



DEPARTMENT OF VETERINARY PATHOLOGY

About Department

The Department of Veterinary Pathology is a specialized division of Veterinary Science dedicated to the study of animal diseases at the tissue, organ, cellular, and molecular levels. The department plays a pivotal role in diagnosing diseases, guiding clinicians in clinical decision-making, supporting researchers, improving animal health, and preventing disease outbreaks.

The department offers:

- B.V.Sc. & A.H. Programme (as per VCI Regulations – 2016)
- M.V.Sc. & Ph.D. Programmes (as per ICAR Restructured & Revised Postgraduate Syllabi, 2021 – Vol. 3)

With a blend of academic excellence, advanced research, and diagnostic expertise, the department continues to contribute significantly to veterinary education and animal healthcare.

Facilities

The department is well-equipped with modern facilities to support undergraduate and postgraduate teaching, research activities, and diagnostic investigations.

Faculty details

1.	Name	Dr. J. K. Raval	
	Designation	Associate Professor and Head	
	Qualification	Ph.D.	
	Experience in years	15	
	Publication (No. of research papers)	40	
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2.	Name	Dr. B. H. Priyadarshi	
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	Qualification	Ph.D.	
	Experience in years	1 Year 6 Months	
	Publication (No. of research papers)	05	
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3.	Name	Dr. J. C. Thakor	
	Designation	Assistant Professor	
	Qualification	Ph.D.	
	Experience in years	2 Years 6 months	
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4.	Name	Dr. P. B. Dabhi	
	Designation	Assistant Professor	
	Qualification	Ph.D.	
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	Publication (No. of research papers)	18	
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Diagnostic Services

The department provides comprehensive diagnostic services for animal diseases referred for investigation. The key services include:

- Post-mortem diagnosis
- Rabies diagnosis
- Poultry disease diagnosis
- Histopathology
- Exfoliative cytology
- Farm inquiries & epidemiological investigations

These services not only aid in disease management but also contribute to surveillance and control strategies at the field level.

Extension Activities

The department actively engages in extension and outreach activities aimed at knowledge transfer and awareness creation. Key initiatives include:

- Dissemination of information to farmers, pet owners, and commercial clients on disease diagnostics, laboratory services, and preventive healthcare.
- Training programs for veterinarians in the private sector, field veterinary officers, livestock inspectors, farmers, and postgraduate students from other institutes.
- Media outreach through radio and television to educate and update the public on pressing animal health issues.

Recognitions & Awards

The faculty members of the Department of Veterinary Pathology have been consistently recognized for their contributions and have received numerous awards and honors from various professional and scientific bodies.

Current Research Focus

The department is at the forefront of research in several specialized areas, including:

- Toxicopathology
- Histopathology and histochemistry
- Diagnostic pathology
- Oncology
- Avian pathology

Through these research endeavours, the department is contributing to scientific advancements that improve diagnostic accuracy, therapeutic interventions, and disease prevention strategies in animals.

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