Research Update:

Delta Electronics Inc. Ratings Affirmed At 'twAA/twA-1+'; Outlook Stable

November 23, 2023

Rating Action Rationale

Taiwan Ratings Corp. today affirmed its 'twAA' long-term and 'twA-1+' short-term issuer credit ratings on Delta Electronics Inc. The outlook on the long-term rating is stable.

The ratings reflect Delta's leading market share in the global power supply and thermal component markets for information technology applications, significant business diversity across power electronics, automation and power infrastructure, and strong and sustainable free operating cash flow. The ratings also reflect our view that Delta could maintain a net cash position over the next two years, based on its still-robust profitability, despite elevated capital expenditure and working capital needs. Several factors temper these strengths. These include the company's smaller scale and narrower product and service offerings than leading global automation and power infrastructure peers, intense industry competition, and Delta's weaker supply chain for its developing electric vehicle and automation businesses. In addition, the company faces significant cyclicality and rapid product evolution in the technology sector.

Related Criteria & Research

Related Criteria
- General Criteria: National And Regional Scale Credit Ratings Methodology - June 08, 2023
- General Criteria: Group Rating Methodology - July 01, 2019
- Criteria | Corporates | General: Methodology And Assumptions: Liquidity Descriptors For Global Corporate Issuers - December 16, 2014
- Criteria | Corporates | General: Corporate Methodology - November 19, 2013
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