

Press Release

Altra Pure Chem

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Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating
Bank Loan Ratings	0.40	-	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*
Bank Loan Ratings	15.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	15.40	-	-
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-

Rating Rationale

Acuite has reaffirmed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE B+**' (read as **ACUITE B plus**) and the short term rating of '**ACUITE A4**' (read as **ACUITE A four**) on the Rs.15.40 crore bank facilities of Altra Pure Chem (APC). The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

APC, a Maharashtra-based firm, established in 2000 by Mr. Mithun G Patil. The firm, part of the AG group, is engaged in the trading and manufacturing of chemicals and solvents such as Iso Propyl Alcohol, Acetone and Acetone Nitryl, among others. The raw materials (Crude Acetonitrile, Crude NMP and Crude THF, Crude DIPE) are procured from Deepak Fertilisers and other local players. APC caters to the domestic market apart from its group company, Altra Pharma Chem Private Limited (APCPL).

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. Acuite believes that information risk is a critical component in such ratings, and noncooperation by the issuer along with unwillingness to provide information could be a sign of potential deterioration in its overall credit quality. This rating is, therefore, being flagged as "Issuer not-cooperating", in line with prevailing SEBI regulations and Acuite's policies.

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 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.

Rating Sensitivity

"No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

Material Covenants

None

Liquidity Position

"No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

Outlook

Not Applicable

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

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.

Applicable Criteria

- Manufacturing Entities: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm>
- Default Recognition: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>
- Application Of Financial Ratios And Adjustments: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-53.htm>

Note on Complexity Levels of the Rated Instrument

<https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-55.htm>

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.40	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)

28 Jul 2021	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	4.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
07 May 2020	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.40	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	4.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
14 Mar 2019	Term Loan	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	4.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.40	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
22 Jan 2018	Term Loan	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	4.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long Term	1.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Assigned)
	Secured Overdraft	Long Term	3.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Assigned)
	Bank Guarantee	Short Term	0.40	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
DNS Bank	Not Applicable	Bank Guarantee (BLR)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.40	ACUITE A4 Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*
DNS Bank	Not Applicable	Secured Overdraft	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	3.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*
DNS Bank	Not Applicable	Term Loan	Not available	Not available	Not available	6.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*
DNS Bank	Not Applicable	Term Loan	Not available	Not available	Not available	1.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*
DNS Bank	Not Applicable	Term Loan	Not available	Not available	Not available	4.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*
DNS Bank	Not Applicable	Term Loan	Not available	Not available	Not available	1.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*

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