

Press Release

Jayanthi Agro Industries

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Rating Update



Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs.25.00 Cr.#
Long Term Rating	ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from BB)

#Refer Annexure for details

*The issuer did not co-operate; based on best available information.

Acuité has downgraded the long-term rating to '**ACUITE BB-**' (**read as ACUITE Double B minus**) from '**ACUITE BB**' (**read as ACUITE double B**) on the Rs 25.00 crore bank facilities of Jayanthi Agro Industries (JAI). This rating is now an indicative and is downgraded due to information risk.

JAI, was established by Mr. Shyam Stalin and Mrs. Naganandhini in June, 2011. The firm is engaged in the processing of paddy (non-basmati rice - Sona Masuri & Idli variety) and has a capacity of around 150 tons. The manufacturing facility is located at Tindivanam, Tamil Nadu. The firm procures paddy from local farmers and traders and sells rice under the 'YES' brand to domestic wholesalers.

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.

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 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

The rated entity has not shared the latest Financial Statements despite repeated attempts.

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
14-May-2019	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	25.00	ACUITE BB Issuer not co-operating*
27-Feb-2018	Proposed Cash Credit	Long Term	25.00	ACUITE BB/Stable (Assigned)

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*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 Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	25.00	ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* (Downgraded from BB)

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