

Press Release

Bhagwati Rice Mills

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Rating Update



Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs.34.68 Cr.#
Long Term Rating	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)

*Refer Annexure for details

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

Acuite has reviewed the long term rating of '**ACUITE D**' (read as **ACUITE D**) on the Rs. 34.68 crore bank facilities of Bhagwati Rice Mills (BRM). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on the best available information.

Bhagwati Rice Mills (BRM) was incorporated as a partnership in the year 1994 by Mr. Ajay Kumar, Mr. Vijay Kumar and Mr. Krishna Rani. BRM is involved in basmati rice milling and is based out of Nissing, Karnal, and Haryana. It is primarily engaged in the milling and processing of basmati rice.

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower:

Acuite 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 the due date.

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

Applicable Criteria

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Service Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-50.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). Acuite endeavoured to gather information about the entity/industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuite 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

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

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Ratings/Outlook
31-May-19	Cash Credit	Long term	31.50	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
	Term Loans	Long term	2.38	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
	Proposed long term facility	Long term	0.80	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
12-Mar-18	Cash Credit	Long term	31.50	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
	Term Loans	Long term	2.38	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
	Proposed long term facility	Long term	0.80	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
23-Jan-17	Cash Credit	Long term	31.50	ACUITE D (Downgraded)
	Term Loans	Long term	2.38	ACUITE D (Downgraded)
	Proposed long term facility	Long term	0.80	ACUITE D (Downgraded)

***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 Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	31.50	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
Term Loans	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.38	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*
Proposed long term facility	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.80	ACUITE D Issuer not co-operating*

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

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