

J.B.Cotton

December 04, 2024

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action		
Long Term Bank Facilities	4.84	CARE B-; Stable; 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 October 19, 2023, placed the rating(s) of J.B.Cotton (JBC) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as JBC had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. JBC continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated September 03, 2024, September 13, 2024 and September 23, 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 October 19, 2023

Applicable criteria

<u>CARE Ratings' criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation</u>
<u>Policy on Default Recognition</u>

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

About the Firm

Amreli (Gujarat) based JBC is a partnership firm established in August, 2013 by its Six partners Mr. Dalsukhbhai Jivrajbhai Vaghasiya, Mr. Umeshbhai Lakhabhai Kalkani, Mr. Jagdishbhai Jerambhai Kalkani, Mr. Sanjaybhai Jerambhai Kalkani, Mr. Bhaveshbhai Jadavbhai Kalkani and Mr. Bhavinbhai Lakhabhai Kalkani. The firm started its commercial operations from February, 2015. The firm is engaged into business of cotton ginning, pressing and cotton seed crushing. The firm has its manufacturing facility located at Amreli with 24 ginning machines and one pressing machine with a total input capacity of Metric Tonnes Per Annum 20240 (MTPA) and two expellers with a crushing capacity of 1980 MTPA as on March 31, 2017.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

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

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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-Cash Credit		-	-	-	4.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	May, 2020	0.84	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

			Current R	atings	Rating History			
Sr. No	Name of the Instrument/Ban k Facilities	Ty pe	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	0.84	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Oct-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (20-Sep-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (16-Aug-21)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	4.00	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (19-Oct-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (20-Sep-22)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATI NG* (16-Aug-21)

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LT: Long 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 - LT-Term Loan	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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