

MIRA INFORM REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DETAILS

Name :	ERBIS ENGINEERING CO LTD
Registered Office :	Kamiyacho Plaza Bldg 6F, 4-1-14 Toranomom Minatoku Tokyo 105-0001
Country :	Japan
Financials (as on) :	31.12.2017
Date of Incorporation :	July, 1978
Com. Reg. No.:	0104-01-005623
Legal Form :	Limited Company
Line of Business :	Exports medical equipment as agent for Canon Medical systems (renamed in Jan/2018 from Toshiba Medical Systems): cardio-vascular systems, fluoroscopy, radiography, mammography, mobile C-Arm, mobile X-ray unit, health-care goods, other (70%), AV equipment (10), electronics parts & components (10%), others (10%). (Breakdown % is all about)
No. of Employees :	190

RATING & COMMENTS

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

MIRA's Rating :

A

Credit Rating	Explanation	Rating Comments
A	Acceptable Risk	Business dealings permissible with moderate risk of default

Status :	Satisfactory
Payment Behaviour :	No Complaints
Litigation :	Clear

NOTES:

Any query related to this report can be made on e-mail: infodept@mirainform.com while quoting report number, name and date.

ECGC Country Risk Classification List

Country Name	Previous Rating (30.06.2018)	Current Rating (30.09.2018)
Japan	A1	A1

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

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JAPAN - ECONOMIC OVERVIEW

Over the past 70 years, government-industry cooperation, a strong work ethic, mastery of high technology, and a comparatively small defense allocation (slightly less than 1% of GDP) have helped Japan develop an advanced economy. Two notable characteristics of the post-World War II economy were the close interlocking structures of manufacturers, suppliers, and distributors, known as keiretsu, and the guarantee of lifetime employment for a substantial portion of the urban labor force. Both features have significantly eroded under the dual pressures of global competition and domestic demographic change.

Measured on a purchasing power parity basis that adjusts for price differences, Japan in 2017 stood as the fourth-largest economy in the world after first-place China, which surpassed Japan in 2001, and third-place India, which edged out Japan in 2012. For three postwar decades, overall real economic growth was impressive - averaging 10% in the 1960s, 5% in the 1970s, and 4% in the 1980s. Growth slowed markedly in the 1990s, averaging just 1.7%, largely because of the aftereffects of inefficient investment and the collapse of an asset price bubble in the late 1980s, which resulted in several years of economic stagnation as firms sought to reduce excess debt, capital, and labor. Modest economic growth continued after 2000, but the economy has fallen into recession four times since 2008.

Japan enjoyed an uptick in growth since 2013, supported by Prime Minister Shinzo ABE's "Three Arrows" economic revitalization agenda - dubbed "Abenomics" - of monetary easing, "flexible" fiscal policy, and structural reform. Led by the Bank of Japan's aggressive monetary easing, Japan is making modest progress in ending deflation, but demographic decline - a low birthrate and an aging, shrinking population - poses a major long-term challenge for the economy. The government currently faces the quandary of balancing its efforts to stimulate growth and institute economic reforms with the need to address its sizable public debt, which stands at 235% of GDP. To help raise government revenue, Japan adopted legislation in 2012 to gradually raise the consumption tax rate. However, the first such increase, in April 2014, led to a sharp contraction, so Prime Minister ABE has twice postponed the next increase, which is now scheduled for October 2019. Structural reforms to unlock productivity are seen as central to strengthening the economy in the long-run.

Scarce in critical natural resources, Japan has long been dependent on imported energy and raw materials. After the complete shutdown of Japan's nuclear reactors following the earthquake and tsunami disaster in 2011, Japan's industrial sector has become even more dependent than before on imported fossil fuels. However, ABE's government is seeking to restart nuclear power plants that meet strict new safety standards and is emphasizing nuclear energy's importance as a base-load electricity source. In August 2015, Japan successfully restarted one nuclear reactor at the Sendai Nuclear Power Plant in Kagoshima prefecture, and several other reactors around the country have since resumed operations; however, opposition from local governments has delayed several more restarts that remain pending. Reforms of the electricity and gas sectors, including full liberalization of Japan's energy market in April 2016 and gas market in April 2017, constitute an important part of Prime Minister Abe's economic program.

Under the Abe Administration, Japan's government sought to open the country's economy to greater foreign competition and create new export opportunities for Japanese businesses, including by joining 11 trading partners in the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP). Japan became the first country to ratify the TPP in December 2016, but the United States signaled its withdrawal from the agreement in January 2017. In November 2017 the remaining 11 countries agreed on the core elements of a modified agreement, which they renamed the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP). Japan also reached agreement with the European Union on an Economic Partnership Agreement in July 2017, and is likely seek to ratify both agreements in the Diet this year.

Source : CIA

COMPANY NAME AND ADDRESS

ERBIS ENGINEERING CO LTD

REGD NAME: Erbis Engineering KK

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ACTIVITIES

Export of medical instruments/equipment, AV equipment, electronics parts

BRANCHES

Nagano, Osaka, Nagoya, Fukuoka, other (Tot 26)

OVERSEAS

India (4), Bangladesh, Nepal, Singapore (--subsidiaries)

OFFICER(S)

KATSUSHI SOTOMATSU, PRES
Kenji Sotomatsu, dir
Nobuaki Sotomatsu, dir

Yen Amount: In million Yen, unless otherwise stated

SUMMARY

FINANCES	FAIR	A/SALES	Yen 3,200 M
PAYMENTS	NO COMPLAINTS	CAPITAL	Yen 10 M

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TREND	STEADY	WORTH	Yen 579 M
STARTED	1978	EMPLOYES	190

COMMENT

EXPORTER OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, AS AGENT FOR TOSHIBA MEDICAL SYSTEMS

FINANCIAL SITUATION CONSIDERED FAIR AND GOOD FOR ORDINARY BUSINESS ENGAGEMENTS

HIGHLIGHTS

The subject company was established by Katsushi Sotomatsu in order to make most of his experience in the subject line of business, on obtaining agency exporting business agreement from Canon Medical Systems (renamed in Jan/2018 from Toshiba Medical Systems). This is a trading firm specializing in medical equipment: cardio-vascular systems, fluoroscopy, radiography, mobile X-ray unit, other. 70% of the goods are wholly supplied from Canon Medical Systems. Has four overseas subsidiaries: India, Bangladesh, Nepal and Singapore. Indian subsidiary operates a total 26 branch offices in the country. The firm is actively developing business in other S/E Asian countries.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Financials are only partially disclosed.

The sales volume for Dec/2017 fiscal term amounted to Yen 3,200 million, a 14% up from Yen 2,817 million in the previous term. The net profit is reported posted at Yen 160 million, compared with Yen 155 million a year ago.

For the current term ending Dec 2018 the net profit is projected at Yen 165 million, on a 3% rise in turnover, to Yen 3,300 million

The financial situation is considered FAIR and good for ORDINARY business engagements.

REGISTRATION

Date Registered: Jul 1978
Regd No.: 0104-01-005623 (Tokyo-Minatoku)
Legal Status: Limited Company (Kabushiki Kaisha)
Authorized: 80,000 shares
Issued: 20,000 shares
Sum: Yen 10 million

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Major shareholders (%): Hiromitsu Sotomatsu (25), Katsuji Sotomatsu (25), Kenji Sotomatsu (25), Nobuaki Sotomatsu (25)

No. of shareholders: 4

Nothing detrimental is known as to the commercial morality of executives.

OPERATION

Activities: Exports medical equipment as agent for Canon Medical systems (renamed in Jan/2018 from Toshiba Medical Systems): cardio-vascular systems, fluoroscopy, radiography, mammography, mobile C-Arm, mobile X-ray unit, health-care goods, other (70%), AV equipment (10), electronics parts & components (10%), others (10%). (Breakdown % is all about)

Clients: [Hospitals, wholesalers] Supreme Inc, BPL Inc, Crown Inc, Videocon, Keltron, other medical instates in national & regional areas in India, other

No. of accounts: Unavailable

Domestic areas of activities: Nationwide

Suppliers [Mfrs, wholesalers] Canon Medical Systems (70%), Vital Images Inc, Toray Medical Inc, Alps Electric, Fuji Film, other

Payment record: No Complaints

Location: Business area in Tokyo. Office premises at the caption address are leased and maintained satisfactorily.

Bank References:

Mizuho Bank (Kamiyacho)

Shoko Chukin Bank (Tokyo)

Relations: Satisfactory

FINANCES

(In Million Yen)

Terms Ending:	31/12/2018	31/12/2017	31/12/2016	31/12/2015
Annual Sales	3,300	3,200	2,817	3,271
Recur. Profit
Net Profit	165	160	155	131
Total Assets		N/A	N/A	N/A
Net Worth		2,740	2,580	2,425
Capital, Paid-Up		10	10	10

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Div.P.Share(₹)		0.00	0.00	0.00
<Analytical Data>	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
S.Growth Rate	3.13	13.60	-13.88	16.82
Current Ratio	
N.Worth Ratio	
N.Profit/Sales	5.00	5.00	5.50	4.00

Notes: Financials are only partially disclosed.

Forecast (or estimated) figures for the 31/12/2018 fiscal term

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Currency	Unit	Indian Rupees
US Dollar	1	INR 73.57
UK Pound	1	INR 94.18
Euro	1	INR 83.71
YEN	1	INR 0.65

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

INFORMATION DETAILS

Analysis Done by :	DIV
Report Prepared by :	NIT

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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)