

HARSHILKUMAR PONKIYA

M.Sc Agriculture Analytics

EDUCATION

Dhirubhai Ambani Institute of Information and Communication Technology (DA-IICT), IIRS-ISRO, and Anand Agriculture University(AAU) CPI: 7.56

₩ July 2023 - Present

Q Gandhinagar, Gujarat

B.Tech Agricultural Engineering - Junagadh Agriculture University(JAU)

CGPA: 7.20

2018 - 2022

♀ Junagadh, Gujarat

Class 12th School (GHSEB)

Percentage: 65%

2016 - 2018

Q Gandhinagar, Gujarat

Class 10th School (GSEB)

Percentage:70 %

2014 - 2016

Q Gandhinagar, Gujarat

SKILLS

Area(s) of Interest: Geospatial Analytics, Agriculture Analytics, Data Analytics, AI for Satellite Data Processing, Data Visualization, Data Scientist, etc.

Programming Languages: Python, SQL, R

Tools and Technologies : GEE(Google Earth Engine), QGIS, ArcGIS, ERDAS IMAGINE, PostGIS, PostgreSQL

Libraries: NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Pytorch, Keras, GDAL, GeoPandas, Rasterio, Scikitlearn, etc.

Business Intelligence Tools : Power-bi, Tableau, Google Looker Studio, Advance Excel.

INTERESTS

- Al in Agriculture
- Precision Agriculture

PROJECTS

What Crop to Grow ?? Dehradun, IIRS-ISRO

February 2024 - March-2024

- A Crop Recommendation project using Machine Learning aims to leverage datadriven insights to optimize crop selection for farmers.
- Guide: Dr. Kamal Panday (IIRS-ISRO)

LAI Estimation of Wheat crop, Palampur-Himachal Pradesh Dehradun, IIRS-ISRO

March 2024 - April 2024

- Employed Google Earth Engine for satellite data analysis, alongside Python and machine learning techniques, to develop a predictive model for Wheat Crop Leaf Area Index (LAI) in Palampur, Kangra District, Himachal Pradesh.
- **Guide:** Dr. N R Patel (Scientist-ASD, IIRS-ISRO)

Drought Analysis in Kutch-Gujarat DAIICT, Gujarat

- Objective: Establish an early warning system that can provide timely alerts to farmers, local authorities, and relevant stakeholders about impending drought conditions, allowing for proactive measures and resource planning.
- Guide: Dr. Kamal Panday (IIRS-ISRO)

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

Batch Representative, M.Sc Agriculture Analytics 2023-25

Served as the primary liaison between faculty and students, ensuring effective communication and addressing student concerns. Coordinated academic and extracurricular activities, promoted student engagement, and supported internships and placement efforts.

July 2023 - Present

EXPERIENCE

Satyukt Analytics Pvt Ltd.

Remote Sensing Intern

m June 2024 - July 2024

- Crop Discrimination for Rabi Crops in West Bengal (2023-24):
- Processing Satellite imagery and developing insights out of them.
- Run and develop models for developing insights.
- Feature identification and classification from satellite images.
- Prepare reports and maps.
- Utilized Python and Google Earth Engine along with machine learning techniques to analyze satellite imagery and ground truth points for accurate crop classification.
- **Guide:** Dr. Sat Kumar Tomer, CEO at Satyukt Analytics Pvt Ltd.

Captain Tractors Pvt Ltd.

GET Research and Development

- Product Life Cycle Understanding: Gained knowledge in managing the life cycle of new products, from development through to market introduction, ensuring successful product launches.
- Training Materials: Created and organized training materials for distributors and sales teams.
- Surveys and Assessments: Conducted surveys and site assessments to gather product requirements.
- Analyzing Product Requirements: Assisted in analyzing survey data and customer feedback to document product requirements, supporting the development of products tailored to market demands.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Completed certificate course in "Spatial modeling in ArcGIS" (ESRI India)
- Completed Certification course "Application of Adavanced Geospatial Technologies in Agriculture" by AMNEX Infotech Pvt. Ltd.
- Completed Certification course on "Advance Excel, Power BI, Tableau" by Pioneer Tech.
- 3-days of training on "Microwave data processing" by SAC-ISRO.