

## Press Release

#### Central Godavari Krushak Seva Sahakari Sanstha Ltd (CGKSSSL)

April 06, 2021

Ratings Instrument / Facility	Amount	Ratings	Rating
	(Rs. crore)		Action
Long Term Bank Facilities	66.20	IVR B/Stable	Assigned
		(IVR Single B with Stable	
		Outlook)	
Total	66.20		
	(Sixty Six crore		
	& twenty lakhs)		

Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1

#### **Detailed Rationale**

The rating assigned to the bank facilities of Central Godavari Krushak Seva Sahakari Sanstha Ltd (CGKSSSL) derives strength from the Long and established track record of operations and Moderate Scale of Operations. The rating is however constrained by High Geographical Concentration Risk and Exposure to risks inherent in co-operative societies.

#### Key Rating Sensitivities:

#### **Upward Factors**

• Improvement in liquidity position of the society.

#### **Downward Factors**

- Impact on profitability due to increase in credit cost.
- Deterioration of liquidity due to elongation of collections from borrowers.

#### List of Key Rating Drivers with Detailed Description

#### **Key Rating Strengths**

#### Long and established track record of operations:

The Central Godavari Krushak Seva Sahakari Sanstha (CGKSSS) is a co-operative society incorporated in 1975. The society has more than four decades of experience in the lending business. Being a co-operative society, the sole objective of organization is improving the



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lives of small farmers. Society has 4,644 members spread across 21 villages in the Nashik District of Maharashtra.

#### Moderate Scale of Operations:

The scale of operations of the company remained moderate with a loan portfolio of Rs.76.58 crore as on March 31, 2020 as against Rs.65.83 crore as on March 31, 2019. the total interest income also remained moderate at Rs.7.28 crore in FY20 as against Rs.7.39 crore in FY19.

#### Key Rating Weaknesses

#### High Geographical Concentration Risk:

CGKSSL's are of operations is limited to Gangapur region which is in Nashik district of Maharashtra.

#### Exposure to risks inherent in co-operative societies:

Co-operative societies do not fall under the ambit of the Reserve Bank of India, and therefore, not subject to prudential norms, unlike other deposit-raising entities such as banks and non-banking finance companies. If RBI brings such cooperative institutions under its ambit, the societies could be subject to stricter prudential norms on capital adequacy, asset classification, and income recognition. However, the sector remains vulnerable to risk of regional political events.

#### Analytical Approach: Standalone

#### Applicable Criteria:

Rating Methodology for Financial Institutions/NBFCs Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Financial Sector)

Liquidity - Stretched

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CGKSSSL liquidity is expected to remain starched. Majority of society's loans comprises of crop loan which are vulnerable to agro-climatic conditions, any adverse weather condition like inadequate monsoon may impact the income of the farmers thus impacting repayment of loans to society thus creating liquidity stretch for society.

#### About the Company

Central Godavari Krushak Seva Sahakari Sanstha Limited (CGKSSSL) is a co-operative society incorporated on December 25, 1975 for local farmers, labourers, rural artisans with the intention of providing credit facilities for agricultural activities. Society is registered under The Maharashtra Co-Operative Societies Act, 1960. Organization is based in Gangapur town which is located near to Nashik city of Maharashtra.

#### Financials (Standalone):

(Rs. In Crore)

For the year ended* As on	31-03-2019	31-03-2020	
	Audited	Audited	
Total Operating Income	7.39	7.28	
Interest Expense	5.74	6.28	
PAT	0.88	0.23	
Total Debt	59.97	69.30	
Tangible Net Worth	9.13	9.07	
Total Loan Assets	65.83	76.58	
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	6.57	7.64	

#### Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: NA

Any other information: NA



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#### Rating History for last three years:

Sr. No.	Name of Instrument/Faci	Current Ratings (Year 2020- 21)		Rating History for the past 3 years			
	lities	Туре	Amount outstan ding (Rs. 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.	Fund Based Facility – Term Loan	Long Term	66.20	IVR B/Stable	-	-	-

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#### Annexure 1: Details of Facilities

Name of Facility	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date*	Size of Facility (Rs. Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Long Term Fund Based Facility – Term Loan	-	-	-	66.20	IVR B/Stable

\*Term Loan is renewed every year.

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