

Press Release

Aerotherm Products

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Rating Update



Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 9.70 Cr. #
Long Term Rating	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
Short Term Rating	ACUITE A4 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 B+' (read as ACUITE B plus)** and short-term rating of **'ACUITE A4' (read as ACUITE A four)** on the Rs. 9.70 crore bank facilities of Aerotherm Products. This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

AP, established in 1986 by Mr. Ashutosh Shukla, is engaged in the business of design and manufacture of heat and air transfer equipment. The firm is involved in design, develop, manufacture and erection of capital engineering equipment primarily used in processing industries such as refineries, fertilizer plants, rayon and fabric industry, pharmaceutical industry, and other core and basic industries.

Analytical Approach

Acuite has considered the standalone business and financial risk profiles of AP to arrive at this rating.

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 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/criteria-default.htm>
- Financial Ratios And Adjustments - <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-20.htm>
- Manufacturing Entities- <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-6.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 attempts.

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

Not applicable

Any other information

Acuite 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. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
20-June-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE B+/Stable (Reaffirmed)
	Packing Credit	Short Term	2.00	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed)
	Bank guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Short Term	1.70	ACUITE A4 (Reaffirmed)
27-Apr-2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE B+/Stable (Assigned)
	Packing Credit	Short Term	2.00	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)
	Bank guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Short Term	1.70	ACUITE A4 (Assigned)

#Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	6.00	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
Packing Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.00	ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating*
Bank guarantee/Letter of Guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.70	ACUITE A4 Issuer not co-operating*

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