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CARE ASSIGNS 'CARE BB / CARE A4+' RATINGS TO BANK FACILITIES OF SAI APPLIED TECHNOLOGIES PVT LTD

Ratings

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Ratings ¹	Remarks
Long-term/Short-term Bank Facilities	5	CARE BB / CARE A4+ (Double B / A Four Plus)	Assigned
Short-term Bank Facilities	1	CARE A4+ (A Four Plus)	Assigned
Total Facilities	6		

Rating Rationale

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of Sai Applied Technologies Pvt. Ltd (SATPL) are primarily constrained on account of its low net-worth base, customer concentration risk, moderate liquidity position in working capital intensive operations and its presence in a highly competitive industry.

However, the ratings derive strength from the long experience of the promoters in industrial automation equipment industry, well-established operations and certified manufacturing facilities coupled with long term relationship with reputed clientele, healthy profit margins and comfortable solvency position and debt coverage indicators.

The ability of SATPL to increase its scale of operations while maintaining its profitability and capital structure with efficient working capital management is the key rating sensitivity.

Background

Vadodara-based SATPL was incorporated by its key promoter; Mr. Prakash Jambur as a proprietorship concern in the name of Sai Technologies (STS) in 1996. However, SATPL recently changed its constitution to private limited company in May 2014. Presently, SATPL is headed by Mr. Prakash Jambur and his wife, Ms. Sucharitha Jambur. SATPL is engaged into manufacturing of different types of control panels like industrial control panel, instrument panel, Programmable Logic Control (PLC) panel, motor control center, power control center etc. for instrumentation automation and communication solutions for water and waste water industries, power and various other allied industries as per the requirements and specifications of the customers. SATPL carries out its manufacturing activities at its plant located at Vadodara which is spread over 714 square meters area. SATPL also offers various types services such as system design, site installation, commissioning and training the users of the automation system for its reputed customers. Furthermore, SATPL is ISO 9001:2008 as well as Conformité Européenne (CE) certified entity.

During FY14 (refers to the period April 1 to March 31), SATPL registered total operating income (TOI) of Rs.15.40 crore and a PAT of Rs.1.21 crore as against RS.12.69 crore and Rs.0.81 crore respectively during FY13.

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 $^{^{1}}$ Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at ${\color{black} \underline{www.careratings.com}}$ and other CARE publications

Brief Rationale



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