

A.M. Rice Mills

December 13, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	12.00	CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	6.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1.

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

Rationale and key rating drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated December 11, 2023, placed the rating(s) of A.M. Rice Mills (ARM) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ARM had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. ARM continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated October 26, 2024, November 05, 2024 and November 15, 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: Not Applicable

Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated [December 11, 2023](#)

Applicable criteria

[CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation](#)
[Policy on Default Recognition](#)

About the Firm

Karnal (Haryana) based A.M. Rice Mills (ARM) was established in 1986 as partnership firm by Mr. Anil Kumar Gupta, Mr. Ajay Gupta and Mr. Ram Prakash Gupta. In April 2011, Mr. Ajay Gupta and Mr. Ram Prakash Gupta retired from the partnership and Mr. Abhishek Gupta was admitted as a new partner. ARM is engaged in milling, processing and trading of both basmati and non-basmati rice at unit located at Karnal, Haryana.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: BRICKWORK has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of ARM into 'Issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated March 27, 2024 on account of non-availability of requisite information from the firm.

ACUITE has continued the ratings assigned to the bank facilities of ARM into 'Issuer not-cooperating' category vide press release dated August 09, 2024 on account of non-availability of requisite information from the firm.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating history for last three years: Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instrument / facility: Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure-5

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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	12.00	CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - ST-Forward Contract		-	-	-	2.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - ST-Packing Credit in Indian rupee		-	-	-	4.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating History			
		Type	Amount Outstanding (₹ 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 B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (11-Dec-23)	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (15-Nov-22)	1)CARE B-; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (14-Oct-21)
2	Fund-based - ST-Forward Contract	ST	2.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (11-Dec-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (15-Nov-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (14-Oct-21)
3	Fund-based - ST-Packing Credit in Indian rupee	ST	4.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (11-Dec-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (15-Nov-22)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (14-Oct-21)

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

LT: Long term; ST: Short term.

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	Fund-based - ST-Forward Contract	Simple
3	Fund-based - ST-Packing Credit in Indian rupee	Simple

Annexure-5: Lender details

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please [click here](#)

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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