

Departments of Economics

1. **Name of the department :** Economics

2. **Year of Establishment** 1987

3. **Names of Programmes/Courses offered (UG, PG, etc.):**

1. **U.G.** : B. A.

2. **P.G.** : M. A.

4. **Certificate Course (occasionally) :**

- Co-Operative Training Course

5. **Names of Interdisciplinary courses and the departments/units involved :**

- **Computer Application (PG)**

6. **Annual/ semester/choice based credit system (programme wise) :**

CBCS with Semester

7. **Participation of the department in the courses offered by other departments :**

UG Commerce

8. **Courses in collaboration with other universities, industries, foreign institutions, etc. :**

(I) " Co-Operative Training Course " - A Certificate Course occasionally organized in collaboration with District Co-Operative Union , Sabarkantha, Himatanagar

(II) Research Oriented Workshop - occasionally organized in collaboration with Gujarat Economic Association.

9. **Number of Teaching posts**

Post	Sanctioned	Filled
Professors	-	-
Associate Professors	1	1
Asst. Professors	2	1

10. Faculty profile :

Name	Qualification	Designation	Specialization	No. of Years of Experience
1.Dr. R. J. Desai	M.A., Ph.D	Assoc.Professor	1. Economics 2. WaterResource Management 3. Public Expenditure 4. Tourism	29
2.Dr.S.P.Solanki	M.A., M.Phil., Ph.D.,NET	Assi.Professor	Economics and Tribal Economy	1

11. Teacher - Student Ratio (Programme wise) :**(1) U.G. - : B. A. - 1 : 113.5 , B. Com. - 1 : 38****(2) P.G. -1 : 21.5****12. Qualifications of teaching faculty :****(1) Ph. D. : 2****(2) Ph. D.,NET : 1****13. Number of faculty completed research projects from a) National b) International funding agencies and grants received :**

No.	Name	Name of Project Status	Funding Agency	Grant Sanctioned (in Lac)	Grant Received (in Lac)
1.	Dr. R.J.Desai	" Tourism Development in Tribal Aria"	UGC – CPE	1	1

14. Research Centre : Establishment of the tribal research centre**15. Details about Ph.D Guide and Ph.D Students(Last Five Year)**

Sr. no.	Name of		
		Ph.D Complited	Ph.D Ongoing
1.	Dr. R. J. Desai	2	3

16. Publications : (Last five Years)

A) Publication per faculty :

Number of papers published in peer reviewed journals (national / international) by faculty , Chapter in Books, Books Edited.

Name of Faculty	Research Paper / Article				Books		
	Peer Reviewed Journals			Others	Signal Author	Co- Author	Edited
	Inter National	National	State				
DR. R. J. Desai	-	1	5	1	1	3	1

- **Number of Books with ISBN/ISSN numbers**

1. . Dr.R.J. Desai : 3

b) Publication of Students :

Subject related articles written and compiled by students are displayed in " Spandan " - a wall Magazine and published " Brahmkshetra " occasionally

17. Faculty as members in (Last Five years)

- **Dr. R. J. Desai**

- Member of Board of Study , H.N.G. University, Patan
- Executive Member of North Gujarat Economic Association : since Year 2012-13
- Executive Member of Gujarat Economic Association: since 2017-18 to 2022-23
- Life Member of Indian Economic Association.

19. Students placed for projects in organizations outside the institution i.e.in Research laboratories/Industry/ other agencies :

20. List of eminent academicians and Social scientists /visitors to the department (Last Five Years)

Sr.No.	Name	Subject	Date
1.	Dr. Sanjay Pardeshi. Professor, Economics Department, Gujarat university, Amdavad	Atmnirbhar Bharat	2.9.23
2.	Dr. Srita Agrawal Professor, Economics Department, Central university, Gujarat, Gandhinagar	75 Years of Independence :Indian Economy	23.1.24

21. Seminars/ Conferences/Workshops organized & the source of funding (Last five Years)

Sr. no	workshops /seminar	Date
1.	Population Seminar	13.7.21

22. Students have cleared national and state competitive examinations such as NET, SLET, GATE, Civil services, Defense services, etc. (Last Five Years)

- various competitive examinations : 27 Students(Approximately)

23. Details of Infrastructural facilities

a) Library : Central Library

b) Internet facilities for Staff & Students :

- Library, Reading Room, Language Lab., Computer lab. and Staff room
- wi - fi accessibility in the Campus.

c) Class rooms with ICT facility

24. Students receiving financial assistance from college, university, government or other agencies

- Our Institution provides the State government's Scholarship to the Backward Class, lower / Poor class and handicap students.
- If necessary /needed our Institution also provides fee - paying to the poor students through our " Alp Sadhan Sahay Yojana ".
- Our institution also provide books through Book Bank Scheme.
- HPCL Provides the Scholarship to SC,ST, OBC students through CSR Schemes.

25. Teaching methods adopted to improve student learning

ICT Based Teaching, Class Seminar , Question -answer System, Assignment, video from KCG and UGC, Field work etc..

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

Faculty and Students are actively Participate in various Social, Value Based and Extension activities organized by the college .

1. Cleanness move
2. Tree plantation
3. NSS activities
4. Cloth distribution to poor people in Surrounding area.

27. SWOC analysis of the department and Future plans

1. Strengths

- Well Qualified Faculty
- Good Infrastructure Facility

2. Weakness

- Language Barrier of the Students
- Research work is affected due to Semester system(CBSC)
- Shortage of Faculty

3. Opportunities

- Tribal Research
- Extension Activity in Tribal and Rural Area.
- Introduce new Course in the Global Relevance

4. Challenges

- To increase employability of students in the context of Global Economic Environment.
- To Cultivate research attitude in students regarding economic issues.

5. Future plans

- Organize State/National Seminar/workshop
- Training to Student for Research Work
- To prepare students for compiling and writing articles to economics.