


## BRIEF – BIO-DATA

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2	<b>Designation</b>	:	Principal & Dean				
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5	<b>Nationality</b>	:	Indian				
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9	<b>Academic Record:</b>						
	<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Exam Passed</b>	<b>Year of Passing</b>	<b>Board/ University</b>	<b>Marks OGPA/%</b>	<b>Division/ Class</b>	<b>Major/Minor Subjects</b>
	1.	B.Sc. (Agri.)	1980	GAU, S. K. Nagar	3.69 / 4.00	First	--
	2.	M. Sc. (Agri.)	1983	GAU, S. K. Nagar	3.75 / 4.00	First class with Distinction	Agronomy/ Ag. Chem & Soil Sci.
	3.	Ph. D.	1997	GAU, S. K. Nagar	8.00 / 10.00	-	Agronomy/ Ag. Chem & Soil Sci
	4.	CCC <sup>+</sup>	2007	SPIPA, Ahmedabad	84.00	-	Course of Computer Concept
10	<b>Experience record:</b>						
	<b>Post Held</b>	<b>Nature of work</b>	<b>Period</b>		<b>Experience</b>		
	Agricultural Officer	Research Extension	16/05/1983 to 05/08/1986		03 years		
	Assistant Professor	Teaching Research	06/08/1986 to 25/12/1997		11 years		
	Associate professor	Extension	26/12/1997 to 20/01/2006		08 years		
	Professor	Teaching Research Extension Administration	21/01/2006 to 31/10/2010		04 years 09 months		
	Professor / I/C Registrar	Administration	01/11/2010 to 24/01/2012		01 Year 06 months		
	Principal	Administration	25/01/2012 to onward				
11	<b>Post Graduate Research:</b>						
	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Title of Research Work</b>					
	M. Sc. (Agri.) in Agronomy	Response of Gram ( <i>Cicer arietinum</i> L.) to different dates of sowing under various fertility levels.					
	Ph. D. Agronomy	Effect of moisture stress and soil amendments on growth ,yield and quality of summer Groundnut ( <i>Arachis hypogaea</i> Linn.) on vertisol of south Gujarat.					

<b>12</b>	<b>Post graduate students guided within university</b>						
	<b>Position in advisory committee</b>	<b>No. of students guided</b>					
		<b>M. Sc.</b>			<b>Ph. D.</b>		
		Pass out	Cont.	<b>Total</b>	Pass out	Cont.	<b>Total</b>
	As a major advisor	16	00	<b>16</b>	05	02	<b>07</b>
	As a minor advisor	39	00	<b>39</b>	16	03	<b>19</b>
	As a member of advisory committee	22	00	<b>22</b>	03	00	<b>03</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>00</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>Post graduate students evaluated outside university</b>						
	1.	No. of postgraduate thesis evaluated other than Navsari Agricultural University					<b>16</b>
	2.	No. of postgraduate students examined through prelim/thesis viva-voce other than Navsari Agricultural University					<b>26</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>Recognition:</b>						
	1.	Recognized for P.G. teaching in the subject of Agronomy, vide office order number GAU/RES/PGT/2917-54/88 Dated 1 <sup>st</sup> March, 1988 from The Director of Research and Dean P.G. studies, G.A.U., Ahmedabad					
	2.	Recognized for guiding P.G. student (M.Sc. (Agri.) level) in the subject of Agronomy, vide office order number GAU/RES/PGT/14431-60/1998 Dated 2 <sup>nd</sup> September, 1998 from The Director of Research and Dean P.G. studies, G.A.U., Ahmedabad					
	3.	Recognized for guiding P.G. student (Ph. D. Agriculture level) in the subject of Agronomy, vide office order number GAU/RES/PGT/4461-69/2004 Dated 23 <sup>rd</sup> April, 2004 from The Director of Research and Dean P.G. studies, G.A.U., Ahmedabad					
<b>15</b>	<b>Academic/ Research/ Extension Achievements</b>						
	1.	Number of courses design and taught at Under graduate level					<b>05</b>
	2.	Number of courses design and taught at Post graduate level					<b>06</b>
	3.	Research papers published in international journals					<b>11</b>
	4.	Research papers published in national journals					<b>34</b>
	5.	Recommendations made for farming community on the basis of research achievements					<b>28</b>
	6.	Research papers presented at seminar/ symposia /workshop etc.					<b>35</b>
	7.	Popular articles and booklets published					<b>23</b>
	8.	Seminar/Workshop/Summer/Winter institute attended					<b>20</b>
	9.	Radio / T.V. programme attended					<b>05</b>
	10.	Lectures delivered to sugar factory/ state department officers/ farmers / farm women / extension/ village level workers					<b>107</b>
	11.	Acted as Taluka and District Nodal officer during Krushi Mahosthav a Mega Event of Mass Communication covering all parts of state organized by Gujarat Government (Years)					<b>04</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>Special Achievement:</b>						
	1.	I had been invited for setting question paper in Agronomy for <b>All India Competitive Examination for ICAR –Senior Research Fellowship</b> for pursuing Ph. D. Programme <b>2009 and 2011 vide letters No. SRF Exam / Paper set / 2009 dated August 31, 2009 and SRF Exam / Paper set / 2011 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2011, respectively</b> from The Acting Director, National Academy of Agricultural Research and Management, Hyderabad. I had submitted an objective question paper as per the guidelines suggested by the authority.					
	2.	Appointed as I/ C Registrar of Navsari Agricultural University Vide. Office order number (Vernacular) NAU/REG/ADM1(1)/22803-873/2010 dated 30 <sup>th</sup> October,2010 from Vice Chancellor, NAU, Navsari. I have successfully performed					

	the duties assigned for a period of one and half year (01/11/2010 to 24/01/2012)
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16	3.	I had been invited for setting question paper in Agronomy for <b>All India Competitive Examination for ICAR –Senior Research Fellowship</b> for pursuing Ph. D. Programme 2014 <b>vide letters No. 6(1)/2012/SRF-Exam. Cell dated 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2013</b> from The Controller of Examinations (Edn.) Education Division, ICAR, Krishi Anusandhan Bhavan-II ,Pusa, New Delhi- 110012. I had submitted an objective question paper as per the guidelines suggested by the authority.								
	4.	As a secretary of Navsari Chapter Indian Society of Agronomy, I had been assign duties to organize a state level seminar under the auspices of Navsari Chapter Indian Society of Agronomy and Gujarat Agricultural University, Navsari . <b>Three state level seminars</b> and <b>one National Symposium</b> were successfully organized as mention below. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Organic Farming For Sustainable Crop Production in Gujarat at Navsari on 6<sup>th</sup> April, 1995 (<b>State level seminar</b>)</li> <li>2. Integrated Nutrient Management in Rice/Sugarcane Based Cropping System at Navsari on 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2002 (<b>State level seminar</b>)</li> <li>3. New Paradigms in Agronomic Research" at navsari on 19-21, November, 2008 (<b>National symposium</b>)</li> <li>4. Organic Farming for Environment Safety and Agriculture Sustainability" at Navsari on 6-7 March,2010, (<b>State level seminar</b>)</li> </ol>								
	5.	Nominated as a member of team for monitoring and evaluation of agricultural activities followed by K. V. K. Chasvad ( <b>BAIF sponsored</b> ). Vide letter No. (Vernacular) KENIN/ DDEE/ T/ 793 - 97/02 dated 15/ 2 / 2002 from Director of Campus, GAU, Navsari. A team visited different villages like Kadod, Mandvi, Devgad, Esar, Choramba, Chasvad, Luharvad and Netrang where agricultural activities were followed with the financial support of Gujarat Rural Institute for Socio Economic Reconstruction ( <b>GRISERV</b> ), Vadodara. Various activities were critically examine by the team and finally the report was submitted to the In charge, KVK , Chasvad. I have allotted <b>two working days</b> during this visit.								
	6.	Service render to <b>Sardar Sarovar Punhavasana Agency, Kevadiya</b> for Survey of agricultural land in Narmada and Vadodara districts of Gujarat for allotment to the victims of Sardar Sarovar Irrigation Project. A field survey was taken in different villages of Narmada and Vadodara districts during the year <b>2001 to 2004</b> . <b>About 500</b> Revenue Survey Numbers were visited and Soil samples were collected and analyzed for their nutrient content and the suitability of land for crop production, accordingly the report was submitted by Research Scientist (Soil Sci.), GAU, Navsari to SSPA, Kevadiya for further action at their level. I have allotted <b>25 working days</b> during survey period for this work.								
	<b>17 Involvement in Scientific Society:</b>									
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