

Ozone Research And Applications (india) Private Limited

November 25, 2021

Rating

Facilities/Instruments	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	3.25	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Plus; Outlook: Stable ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Long Term / Short Term Bank Facilities	4.00	CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (Single B Plus ; Outlook: Stable/ A Four ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*)	Rating continues to remain under ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category
Total Bank Facilities	7.25 (Rs. Seven Crore and Twenty-Five Lakhs Only)		

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

CARE had, vide its press release dated December 03, 2020, placed the rating(s) of Ozone Research And Applications (india) Private Limited (ORAIPL) under the 'issuer non-cooperating' category as ORAIPL 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. ORAIPL continues to be non-cooperative despite repeated requests for submission of information through e-mails, phone calls and a letter/email dated October 19, 2021, October 29, 2021, November 08, 2021.

In line with the extant SEBI guidelines, CARE has reviewed the rating on the basis of the best available information which however, in CARE'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 [December 03, 2020](#)

Analytical approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria

[Policy in respect of Non-cooperation by issuer](#)

[Policy on default recognition](#)

[Criteria on assigning outlook and credit watch](#)

About the Company

ORAIPL is a Nagpur-based (Maharashtra) company which started its business in the year 1996 as a partnership firm with Mr Rajesh Amare and Mr Vishal Waindeswar as partners. Later on, in 1998, it registered as Ozone India and 2002 it was incorporated as ORAIPL. The company is engaged in providing project engineering services and providing environment solutions and advanced oxidation process. ORAIPL is an ISO 9001:2008 certified company which manufactures ozone generator systems, ozonation systems, ozone destructors, static mixers, automatic air-vent valves and other accessories for ozone systems. ORAIPL also offers other services such as laboratory testing, treatability studies, pilot testing process, testing on site, engineering support design and Integration, application consulting, process selection and equipment after sales services. The manufacturing facility of the company is located at MIDC Industrial Area, Hingna, Nagpur.

¹Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at www.careratings.com and other CARE publications

Brief financials of ORAIPL:

Brief Financials (Rs. crore)	FY19(A)	FY20(A)
Total operating income	13.28	13.15
PBILDT	2.04	2.70
PAT	0.81	0.89
Overall gearing (times)	0.72	1.16
Interest coverage (times)	2.23	1.71

A: Audited

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: CRISIL has continued the rating assigned to the bank facilities of ORAIPL into ISSUER NOT COOPERATING category vide press release dated December 21, 2020 on account of its inability to carry out a review in the absence of requisite information from company.

Any other information: Not applicable

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

Disclosure of Interest of Independent/Non-Executive Directors, Managing Director & CEO: Not Applicable

Covenants of rated instrument/facility: Annexure-3

Complexity level of various instruments rated for this company: 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/Non-fund-based-LT/ST	-	-	-	-	4.00	CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*
Non-fund-based - LT-Bank Guarantees	-	-	-	-	3.25	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

Annexure-2: Rating History of last three years

Sr. No.	Name of the Instrument /Bank Facilities	Current Ratings			Rating history			
		Type	Amount Outstanding (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2021-2022	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2020-2021	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2019-2020	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2018-2019
1	Fund-based/Non-fund-based-LT/ST	LT/ST	4.00	CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (03-Dec-20)	1)CARE B+; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (30-Sep-19)	1)CARE BB-; Stable / CARE A4; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Apr-18)
2	Non-fund-based - LT-Bank Guarantees	LT	3.25	CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING*	-	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (03-Dec-20)	1)CARE B+; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (30-Sep-19)	1)CARE BB-; Stable; ISSUER NOT COOPERATING* (05-Apr-18)

*Issuer did not cooperate; Based on best available information

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

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

Sr. No	Name of instrument	Complexity level
1	Fund-based/Non-fund-based-LT/ST	Simple
2	Non-fund-based - LT-Bank Guarantees	Simple

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