



Press Release SAHASRA ELECTRONICS PRIVATE LIMITED November 06, 2024 Rating Downgraded and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating		
Bank Loan Ratings 7.50		ACUITE BB- Downgraded Issuer not co-operating*	-		
Bank Loan Ratings	0.50	-	ACUITE A4 Downgraded Issuer not co-operating*		
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	8.00	-	-		
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-		
* The issuer did not co-operate; based on best available information.					

Rating Rationale

Acuité has downgraded the long-term rating to 'ACUITE BB-' (read as ACUITE double B minus) from 'ACUITE BB' (read as ACUITE double B) and the short-term rating to 'ACUITE A4' (read as ACUITE A four) from 'ACUITE A4+' (read as ACUITE A four plus) on the Rs. 8.00 crore bank facilities of Sahasra Electronics Private Limited (SEPL) on account of information risk. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

About the Company

Delhi based Sahasra Electronics Private Limited (SEPL) was incorporated in the year 2001 by Mr. Amrit Manwani and Mr. Narayan. The company is engaged in manufacturing parts of data processing equipment, PCB Assemblies with Cables, LED lighting fixtures and USB drives. These products are exported from the Noida Special Economic Zone (SEZ) to US, Rwanda, Netherlands, England and Canada. SEPL is primarily an Export Oriented Unit (EOU). The company sells its products in US market through its marketing entities Optima Technologies Assoc., Inc. (OTA) and MK Group LLC. It is a part of Sahasra Group.

About the Group

Sahasra group (SG) was established in the year 1984. The group is engaged in manufacturing of LED lighting fixtures, parts of data processing units, printed circuit boards (PCB), LED Bulbs and tubes and other electronic devices. The group comprises of four companies SEPL, Infopower Technologies Limited, Sahasra Electronics (Rwanda) Private Limited and Optima Technology Associates, Inc. in the aforementioned line of business. The group is promoted by Mr. Amrit Manwani and has presence of over three decades in the industry.

Unsupported Rating

Not Applicable

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 the due date. 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.

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

Rating Sensitivity

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

Liquidity Position

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

Outlook

Not Applicable

Other Factors affecting Rating

None

Key Financials

Particulars	Unit	FY 23 (Actual)	FY 22 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	119.28	79.40
PAT	Rs. Cr.	6.25	2.87
PAT Margin	(%)	5.24	3.61
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	0.19	0.06
PBDIT/Interest	Times	17.12	12.25

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable

Any other information

None

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

In order to inform the investors about complexity of instruments, Acuité has categorized such instruments in three levels: Simple, Complex and Highly Complex. Acuite's categorisation of the instruments across the three categories is based on factors like variability of the returns to the investors, uncertainty in cash flow patterns, number of counterparties and general understanding of the instrument by the market. It has to be understood that complexity is different from credit risk and even an instrument categorized as 'Simple' can carry high levels of risk. For more details, please refer Rating Criteria "Complexity Level Of Financial Instruments" on www.acuite.in.

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
09 Aug 2023	PC/PCFC	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE BB (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
24 May 2022	Letter of Credit	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4+ (Reaffirmed & Issuer not co-operating*)
	PC/PCFC	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE BB (Downgraded & Issuer not co-operating* from ACUITE BB+)
18 Feb 2021	PC/PCFC	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE BB+ (Downgraded & Issuer not co-operating* from ACUITE BBB- Stable)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	0.50	ACUITE A4+ (Downgraded & Issuer not co-operating* from ACUITE A3)

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Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Complexity Level	Rating
	Not avl. /	Letter of Credit	Not avl. /	Not avl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	0.50	Simple	ACUITE A4 Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE A4+)
Canara Bank	Not avl. / Not appl.	PC/PCFC	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.	Not avl. / Not appl.		Simple	ACUITE BB- Downgraded Issuer not co-operating* (from ACUITE BB)

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