

## Press Release

### Mangalam Timbers

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### Rating Update

<b>Total Bank Facilities Rated*</b>	Rs. 8.00 Cr.#
<b>Long Term Rating</b>	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*
<b>Short Term Rating</b>	ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating*

#Refer Annexure for details

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

### Rating Rationale

Acuité has reviewed the long term rating of '**ACUITE B**' (**read as ACUITE B**) and the short term rating of '**ACUITE A4**' (**read as ACUITE A four**) to the Rs.8.00 crore bank facilities of Mangalam Timbers (MT). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

#### 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.

#### Applicable Criteria

- Manufacturing Entities - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-4.htm>
- Financial Ratios and Adjustments: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-20.htm>
- Default Recognition: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-17.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 endeavoured 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:

Mangalam Timbers, established as a proprietorship firm in 1995 by Mr. Mahesh Ramji Patel is engaged in the manufacturing of plywood and trading of wooden logs. The firm imports timber from several countries such as Tanzania, Sudan, Malaysia for sale in the domestic market and for export to the Gulf.

For FY2015-16, the firm reported profit after tax (PAT) of Rs.0.15 crore on operating income of Rs.9.43 crore compared with PAT of Rs.0.13 crore on operating income of Rs.8.83 crore for FY2014-15. The networth (includes quasi equity) stood at Rs.3.85 crore as on 31 March, 2016 compared to Rs.3.89 crore as on 31 March, 2015.

#### 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
13-Oct-2017	Cash Credit	Long term	4.00	ACUITE B/Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Letter of Credit	Short term	2.50	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed)
	Proposed Long Term Loan	Long term	1.50	ACUITE B/Stable (Reaffirmed)
11-Jun-2016	Cash Credit	Long term	4.00	ACUITE B/Stable (Assigned)
	Letter of Credit	Short term	2.50	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)
	Proposed Bank Facility	Long term	1.50	ACUITE B/Stable (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 Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	4.00	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*
Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.50	ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating*
Proposed Long Term Loan	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.50	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*

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