

# **Mahavir Agro Foods**

July 18, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action	
Long Term Bank Facilities	6.88	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category	

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

## **Rationale & Key Rating Drivers**

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated June 02, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Mahavir Agro Foods (MAF) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as MAF 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. MAF continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated April 17, 2024, April 27, 2024, May 07, 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 June 02, 2023

## **Applicable criteria**

**Definition of Default** 

Policy in respect of non-cooperation by issuers

Rating Outlook and Rating Watch

### About the company

Mahavir Agro Foods (MAF) was established in June, 2013 as a partnership firm and is currently being managed by Mr. Mukesh Kumar, Mr. Deepak Kumar and Mr. Chirag Kumar, sharing profit and losses equally. The firm is engaged in processing of paddy at its manufacturing facility located in Karnal, Haryana.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	March 31, 2017 (A)	March 31, 2018 (A)	
Total operating income	37.59	63.22	
PBILDT	1.44	1.50	
PAT	0.03	0.06	
Overall gearing (times)	2.93	2.45	
Interest coverage (times)	1.73	1.76	

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

**Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA:** CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of MAF into 'Issuer Not Cooperating' category vide press release dated October 19, 2023 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information.

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

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

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		-	-	-	4.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	
Fund-based - LT- Term Loan		-	-	September 2025	2.38	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	

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Annexure-2: Rating history for the last three years

C.	Name of the		Current Ratings		Rating History			
No	Bank	Typ e	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	2.38	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (02-Jun-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (03-Jun-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (19-Apr-21)
2	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	4.50	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (02-Jun-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (03-Jun-22)	1)CARE B; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (19-Apr-21)

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

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LT: Long term



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