

Press Release

BB Asia Impex Private Limited

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Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated#	Rs.12.50 Cr.#
Long Term Rating	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
Short Term Rating	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*

#Refer Annexure for details

*The issuer did not co-operate; based on best available information.

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reviewed is long term rating of '**ACUITE D**' (**read as ACUITE D**) and short term rating of '**ACUITE D**' (**read as ACUITE D**) on the Rs.12.50 crore bank facilities of BB Asia Impex Private Limited. This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

The Chennai-based BB Asia Impex Private Limited (BBAIPL) was incorporated in 2004 by Directors, Mr. Om Prakash Agarwal, Mr. Ajay Kumar Agarwal, Mr. Raj Kumar Agarwal and Mr. Amit Kumar Agarwal. The company is engaged in the trading of polymers and chemicals. It is a part of Petro Group.

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower: Acuité has been requesting for data, information and undertakings from the rated entity for conducting surveillance & review of the rating. However, the issuer/borrower failed to submit such information before due date.

This rating is therefore being flagged as "Issuer not-cooperating", in line with prevailing SEBI regulations and Acuité's policies.

Acuité believes that information risk is a critical component in such ratings, and non-cooperation by the issuer along with unwillingness to provide information could be a sign of potential deterioration in its overall credit quality.

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Trading Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-6.htm>
- Financial Ratios And Adjustments - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.htm>
- Consolidation of Companies - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-22.htm>

Limitation regarding information availability:

The rating is based on information available from sources other than the issuer/borrower (in the absence of information provided by the issuer/borrower). Acuité endeavored to gather information about the entity / industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuité cautions lenders and investors regarding the use of such information, on which the indicative credit rating is based.

About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

The rated entity has not shared the latest financial statements despite repeated requests.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA (if applicable)

None

Any other information

Acuité is yet to receive the latest No Default Statement (NDS) from the rated entity, despite repeated requests and follow-ups.

Rating History (Upto last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Ratings/Outlook
25-Jan-2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE D (Downgraded)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.50	ACUITE D (Downgraded)
30-Nov-2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE BB / Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.50	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed)
19-Sep-2016	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE BB / Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.50	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed)
16-Jul-2015	Cash Credit	Long Term	5.00	ACUITE BB / Stable (Assigned)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.50	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)

#Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
Cash Credit	Not Available	Not Applicable	Not Available	5.00	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating
Letter of Credit	Not Available	Not Applicable	Not Available	7.50	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating

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