

Press Release Mitsumi Distribution FZCO April 01, 2022

Ratings:							
Instrument / Facility	Amount (Rs. crore)	Ratings	Rating Action	Complexity Indicator			
Issuer Rating	Not Applicable	IVR BB+ (Is); Issuer Not Cooperating* (IVR Double B	Revised from IVR A (Is)/ Stable and moved to ISSUER NOT	Not Applicable			
		Plus (Is); Issuer Not Cooperating*)	COOPERATING category				

*Issuer did not cooperate; based on best available information

Details of Facilities are in Annexure 1

Detailed Rationale

The revision in Issuer Rating of Mitsumi Distribution FZCO (MDF) reflects lack of adequate information available, non-payment of annual surveillance fees and the uncertainty around its credit risk. Infomerics assesses whether the information available about the entity is commensurate with its rating and reviews the same as per its policy.

The lenders, investors and other market participants are thus advised to exercise appropriate caution while using this rating as the rating may not adequately reflect the credit risk profile of the entity.

Non-cooperation by Issuer

Infomerics has been regularly following up with the company to provide the required data to monitor its assigned Issuer Rating vide mail communications dated February 07, 2022, February 21, 2022, February 25, 2022, and March 8, 2022 and concurrently over several phone calls. However, despite repeated requests by Infomerics, the company's management has not submitted all the essential details and the surveillance fees required for monitoring the ratings.

Availability of information is very critical in the rating exercise. In the absence of the requisite information, in consonance with SEBI guidelines, Infomerics has to assign the rating based on the best available information. Accordingly, the Issuer Rating assigned to MDF has been moved to the 'ISSUER NOT COOPERATING' category by Infomerics.

Analytical Approach: Standalone

Applicable Criteria:

<u>Guidelines on what constitutes Non-Cooperation by Clients</u> <u>Criteria of assigning Rating Outlook</u> <u>Rating Methodology for Trading Companies</u> <u>Financial Ratios & Interpretation (Non- Financial Sector)</u>

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About the Company:

MDF was formed in Dubai, United Arab Emirates in the year 2003 by Mr. Jagat Shah, CEO and Mr. Mitesh Shah, Managing Director of the company. The company provides a wide range of supply chain solutions for all categories of Information Technology products such as PCs, PC building blocks, networking, software and enterprise solution products and consumer and lifestyle products such as telecom, entertainment products and digital printing machines for leading brands in the market. The company has its footprints in most of Middle East and UAE and African countries.

Financials (Standalone):

		(Rs. crore)
For the year ended / As on*	31-03-2019#	31-03-2020#
	Audited	Audited
Total Operating Income	2734.01	3359.07
EBITDA	90.85	120.81
PAT	78.26	96.62
Total Debt	371.07	391.21
Tangible Net worth	693.08	832.60
Ratios		
EBITDA Margin (%)	3.32	3.60
PAT Margin (%)	2.85	2.87
Overall Gearing Ratio (x)	0.56	0.49

*As per Infomerics' standards

[#]The given figures have been arrived at by converting AED to INR at the following exchange rates:

For Profit & Loss items: Average Exchange Rate of 1 AED= Rs.19.012 for FY19 and 1 AED= Rs.19.307 for FY20.

For Balance Sheet items: Exchange Rate of 1 AED= Rs.18.870 as on March 31, 2019 and 1 AED= Rs.20.440 as on March 31, 2020.

Status of non-cooperation with previous CRA: Not Applicable

Any other information: Nil



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	Rating history for last three years:						
Sr. No.	Name of Instrument/Facili	Current Ratings (Year 2021-22)		Rating History for the past 3 years			
	ties	Туре	Amount outstandin g (Rs. crore)	Rating	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2020-21 (January 23, 2021)	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2019-20	Date(s) & Rating(s) assigned in 2018- 19
1.	Issuer Rating	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	IVR BB+(Is); Issuer Not Cooperating	IVR A (Is)/ Stable	-	-

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About Infomerics:

Infomerics was founded in the year 1986 by a team of highly experienced and knowledgeable finance professionals. Subsequently, after obtaining Securities Exchange Board of India registration and RBI accreditation and the activities of the company are extended to External Credit Assessment Institution (ECAI).

Adhering to best International Practices and maintaining high degree of ethics, the team of knowledgeable analytical professionals deliver credible evaluation of rating.

Infomerics evaluates wide range of debt instruments which helps corporates open horizons to raise capital and provides investors enlightened investment opportunities. The transparent, robust and credible rating has gained the confidence of Investors and Banks.

Infomerics has a pan India presence with Head Office in Delhi, branches in major cities and representatives in several locations.

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financial strength of the firm at present. The rating may undergo change in case of withdrawal of capital or the unsecured loans brought in by the partners/proprietor/ AOPs in addition to the financial performance and other relevant factors

Annexure 1: Details of Instruments:

Name of Facility	Date of Issuance	Coupon Rate/ IRR	Maturity Date	Size of Facility (INR Crore)	Rating Assigned/ Outlook
Issuer	Not	Not	Not	Not	IVR BB+ (Is); Issuer
Rating	Applicable	Applicable	Applicable	Applicable	Not Cooperating*

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Annexure 2: List of companies considered for consolidated analysis: Not Applicable

Annexure 3: Facility wise lender details: Not Applicable

Annexure 4: Detailed explanation of covenants of the rated instrument/facilities: Not Applicable

Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument: Not Applicable