

Profile (G M Patel)



A dynamic technical professional with over five decades of rich operating cum technical experience in the largest fertilizer cum petrochemical complex of India, being associated with M/s Gujarat State Fertilizers and Chemicals Ltd till May 2009 from November 1970 and retired as Executive Director (Operations) & MR with one year extension granted by Chief Secretary Gujarat Government being Chairman of GSFC. Thereafter He worked/is working as Project/Technical professional for basic technical support/consultancy to more than five Indian as well as international corporations.

At present he is giving technical cum management skill developing webinars to university, colleges, associations, institutions and industries.

During academic career, he was rewarded Government Teachers' children scholarship for six years (1964-1970) of Rs. 100/- per month.

After acquiring BE (Chemical) education with first class with distinction throughout school to university study in 1970, He had been with India's one of largest integrated fertilizer cum petrochemical complex GSFC, Vadodara since November '70 till he left post retirement in June 2009 after serving one year more on extension granted by GSFC management chaired by Chiefsecretary of GoG on attaining superannuation age.

He has worked in GSFC starting as GET in Phosphatic fertilizer's complex. Thereafter he has also worked in ammonia-urea complex coupled with argon recovery unit.

He has also worked in technical services for monitoring, modifications, modernization, safety, HAZOP study, revamping, project proposal evaluation study and liaison with GOI for FICC, environment issues, energy conservation cell etc. before he reached to **Executive Director** in operation division coordinating operation coordination of whole Baroda complex and also looking after overall control of technical cum administrative control of Sikka Unit (Phosphatic fertilizers) and Kosamba Unit (Nylon chips and yarn).

Thus he has rich operation experience of nearly 39 years in such large complex in all areas of diverse functional departments up to apex management level. Thus he has executive experience on enhancing productivity in true sense by continual improvement in energy, cost reduction, environment issues, safety, quality control, firefighting , IMS cell for acquiring accreditation in ISO 9001, ISO 14001, ISO 18001 (IMS) and Responsible Care logo for GSFC all four units. He worked as Management Representative (MR) in this triumph for such big complex and handled surveillance certification processes also during this responsibility assigned. During ED operation position he also discharged duties as Factory Manager. He was also representing GSFC in Disaster Management cell of Baroda under chairmanship of District Collector.