

Press Release

Gopala Polyplast Limited

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Rating Update



Total Bank Facilities Rated*	Rs. 84.00 Cr. #
Long Term Rating	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)
Short Term Rating	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)

Refer Annexure for details

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

Acuite has reviewed the long-term rating of '**ACUITE D' (read as ACUITE D)** and short term rating of '**ACUITE D' (read as ACUITE D)** on the Rs. 84.00 crore bank facilities of Gopala Polyplast Limited (GPPL). This rating is now an indicative rating and is based on the best available information.

GPPL, established in 1984, is based at Ahmedabad (Gujarat). The company manufactures polypropylene/high-density polyester woven sacks, which are used in cement packaging and is also engaged in manufacturing of woven labels, which are fitted onto readymade garments. GPPL has two finishing units located at Abu Road (Rajasthan) and Silvassa (Dadra). The company has an installed capacity of 18210 MTPA in its woven sacks division and 14 weaving looms in its label division. The company also has a 1.024 MW natural gas-based captive power plants.

Non-cooperation by the issuer/borrower

Acuite 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 Acuite'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). Acuite endeavoured to gather information about the entity/industry from the public domain. Therefore, Acuite 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	FY19 (Actual)	FY18 (Actual)
Operating Income	Rs. Cr.	188.25	266.95
PAT	Rs. Cr.	(89.01)	7.09
PAT Margin	(%)	(47.28)	2.66
Total Debt/Tangible Net Worth	Times	(1.23)	2.65
PBDIT/Interest	Times	(5.25)	2.14

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA (if applicable)

None

Any other information

Acuite 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. Crore)	Ratings/Outlook
10-May-2019	Cash Credit	Long Term	54.00	ACUITE D (Downgraded from ACUITE BB)
	Term loans	Long Term	17.70	ACUITE D (Downgraded from ACUITE BB)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	6.00	ACUITE D (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+)
	Bank guarantee	Short Term	1.50	ACUITE D (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+)
	Proposed Facility	Short Term	4.80	ACUITE D (Downgraded from ACUITE A4+)
04-Dec-2018	Cash Credit	Long Term	54.00	ACUITE BB/ Stable (Assigned)
	Term loans	Long Term	17.70	ACUITE BB/ Stable (Assigned)
	Letter of Credit	Short Term	6.00	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)
	Bank guarantee	Short Term	1.50	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)
	Proposed Facility	Short Term	4.80	ACUITE A4+ (Assigned)

#Annexure – Details of instruments rated

Name of the Facilities	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. Cr.)	Ratings
Cash Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	54.00	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)
Term loans	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	17.70	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)
Letter of Credit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	6.00	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)
Bank guarantee	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	1.50	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)
Proposed Facility	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	4.80	ACUITE D (Issuer not co-operating*)

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