

**STATE AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITIES OF GUJARAT
COMMON ADMISSIONS**

Information Booklet

for

Post Graduate Programme

(For Academic Year : 2015-16)



**Anand
Agricultural University**



**Junagadh
Agricultural University**



**Navsari
Agricultural University**



**Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada
Agricultural University**

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POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

The residential post graduate programmes offered by Agricultural Universities at the respective colleges.

Sr. No.	Degree	Duration	Name of College & University
1	Ph. D.	3 Years (6 semesters)	At concerned colleges of respective University.
2	M.Sc. (Agri.)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	1. B. A. College of Agriculture, Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388 110 2. College of Agriculture, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh-362001 3. N. M. College of Agriculture, Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari-396450 4. C. P. College of Agriculture, Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada Agricultural University, Sardarkrushinagar-385 506
3	M.Sc. (Horticulture)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	1. Aspee College of Horticulture & Forestry Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari-396 450 2. (Horticulture wing), B. A. College of Agriculture, Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388110 3. (Horticulture wing), College of Agriculture, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh-362001 4. College of Horticulture, Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada Agricultural University, Jagudan. Dist : Mehsana
4	M.Sc. (Forestry)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	Aspee College of Horticulture & Forestry, Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari-396450
5	M.Sc. (Home Science)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	Aspee College of Home Science & Nutrition, Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada Agricultural University, Sardarkrushinagar-385 506
6	M. F. Sc. (Fisheries Science)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	College of Fisheries Science, Junagadh Agricultural University, Veraval.
7	M.Sc. (ICT in Agriculture)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	Aspee Agribusiness Management Institute, Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari-396450
8	M.V.Sc.	2 Years (4 Semesters)	1. College of Veterinary Science & A.H., Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388110 2. College of Veterinary Science & A.H., Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada Agricultural University, Sardarkrushinagar-385 506 3. Vanbandhu College of Veterinary Science, Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari-396450 4. College of Veterinary Science & A.H., Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh-362 001
9	M. Tech. / M.Sc.	2/3 Years (4/6 Semester)	Sheth M. C. College of Dairy Science, Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388 110
10	M.Tech. (FPT)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	College of Food Processing Technology & Bio-Energy, Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388 110
11	M.Tech. (AIT)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	College of Agricultural Information Technology Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388 110
12	M. Tech. (PHT & PE)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology Navsari Agricultural University, Dediyapada

13	M.Tech. (Agril. Engg.)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	1 College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh-36 2001
			2 College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology Anand Agricultural University, Godhara
14	M.Sc. (Basic Science & Humanities)	2 Years (4 Semesters)	College of Basic Science & Humanities, Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada Agricultural University, Sardarkrushinagar-385 506
15	M.Sc.	3 Years (6 Semesters)	In related field at concerned Colleges of respective Universities.
16	P. G. Diploma (Agril. I. T.)	3 Semesters	College of Agril. Information Technology, AAU, Anand - 388 110

Note : The medium of instruction and examination shall be in English.



Sr. No.	Name of the University	Designation	Phone No. & E-mail Address
1	Anand Agricultural University, Anand	Dean, P.G.	02692-263600 dr@aaui.in
2	Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh	Dean, P.G.	0285-2670131 deanpg@jau.in
3	Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari	Dean, P.G.	02637-282857, 283160 dr@nau.in
4	Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada Agricultural University, Sardarkrushinagar	Dean, P.G.	02748-278233 dr@sdaui.edu.in
5	Anand Agricultural University, Anand	Registrar	02692-261310 registrar@aaui.in
6	Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh	Registrar	0285-2672346 registrar@jau.in
7	Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari	Registrar	02637-282823 registrar@nau.in
8	Sardarkrushinagar Dantiwada Agricultural University, Sardarkrushinagar	Registrar	02748-278226 registrar@sdaui.edu.in

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION: (For Ph. D.)

The applicant for admission to the Ph. D. degree programme should possess Master's degree in related subject with OGPA of 6.50 out of 10.00 or its equivalent i.e. 65 % (relaxed to 60 % or 6.0 out of 10.00 for SC / ST / SEBC).

Sr. No.	Degree	Eligibility qualification from recognized university
1	Ph.D.	Master's degree in the concerned disciplines of; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Agriculture Faculty ➤ Horticulture & Forestry Faculty ➤ Agricultural Engineering and Technology Faculty ➤ Veterinary Science Faculty ➤ Dairy Science Faculty ➤ Food Processing Technology and Bio-Energy Faculty ➤ Fisheries Science Faculty ➤ Home Science Faculty

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION: (For Master Degree)

A candidate for admission to the Master's degree programmes should have minimum requirement of marks at the bachelor degree level as under.

Sr. No.	Marks/Grade Point obtained in Qualifying Exam		Marks / Grade Point (Out of)
	General	SEBC */ST/SC	
1.	60 %	55 %	Traditional System out of 100
2.	6.00	5.5	10 Point

*** Non-creamy layer certificate of current year (on or after 01/04/2015) of Gujarat domicile is required.**

- The admission requirements shall be relaxed by maximum five per cent for an employee of the University nominated for Master and Doctorate study from other Universities / Institute of Gujarat as well as employees nominated by State / Central Government or ICAR and In-service candidates having five years experience.
- Employees of the Agricultural Universities of Gujarat, in service trainees as well as employees nominated by State or Central Government or ICAR or other Agricultural Universities or Institutes shall not be required to appear in the entrance test.

The duration for the Master Degree Programme shall be of two years i.e. four semesters for the students who have obtained bachelors degree in Agriculture and / or Allied Sciences and the duration for the Master Degree Programme shall be of three years i.e. six semesters for the students who have obtained bachelors degree in Basic Sciences / Basic Engineering.

A student getting admission in the stream other than his/her field of master's level shall have to undertake required pre-requisite courses as decided by the Advisory committee considering the background of the student.

Master Degree Programme of Two Years (4 Sem.) duration

No	Degree	Eligibility Qualifications	Subjects offered
1.	M.Sc. (Agri.)	4 years Bachelor's degree in Agriculture / Horticulture / Agril. Info. Technology *	All subjects of Agricultural Science
			* 4 years Bachelor's Degree in AIT will be eligible for Agricultural Statistics / Agricultural Meteorology / Agricultural Economics & Agricultural Extension subjects only.
2.	M.V.Sc.	5 Years Bachelor's degree in Veterinary Science and Animal Husbandry (Student should have completed Internship)	All subjects of Veterinary Science & A.H.
3.	M.Tech.	4 Years Bachelor's degree in B.Tech (DT)/Food Process Engineering/Food Technology	Dairy Engineering / Dairy Technology / Dairy Microbiology / Dairy Chemistry

4.	M. Tech. (FPT)	4 Years Bachelor's degree in B.Tech.(FPT) / B.E.(FPT) Dairy Technology / Food Technology / Food Processing Technology / Food Engineering / Agricultural Engineering/ Chemical Engineering.	Food Processing Technology
5.	M.Sc. (Forestry)	4 Years Bachelor's degree in Forestry	Medicinal & Aromatic Plants/ Agro Forestry/ Forest Genetic Resources/ Forest Biotechnology/ Watershed Management/ Wood Science & Technology
6.	M.Sc. (Horticulture)	4 Years Bachelor's degree in Horticulture / Agriculture	Fruit Science / Vegetable Science / Floriculture & Landscape Architecture / Plantation, Spices, Medicinal & Aromatic Crops / Post Harvest Technology/ Horticulture Entomology / Horticulture Pathology
7.	M. Tech. (Agril. Engg.)	4 Years Bachelor degree in Agricultural Engineering Bachelor's degree in Agril. Engineering / Civil / Irrigation & Water Management / Mechanical / Chemical / Electrical and Food Engineering/ Renewable Energy and Environmental Engineering.	Farm Machinery & Power Engineering / Soil & Water Engineering / Processing & Food Engineering / Renewable Energy Engineering / Post Harvest Technology & Process Engineering
8.	M.Tech. (AIT)	4 Years Bachelor degree in Agricultural Information Technology	Agricultural Information Technology
9.	M.Tech. (PHT & PE)	Bechelor's Degree (4 Years) B.Tech. / B.E. degree in Dairy Technology / Food Technology / Food Processing Technology / Food Engineering / Agri. Engineering / Chemical Engineering/RE & EE	Post Harvest Technology and Process Engineering
10.	M.Sc. (Home Science)	Bachelor's degree in Home Science	All subjects of Home Science
11.	M. F.Sc. (Fisheries Science)	Bachelor's degree in Fisheries Science	Fisheries Science
12.	M.Sc. (ICT in Agriculture)	A Graduate in Agriculture / Horticulture / Forestry or Allied Sciences or a Graduate in Biological Sciences (Botany, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Bioinformatics, Microbiology) or a Graduate in Computer Science / Information Technology /Computer Application / Agricultural Information Technology	Information Communication Technology

13.	M.Sc. (3 Year / 6 Semesters)	Bachelor Degree in Statistics / Mathematics	Agricultural Statistics
		Bachelor Degree in Botany / Physiology	Crop Physiology
		Bachelor Degree in Physics / Mathematics / Environmental Science / Meteorology	Agricultural Meteorology
		Bachelor Degree in Chemistry / Bio-Chemistry	Bio-Chemistry
		Bachelor degree in Biotechnology	Plant Molecular Biology & Biotechnology
		Bachelor Degree in Microbiology / Bio-technology	Agricultural Microbiology
		Bachelor's Degree in Chemistry /Biochemistry/ Food Science / Food Science &Technology / Food Technology	Dairy Chemistry
		Bachelor Degree in Microbiology / Food Science / Biotechnology	Dairy Microbiology

WEIGHTAGE TO THE SPORT MEN / WOMEN:

Sr. No.	Level of Participation	Weightage
1.	Participation at the International Level	7 %
2.	Participation at the National Level/ All India Inter- University Level	1% for participation
	(a) Secured 1 st position	5 %
	(b) Secured 2 nd position	3 %
	(c) Secured 3 rd position	2 %
3.	Participation at the State Level	
	(a) Secured 1 st position	1 %
	(b) Secured 2 nd position	0.5 %

Note: The benefit of the highest level of the above weightage shall be given to the student only once during his/her university career.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Applications received for post Graduate Programmes (Master and Ph.D.) shall be scrutinized by the Committee consisting of Professor in-charge (P.G.) and Head of the Department concerned. The Head of the Department shall act as Convener. The scrutinized list shall be submitted to the admission committee. List of eligible candidates for entrance test will be displayed on website www.gsauca.in. **The eligible applicant must appear in entrance test. The basis of selection of candidate for the admission shall be the merit. The merit list shall be prepared by giving 50:50 weightage to the marks of OGPA (percentage marks) of the last degree and common entrance test examination. However, a candidate shall have to obtain at least 50 % of marks (50 out of 100 marks) in common entrance test examination to become eligible for regular seats. A candidate who opts admission on payment seats will be eligible for admission by obtaining at least 45 % of marks in**

common entrance test examination. Separate merit list for students of SAU's of Gujarat State and other universities of Gujarat (Basic Science) and other state students of SAU's of Gujarat shall be prepared for each degree.

The admission of the Candidates will be decided by the admission committee based on the seats available in each subject. The decision of admission committee shall be final. Admissions shall be given at the beginning of odd semester only, subject to the intake capacity and other infrastructure facilities available at the respective university.

All post graduate seats will be filled up from the students of domicile of Gujarat, but if seats remain vacant from students of Gujarat origin, such vacant seats will be filled up by the candidates of other states who passed their degree from SAUs of Gujarat.

RESERVATION OF SEATS:

General Conditions regarding Reservation

A candidate availing benefit of seats earmarked for the categories shall be required to produce the certificate of his belonging to a particular group i.e. ST/SC/SEBC etc., from competent authority of Gujarat State. The candidates belonging to SEBC should produce the certificate showing that he/she does not belong to creamy layer person or section, issued by the competent authority of the Gujarat State for the current year (**on or after 01/04/2015**) otherwise he/she will not be considered against reserved seats for SEBC category.

Reservation for SC / ST / SEBC Candidates

Sr. No	Category	Percentage of reservation (%)	Remarks
1	Candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste (SC)	07	Subject to condition that those who are able to secure admission on merit in general quota shall not however be counted against the seats reserved for them.
2	Candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes (ST)	15	
3	Candidates belonging to communities covered under Socially and Educationally Backward Communities (SEBC)	27	
4	For disabled (Physical Challenged candidate) (PC)	03	Seat is adjustable within the respective category

Those candidates who are able to secure admission on general merit shall not, however, be counted against the seat reserved for them.

If the need arises on account of vacant seats due to less number of applications in one group and shortage of seats due to more number of application of eligible candidates in the other group, reciprocal adjustment in the above specified SC (7 %) and ST (15 %) seats between the two groups will be made.

If applications from backward class candidates are more than the reserved seats earmarked for them as above, admission will be given to them strictly on *inter se* merit within each of the only two groups.

Reservation for Candidates nominated by ICAR

Twenty-five percent of the total number of seats earmarked for out state candidates shall be reserved for the candidates nominated by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (for post graduate courses on the basis of All India Entrance Test, subject to the condition that they fulfill the minimum requirement for admission).

Reservation for Disabled (Physically Challenged) Candidates

Three percent seats, reserved for the disabled (physically Challenged) candidates are adjustable within the respective category.

The conditions are

- (1) A candidate, having locomotors disability of one leg and partial arm, shall be eligible to apply for admission to a course, subject to the submission of a certificate to that effect from the Civil Surgeon / Medical Superintendent of the Government Hospital based on the opinion of the concerned specialist, that the locomotors disabled candidate is in a position to undertake the course and perform the functions of the concerned field. The admissions will be on the basis of *inter se* merit only
- (2) Disabled (physically Challenged) candidate shall have to fulfill the academic and minimum requirements of marks at the qualifying examination of his category.

Candidates shall not be admitted to Post Graduate Programme, if they suffer any one or more disabilities of more than 40% in physical fitness as listed below :-

- (a) Disability of total body including disability of chest / spine
- (b) Disability of lower limb
- (c) Disability of upper limb.
- (d) Visually handicapped candidates and those with hearing disability.
- (e) Candidates with progressive diseases like myopathies, etc.
- (f) Disabilities which otherwise would interfere in the performance of the duties of a veterinarian.

Payment seats will be filled up subject to following conditions

- (1) A candidate who opts admission on payment seats will be eligible for admission by obtaining at least 45 % of marks in common entrance test examination. Separate merit list for students of SAU's of Gujarat State and other universities of Gujarat (Basic Science) and other State students of SAU's of Gujarat shall be prepared for each degree.
- (2) The candidates admitted under payment seats where seats on self finance are available, shall have to pay regular fees plus additional fees as may be prescribed by the University from time to time.
- (3) The candidate seeking admission on Payment seat shall have to pay Payment seat fees for the first two semesters at the time of admission.

- (4) The candidates on Payment seats will be selected for admission strictly on merit basis. The merit list shall be prepared by giving 50:50 weightage to the marks of OGPA (percentage marks) of the last degree and common entrance test examination.
- (5) The candidature for foreign students shall be considered only if they are sponsored by their respective National Government and / or by Government of India / ICAR.
- (6) Once the admission is given on payment seat, it will not be converted in free seat in any condition.

FEES STRUCTURE

The Fees payable by each student admitted to the Post Graduate studies shall be as under.

No	PARTICULAR	Fees For Boys (₹)	Fees For Girls (₹)
1. Fees / Deposits to be paid at the time of first registration			
	Caution Money (Refundable)	1500	1500
	Hostel Deposit (Refundable) for resident students	1500	1500
	Mess Deposit (to be adjusted in the food bills of the last month of the academic year)	1500	1500
	Identity Card	50	50
	Test fee for thelesemia	150	150
	TOTAL	4700	4700
2. Fees to be paid annually, in the beginning of odd semester by all students			
	Magazine	100	100
	Student aid fund	100	100
	General Amenity	300	300
	University Medical Exam.	100	100
	TOTAL	600	600
3. Semester Fees to be paid at the beginning of each semester			
	Registration Fee	1000	1000
	Tuition Fees	5000	* --
	Library Fee	500	500
	Fees for Sports	200	200
	Fees for Examination	1000	1000
	Fees for Cultural Activities	200	200
	Laboratory	2000	2000
	Evaluation Report Fee	200	200
	Transcript Fee (only in Final Semester)	200	200
	Fees for Hostel Room	2000	* --
	TOTAL	12300	5300
4.	Electricity charges (to be adjusted in the electricity consumption bill of the hostel as determined by the Rector).	2000	2000
	TOTAL	2000	2000
5. For Summer session (to be paid only by those who have to attend the summer session)			
	(I) Tuition fees including Laboratory fees	5000	--
	(II) Hostel Room Fees	2000	--
	TOTAL	7000	--

6. Payment Seat			
The candidate admitted under payment seats where seats on self finance are available shall have to pay fees mentioned above at Sr.1 to 4 plus additional fees per semester as under:			
a.	For Master and Ph.D. courses	30000	30000
b.	For PG Diploma in Agri IT	6000	6000
7. Fees for Non Resident Indian (NRI)			
The candidate admitted under NRI seats where NRI seat are available shall have to pay above mentioned fees at sr. 1 to 4 plus \$ 5000 per semester.			
8. Other fees			
a.	Eligibility Certificate	100	100
b.	Provisional Degree / Passing Certificate	100	100
c.	Transcript	200	200
d.	Migration Certificate	200	200
e.	Duplicate Migration Certificate	1000	1000
f.	Degree Certificate - Presentia - Absentia	500 1000	500 1000
g.	Duplicate Degree Certificate	2000	2000
h.	Re-registration	2000	2000
i.	Duplicate Mark sheet/Transcript	1000	1000
j.	Re-checking/Verification of Grade	200	200

Note : * Girl students having Citizenship of India are exempted from Tuition & Hostel fees in all faculties.

- Fees once paid shall not be refunded.
- Caution money and deposits may be refunded by the Principal on demand by the student within one year of leaving / completion of the study.
- Each student is expected to become a member of Alumni Association, Co-operative Society or store, if any.
- If a student admitted on payment seat fails or his/her semester extends beyond stipulated duration, normal fees shall be charged.

ANTI-RAGGING

Students found involved in ragging or in any other misconduct, or on a verified report received from the affected student(s), the Dean(PG)/Dean of the college, shall immediately expel the concerned student(s) against whom the report is received from Hostel/College, for the current semester and the Dean shall further constitute a committee to probe and conduct enquiry into the matter and based on the report from the committee, shall pass the final orders on merit of the case within three working days.

HARASSMENT TO GIRLS / WOMAN

A woman complaint mechanism cell is established for protection against harassment to girl / woman students. Anyone found guilty will be punished suitably.

REPORTING AT COLLEGE LEVEL

- A candidate selected for admission shall report to the Dean/Principal of the concerned college on the date specified by the concerned University for the purpose of first registration.
- The First registration shall include following:
 - (1) Payment of fees at the time of counseling

- (2) Submission of original documents at respective college
- (3) Migration Certificate (candidates other than SAU's of Gujarat)
- (4) Orientation
- (5) Registration for courses
- (6) Submission of the course card within ten days failing which admission shall be treated as cancelled.
 - The admission of the candidates who fail to report on the specified date shall be treated as cancelled and the vacant seat will be allotted to the next candidate on the waiting list.
 - A candidate who is not in a position to report on the specified date due to unavoidable circumstances may register by paying fee through post or by a messenger on or before the date specified for registration.
 - A fresh post graduate student if joins service before submitting the thesis /project work, his/her registration shall automatically be cancelled.
 - A student enrolled in the university shall be given a registration number which shall have to be used along with his/her name in all the documents and correspondence pertaining to him/her with the University.
 - An Identity Card shall be issued to each registered student on completion of the first registration. The student shall carry it with him/her at all times and show the same when asked for. In case the Identity Card is lost, a new card shall be issued to him / her on payment of prescribed fee.

DISCLAIMER

The statements made in this prospectus and all other information contained herein is believed to be correct at the time of publication. However, the Universities reserve the rights to make, at any time without notice, changes in the regulations, conditions governing the conduct of student, requirements for degree, fees and any other information or changes in statement rules contained in the prospectus. No responsibility will be accepted by the University for hardship or expenses encountered by students or any other person for such changes, additions, omission or errors, no matter how they are caused.

General Instruction to Candidates for Post Graduate Studies

A candidate is expected to read and study the prospectus and the application form carefully.

1. All entries in the application form must be made legible by the candidate himself. Incomplete application will not be considered.
2. Attested Photostat copies of the below mentioned documents should be attached with the application form.
 - (i) SSC and HSC mark sheet and certificate
 - (ii) School leaving certificate
 - (iii) Mark sheets of all the semesters / years
 - (iv) Transcript
 - (v) Provisional Passing Certificate
 - (vi) Degree Certificate / Provisional Degree Certificate
 - (vii) Migration certificate in case of candidate belonging to other than SAUs of Gujarat.
 - (viii) Caste Certificate in case of SC/ST and SEBC candidate of Gujarat State from competent authority of the Gujarat State. The candidate belonging to SEBC should produce the certificate showing that he/she does not belong to creamy layer persons/ sections issued by the competent authority for the current year (issue on or after 1/4/15) otherwise he/she will not be considered against SEBC category.
 - (ix) Medical Fitness certificate.
 - (x) Physically Handicap Certificate if applicable.
 - (xi) Character certificate from where candidate obtained last degree.
3. Original Certificate / Mark sheet/ Documents should not be sent. However Original Certificate / Mark Sheet / Documents will have to be produced at the time of **admission** / counseling and payment of fees.
4. Student from any other University shall be disqualified for admission to the Post-graduate study, if Migration Certificate is not submitted within one month after admission.
5. Student coming from other University will have to obtain the Eligibility Certificate from the concerned Agricultural University of Gujarat on payment of prescribed fees, within one month after admission.
6. A candidate admitted to the Post-Graduate programme will have to apply separately for Hostel Admission at the time of joining the college.
7. Fees once paid will not be refunded.
8. Candidates who are successful in securing admission will be duly intimated about their selection. No separate intimation will be given to the unsuccessful candidates.
9. Once admitted, request for change of subject and / or college will not be entertained.
10. The candidate must bring photo identity proof for identity verification at the time of entrance test failing which he/she will not be allowed to appear in Entrance Test examination or Group Discussion or Counseling.
11. Sponsored candidates with 5 years experience shall have to produce NOC from their institute along with the application.