

## **Vidarbha Cotton Processors**

July 19, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities	ong Term Bank Facilities 8.74		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 04, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Vidarbha Cotton Processors (VCP) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as VCP 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. VCP continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated May 19, 2024, May 29, 2024, June 08, 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: Stable

## Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated July 04, 2023

### **Applicable criteria**

CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation
Policy on default recognition
Rating Outlook and Credit Watch

## **About the firm**

VCP was established as a partnership firm in the 2016. The commercial operations began in November 2016. The firm is engaged in the business of cotton ginning & pressing and trading of cotton, seeds, oil process at Wani, Yavatmal District.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2017 (A)	March 31, 2018 (A)
Total operating income	49.35	77.87
PBILDT	0.79	2.10
PAT	0.02	0.01
Overall gearing (times)	3.34	3.41
Interest coverage (times)	1.74	1.43

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

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

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

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

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<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information



**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: Please refer 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		-	-	-	5.60	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT- Term Loan		-	-	July, 2023	3.14	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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**Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years** 

Sr. Name of the		Current Ratings			Rating History			
	Name of the Instrument/Ba nk Facilities	Туре	Amount Outstandi ng (₹ 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	3.14	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Jul-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (23-Jun-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (27-Apr-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	5.60	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (04-Jul-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (23-Jun-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (27-Apr-21)

<sup>\*</sup>Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information LT: Long term;

# Annexure-3: Detailed explanation of the 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

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### **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 <a href="mailto:care@careedge.in">care@careedge.in</a> for any clarifications.

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