

## Press Release

### Wud Tools

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### Rating Update



<b>Total Bank Facilities Rated*</b>	Rs. 9.50 Cr.#
<b>Long Term Rating</b>	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 plus**) on the Rs. 9.50 crore bank facilities of Wud Tools. 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/view-rating-criteria-17.htm>
- Manufacturing Entities-<https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-4.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:

Wud Tools (WT) is a partnership firm established in 1965. The firm is engaged in the manufacturing of cutting tools and blades like bias cutters, disc knives, Auto Skiver Knives/ Tread Cutters, among others. The firm is led by Mr. Lokendra Sheth and Mr. Chaitanya Sheth, partners. The manufacturing facility is located at Latur (Maharashtra).

For FY2015-16, WT reported profit after tax (PAT) of Rs.0.36 crore on operating income of Rs.20.87 crore, as compared to PAT of Rs.0.31 crore on operating income of Rs.15.53 crore in FY2014-15. As per provisional figures, the firm earned revenue of Rs.24.60 crore in FY2017.

#### 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
15-Jun-2017	Cash Credit	Long term	9.00	ACUITE B+/Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long term	0.50	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	9.00	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
Term Loan	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.50	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*

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