

Press Release

Vishwa Karma Founders India Private Limited

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Rating Update

Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs.9.00 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**) on the Rs.9.00 crore bank facilities of Vishwa Karma Founders India Private Limited. This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

Vishwakarma Founders India Private Limited (VFIPL) was incorporated in 2003 and commenced operations in 2006. The ISO 9001:2008 certified company is a leading manufacturer and supplier of gray iron castings and machine components. The company caters mainly to Mahindra & Mahindra, John Deere, Ashok Leyland etc in the automobile industry. Based out of Kolhapur, Maharashtra, VFIPL has manufacturing capacity of 250 tonnes of castings per month with product range from 1kg to 50 kg.

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 - Key Financials

	Unit	FY17 (Provisional)	FY16 (Actual)	FY15 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	12.74	12.62	10.39
EBITDA	Rs. Cr.	1.10	1.02	0.64
PAT	Rs. Cr.	0.41	0.19	0.06
EBITDA Margin	(%)	8.63	8.10	6.14
PAT Margin	(%)	3.21	1.50	0.59
ROCE	(%)	19.72	16.16	11.60
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	2.03	4.97	6.57
PBDIT/Interest	Times	3.91	2.23	2.02
Total Debt/PBDIT	Times	2.49	3.81	6.13
Gross Current Assets (Days)	Days	118	126	142

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
16-Oct-17	Proposed Long Term Loan	Long Term	7.00	ACUITE B/Stable (Assigned)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	2.00	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
Proposed Long Term Loan	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	7.00	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*
Proposed Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	2.00	ACUITE B Issuer not co-operating*

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