

## Press Release

### Maheshwar Multitrade Private Limited

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### Rating Update

<b>Total Bank Facilities Rated*</b>	Rs. 12.87 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.

Acuité has reviewed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE B+** (read as **ACUITE B plus**) on the Rs.12.87 crore bank facilities of Maheshwar Multitrade Private Limited. The rating continues to be flagged as "Issuer Not-Cooperating" and is based on the best available information.

Maheshwar Multitrade Private Limited (erstwhile Maheshwar oil mills), is a Maharashtra-based company established in 1982 by Mr. Shrikant Banchode. The firm was converted into private limited company in 2010. MMTPL is engaged in the processing of edible oil - primarily groundnut, cotton seeds, sunflower oil, soybean oil and vegetable oil. The company also trades in shelled groundnuts, rice, sugar, raw cashew, Indian maize and pulses. The operating capacity stands at 200 tons per day of seed crushing unit and 30 metric tons per day of refinery of which the current utilisation is about 80 per cent. The company sells edible oil under the 'Ganesh' brand name

#### 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.

Acuité believes that information risk is a critical component in such ratings, and non-cooperation by the issuer along with an unwillingness to provide information could be a sign of potential deterioration in its overall credit quality.

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

**Liquidity Indicators** - "No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

**Rating Sensitivity** - "No information provided by the issuer / available for Acuite to comment upon."

#### About the Rated Entity - Key Financials

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

#### 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 (Up to last three years)

Date	Name of Instrument / Facilities	Term	Amount (Rs. Cr)	Ratings/Outlook
19-Mar-20	Cash Credit	Long term	11.80	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
	Term Loan	Long term	1.05	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long term	0.02	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
11-Jan-19	Cash Credit	Long term	11.80	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
	Term Loan	Long term	1.05	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long term	0.02	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
22-Nov-17	Cash Credit	Long term	11.80	ACUITE B+/Stable (Assigned)
	Term Loan	Long term	1.05	ACUITE B+/Stable (Assigned)
	Proposed Cash Credit	Long term	0.02	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	11.80	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
Term Loan	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	1.05	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*
Proposed Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	0.02	ACUITE B+ Issuer not co-operating*

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