

## Universal Stainless

November 17, 2025

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (₹ crore)	Rating <sup>1</sup>	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	2.37	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	4.50	CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Short Term Bank Facilities	2.25	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 Limited (CareEdge Ratings) had, vide its press release dated October 25, 2024, placed the rating(s) of Universal Stainless (US) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as US had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. US continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails dated September 10, 2025, September 20, 2025, September 30, 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:** Stable

### Detailed description of the key rating drivers:

Please refer to PR dated [October 25, 2024](#)

### Applicable criteria

[Policy on Default Recognition](#)

[Policy in respect of non-cooperation by issuers](#)

[Criteria on Assigning 'Outlook' or 'Rating Watch' to Credit Ratings](#)

### About the firm

Ahmedabad (Gujarat)-based Universal Stainless (US) was established as partnership firm as Universal Stainless Suppliers in January 2015 by Mr. Jasmin J Patel, Mr. Avtar R Patel and Mr. Bharatkumar M Patel. During April 2015, Mr. Avtar R Patel withdrew his partnership and another four partners entered as partners. During April 2016 the name of the firm was changed to Universal Stainless from Universal Stainless Suppliers. US operates from its sole manufacturing unit located Harsol (Sabarkantha, Gujarat) with installed capacity of 1,480 metric tonnes per annum (MTPA) as on March 31, 2020 for manufacturing of Stainless Steel Seamless and Welded Tubes & Pipes.

**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>1</sup>Complete definition of ratings assigned are available at [www.careratings.com](http://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		-	-	June 2022	1.60	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Working capital Term Loan		-	-	June 2024	0.77	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT/ ST-Cash Credit		-	-	-	4.50	CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.25	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit		-	-	-	2.00	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 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	1.60	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Oct-24)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Sep-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (04-Aug-22)
2	Fund-based - LT/ ST-Cash Credit	LT/ST	4.50	CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Oct-24)	1)CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Sep-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (04-Aug-22)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.25	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Oct-24)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Sep-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (04-Aug-22)
4	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit	ST	2.00	CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Oct-24)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Sep-23)	1)CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (04-Aug-22)
5	Fund-based - LT-Working capital Term Loan	LT	0.77	CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Oct-24)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (25-Sep-23)	1)CARE B-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (04-Aug-22)

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LT: Long term; ST: Short term; LT/ST: Long term/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 - LT-Working capital Term Loan	Simple
3	Fund-based - LT/ ST-Cash Credit	Simple
4	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple
5	Non-fund-based - ST-Letter of credit	Simple

**Annexure-5: Lender details**

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

**Note on complexity levels of rated instruments:** CareEdge 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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