

# Press Release AVIK POLYCHEM



#### March 23, 2022

#### Rating Reaffirmed and Issuer not co-operating

Product	Quantum (Rs. Cr)	Long Term Rating	Short Term Rating		
Bank Loan Ratings	7.00	-	ACUITE A4   Reaffirmed   Issuer not co-operating*		
Bank Loan Ratings	8.00	ACUITE B+   Reaffirmed   Issuer not co-operating*	-		
Total Outstanding Quantum (Rs. Cr)		-	-		
Total Withdrawn Quantum (Rs. Cr)	0.00	-	-		

#### Rating Rationale

Acuité has reaffirmed 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.15.00 crore bank facilities of Avik Polychem. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on best available information.

#### **About the Company**

Pune based - Avik Polychem (AP) is an ISO 9000 certified company engaged in the business of supplying extensive range of rubber chemicals and rubber processing chemicals. AP was set up as a partnership firm in 1984 by Mr. Nitin Joshi and Mrs. Sadhana Joshi.

#### 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.

#### 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.

The rated entity has not shared the latest Financial Statements despite repeated attempts.					
Rating Sensitivity					
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No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuité to comment upon.

#### **Material Covenants**

Not Applicable

#### **Liquidity Position**

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

#### **Outlook**

Not Applicable

#### Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA

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

#### **Applicable Criteria**

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

Note on Complexity Levels of the Rated Instrument https://www.acuite.in/view-rating-criteria-55.htm

## **Rating History**

Date	Name of I st ruments/Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Rating/Outlook
22 Dec 2020	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Bank Facility	Long Term	0.50	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
04 Oct 2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.00	ACUITE A4 (Issuer not co-operating*)
	Proposed Bank Facility	Long Term	0.50	ACUITE B+ (Issuer not co-operating*)
27 Jul 2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	7.50	ACUITE B+   Stable (Downgraded from ACUITE BB-   Stable)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	7.00	ACUITE A4 (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+)
	Proposed Bank Facility	Long Term	0.50	ACUITE B+   Stable (Assigned)
04 Aug 2017	Cash Credit	Long Term	6.00	ACUITE BB-   Stable (Assigned)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	9.00	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)

### Annexure - Details of instruments rated

Lender's Name	ISIN	Facilities	Date Of I ssuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Quantum (Rs. Cr.)	Rating
Bank of Maharashtra	Not Applicable	Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable		ACUITE B+  Reaffirmed  Issuer  not co- operating*
Bank of Maharashtra	Not Applicable	Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	/ ()()	ACUITE A4    Reaffirmed   Issuer   not co-   operating*
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Proposed Long Term Bank Facility	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.50	ACUITE B+   Reaffirmed   Issuer not co- operating*

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