

Santuka Foods Private Limited

September 27, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	3.50	CARE A4; 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 17, 2023, placed the rating(s) of Santuka Foods Private Limited (SFPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as SFPL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. SFPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated June 01, 2024, June 11, 2024, June 21, 2024, among others.

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 17, 2023

Applicable criteria

CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation

Policy on Default Recognition

Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings

About the company

Incorporated in December 2008, Santuka Foods Pvt. Ltd (SFPL) is engaged in rice milling activities with its manufacturing facilities located at Plot no – 184/194, Harian Sapatna, P.O.- Shakuntalapur, Jajpur, Odisha, 754296 with aggregate installed capacity of 25000 Ton per Annum (TPA). The company was promoted by Mr. Gajendra Kumar Santuka and Mr. Mr. Rahul Santuka. The entity is also doing custom milling for Odisha State Civil Supplies Corporation Limited (OSCSCL). Mr. Gajendra Kumar Santuka has experience around three decades in rice milling industry, looks after the overall management of the company. He is supported by other director Mr. Rahul Santuka who also has experience of around a decade in this line of business. The promoters are supported by a team of experienced professionals.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not applicable

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

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

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



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 and Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-		_	_	_	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER
Cash Credit		-	_	-	3.00	NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based -				_	3.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT
ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	3.30	COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

S	Name of		Current	Ratings		Rating	History	
r N o		Ty p 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-Cash Credit	LT	3.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (17-Jul-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (27-Jun-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (20-Apr-21)
2	Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee	ST	3.50	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (17-Jul-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (27-Jun-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING * (20-Apr-21)

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

Annexure-4: Complexity level of instruments rated

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here
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Note on complexity levels of rated instruments: CARE Ratings has classified instruments rated by it based on complexity. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careedge.in for clarifications.

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LT: Long term; ST: Short term



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