

Press Release
Siva Foods Impex Private Limited
 May 20, 2019
Rating Update



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| Total Bank Facilities Rated* | Rs. 38.50 Cr.# |
| Long Term Rating | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* |
| Short Term Rating | ACUITE A4+ 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 BB-' (read as ACUITE double B minus)** and a short term rating of '**ACUITE A4+' (read as ACUITE A four plus)** on the Rs. 38.50 crore bank facilities of Siva Foods Impex Private Limited (SFIPL). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on best available information.

The Tamil Nadu-based SFIPL was incorporated in 2011 by Mr. Sivakumar. The company is engaged in the processing of cashews. SFIPL imports cashews from Ghana, Ivory Coast, Tanzania, Mozambique, Benin and also from a few Asian countries such as Philippines and Indonesia. The company sells its products under the brand name 'Siva Cashews'. The installed capacity is 30 metric tons per day.

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-14.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 | FY18 (Actual) | FY17 (Actual) | FY16 (Actual) |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Operating Income | Rs. Cr. | 88.31 | 70.43 | 57.13 |
| EBITDA | Rs. Cr. | 3.15 | 3.03 | 2.75 |
| PAT | Rs. Cr. | 0.76 | 0.59 | 0.34 |
| EBITDA Margin | (%) | 3.57 | 4.30 | 4.82 |
| PAT Margin | (%) | 0.86 | 0.84 | 0.59 |
| ROCE | (%) | 10.41 | 12.25 | 14.86 |
| Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth | Times | 5.09 | 2.90 | 4.85 |
| PBDIT/Interest | Times | 1.69 | 1.69 | 1.48 |

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| Total Debt/PBDIT | Times | 9.05 | 5.35 | 6.44 |
| Gross Current Assets (Days) | Days | 171 | 117 | 129 |

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 |
|-----------|---------------------------------|------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 12-3-2018 | Overdraft | Long term | 16.00 | ACUITE BB-/Stable (Assigned) |
| | Term Loan-I | Long term | 0.08 | ACUITE BB-/Stable (Assigned) |
| | Term Loan-II | Long term | 0.86 | ACUITE BB-/Stable (Assigned) |
| | Term Loan-III | Long term | 0.41 | ACUITE BB-/Stable (Assigned) |
| | Term Loan-IV | Long term | 0.59 | ACUITE BB-/Stable (Assigned) |
| | Term Loan-V | Long term | 0.48 | ACUITE BB-/Stable (Assigned) |
| | Term Loan-VI | Long term | 0.08 | ACUITE BB-/Stable (Assigned) |
| | Packing Credit | Short Term | 2.00 | ACUITE A4+ (Assigned) |
| | Long Term (Proposed) | Long term | 18.00 | ACUITE BB-/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 |
|------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Overdraft | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 16.00 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* |
| Term Loan-I | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 0.08 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* |
| Term Loan-II | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 0.86 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* |

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| Term Loan-III | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 0.41 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* |
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| Packing Credit | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 2.00 | ACUITE A4+ Issuer not co-operating* |
| Long Term (Proposed) | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | 18.00 | ACUITE BB- Issuer not co-operating* |

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