAQ · WEEK ENDED 24 JUL 2026

Weekly Investor Report

World Acceptance Corporation · Financial Services · Credit Services

LATEST CLOSE

204.7 USD

6.6% latest week

Weekly setup

Mixed setup

The weekly trend is active. Price is 32.1% above the Trend Line and sits at 80.4% of its 52-week range. The latest completed week returned 6.6%, after a -4.3% four-week move. The latest factor snapshot indicates quality ranks strongly versus its universe; growth ranks weakly; valuation is neither clearly cheap nor expensive. The latest news-sentiment score is 54/100. Near-term considerations: earnings are due in 84d.

Technical setup score 63/100. This score describes the weekly technical setup; the conclusion above also considers fundamentals, positioning, sentiment, and event risk.

LATEST CLOSE

204.7 USD

24 Jul 2026

1W RETURN

6.6%

latest completed week

4W RETURN

-4.3%

short-term follow-through

12W RETURN

34.6%

quarterly tape

TREND BREADTH

46.2%

24 of 52 weeks active

VOLUME RATIO

1.4x

vs 13-week average

What is working

- The trend backdrop is active with a 11-week active streak.
- Price is above the Trend Line, keeping the weekly tape constructive.
- Price is above Fair Value, showing premium demand versus the model.
- Activity pressure is positive on the latest completed week.

What could go wrong

- 7 reversal markers appear in the recent smart-money tape.

What to watch next

- Trend Line remains the key weekly regime level.
- Activity pressure is the gauge to monitor for confirmation or fade.
- A volume ratio above 1.5x would show stronger participation in the next move.

This week's evidence at a glance

PRICE FOLLOW-THROUGH

6.6%

Latest completed week; four-week move -4.3%.

INDICATOR STACK

63/74

Trend and activity pressure are weighted against the latest 12-week confirmation window.

TREND BACKDROP

Active

The trend backdrop defines the current weekly regime.

PATIENT CAPITAL

Quiet

Activity-pressure buy-signal status for institutional accumulation timing.

NEWS SENTIMENT

54/100

62 relevant articles in the latest sentiment read.

EVENT RISK

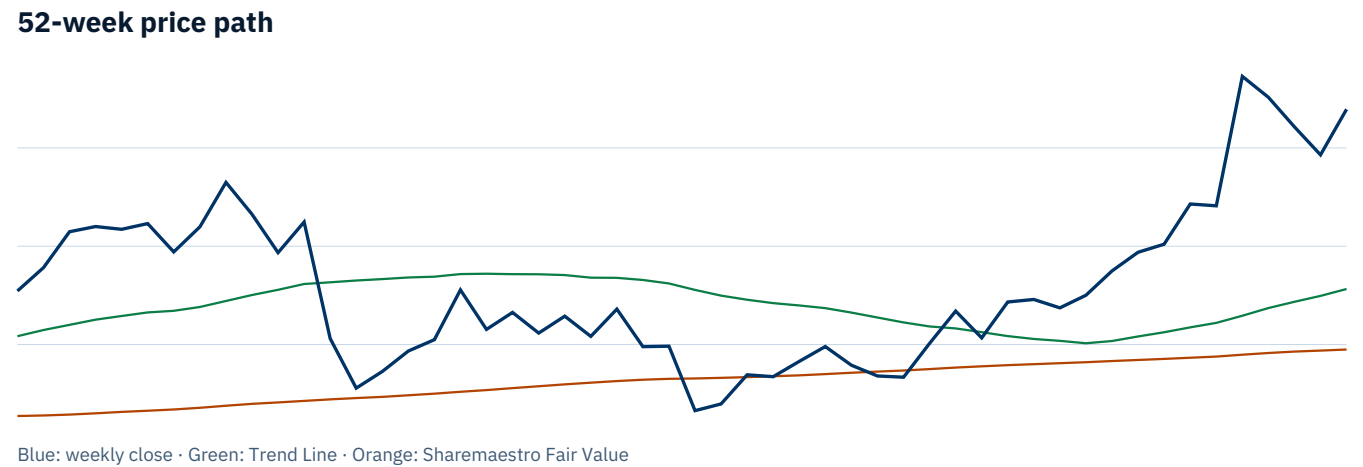
84d

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01 · PRICE ACTION

Where price is—and whether the trend supports it

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Position in the 52-week range FairTrendClose 110.0 USD227.7 USD Latest close sits at 80.4% of the 52-week range.	RANGE LOCATION 80.4% Shows where the latest close sits between the 52-week low and high.	TREND DISTANCE 32.1% Price premium or discount versus the weekly Trend Line.
	FAIR-VALUE GAP 48.1% Premium demand or model discount versus Sharemaestro Fair Value.	HIGH-WATER GAP -10.1% Distance from the latest 52-week high.

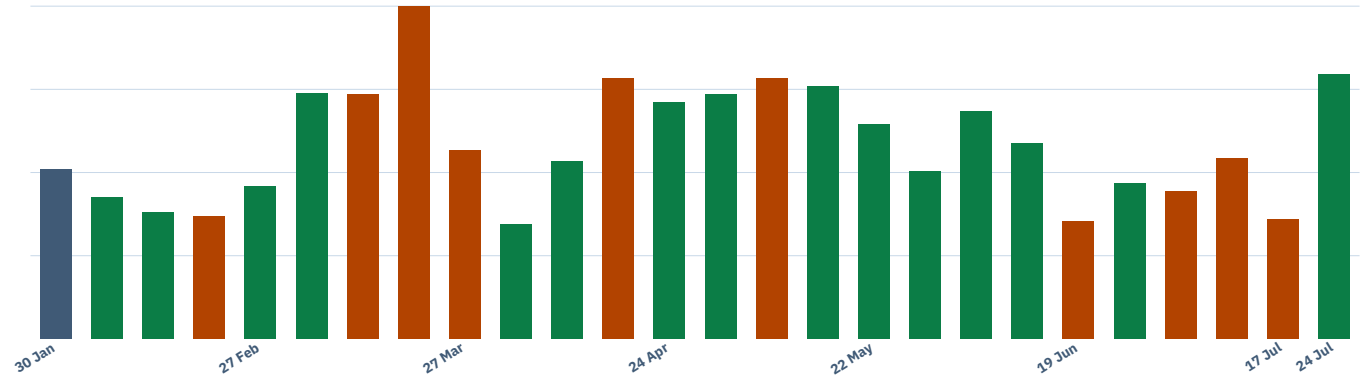
02 · VOLUME AND DEMAND

Is real participation confirming the move?

Latest weekly volume is 1.4x the 13-week average. Participation is around or above normal and provides reasonable confirmation.

26-week volume confirmation

Bar height shows weekly volume. Green marks an up week; orange marks a down week.



PARTICIPATION	BASELINE	ONE-YEAR BASE	LATEST WEEKLY VOLUME
1.4x	686.4K	506.0K	927.7K
Latest volume versus the 13-week average.	13-week average volume.	52-week average volume.	Most recent completed week.

Demand beneath price

Activity pressure and institutional-style signals

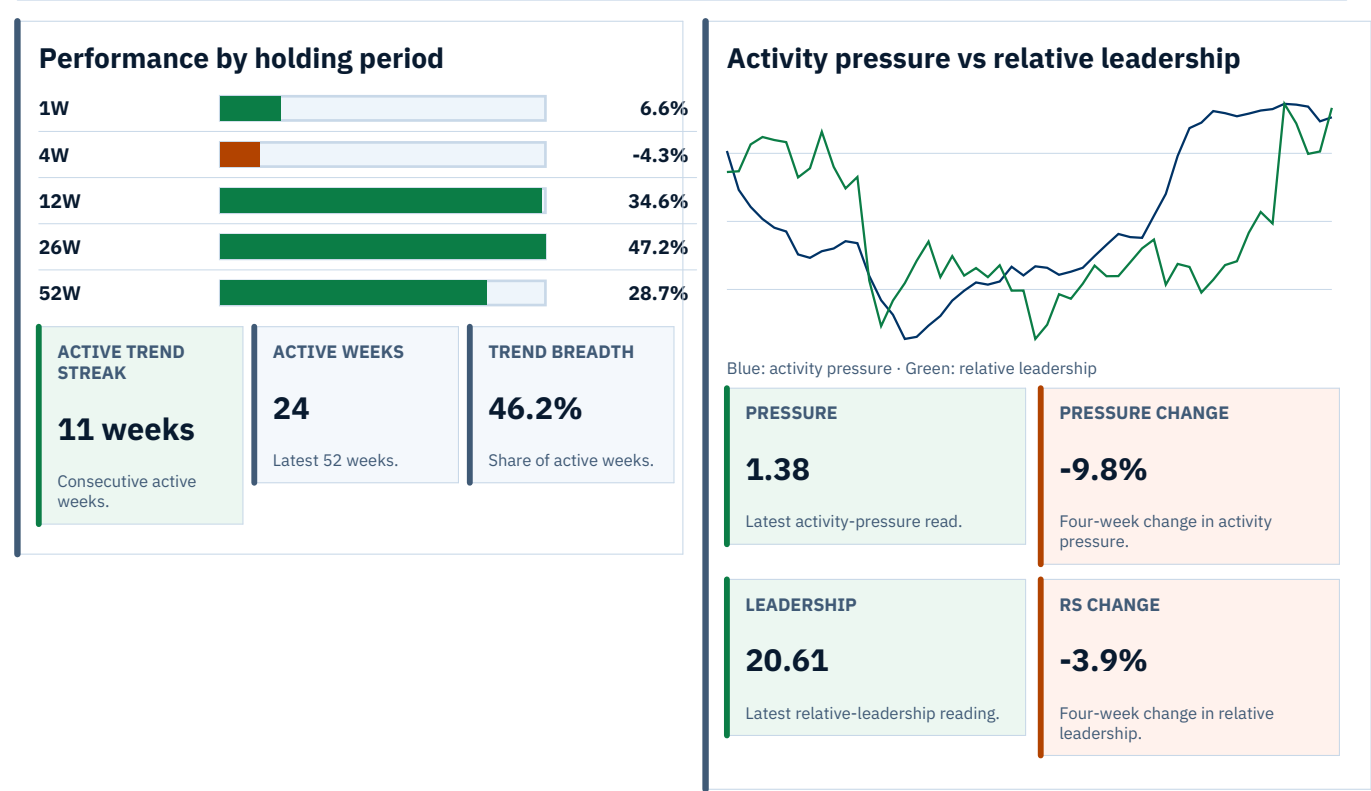
These indicators assess whether participation is improving beneath price. They are supporting evidence, not proof of institutional buying.



03 · MOMENTUM AND LEADERSHIP

Is performance persistent—and is the stock leading?

Performance is -4.3% over four weeks, 34.6% over 12 weeks, and 28.7% over one year. The current trend has remained active for 11 consecutive weeks.



Technical setup scorecard

Trend		63
Momentum		71
Activity Pressure		74
Relative Leadership		100
Next-Week Expectancy		50
Volume		57
Smart Money		38
Risk Control		53

04 · FUNDAMENTALS AND VALUATION

What investors are paying for—and the quality behind it

The latest factor snapshot indicates quality ranks strongly versus its universe; growth ranks weakly; valuation is neither clearly cheap nor expensive.

FACTOR WEEK 26 Jul 2026 Latest published factor snapshot.	STATEMENTS THROUGH 31 Mar 2026 Financial reporting period used.	FIELD COVERAGE 97% Available factor fields.	MODEL CONFIDENCE 97% Snapshot confidence.
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Relative factor standing Higher display scores are better. Each score is converted from the underlying universe rank, where rank 1 is best.		
Overall factor strength		93/100
Value		76/100
Quality		89/100
Momentum		76/100
Growth		3/100

Valuation How much investors are paying for earnings, sales, and cash flow.	Business quality Margins and the return generated on invested capital.
P/E Price divided by trailing earnings. 24.1x	GROSS MARGIN Gross profit retained from each unit of revenue. 72.0%
PRICE / SALES Market value relative to trailing revenue. 1.6x	OPERATING MARGIN Operating profit retained from revenue. 17.5%
EV / EBITDA Enterprise value relative to operating cash earnings. 14.5x	FREE-CASH-FLOW MARGIN Free cash flow generated from revenue. 44.5%
FREE-CASH-FLOW YIELD Free cash flow as a share of enterprise value. 16.4%	RETURN ON INVESTED CAPITAL Operating return generated on invested capital. 7.9%

04 · FUNDAMENTALS AND VALUATION · CONTINUED

Growth, shareholder returns, and balance-sheet strength

The second half of the fundamental read separates recent business growth from cash returned to shareholders and financial leverage.

Growth and financial strength	Shareholder return and balance sheet
Recent business growth and accounting strength.	Cash returned to owners and financial leverage.
REVENUE GROWTH4.3%	DIVIDEND YIELD-
Latest one-year revenue growth.	Cash dividends relative to market value.
EPS GROWTH-51.5%	BUYBACK YIELD13.7%
Latest one-year earnings-per-share growth.	Net share repurchases relative to market value.
FREE-CASH-FLOW GROWTH-	SHAREHOLDER YIELD13.7%
Latest one-year free-cash-flow growth.	Dividend yield plus net buyback yield.
PIOTROSKI F-SCORE5/9	NET DEBT / EBITDA5.9x
Nine-point accounting-strength checklist.	Balance-sheet debt relative to operating cash earnings.

How to read this

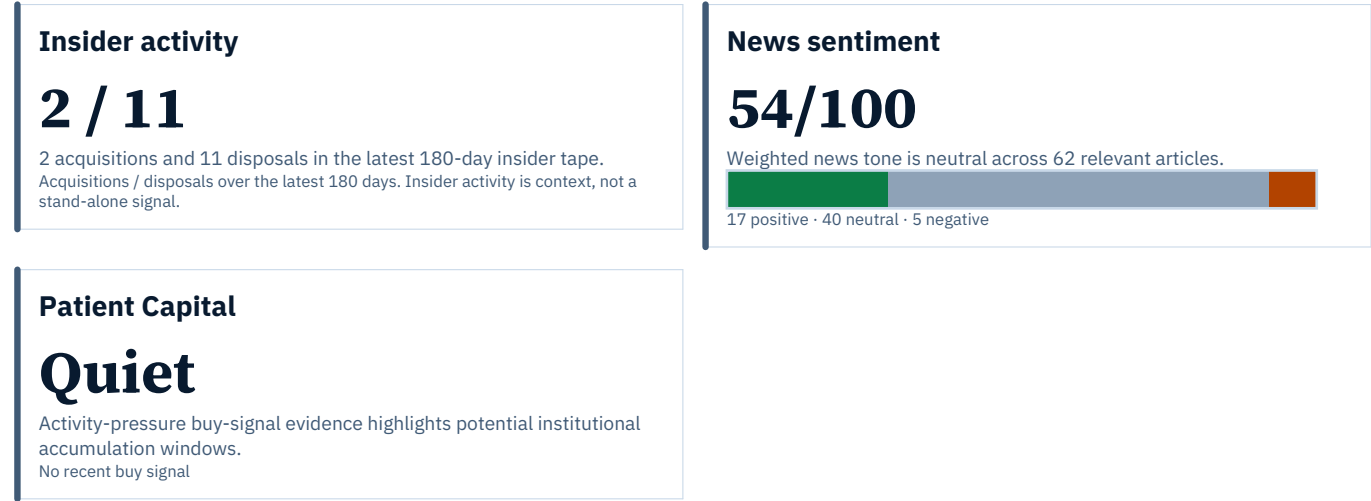
Quality and valuation are separate questions. A strong company can still carry a demanding valuation, so profitability, growth, balance-sheet strength, and the price paid for those characteristics should be assessed independently.

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05 · OWNERSHIP, OPTIONS, AND SENTIMENT

What other market participants are doing

Options, insider transactions, market sentiment, and activity-pressure signals can confirm or challenge the price story. None should be used alone.



06 · CATALYSTS AND RISK

What can move the shares—and how volatile the path has been

Event timing, options-implied movement, drawdown, and weekly gains and losses frame the risk around the current setup.

NEXT EARNINGS
84d
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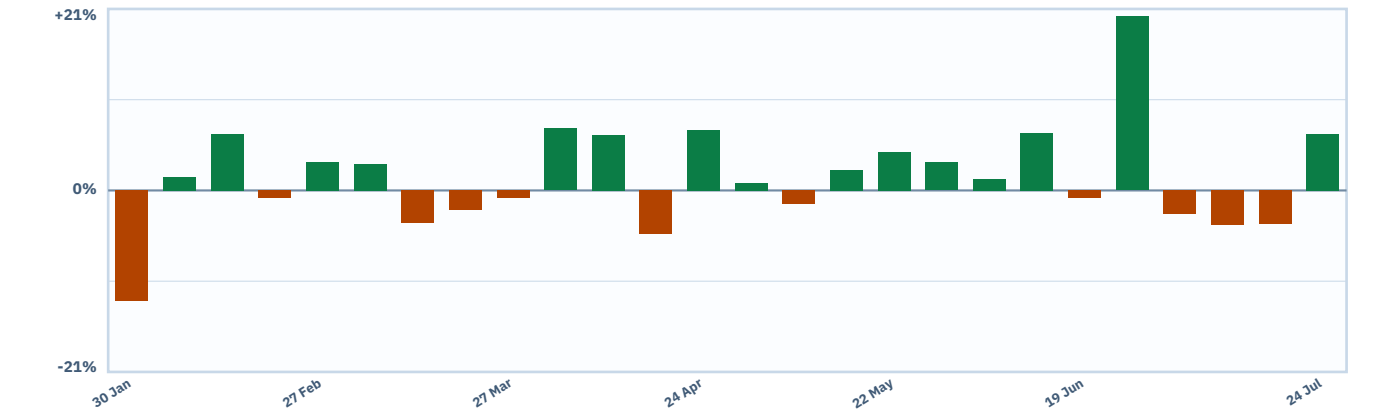
OPTIONS EXPECTED MOVE
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Nearest-chain priced movement where available.

52-WEEK DRAWDOWN
-10.1%
Distance below the 52-week high.

13-WEEK VOLATILITY
6.1%
Standard deviation of weekly returns.

Weekly gains and losses

Each bar is one completed week. Gains rise above zero; losses fall below it. Taller bars mean a larger move.



WEEKS HIGHER
15 of 26
11 weeks finished lower.

BEST WEEK
+20.1%
Week of 26 Jun.

WORST WEEK
-12.8%
Week of 30 Jan.

LATEST WEEK
+6.6%
Week of 24 Jul.

Shape of recent returns

Strong gains		8
Modest gains		7
Flat weeks		-
Modest losses		9
Sharp losses		2

RECENT VOL
6.1%
13-week weekly-return volatility.

BASE VOL
6.1%
52-week weekly-return volatility.

UP/DOWN SPLIT
30/22
Count of positive and negative weeks in the 52-week window.

AVERAGE SKEW
4.7% / -4.8%
Average positive week versus average negative week.

07 · SECTOR AND PEER CONTEXT

Is this stock leading—or simply moving with its group?

Sector and industry breadth distinguish company-specific strength from a broad group move.

Sector · US Financial Services

4-WEEK RANK - / 100 Standing within the tracked group.	GROUP AVERAGE 5.2% Average four-week return.	TREND BREADTH 58.0% Share of peers with an active trend.
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Peer	Exchange	1W return	4W return	Trend
PYPL	NASDAQ	-0.7%	26.8%	Inactive
KB	NYSE	-1.6%	19.4%	Active
SHG	NYSE	1.0%	18.6%	Active
TRV	NYSE	5.0%	18.3%	Active
ICE	NYSE	4.4%	17.7%	Inactive

Industry · US Credit Services

4-WEEK RANK 29 / 53 Standing within the tracked group.	GROUP AVERAGE -4.8% Average four-week return.	TREND BREADTH 50.9% Share of peers with an active trend.
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PYPL	NASDAQ	-0.7%	26.8%	Inactive
WU	NYSE	-7.4%	9.0%	Inactive
LU	NYSE	-0.7%	8.7%	Inactive
MA	NYSE	-0.7%	8.3%	Inactive
AGM	NYSE	2.0%	7.5%	Active

08 · EVIDENCE AND WEEKLY DATA

The underlying research record

Every top-level statement should be traceable to a stored market, fundamental, event, or positioning observation.

Cross-signal evidence matrix

Evidence pillar	Score / read	Summary	Detail
Weekly tape	63/100	Trend, activity pressure, participation, and risk combine to a 63/100 tape read.	
Indicator analysis	69/100	Latest 12-week confirmation: trend 11/12, activity pressure 12/12, relative leadership 5/12.	Activity pressure 0.91; 7 reversal markers
Factors	83/100	O'Shaughnessy factor stack blends value, quality, momentum, and confidence.	Buyback Yield rank 4; Small Cap Core rank 26
SVQF	46/100	Value and quality alignment from the Sharemaestro SVQF framework.	Composite rank 389.0 of 726
Patient Capital	Quiet	Activity-pressure buy-signal evidence highlights potential institutional accumulation windows.	No recent buy signal
Sentiment	54/100	Weighted news tone is neutral across 62 relevant articles.	World Acceptance Corp (WRLD) Valuation: PE, PB & Fair Value Analysis
Insiders	2 / 11	2 acquisitions and 11 disposals in the latest 180-day insider tape.	
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Current evidence clusters

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Recent completed weeks

The completed weekly bars behind the report provide a compact audit trail for price, trend, Fair Value, activity pressure, leadership, and volume.

Week	Close	Return	Trend Line	Fair Value	Pressure	Leadership	Volume	Trend
24 Jul 2026	204.7 USD	6.6%	154.9 USD	138.2 USD	1.38	20.61	927.7K	On
17 Jul 2026	192.1 USD	-3.9%	153.0 USD	137.9 USD	1.33	11.52	417.4K	On
10 Jul 2026	199.8 USD	-3.9%	151.4 USD	137.6 USD	1.50	11.02	631.6K	On
03 Jul 2026	208.0 USD	-2.7%	149.7 USD	137.2 USD	1.52	17.37	516.7K	On
26 Jun 2026	213.8 USD	20.1%	147.5 USD	136.7 USD	1.53	21.45	545.3K	On
19 Jun 2026	177.9 USD	-0.3%	145.5 USD	136.2 USD	1.47	-3.49	411.2K	On
12 Jun 2026	178.4 USD	6.7%	144.3 USD	135.9 USD	1.46	-1.08	683.5K	On
05 Jun 2026	167.3 USD	1.3%	142.9 USD	135.6 USD	1.42	-5.41	796.4K	On
29 May 2026	165.1 USD	3.2%	141.8 USD	135.3 USD	1.39	-11.35	586.9K	On
22 May 2026	159.9 USD	4.4%	140.5 USD	135.0 USD	1.43	-12.14	751.6K	On
15 May 2026	153.2 USD	2.3%	139.9 USD	134.6 USD	1.45	-15.21	885.6K	On
08 May 2026	149.7 USD	-1.5%	140.6 USD	134.4 USD	1.32	-17.88	913.0K	Off
01 May 2026	152.0 USD	0.5%	141.1 USD	134.1 USD	1.26	-12.53	856.0K	Off
24 Apr 2026	151.3 USD	7.0%	141.9 USD	133.8 USD	0.95	-11.90	827.5K	Off

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