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02.	<b>Educational Qualification</b>	B.Sc. Ag., M. Sc. (Agri.) (Genetics and Plant Breeding, Ph.D. (Genetics)
03.	Designation	Scientist- C
04.	Core Specialization	<ul> <li>Quantitative Genetics, Population Genetics, Tree Breeding, Germplasm collection and conservation. Establishing seed orchards</li> </ul>
05.	Research Interest	<ul> <li>Quantitative Genetics</li> <li>Population Genetics</li> <li>Conventional Tree Breeding (Selection of CPTs, Progeny trials etc.,)</li> <li>Establishing seed Orchards (Seedling Seed Orchard &amp; Clonal seedOrchard)</li> <li>Establishing SPA (Seed Production Area)</li> </ul>
06.	Ongoing projects	<ul> <li>Genetic improvement of <i>Acacia auriculiformis</i> through half-sib progeny selection.</li> <li>Development of advanced generation seed orchard of <i>A. mangium</i> based on biomass and wood density.</li> </ul>
07.	Publication	20
	Books Chapters in Books	 2
08.	Research papers National International Reviews Popular articles Consultancies rendered	7 4 1 Training on "DATA DI US and CENSTAT
09.	Trainings	<ul> <li>Training on "DATA PLUS and GENSTAT statistical package" Training was given by Dr. Chris Harwood from CSIRO Australia</li> <li>Research Writing" organized by National Forest Library &amp;Information Center, FRI Dehradun.</li> <li>"Training on Research Methodology with emphasis on Statistics" organized by Indian Statistical Institute</li> </ul>

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Familiarisation training programme on Forestry" organized by SFScollege Coimbatore.

- a training programme on Decision Support tools and techniques for senior scientists sponsored by Department of Science & Technology, GOI
- ➤ a training programme entitled "Seventh Foundation Training Programme for Scientists and Technologists" conducted at IIPA New Delhi".3 months

10. Foreign visits

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