

Tulip Cotspin Private Limited

November 24, 2017

Ratings

Facilities	Amount (Rs. crore)	Rating ¹	Rating Action	
Long-term Bank Facilities	39.25	CARE BB-;Stable (Double B Minus; Outlook: Stable)	Revised from CARE B+ (Single B Plus)	
Short-term Bank Facilities	3.00	CARE A4 (A Four)	Reaffirmed	
Total Facilities	42.25 (Rupees Forty Two crore and Twenty Five Lakh only)			

Details of instruments/facilities in Annexure-1

Detailed Rationale & Key Rating Drivers

The revision in the long term rating assigned to the bank facilities of Tulip CotspinPrviate Limited (TCPL) is on the back of increase in scale of operations on the back of successful completion of the project and consequent stabilization of operations. The ratings further derive strength from the experienced promoters in the cotton yarn industry along with strategic location in cotton-producing region as well availability of various fiscal benefits from the government.

The above strengths are offset by susceptibility of profit margins to volatility in raw material prices and presence in highly fragmented and competitive cotton yarn industry.

The ability of TCPL to achieve envisaged capacity utilization and increase its scale of operations and profitability further would remain the key rating sensitivities.

Detailed description of the key rating drivers

Key Rating Strengths

Successful completion of the project and stabilization of operations TCPL has successfully completed project for setting up of a spinning

TCPL has successfully completed project for setting up of a spinning unit within envisaged cost and within stipulated timeline by March 2017 and started its operations from April 2017. Till 5MFY18 (Prov.) TCPL has achieved Total Operating Income (TOI) of Rs.24.71 crore.

Strategically located within cotton-producing belt of Gujarat

TCPL's plant is located in cotton producing belt of Gujarat region which is the largest producer of raw cotton in India. TCPL's presence in cotton producing region results in benefit derived from lower logistics expenditure (both on transportation and storage), easy availability and procurement of raw materials at effective price and consistent demand for finished goods resulting in sustainable revenue visibility.

Fiscal benefits from the Government

TCPL is eligible to receive various fiscal benefits from government in terms of capital subsidy, interest subsidy, power tariff subsidy and other benefits under Technology Up-gradation Funds (TUF) scheme.

Key Rating Weaknesses

Susceptibility of profit margins to volatility in raw material price and seasonality associated with cotton industry

Operations of cotton business are seasonal in nature, as sowing season is done during March to July and harvesting cycle (peak season) is spread from November to February every year. Prices of raw material i.e. cotton bales are highly volatile in nature and depend upon factors like monsoon condition, area under production, yield for the year, international demand supply scenario, export policy decided by government and inventory carried forward of last year. This in turn also affects demand for cotton yarn.

Presence in highly fragmented and competitive cotton yarn industry

TCPL operates in highly fragmented and unorganized market of spinning industry marked by presence of large number of small-sized players. The industry is characterized by low entry barrier due to easy access to customers and suppliers along with raw material from nearby location.

Complete definition of the ratings assigned are available at <u>www.careratings.com</u> and other CARE publications

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Analytical Approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria

<u>Criteria on assigning Outlook to Credit Ratings</u>

CARE's Policy on Default Recognition

CARE's methodology for cotton yarn Industry

Rating Methodology-Manufacturing Companies

Financial ratios - Non-Financial Sector

Criteria for Short Term Instruments

About the company

Amreli (Gujarat)-based, TCPL is a private limited company incorporated during July 2015 by Mr. MaganbhaiParvadiya, Mr. ChandubhaiParvadiya, Mr. KamleshbhaiBokarvadiya, Mr. KantilalBokarvadiya, Mr. JagdishbhaiFinava, Mr. PravinbhaiFinava and Mrs. GitabenFinava. TCPL is into business of cotton spinning and operates with an installed capacity of 4889 MTPA of cotton yarn with 30s count. The company started its operations from April 2017. Promoters of TCPL are also directors/ promoters in their group entities namely Gujarat Ginning & Oil Industries (rated CARE B+), Gujarat Hy-Spin Private Limited (rated CARE BB-/ CARE A4), Shree Umiya Cotton Ginning & Pressing Private Limited, VinayakCottex, Everest Cotton, Avani Enterprise, Red Corner, Shree Umiya Trading Co, Bajrang Cotton, Anjani Industries and Ramdoot Industries.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Not Applicable

Rating History (Last three years): Please refer Annexure-2

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

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Annexure 1: Details of Instruments/Facilities:-

Name of the Instrument	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate	Maturity Date	Size of the Issue (Rs. crore)	Rating assigned along with Rating Outlook
Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	-	-	-	5.00	CARE BB-; Stable
Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantees	-	-	-	3.00	CARE A4
Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	-	1	March, 2026	34.25	CARE BB-; Stable

Annexure 2: Rating History for last three years:-

Sr.	Name of the	Current Ratings		Rating history				
No.	Instrument/Bank Facilities	Type	Amount Outstanding (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2017-2018	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2016-2017	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2015-2016	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2014-2015
	Fund-based - LT-Cash Credit	LT	5.00	CARE BB- ; Stable		1)CARE B+ (21-Sep-16)	-	-
	Non-fund-based - ST- Bank Guarantees	ST	3.00	CARE A4		1)CARE A4 (21-Sep-16)	-	-
	Fund-based - LT-Term Loan	LT	34.25	CARE BB- ; Stable	-	1)CARE B+ (21-Sep-16)	-	-



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