

Shanti Agro Foods Private Limited

April 12, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	29.42	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information

Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated January 24, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Shanti Agro Foods Private Limited (SAFPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SAFPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating and had not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. SAFPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated December 10, 2023, December 20, 2023, December 30, 2023.

In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CARE Ratings Ltd. has reviewed the rating on the basis of the best available information which however, in CARE Ratings Ltd.'s opinion is not sufficient to arrive at a fair rating.

Users of this rating (including investors, lenders and the public at large) are hence requested to exercise caution while using the above rating(s).

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Not Applicable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated [January 24, 2023](#)

Applicable criteria

[CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation](#)

[Policy on default recognition](#)

About the company

Shanti Agro Food Private Limited (SAFPL) was established as a proprietorship firm in November, 2008 by Mr Sahil Verma under the name of M/S Shanti Foods. In 2013, the business operations were taken-over by Shanti Agro Food Private Limited with Mr Sahil Verma and Mr Bishambar Lal as its directors. The company is engaged in processing of paddy at its manufacturing facility located at Karnal, Haryana

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2018 (A)	March 31, 2019 (A)
Total operating income	111.92	123.27
PBILDT	3.82	4.79
PAT	0.12	-0.05
Overall gearing (times)	5.23	4.97
Interest coverage (times)	1.16	1.25

A: Audited; Note: 'the above results are latest financial results available'

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Brickwork has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of SAFPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated June 02, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

¹Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at www.careedge.in and other CARE Ratings Ltd.'s publications

CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of SAFPL into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated May 19, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is given in Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company: Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure-5

Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/Facilities

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Date of Issuance (DD-MM-YYYY)	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date (DD-MM-YYYY)	Size of the Issue (₹ crore)	Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	24.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	August 2022	4.92	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information.

Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating History			
		Type	Amount Outstanding (₹ crore)	Rating	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2024-2025	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2023-2024	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2022-2023	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2021-2022
1	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	4.92	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (24-Jan-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (20-Dec-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	24.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (24-Jan-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (20-Dec-21)

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LT: Long term

Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Not Applicable

Annexure-4: Complexity level of the various instruments rated

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please [click here](#)

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: CARE Ratings has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careedge.in for any clarifications.

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