

SAMARPAN ARTS AND COMMERCE COLLEGE, GANDHINAGAR.

EVALUATIVE REPORT OF DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

1. Name of the department – Economics
2. Year of Establishment: 1996
3. Names of Programmes / Courses offered (UG, PG, M.Phil., Ph.D., Integrated Masters; Integrated Ph.D., etc.): B.A. (U.G.)
4. Names of Interdisciplinary courses and the departments/units involved- Nil
5. Annual/ semester/choice based credit system (programme wise)

Programme	Semester	Course Offered	
		Core Compulsory (CC)	Core Elective (CE)
B. A.	Semester I	CC-101 Elementary Economics I CC -102 Indian Economy I	EC (II)- 101 Indian Economy I
	Semester II	CC-111 Elementary Economics II CC-112 Indian Economy II	EC (II)- 111 Indian Economy II
	Semester III	CC-201 Micro Economics I CC-202 Economy of Gujarat I CC-203 Economic Systems	-----
	Semester IV	CC-211 Micro Economics II CC-212 Economy of Gujarat II CC-213 Economics of Development	-----
	Semester V	CC-301 Macro Economic Analysis CC-302 International Economics CC-303 Indian Economy III CC-304 Agricultural Economics CC-305 Economic Essays I	-----
	Semester VI	CC-311 Public Economics CC-312 Environmental Economics CC-313 Indian Economy IV CC-314 Industrial Economics CC-315 Economic Essays II	-----

6. Participation of the department in the courses offered by other departments Nil
7. Courses in collaboration with other universities, industries, foreign institutions, etc. Nil
8. Details of courses/programmes discontinued (if any) with reasons: Nil

9. Number of Teaching posts

	sanctioned	Filled
Professors	-----	-----
Associate Professors	01	01
Asst. Professors	02	01

10. Faculty profile with name, qualification, designation, specialization, (D.Sc./D.Litt. /Ph.D. / M. Phil. etc.,)

Name	Qualification	Designation	Specialization	No. of Years of Experience	No. of Ph.D. Students guided for the last 5 years
Prof. Nitendra Patel	M.A.	Associate Professor	Mathematical Economics	24 Years	-----
Prof. Jahidhusen Chauhan	M.A.	Assistant Professor	Public Finance	23 Years	-----

11. List of visiting faculty:

Name	Qualification	Place - From	No. of Years of Experience
Prof. Falguni Pandya	M.A.	Ahmedabad	2 years

12. Percentage of lectures delivered and practical classes handled(programme wise) by temporary faculty:

Semester	Course Code	Lectures %
I	CC – 101	92%
II	CC - 111	94%
III	CC - 202	89%
IV	CC - 212	90%
V	CC - 305	87%

VI	CC - 315	89%
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13. Student -Teacher Ratio (programme wise):

Year	Programme	No. of students	No. of teachers	Student-Teacher Ratio
2016-2017	B. A.	407	03	135 : 1

14. Number of academic support staff (technical) and administrative staff; sanctioned and filled Nil

15. Qualifications of teaching faculty with DSc/ D.Litt/ Ph.D/ MPhil/PG.

Name	Qualification	Designation
Prof. Nitendra Patel	M.A.	Associate Professor
Prof. Jahidhusen Chauhan	M.A.	Assistant Professor

16. Number of faculty with ongoing projects from a) National b) International funding agencies and grants received: Nil

The details of Major Research Project: Nil

17. Departmental projects funded by DST-FIST; UGC, DBT, ICSSR, etc. and total grants received: Nil

18. Research Centre /facility recognized by the University: Nil

19. Publications:

- * a) Publication per faculty
- * Number of papers published in peer reviewed journals (national / international) by faculty and students
- * Publications:

- * Number of publications listed in International Database (For Eg: Web of Science, Scopus, Humanities International Complete, Dare Database - International Social Sciences Directory, EBSCO host, etc.): Nil

* Monographs :Nil

• **Chapter in Books:**

Sr. No.	Name of the Faculty	Title of the Chapter	Title of the Book	Year	Vol./Page/ISBN
1.	Prof. N. N. Patel	Issues, Prospects, Challenges of Micro-Finance and Micro-Credit	Empowering Women Through Micro-Finance	2014	Page no. 278 ISBN 9789382037293
2.	Prof. J. G. Chauhan	Role of Values in Higher Education	Value Based Higher Education	2014	Page no. 127 ISBN 9788192499130

• **Details of books edited by the faculty: NIL**

* **Details of books published by the faculty: NIL**

- * SNIP: Nil
- * SJR: Nil
- * Impact factor: Nil
- * h-index: Nil

20. Areas of consultancy and income generated: Nil

21. Faculty as members in

National committees b) International Committees c) Editorial Boards...

22. Student projects:

Prof. J.G.Chauhan has guided 40 Post Graduate Students in P.G.Centre at Govt. Arts College, Gandhinagar on the various topic like Marketing, Agricultural Products, Environmental Economics, Preservation of Forest and Pollution.

- a) Percentage of students who have done in-house projects including inter departmental programme: 20%
- b) Percentage of students placed for projects in organizations outside the institution i.e.in Research laboratories/Industry/other agencies: Nil

23. Awards/ Recognitions received by faculty and students:

- a. Received by Faculty: Nil
- b. Received by Students: Nil

24. List of eminent academicians and scientists/ visitors to the department: Nil**25. Seminars/ Conferences/Workshops organized & the source of funding:**

State:NIL

National:NIL

International: NIL

26. Student profile programme/course wise: N.A.**27. Diversity of Students**

28. Name of the Course	29. (%) of students from the same state	30. (%) of students from other States	31. (%) of students from abroad
B.A.	100%	----	----

32. How many students have cleared national and state competitive examinations such as NET, SLET, GATE, Civil services, Defense services, etc.: Data Not Maintained.**33. Student progression: (Collective Data of last five years):Data Not Maintained****34. Details of Infrastructural facilities :**

a) Library:

- Books:302
- Journals: ---
- CD/DVDs:---

b) Internet facilities for Staff & Students: Yes

c) Class rooms with ICT facility: Yes

d) Laboratories: Nil

Number of students receiving financial assistance from college, university, government or other agencies:

Programme	Financial Assistance			
	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
B.A.				
B.COM.				

35. Details on student enrichment programmes (special lectures / workshops / seminar)

Sr. no.	Name of faculty visited	Date (dd/mm/yy)	From (place)	Topic	Beneficiary (Students & Professors)
1.	Shri Rashminbhai Patel	1996 onwards One week per year	Gandhinagar Dist. Cooperative Society	Cooperative Training Classes	50 Students and faculty

36. Teaching methods adopted to improve student learning:

- Lecture Method
- Teaching through Power Point Presentations
- Classroom Seminars
- Video recorded lectures of SANDHAN
- Assignments
- Group Discussion
- Class Tests

37. Participation in Institutional Social Responsibility (ISR) and Extension activities:

Prof. NiterndraN.Patel

- Associated with social and religious services of ‘SarvajivhitavahshriswaminarayanGurukul’ Kanbha
- Associated with an autonomous college St.Xaviers college, Ahmedabad.
- Served as a subject expert in P.G. Course at Bhavanagar University.
- Officiated as a judge by Gujarat Vidhyapith, Ahmedabad for various competition in Economics

Prof. JahidhusenG.Chauhan

- Has served as a trustee of ‘Kasba Education Trust’, Modasa
- Has served as a member of working committee of trust of the minority ‘Makhdup Education Trust’
- Has served as a Coopt member of ‘Muslim Education Trust’ Modasa.
- Has been honoured by ‘Muslim Education and welfare Trust’, Gandhinagar for delivering an inspiring and informative lecture on ‘Importance of Education’

38. SWOC analysis of the department and Future plans

1 Strength :

- Department / Institute is located in the capital city of Gujarat.
- Good Interaction with management which gives exposure to students and teachers.

- Committed professors

2 Weakness:

- Lack of Publications
- Inadequate Knowledge of Computer Skills
- Insufficient resources of subject based journals in the library

3 Opportunities:

- Skill Development Courses can be introduced under CBCS at UG B.Com.
- To start more value added courses.

4. Challenges:

- Retaining talented faculty for the vacant posts.
- Teaching becomes weaker and poor due to over strength of students in classrooms. So many of the students are not serious about studies. So teaching uninterested students becomes a great challenge.
- Personality Development and Communication Skills Programs for students from weaker socio economic backgrounds.