

Vardaan Exports

July 25, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities	14.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	3.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	
Short Term Bank Facilities	1.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated July 10, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Vardaan Exports (VE) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as VE had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating and as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. VE continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated May 25, 2024, June 04, 2024 and June 14, 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).

Analytical approach: Standalone

Outlook: Not Applicable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated July 10, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u>
Policy on default recognition

About the company

Vardaan Exports (VE) was established as a partnership firm in 2009 by Mr. J. B. Bansal and Mr. Sachin Garg. The firm is engaged in milling, processing and trading of basmati and non-basmati rice.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2014 (A)	March 31, 2015 (A)
Total operating income	105.63	107.72
PBILDT	2.62	2.21
PAT	0.01	0.13
Overall gearing (times)	3.70	2.46
Interest coverage (times)	1.13	1.24

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

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

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



Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Brickwork has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of VE into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated May 13, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

Acuite (SMERA) has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of VE into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated October 05, 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 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

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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		-	-	-	12.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	- March, 2021 2.00		2.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Fund-based - LT/ ST- CC/Packing Credit		-	-	-	3.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Fund-based - ST- Standby Line of Credit		-	-	-	1.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

	Name of the		Current Ratings		Rating History			
Sr. No	Instrumen t /Bank Facilities	Туре	Amount Outstandin g (₹ 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-Cash Credit	LT	12.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Jul-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (17-Jun-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (26-May-21)
2	Fund-based - LT/ ST- CC/Packing Credit	LT/S T	3.00	CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Jul-23)	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (17-Jun-22)	1)CARE D / CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (26-May-21)
3	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	2.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Jul-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (17-Jun-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (26-May-21)
4	Fund-based - ST- Standby Line of Credit	ST	1.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (10-Jul-23)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (17-Jun-22)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (26-May-21)

^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information. LT: Long term; ST: Short term; LT/ST: Long term/Short 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
3	Fund-based - LT/ ST-CC/Packing Credit	Simple
4	Fund-based - ST-Standby Line of Credit	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here

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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