

Press Release

Padmashri Oil Refineries

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Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated#	Rs.9.40 Cr.
Long Term Rating	ACUITE B 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**) to the Rs.9.40 crore bank facilities of Padmashri Oil Refineries (POR). 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

- Default Recognition - <https://www.acuite.in/criteria-default.htm>
- Financial Ratios And Adjustments - <https://www.acuite.in/criteria-fin-ratios.htm>
- Entities In Manufacturing Sector - <https://www.acuite.in/criteria-manufacturing.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:

Padmashri Oil Refineries (POR) is a Tamil Nadu-based partnership firm established in 2003 by Mr. Suresh, Mrs. Shanthi, Mr. Sivakumar and Mrs. Vidhya. The firm is engaged in refining of sunflower oil and trading of edible oil (groundnut, palmolein). The firm sells its products under 'GPS Sunmill', 'Goodness Groundnut Oil' and 'Oleina Palmalin Oil' brand names through its network of distributors in Vellore and Chennai.

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. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
21-Aug-2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	9.00	ACUITE B/Stable (Assigned)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	0.40	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	9.00	ACUITE B (Indicative)
Proposed Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.40	ACUITE B (Indicative)

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