

Vinodsai Agri Cold Storage LLP

June 24, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.79	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category and Revised from CARE B; Stable;

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated April 13, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Vinodsai Agri Cold Storage LLP (VACSL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as VACSL 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. VACSL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated February 27, 2024, March 08, 2024, March 18, 2024.

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).

The ratings assigned to the bank facilities of VACSL have been revised on account of non-availability of requisite information. The revision also factored decline in scale of operations and net losses reported in FY23 as against FY22.

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Stable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated April 13, 2023

Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation
Policy on Default Recognition
Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch

About the LLP

Chennai based, Vinodsai Agri Cold Storage LLP (VACSL) was established in 2015 with its registered office in Chennai and promoted by Mr. P Chandrasekar, Mr. M Gopinath and Mr. M Madhavaiah and others. The firm has 9 designated partners and 10 other partners. The firm started its business operations in June 2017 and is currently running a cold storage for preserving agricultural products such as pulses, chillies, grains, tamarind etc. at Nallur village, Thiruvallur District, Tamil Nadu with a total installed capacity of 12500 MT as on February 28, 2021. The major customers of the firm are farmers, local traders, exporters and importers. The firm derives 75% of the revenue from local traders, 10% from exporters of agricultural products like chillies and remaining from farmers and importers of spices.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (A)	March 31, 2023 (A)
Total operating income	2.65	3.00	2.15
PBILDT	1.91	2.08	1.29
PAT	0.14	0.72	-0.16
Overall gearing (times)	1.38	0.80	0.48
Interest coverage (times)	3.02	4.58	1.98

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

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

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



Any other information: Not Applicable

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

Covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities is

given in Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: 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- Term Loan		-	-	July 2025	8.79	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

S	Name of	Current Ratings			Rating History			
r N o	Instrume nt/	Typ e	Amount Outstan ding (₹ 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	8.79	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERA TING*	-	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (13-Apr-23)	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (03-Feb-22)

^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information; 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-Term Loan	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please <u>click here</u>

Note on the complexity levels of the rated instruments: 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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