

## **Vetrivel Forgings**

May 20, 2025

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	8.91	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	3.00	CARE D; 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 May 15, 2024, placed the rating(s) of Vetrivel Forgings (VF) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as VF had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. VF continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated March 31, 2025, April 10, 2025 and April 20, 2025 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 May 15, 2024

## Applicable criteria

CARE Rating's criteria on information adequacy risk and issuer non-cooperation Policy on Default Recognition

### **About the Firm**

Vetrivel Forgings (VF) was established in January 2007 as a proprietorship concern by Mrs T N Sabithadevi in Chennai, Tamil Nadu. The firm is engaged in manufacturing of iron and steel forgings which finds its application primarily in automotive, mining, power sectors and engineering industries. The product range of the firm is well diversified which includes Shells, Inconel, Rollers, Link Plates, rods, brake flanges, hooks, levers, joint couplings, flywheels, cam Shafts, etc. The firm manufactures closed die forgings in all types of steels like Carbon, low-alloy & stainless. The firm has its registered office and manufacturing facility located in Chennai, Tamil Nadu. The firm has three associate concerns namely Thillai Engineering Works (Engaged in manufacturing of forgings), Vetrivel Auto Components and Sathya Forging Agencies (Engaged in machining and fabrication works) in Chennai, Tamil Nadu.

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

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at <a href="www.careratings.com">www.careratings.com</a> 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		-	-	-	5.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan		-	-	November 2024	3.91	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund- based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	3.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating history for last three years

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	Name of the Instrument/ Bank Facilities	Current Ratings		Rating History				
Sr. No.		Туре	Amount Outstandi ng (₹ crore)	Rating	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2025- 2026	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
1	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	5.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (15-May- 24)	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (23-Feb- 23)
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	3.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (15-May- 24)	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (23-Feb- 23)
3	Fund-based - LT- Term Loan	LT	3.91	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (15-May- 24)	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERAT ING* (23-Feb- 23)

<sup>\*</sup>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 - LT-Term Loan	Simple
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple

# **Annexure-5: Lender details**

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please <u>click here</u>

**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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