

Maruti Fertochem Limited

November 24, 2022

Ratings

Facilities / Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
		CARE D; ISSUER NOT	Rating continues to
Long Term Bank Facilities	COOPERATING* (Single D ISSUER NOT	remain under ISSUER	
Long Term Dank Facilities	22.00	(Single D ISSUER NOT	NOT COOPERATING
		COOPERATING*)	category
		CARE D; ISSUER NOT	Rating continues to
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.25	COOPERATING*	remain under ISSUER
Short Term Bank Facilities	0.25	(Single D ISSUER NOT	NOT COOPERATING
		COOPERATING*)	category
	22.25		
Total Facilities	(Rs. Twenty-Two Crore and		
	Twenty-Five Lakhs Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE Ratings Ltd. had, vide its press release dated September 06, 2021, placed the rating(s) of Maruti Fertochem Limited (MFL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as MFL had failed to provide information for monitoring of the rating and had not paid the surveillance fees for the rating exercise as agreed to in its Rating Agreement. MFL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated July 23, 2022, August 02, 2022, August 12, 2022.

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).

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Please refer to PR dated September 06, 2021

Analytical approach: Standalone.

Applicable Criteria

<u>Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer</u> <u>Policy on default recognition</u>

About the Company

Incorporated in 1992, MFL is a part of Aurangabad-based R. J. Group promoted by Mr Raghavendra S. Joshi. The group has its presence in poultry farming, fertilizers, bio-technology, infrastructure and education sectors. MFL commenced operations in 1994 and is engaged in manufacturing of granular NPK (Nitrogen, Phosphorous and Potassium) fertilizers. Apart from these products, MFL also offers organic fertilizers/ soil conditioners and neem-based pesticides, 'Maruti- Max', which provides micronutrients to crops during growth phase.

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY21 (A)	FY22 (A)	H1FY23 (Prov.)
Total operating income	3.73	7.37	NA
PBILDT	-1.20	0.18	NA
PAT	-1.52	0.28	NA
Overall gearing (times)	NM	NM	NA
Interest coverage (times)	NM	0.38	NA

A: Audited; Prov.: Provisional; NA: Not Available; NM: Not Meaningful

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

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^{*}Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

¹Complete definitions of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careedge.in</u> and in other CARE publications



Rating History for last three years: Please refer Annexure-2

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Please refer Annexure 3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this Company: Please refer Annexure 4

Annexure-1: Details of Instruments/Facilities

Name of the Instrument	ISIN	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. crore)	Rating Assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		ı	ı	-	15.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit		-	-	-	7.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantee		-	-	-	0.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

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Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

S		Current Ratings			Rating History			
r N o	Name of the Instrument/Ban k Facilities	Ty pe	Amount Outstandin g (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2022-2023	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2021-2022	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2020-2021	Date(s) and Rating(s) assigned in 2019-2020
1	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	15.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-Sep-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (31-Jul-20)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-May-19)
2	Fund-based - LT- Cash Credit	LT	7.00	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-Sep-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (31-Jul-20)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-May-19)
3	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	ST	0.25	CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING *	-	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-Sep-21)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (31-Jul-20)	1)CARE D; ISSUER NOT COOPERATIN G* (06-May-19)

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Annexure 3: Detailed explanation of the covenants of the rated instruments/facilities: Not applicable

Annexure 4: Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company:

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument	Complexity Level
1	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	Simple
2	Non-fund-based - ST-Bank Guarantee	Simple

Annexure 5: Bank Lender Details for this Company

To view the lender wise details of bank facilities please click here

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: CARE Ratings Ltd. has classified instruments rated by it on the basis of complexity. This classification is available at www.careedge.in. Investors/market intermediaries/regulators or others are welcome to write to care@careedge.in for any clarifications.

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