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Dear Mr. Rakesh Agrawal,

**Re: Review of Crisil Ratings on the bank facilities of EPIGRAL Limited**

All ratings assigned by Crisil Ratings are kept under continuous surveillance and review.

Please find in the table below the ratings outstanding for the debt instruments/facilities of the company, and the rating actions by Crisil Ratings on the ratings as on date.

<b>Total Bank Loan Facilities Rated</b>	<b>Rs.1050 Crore</b>
<b>Long Term Rating</b>	<b>Crisil AA/Stable (Reaffirmed)</b>
<b>Short Term Rating</b>	<b>Crisil A1+ (Reaffirmed)</b>

*(Bank-wise details as per Annexure 1)*

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<https://www.crisilratings.com/en/home/our-business/ratings/regulatory-disclosures/list-of-activities-instruments-and-names-of-regulators.html>

Should you require any clarification, please feel free to get in touch with us.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

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**Annexure 1 - Bank-wise details of various facility classes (outstanding facilities)**

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1	Bank Guarantee	ICICI Bank Limited	18	Crisil A1+
2	Letter of Credit	HDFC Bank Limited	80	Crisil A1+
3	Letter of Credit	State Bank of India	100	Crisil A1+
4	Packing Credit in Foreign Currency	ICICI Bank Limited	122	Crisil A1+
5	Proposed Long Term Bank Loan Facility	Not Applicable	82	Crisil AA/Stable
6	Rupee Term Loan	HDFC Bank Limited	128	Crisil AA/Stable
7	Rupee Term Loan	Axis Bank Limited	320	Crisil AA/Stable
8	Short Term Loan	Standard Chartered Bank	80	Crisil A1+
9	Working Capital Facility	Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited	120	Crisil AA/Stable
	<b>Total</b>		<b>1050</b>	

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7	Unlisted Commercial Paper and NCDs with original maturity less than 1 year	RBI
8	Loan Facilities (Fund/Non-Fund Based) from Bank/NBFCs/NHB/FIs ^	RBI
9	External Commercial Borrowings and other similar borrowings	RBI
10	Certificates of Deposit	RBI
11	Fixed Deposits raised by NBFC's, Banks, HFCs, Fis	RBI
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13	Inter Corporate Deposits/Loans extended by Corporates	MCA
14	Borrowing programme ~	-
15	Issuer Ratings #	-
16	Credit Ratings for Capital Protection Oriented Schemes (by Mutual Funds and AIFs)	SEBI
17	Credit quality ratings (CQRs) for Mutual Fund Schemes and Schemes of AIFs	SEBI
18	Listed Security Receipts	SEBI
19	Unlisted Security Receipts	RBI
20	Independent Credit Evaluation (ICE)	RBI
21	Expected Loss Ratings (for Loan Facilities (Fund/Non-Fund Based) from Bank/NBFCs/NHB/Fis)	RBI
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\* Includes securitisation transactions involving assignee payout, acquirer's payout.

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## Rating Rationale

June 02, 2026 | Mumbai

### EPIGRAL Limited

Ratings reaffirmed at 'Crisil AA / Stable / Crisil A1+ '

#### Rating Action

Total Bank Loan Facilities Rated	Rs.1050 Crore
Long Term Rating	Crisil AA/Stable (Reaffirmed)
Short Term Rating	Crisil A1+ (Reaffirmed)

Note: None of the Directors on Crisil Ratings Limited's Board are members of rating committee and thus do not participate in discussion or assignment of any ratings.

The Board of Directors also does not discuss any ratings at its meetings.

1 crore = 10 million

Refer to Annexure for Details of Instruments & Bank Facilities

#### Detailed Rationale

Crisil Ratings has reaffirmed its 'Crisil AA/Stable/Crisil A1+' ratings on the bank facilities of EPIGRAL Limited (Epigral).

The rating continues to reflect Epigral's healthy business risk profile supported by continued diversification in revenue streams, healthy operating margin and improving demand prospects. The rating also factors in a comfortable financial risk profile. These strengths are partially offset by the company's high albeit reducing dependence on the intensely competitive chlor alkali industry, exposure to regulatory risks, vulnerability of operating margin to fluctuations in caustic soda prices and exposure to project implementation risks.

Revenue remained largely flat at Rs 2,527 crore in fiscal 2026 due to subdued demand from the construction and infrastructure sectors following the extended monsoon which affected construction activities thereby impacting offtake of few key products such as chlorinated polyvinyl chloride (CPVC) and epichlorohydrin (ECH) which is strongly linked to the sector. Lower realizations in CPVC, chloromethane and hydrogen peroxide, along with maintenance-related shutdowns at the caustic soda plant during the first half of the fiscal, also weighed on performance. Nevertheless, recovery in volumes and realizations, particularly in the fourth quarter, supported revenue stability during the fiscal. Revenue is expected to grow by 13-15% in fiscal 2027, aided by recovery in volumes, ramp-up of expanded capacities in CPVC, ECH and chlorotoluene, and improved realizations amid elevated raw material prices. Over the medium term, growth is expected to be driven by steady contributions from existing operations and incremental revenues from expanded CPVC and ECH capacities.

Operating margin moderated to 22.4% in fiscal 2026 from 28.2% in fiscal 2025, primarily due to a sharp decline in realizations of key products, particularly during the first nine months of the year. Realizations of chlorinated polyvinyl chloride (CPVC) were impacted by a steep correction in polyvinyl chloride (PVC) prices, resulting in lower selling prices while the company continued to carry higher-cost inventory. Higher employee and power costs too had a slight impact on the profitability. While realizations are expected to improve in fiscal 2027 and operating leverage benefits are expected to accrue, operating margins are likely to remain largely stable due to inflationary pressures, elevated energy and raw material costs, and a lag in passing on higher input costs to customers. Over the medium term, margins are expected to improve gradually, supported by normalization in input costs, better realizations and operating leverage benefits from the ramp-up of expanded capacities

Epigral's financial risk profile remained strong supported by healthy capital structure and strong debt protection metrics. Tangible net worth improved to Rs.2,206 crore as on March 31, 2026 against total debt of Rs.563 crore, resulting in healthy gearing of 0.26 times compared with 0.31 times as on March 31, 2025. Similarly, TOL/TNW also remained comfortable at 0.58 times as on March 31, 2026 (March 31, 2025: 0.66 times). Debt protection metrics continued to remain strong despite moderation in profitability and increase in interest expenses during fiscal 2026, with interest coverage at 8.07 times compared with 13.65 times in fiscal 2025. The increase in interest expense was largely due to mark-to-market impact on foreign currency borrowings following sharp depreciation in rupee during the year. Interest coverage is expected to improve and sustain at healthy levels over the near to medium term aided by expected improvement in profitability and reduction in debt. Likewise, Net cash accruals to total debt (NCAAD) also remained healthy at 0.86 times as on March 31, 2026, and is expected to improve further over the medium term. Company is expected to generate net cash accruals of Rs.450-550 crore over the next two fiscals which along with liquid surplus will be adequate to meet repayment obligations of Rs.115-120 crore, capex and incremental working capital requirements if any.

#### Analytical Approach

Crisil Ratings has considered the standalone business and financial risk profiles of Epigral.

#### Key Rating Drivers - Strengths

**Steady revenue growth and good demand prospects:** Revenue visibility over the medium term will be driven by steady demand for caustic soda, hydrogen peroxide, chloromethanes, ECH and CPVC, that will be further strengthened with ramp-

up of upcoming additional facilities for ECH and CPVC. Most of Epigral's chlorine and hydrogen derivative products such as ECH, CPVC and Chlorotoluenes Value Chain are aimed at import substitution as domestic capacities are low and there is a demand-supply mismatch in these products. This is expected to continue over the medium term as well aiding Epigral's revenue growth and diversification from downstream products, which are the derivatives.

Epigral is on track strengthen its position in the specialty chemical business by doubling the existing capacities of CPVC to 1,50,000 tonne per annum (TPA; from existing 75,000 TPA) and ECH to 1,00,000 TPA (from existing 50,000 TPA) and also through Chlorotoluene value chain. The additional capacity of ECH and CPVC are expected to commission in second half of this fiscal. The company has been continually focusing on diversifying its revenue stream by adding capacities in chlorine downstream products thereby reducing dependence on the highly competitive caustic soda market. Hence, over time, the share of specialty and derivative products vis-à-vis commodity products such as caustic soda is expected to improve to 70:30 over the medium term from 52:48 during fiscal 2026.

**Healthy operating margin:** The company has maintained a comfortable operating margin of over 25% since fiscal 2019, despite volatility, owing to its integrated operations and low-cost production model. Despite industry headwinds, Epigral continued to maintain healthy operating margins of over 22% in fiscal 2026. With Epigral diversifying into downstream chlorine derivative products such as ECH, CPVC and Chlorotoluenes value chain, contribution from caustic soda is expected to reduce over the medium term, which will help in stabilizing operating profitability sustain at these healthy levels.

**Comfortable and improving financial risk profile:** Epigral's financial risk profile remained strong, supported by a healthy capital structure and comfortable debt protection metrics. Gearing improved to 0.26 times as on March 31, 2026 from 0.31 times a year ago, while TOL/TNW remained comfortable at 0.58 times. With expected reduction in debt and accretion to profit, gearing and TOL/TNW are expected to strengthen further. Interest coverage moderated to 8.07 times in FY26 (13.65 times in FY25), largely due to mark-to-market losses on foreign currency borrowings following rupee depreciation and moderation in profitability witnessed in fiscal 2026. Nevertheless, debt protection metrics remained healthy and are expected to strengthen further, supported by improving profitability, healthy cash accruals and gradual debt reduction.

### **Key Rating Drivers - Weaknesses**

**High though moderating dependence on the intensely competitive chlor-alkali industry:** The chlor-alkali industry is intensely competitive and dominated by large players such as Gujarat Alkalis and Chemicals Ltd, DCM Shriram Ltd and Grasim Industries Ltd. The top seven players together hold 40-50% of the market share. While Epigral has been growing at a healthy pace and new products will add to revenue visibility further, the scale of operations remains moderate compared with peers. Besides, around 48% of its revenue was derived from the chlor-alkali business in fiscal 2026, especially caustic soda, which is commoditised in nature, and prone to business cycles. Nevertheless, the revenue share from chlor-alkali is expected to go down further to 30-35% by fiscal 2028, with ramp-up of downstream facilities.

**Vulnerability to fluctuations in caustic soda prices and regulatory risk:** Profitability of caustic manufacturing companies depends on the prevailing electrochemical unit (ECU) prices. Cyclical downturns or adverse variability in demand-supply balance may drag down realisations for caustic soda players. The government of India imposed an anti-dumping duty on caustic soda in 2020 on imports from South Korea and China. Hence, prices could come under pressure in the event of increased imports from China, and removal of anti-dumping duty, thus impacting the profitability of domestic players including Epigral. With ongoing geopolitical conflict at West Asia, prices of all key starting materials and products have risen sharply. For instance, ECU which used to at Rs.29,000 – Rs.30,000 per kg before war, has increased to over Rs.37,000 per kg post war. While the company's Ebitda margin has fluctuated, it remains healthy.

### **Liquidity** Strong

Epigral's liquidity is likely to remain strong, with expected annual cash accrual of Rs 450-550 crore being sufficient to cover debt obligations of Rs 115 crore next two fiscals. Furthermore, working capital lines of Rs 400 crore were utilised at low levels of ~9% on average over the 12 months ended March 31, 2026 providing sufficient cushion for meeting incremental working capital requirement and exigencies. Internal accruals and undrawn limits should suffice to cover the repayment obligations, working capital requirements and capex requirement over the medium term.

### **Outlook** Stable

Crisil Ratings believes Epigral's business risk profile will continue to benefit from the diversity in revenue from downstream derivative products and healthy operating efficiency. Healthy cash accrual and progressive debt repayment will help buttress the impact of project-related debt, enabling sustenance of the strong debt protection metrics over the medium term.

### **Rating sensitivity factors**

#### **Upward factors:**

- Significant increase in the scale of operations aided by swift ramp-up of new capacities while sustaining RoCE over 25% on a sustained basis
- Sustenance of the financial risk profile, including through prudent funding of capex and good working capital management

#### **Downward factors:**

- Significant moderation in the operating performance, with sustained deterioration in operating margin, impacting the cash generation
- Significant delay in commissioning new capacities or higher-than-expected debt availed of for funding the capex leading to deterioration in debt metrics – debt to Ebitda ratio of over 2 times on a sustained basis

### **About the Company**

Incorporated in 2007 and formerly known as Meghmani Finechem Ltd, Epigral is a leading integrated manufacturer of chemicals in India. Epigral is the largest manufacturer of CPVC in India and is also the first to set up an Epichlorohydrin

plant and Chlorotoluenes value chain plant, in India. Along with ECH and CPVC, Epigral is a leading manufacturer of caustic soda, caustic potash, chloromethanes, hydrogen peroxide, chlorine and hydrogen.

### Key Financial Indicators

Particulars*	Unit	2026	2025
Revenue	Rs crore	2,527	2,550
Profit after tax (PAT)	Rs crore	332	358
PAT margin	%	13.1	14.0
Adjusted debt/adjusted networkth	Times	0.26	0.31
Interest coverage	Times	8.07	13.65

\*Crisil Ratings adjusted numbers

**Any other information:** Not applicable

### Note on complexity levels of the rated instrument:

Crisil Ratings' complexity levels are assigned to various types of financial instruments and are included (where applicable) in the 'Annexure - Details of Instrument' in this Rating Rationale.

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### Annexure - Details of Instrument(s)

ISIN	Name Of Instrument	Date Of Allotment	Coupon Rate (%)	Maturity Date	Issue Size (Rs. Crore)	Complexity Levels	Rating Outstanding with Outlook
NA	Bank Guarantee&	NA	NA	NA	18.00	NA	Crisil A1+
NA	Letter of Credit^	NA	NA	NA	80.00	NA	Crisil A1+
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### Annexure - Rating History for last 3 Years

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		Outstanding Amount	Rating	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	Date	Rating	Rating
Fund Based Facilities	LT/ST	852.0	Crisil AA/Stable / Crisil A1+		--	06-03-25	Crisil AA/Stable / Crisil A1+	16-12-24	Crisil AA-/Positive / Crisil A1+	24-11-23	Crisil AA-/Stable	Crisil AA-/Stable
Non-Fund Based Facilities	ST	198.0	Crisil A1+		--	06-03-25	Crisil A1+	16-12-24	Crisil A1+		--	--

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5	Unlisted PTCs / Securitisation Notes (originated by entities regulated by RBI)*	RBI
6	Listed Commercial Paper and NCDs with original maturity less than 1 year	RBI
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8	Loan Facilities (Fund/Non-Fund Based) from Bank/NBFCs/NHB/FIs ^	RBI
9	External Commercial Borrowings and other similar borrowings	RBI
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24	Unlisted PTCs / Securitisation Notes (originated by entities not regulated by RBI) *	Investor-side regulator such as IRDAI, PFRDA @

\* Includes securitisation transactions involving assignee payout, acquirer's payout.

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