

Press Release

Shanti Mills

February 01, 2022



Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating
Bank Loan Ratings	10.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*	-
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)	10.00	-	-
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-

Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE B+**' (**read as ACUITE B plus**) on the Rs. 10.00 crore bank facilities of Shanti Mills. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on best available information.

About the Company

Shanti Mills (SM) was established as a proprietorship concern in the year 2014 by Mr. Yeedala Hariprasad. The firm is located in Raichur, Karnataka, i.e. one of the major rice-producing state. SM is engaged in milling of padding with main product paddy, rice, broken rice and with by-products like rice bran, husk etc. The firm's manufacturing unit is located in Raichur and has an installed capacity of 8 tonnes of paddy per hour. The firm procures paddy from local farmers in Raichur, Karnataka and supplies to dealers in states like Karnataka, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Gujarat and Kerala.

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.

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.

About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

The rated entity has not shared the latest financial statements despite repeated attempts.

Rating Sensitivity

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

Material Covenants

None.

Liquidity Position

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

Outlook

Not Applicable.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

Not Applicable.

Any other information

Acuité is yet to receive the latest No Default Statement (NDS) from the rated entity, despite repeated requests and follow-ups.

Applicable Criteria

- Manufacturing Entities: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-59.htm>
- Default Recognition: <https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-52.htm>

Rating History

Date	Name of Instruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
30 Oct 2020	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
22 Aug 2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Reaffirmed)
07 Aug 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Reaffirmed)
04 Jul 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
06 Jul 2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	ACUITE B+ Stable (Assigned)

Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
Union Bank of India	Not Applicable	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	10.00	ACUITE B+ Reaffirmed Issuer not co-operating*

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