

Carona Knitwear

July 16, 2025

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	1.45	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	22.50	CARE D; 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 Limited (CareEdge Ratings) had, vide its press release dated June 06, 2024, placed the rating(s) of Carona Knitwear (CK) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as CK had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. CK continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated April 22, 2025, May 02, 2025, May 12, 2025 among others.

In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CareEdge Ratings has reviewed the rating on the basis of the best available information which however, in CareEdge Ratings' 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 [June 06, 2024](#)

Applicable criteria

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

About the Firm

Tamil Nadu based, Carona Knitwear (CK) was established in the year 2006 as partnership firm promoted by Mr. Swami Nathan, Mrs. S. Shanthamani and Mr. Kathiresh Swaminathan. The firm is engaged in manufacturing, processing, importing, exporting, buying, selling and dealing all kinds of fabric textiles and hosiery goods and readymade garments.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: ICRA has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of CK into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated October 29, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the firm.

Brickworks has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of CK into Issuer Not Cooperating category vide press release dated August 29, 2024 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of the requisite information from the firm.

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History for last three years: Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instruments/facilities: Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated: Annexure-4

Lender details: Annexure-5

¹Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at www.careratings.com 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-Term Loan		-	-	September 2020	1.45	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - ST-Packing Credit in Foreign Currency		-	-	-	22.50	CARE D; 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 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-Term Loan	LT	1.45	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (06-Jun-24)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (21-Apr-23)	-
2	Fund-based - ST-Packing Credit in Foreign Currency	ST	22.50	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (06-Jun-24)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (21-Apr-23)	-

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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-Term Loan	Simple
2	Fund-based - ST-Packing Credit in Foreign Currency	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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