

MIRA INFORM REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DETAILS

Name :	BIGGI BRANDS (PTY) LTD
Registered Office :	Hopetown Distr, 8750
Country :	South Africa
Date of Incorporation :	12.03.1991
Com. Reg. No.:	1991/001400/07
Legal Form :	Private company
Line of Business :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Processing and preserving of Potatoes • Potato Chips, Corn Chips & Similar Snacks
No. of Employees :	Not Available

RATING & COMMENTS

(Mira Inform has adopted New Rating mechanism w.e.f. 23rd January 2017)

MIRA's Rating :	B
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Credit Rating	Explanation	Rating Comments
B	Medium Risk	Business dealings permissible on a regular monitoring basis

Status :	Moderate
Payment Behaviour :	Unknown
Litigation :	Clear

NOTES :

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ECGC Country Risk Classification List

Country Name	Previous Rating (31.12.2017)	Current Rating (01.04.2018)
South Africa	A2	A2

Risk Category	ECGC Classification
Insignificant	A1
Low Risk	A2
Moderately Low Risk	B1
Moderate Risk	B2
Moderately High Risk	C1
High Risk	C2
Very High Risk	D

SOUTH AFRICA - ECONOMIC OVERVIEW

South Africa is a middle-income emerging market with an abundant supply of natural resources; well-developed financial, legal, communications, energy, and transport sectors; and a stock exchange that is Africa's largest and among the top 20 in the world.

Economic growth has decelerated in recent years, slowing to an estimated 0.7% in 2017. Unemployment, poverty, and inequality - among the highest in the world - remain a challenge. Official unemployment is roughly 27% of the workforce, and runs significantly higher among black youth. Even though the country's modern infrastructure supports a relatively efficient distribution of goods to major urban centers throughout the region, unstable electricity supplies retard growth. Eskom, the state-run power company, is building three new power stations and is installing new power demand management programs to improve power grid reliability but has been plagued with accusations of mismanagement and corruption and faces an increasingly high debt burden.

South Africa's economic policy has focused on controlling inflation while empowering a broader economic base; however, the country faces structural constraints that also limit economic growth, such as skills shortages, declining global competitiveness, and frequent work stoppages due to strike action. The government faces growing pressure from urban constituencies to improve the delivery of basic services to low-income areas, to increase job growth, and to provide university level-education at affordable prices. Political infighting among South Africa's ruling party and the volatility of the rand risks economic growth. International investors are concerned about the country's long-term economic stability; in late 2016, most major international credit ratings agencies downgraded South Africa's international debt to junk bond status

Source : CIA

COMPANY SUMMARY

Company name	Biggi Brands (PTY) Ltd
Operative address	Hopetown Distr 8750 South Africa
Risk	Low risk
Status	Active
Legal form	Private company
Registration number	Trade register number: 1991/001400/07
VAT-number	9030019062

CONTACT INFORMATION

Company name	Biggi Brands (PTY) Ltd
Operative address	Hopetown Distr 8750 South Africa
Correspondence address	Hopetown Distr 8750 South Africa
Telephone number	+27 532030070
Fax number	+27 532030482
Email address	info@biggi.co.za
Website	www.biggi.co.za

REGISTRATION

Registration number	Trade register number: 1991/001400/07
VAT-number	9030019062
Status	Active
Establishment date	1991-03-12
Legal form	Private company

ACTIVITIES

NACE	1031: Processing and preserving of potatoes
Goal	POTATO CHIPS, CORN CHIPS & SIMILAR SNACKS

RELATIONS

Shareholders

ULTIMATE GLOBAL SHAREHOLDER
Name: BIGPOP HOLDINGS (PTY) LTD
National id number: 1999/004062/07
Address: HOPETOWN DISTR
Country: ZA
Type: Corporate
Share direct: 100.00%
Share total: 100.00%

SHAREHOLDERS
Name: BIGPOP HOLDINGS (PTY) LTD
National id number: 1999/004062/07
Address: HOPETOWN DISTR
Country: ZA
Type: Corporate
Share direct: 100.00%

MANAGEMENT

Management

Fullname: Mr Jacobus Stephanus De Wet
Type: Individual
Gender: Male
date of birth: 1961/10/17
Age: 56
Number of involvements: 12
Function: Director
Level of responsibility: Unspecified executive
Appointment date: 1999/09/01

Fullname: Mr Stephanus Ockert Vermeulen
Type: Individual
Gender: Male
date of birth: 1983/09/02
Age: 34
Number of involvements: 10
Function: Director
Level of responsibility: Unspecified executive
Appointment date: 2014/08/04

Fullname: PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS INC.
Type: Company
Country: South Africa
Number of involvements: 1

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Currency	Unit	Indian Rupees
US Dollar	1	INR 68.61
UK Pound	1	INR 89.93
Euro	1	INR 80.10
ZAR	1	INR 5.10

Note : Above are approximate rates obtained from sources believed to be correct

INFORMATION DETAILS

Analysis Done by :	PRI
Report Prepared by :	KET

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RATING EXPLANATIONS

Credit Rating	Explanation	Rating Comments
A++	Minimum Risk	Business dealings permissible with minimum risk of default
A+	Low Risk	Business dealings permissible with low risk of default
A	Acceptable Risk	Business dealings permissible with moderate risk of default
B	Medium Risk	Business dealings permissible on a regular monitoring basis
C	Medium High Risk	Business dealings permissible preferably on secured basis
D	High Risk	Business dealing not recommended or on secured terms only
NB	New Business	No recommendation can be done due to business in infancy stage
NT	No Trace	No recommendation can be done as the business is not traceable

NB is stated where there is insufficient information to facilitate rating. However, it is not to be considered as unfavourable.

This score serves as a reference to assess SC's credit risk and to set the amount of credit to be extended. It is calculated from a composite of weighted scores obtained from each of the major sections of this report. The assessed factors are as follows:

- Financial condition covering various ratios
- Company background and operations size
- Promoters / Management background
- Payment record
- Litigation against the subject
- Industry scenario / competitor analysis
- Supplier / Customer / Banker review (wherever available)