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Fabtech Engineering Pvt Ltd

October 07, 2020

Ratings

SI. No.	Instrument/Facility	Amount (INR Crore)	Rating Assigned
1.	Long Term Fund Based	10.00	IVR BBB-/Stable Outlook
	Facility – Cash Credit		(IVR Triple B Minus with Stable Outlook)
2.	Short Term Non Fund Based	5.00	IVR A3
	Facility – Letter of Credit		(IVR A Three)
3.	Long Term/Short Term Non	5.00	IVR BBB-/Stable Outlook; IVR A3
	Fund Based Facility – Bank		(IVR Triple B Minus with Stable Outlook;
	Guarantee		IVR A Three)
	Total	20.00	

Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1

Detailed Rationale

The aforesaid rating assigned to the bank facilities of the entity derives comfort from their extensive experience of promoters, healthy order book and established relationship with customers ensuring repeat orders and a comfortable capital structure with high coverage indicators. However, customer and supplier concentration risk, raw material price fluctuation risk, project execution risk are the rating constraints.

Key Rating Sensitivities

Upward factors:

 Substantial & sustained improvement in revenue backed by order book growth while maintaining the profitability & debt protection metrics.

Downward factors:

- Any decline in revenue & profitability leading to deterioration in debt protection metrics.
- Slowdown in order book addition and execution



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Key Rating Drivers with detailed description

Key Rating Strengths

Experienced Promoters

Mr. Pawan Kumar Omprakash Chokhani is the main promoter of the group. Mr Pawan Chokhani has nearly three decades of rich experience in the industry, and is responsible for the overall operations of the company. The promoters' extensive industry experience has enabled the company to sustain and grow its operations. Fabtech Engineering Pvt Ltd started its full-fledged operations in FY20 to undertake high-end projects such as manufacturing of girders etc. The extensive experience of the promoters in the industry along with their ability to bid and execute tenders and their established relationship with clients has continued to support to business risk profile of the group.

Healthy order book and established relationship with customers ensuring repeat orders

The group's revenue has registered a compounded annual growth rate of ~34% during FY17-FY20 (provisional) owing to better rates & higher execution. The group has demonstrated strong execution capability in the past two years by successfully completing orders of government entities, G E Power India Ltd and Mitsubishi Hitachi Power System India Pvt Ltd to name a few, which has seen the top-line of the company increase during FY19 to FY20 (P), supported by an increase in EBITDA from INR18.63 crore in FY19 to INR26.73 crore in FY20 (P). The group has an order book having unexecuted orders amounting to INR361.75 crore, majority of which the company is expecting to realise within FY21. The group has had long standing relationship with their clients which has enabled them to obtain repeat order in larger numbers.

Comfortable Capital Structure with high coverage indicators

The group's debt profile mainly comprises of short term borrowings (working capital borrowings); off the total debt amounting to INR35.76 crore in FY20 (P) – INR26.04 core amounts to short term borrowings and INR9.72 crore pertains largely towards long term loans taken for the purpose of purchase of machinery. The capital structure, as indicated



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by Total outside Liabilities / Tangible Net Worth (TNW), stands at a healthy level of 1.43 times and the overall gearing ratio stands at 0.41x in FY20 (P). The interest coverage ratio remains strong at 3.16x in FY20 (P); the ratio has declined marginally due to an increase in long term bank borrowings and a minor increase in working capital utilisation.

Key Rating Weaknesses

Customer and Supplier concentration risk

The group's top six suppliers constitute almost 80% entire raw purchases during FY20, indicating concentration risk for the group. The group's 5 top customer constitutes around 93.07% of the total revenues in the manufacturing division; over-reliance on the same customer's exposes the group to uneven profits and sales as the inflows of the group would depend on their client's performance, strategies and their overall business plans for their product.

Raw material price fluctuation risk

The price of steel has seen a lot of volatility over the last three years. The costs of raw materials and finished goods are volatile in nature and hence, profitability of the company is susceptible to fluctuation in the prices of its raw material prices and/or its finished goods. However, company places the major raw material orders at the time of receiving the order itself, which mitigate the price fluctuation risk to some extent. The company has a high amount of receivables and inventory due to the nature of the industry they operate in which has contributed to an increase in the operating cycle. Fabtech Engineering Pvt Ltd caters to private companies, are exposed to fluctuations in key raw materials such as steel which in turn has an impact on their profitability as well.

Project execution risk

The ability of the group to execute orders in a timely fashion as stipulated in their contract with their customers remains of paramount importance as any delays in execution of contracts can lead to the company having to pay liquidated damages to the opposite party thereby impacting the profitability.

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Analytical Approach: Consolidated

Infomerics has considered the consolidated financial profiles of S.S. Fabricators and Manufacturers, Fabrimax Engineering Pvt Ltd and Fabtech Engineering Pvt Ltd (herein referred to as 'group') to arrive at the rating. The consolidation is on account of common management and significant operational and financial linkages.

Applicable Criteria

Rating Methodology for Manufacturing Companies Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non-financial Sector)

Liquidity - Adequate

The liquidity of the group is adequate as reflected in their comfortable current ratio of 1.67x and quick ratio 1.09x in FY20 (P). The group has GCA of INR13.85 crore and cash and cash balances amounting to INR12.00 crore in FY20 (P), which are adequate to cover any short term debt obligations.

About the company

Fabtech Engineering Pvt Ltd was conceptualised as the group was losing out on the business opportunity from the existing clients due to space and machinery constraints and the company started its full-fledged operations in FY20. Fabtech Engineering Pvt Ltd has set up the manufacturing facility spread across 11 acres with production capacity of 2,500 metric tonnes per month. Company has built one of its kind fabrication unit in Central India with shed space of 150,000 square feet. Management plans to cater to leading players in the power sector, cement sector and infrastructure segment. Management plans to execute orders which are highly technical in nature heavy engineering and sizeable floor space. Going forward company plans to execute orders from the railways and supply girders, anchor beams, etc which are used in the construction of bridges.

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Financials (Standalone)*:

(INR crore)

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For the year ended/ As On	31-03-2019	31-03-20
	(Audited)	(Provisional)
Total Operating Income	0.27	21.53
EBITDA	0.05	4.49
PAT	-0.38	0.07
Total Debt	20.07	5.96
Tangible Net-worth	-0.39	7.69
Ratios		
EBITDA Margin (%)	17.58	20.85
PAT Margin (%)	Not meaningful	0.32
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	Not meaningful	0.23

* Classification as per Infomerics' standards

Financials (Consolidated)*:

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For the year ended/ As On	31-03-2018	31-03-2019	31-03-20
	(Audited)	(Audited)	(Provisional)
Total Operating Income	83.40	109.76	150.15
EBITDA	13.95	18.63	26.73
PAT	6.08	8.17	8.38
Total Debt	29.62	47.80	35.76
Tangible Net-worth	32.51	37.16	51.66
<u>Ratios</u>			
EBITDA Margin (%)	16.73	16.97	17.80
PAT Margin (%)	7.14	7.35	5.55
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	0.73	0.87	0.41

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Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: None

Any other information: None



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Rating History for last three years:

SI.	Name of Instrument/	Current Rating (Year 2020-21)			Rating History for the past 3 years		
No.	Facilities	Туре	Amount outstanding (INR crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2019-20	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2018-19	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2017-18
1.	Long Term Fund Based Facility – Cash Credit	Long Term	10.00	IVR BBB-/ Stable Outlook			
2.	Short Term Non Fund Based Facility – Letter of Credit	Short Term	5.00	IVR A3			
3.	Long Term/Short Term Non Fund Based Facility – Bank Guarantee	Long/ Short Term	5.00	IVR BBB- /Stable Outlook; IVR A3			

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Annexure 1: Details of Facilities

Name of Facility	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (INR Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Long Term Fund Based Facility – Cash Credit	NA	NA	Revolving	10.00	IVR BBB-/ Stable Outlook
Short Term Non Fund Based Facility – Letter of Credit	NA	NA	Up to 1 year	5.00	IVR A3
Long Term/Short Term Non Fund Based Facility – Bank Guarantee	NA	NA	Performance BG – up to 36 months, Financial BG – up to 12 months	5.00	IVR BBB- /Stable Outlook; IVR A3