



DEPARTMENT OF VETERINARY PATHOLOGY

College of Veterinary Science & Animal Husbandry

Navsari Centre (Kamdhenu University), Gandhinagar

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Teaching Faculty in Department

| Sr. No. | Name | Designation | Contact Details | Joining Year in NAU | Qualification | Total Experience | Publications Research Papers |
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| 1 | Dr. P. D. Vihol | Associate Professor and Head | 9428489534 drpriti@kamdhenuuni.edu.in | 2009 | Ph.D. | 12 Years | Research papers: 40 Book chapters : 02 |
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About the department

Department of Veterinary Pathology was established in the year 2008 under flagship of late Associate Director of Research (NAU, Navsari) cum Professor & Head, Dr. G. S. Rao. Department imparts under graduate and post graduate education to the students, furnishes the need of basic and applied research on various aspects of livestock health and it also serves the society by providing veterinary extension activities, health care services and expert advice on the matters of disease diagnosis. In the department, museum of gross specimens of various diseases/ condition is also under development. Museum of gross specimens of various diseases/ conditions is also maintained in the department. The department also provides diagnostic pathological services like hematology, biochemical analysis and urinalysis. Besides it also provides diagnosis through histopathological and biopsy examination, cytology and postmortem examination of animals and birds.

Research Area

- Oncology
- Histopathology and immunohistochemistry
- Toxicopathology
- Infectious and non infectious diseases of animals and birds

Projects in Brief

| Sr. No. | Project title | Name of Investigators | Year of completion | Sponsoring agency |
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| Departmental Projects | | | | |
| 1. | Surveillance of inorganic xenobiotic cadmium in blood or urine samples of livestock in the vicinity of industrial areas of South Gujarat. | Dr. B. J. Trangadia (PI) Dr. P. D. Vihol Dr. J. M. Patel Dr. Sonal Tripathi | 2013 | NAU |
| 2. | Surveillance of bovine milk samples for prevalence of Brucella and Mycobacterium spp. | Dr. P. D. Vihol (PI) Dr. B. J. Trangadia Dr. J. M. Patel | 2014 | NAU |
| 3. | Sero-diagnosis of caprine paratuberculosis in selected organized farms and panjarapoles of South Gujarat | Dr. B. J. Trangadia (PI) Dr. B.P. Brahmkshtri | 2016 | NAU |
| 4. | Histopathological study on renal lesions in animals | Dr. P. D. Vihol (PI) Dr. J.M. Patel Dr. J. K. Raval Dr. H. C. Parmar Dr. J. H. Patel Dr. I. H. Kalyani | 2020 | NAU |
| 5. | Serodiagnosis of <i>Peste des petits ruminants</i> (PPR) in goats from south Gujarat | Dr. J. M. Patel (PI) Dr. P. D. Vihol Dr. J. K. Raval Dr. G. M. Pandya | Ongoing | KU |
| Other agency projects | | | | |
| 1. | Establishment of Regional Animal Disease Diagnosis & Research Laboratory" (BH: 12049) | Dr. P. D. Vihol (Co-PI) Dr. J.M. Patel (Co-PI) | Ongoing | Govt. of Gujarat |
| 2. | All India network project on fish health (AINPFH) (B.H.: 2097) | Dr. P. D. Vihol (Co-PI) | Ongoing | ICAR |

Achievements and List of Research Publications**Number of PG students passed out:**

No. of students M.V.Sc : 13 (Completed)

No. of students Ph. D. : 02 (Ongoing)
No. of students Ph. D. : 05 (Completed)

Research highlight:

- Patho-epidemiological studies on economically important diseases leptospirosis, PPR and brucellosis were carried out.
- Cancer biomarker AgNORs was studied in spontaneous canine mammary tumors. Other biomarkers like PCNA, Ki67 and VEGF were studied in induced rat mammary tumors.
- Clinicopathological studies on renal and hepatic functional status as well as and non-parasitic and ectoparasite induced dermatoses in canines
- Pathology and molecular study of *Escherichia coli* infection in poultry

List of research publications:

1. Vihol, Priti D.; Patel, J. H.; Ghodasara, D. J.; Joshi, B. P. and Prajapati, K. S. (2008). Genotoxicity studies of sodium dichromate in wistar rats. *The Indian Journal of field Veterinarians*. 4(2): 13-15.
2. Vihol, P.D.; Patel, J. H.; Varia, R.D.; Patel, J. M.; Ghodasara, D. J.; Joshi B. P. and Prajapati, K. S. (2012) . Effects of Sodium Dichromate on Haemato-biochemical Parameters in Wistar Rats. *Journal of Pharmacology and Toxicology*. 7 (1): 58-63.
3. J. M. Patel, D. V. Joshi, B. J. Patel, H. B. Patel, P. D. Vihol, A. R. Bhadaniya, V. A. Kalaria, J. H. Patel and M. C. Prasad (2013). Alpha-cypermethrin induced toxicity in wistar rats: haematobiochemical profiles and oxidative status. *Journal of Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology*. 12(1-2): 65-68.
4. J. M. Patel, P. D. Vihol, M. C. Prasad, I.H.Kalyani, J.K.Raval, K.M.Patel, Sushma Thirumalesh and V. Balamurugan (2014). Seroepidemiological pattern of leptospirosis in bovine of South Gujarat, India. *Veterinary World*, 7:999-1003.
5. K.K. Sharma, D.P. Kshirsagar, I.H.Kalyani, D. R. Patel, P. D. Vihol and J. M. Patel. (2015). Diagnosis of peste des petitsruminants infection in small ruminants through in-house developed Indirect ELISA: Practical considerations. *Veterinary World*, 8: 443-448.
6. Sindha M. J., Trangadia B. J., Vihol P. D., Parmar R. S. and Patel B. V. (2015). Clinicopathological evaluation of non-parasitic dermatoses in canines, *Veterinary World* 8(11): 1346-1350.
7. N. B. Patel, A.B. Folsoundar, T.K.S. Rao, R.R. Singh and J.M. Patel (2015). Effect of body cooling systems on micro-climatic variable in semi loose house for animals during hot-dry and hot-humid conditions of coastal India. *Journal of Applied and Natural Science*, (2015), 7(2): 729-733.
8. J. M. Patel, D.R. Patel, S.V.Mavadiya, J.B. Solanki, P.D.Vihol, K.K. Sharma, B .J. Trangadia and I.H. Kalyani (2015). Clinicopathological investigation of an outbreak of peste des petits ruminants in small ruminants in South Gujarat, India. *Indian J. Vet. Pathol.* (2015), 39(1): 20-23.

9. J. M. Patel, P.D. Vihol, J.K. Raval, K. M. Patel, N.F. Chaudhary, P.H. Rathod and J.H. Patel (2015). Seroprevalence of leptospirosis in clinically ailing bovine. *Journal of Animal Research*, 4:31-35.
10. Jignesh M. Patel, Mahesh C. Prasad, Priti D.Vihol, Navin B. Patel, Kartik M. Patel and Balkrushna P. Brahmkshtri (2015). Leptospirosis in Bovines: Haematobiochemical and Urine Analysis Studies. *Journal of Animal Research*, 5(3): 449-454.
11. V. S. Dabas, R.H. Bhatt, D.N. Suthar, S.K. Zhala, C.F. Chaudhari and J.M.Patel (2016). Therapeutic management of haemoprotozoan infection with reference to haematological changes in canines and bovines. *The Indian Journal of Veterinary Science & Biotechnology*, 11(4):45-48.
12. J. M. Patel, P. D. Vihol, V. S. Dabas, M.C. Prasad, J.H. Patel, C.F. Chaudhari, N.B. Patel and K.M. Patel. (2016). Seroepidemiological study of leptospirosis in buffaloes of South Gujarat, India. *Buffalo Bulletin*. 35(3): 383-388.
13. Vihol P. D., Jignesh M. Patel, Jatin H. Patel, Mahesh C. Prasad, Irsadullakhan H. Kalyani and Balkrushna P. Brahmkshtri (2016). Caprine leptospirosis: Hematobiochemical and urinalyses studies. *Veterinary World*, 9:337-341.
14. Vihol P. D., Patel J. M., Patel J. H., Prasad M. C., Kalyani I. H. and Raval J. K. (2016). Serological and clinicopathological studies on leptospirosis among sheep. *Journal of Animal Researc*. 6(4): 571-577.
15. Vihol P. D., Patel J. M., Trangadia B. J., Prasad M. C., Parmar Vijay and Brahmkshtri B. P. (2017). Urolithiasis in an Asiatic Lion (*Panthera leo persica*): A case report. *Indian J. Vet. Pathol.*, 41(1): 45-47.
16. Vihol P. D., J.M. Patel, J.H. Patel, J.K. Raval, Y.R. Patel, K.D. Thakor and P.P. Panchal (2017). Eimeria species infection in Surti goat kids. *International Journal of Science, Environment and Technology*, 6(2): 1421 – 1425.
17. Kishan K. Sharma, Irsadullakhan H. Kalyani, JogeswarMhopatra, Satish D. Patel, Dharmesh R. Patel, Priti D. Vihol, Abhijit Chatterjee, Dinesh R. Patel and Bhavesh Vyas (2017). Evaluation of the oncolytic potential of R2B Mukteshwar vaccine strain of Newcastle disease virus (NDV) in a colon cancer cell line (SW-620). *Archives of Virology*. 162(9): 2705-2713.
18. Vihol P. D., J.M. Patel, J.H. Patel, M. C. Prasad, V. S. Dabas, I. H. Kalyani and K. K. Tyagi (2017). Seroepidemiology of caprine leptospirosis in South Gujarat region of India. *Int.J.Curr.Microbiol. App.Sci.*, 6(3): 1599-1608.
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20. Vihol P. D, J. H. Patel., J. M. Patel., V. S. Dabas., I. H. Kalyani, C. F. Chaudhari and A. C. Patel (2017). Identification of pathogenic *Leptospira* spp. carrier goats using Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR). *Int. J. Curr. Microbiol. App. Sci.* 6(12): 2174-2183.
21. Vihol P. D, J.M. Patel, J.H. Patel, I.H. Kalyani, J.K. Raval, R.D. Varia and Pushpa H. Rathod. (2017). Serological study for detection of antileptospiral antibodies among

- goats in South Gujarat region. International Journal of Science, Environment and Technology, 6(2): 1019 – 1027.
22. Yash R. Patel, Jignesh M. Patel, Priti D. Vihol, I.H. Kalyani, Pramod S. Sakare, Pratik P. Panchal and Kaushik D. Thakor (2017). Seroprevalence of Peste des Petits Ruminants (PPR) in Navsari and Valsad Districts of South Gujarat. Int. J. Curr. Microbiol. App. Sci., 6(8): 221-228.
 23. J.M. Patel, M.C. Prasad, P.D. Vihol, I.H. Kalyani, M.G. Prajapati, H.C. Parmar, R.D. Varia and K.M. Patel (2017). Seroprevalence of Leptospira hardjo in Cattle of Gujarat, India. Int. J. Curr. Microbiol. App. Sci., 6(11): 1304-1310.
 24. Yash R. Patel, Jignesh M. Patel, Priti D. Vihol, I.H. Kalyani, Jayesh B. Solanki and Pratik P. Panchal (2017). Pathomorphological Studies of Peste Des Petits Ruminants (PPR) in Goats of Navsari and Valsad Districts, India. Int. J. Curr. Microbiol. App. Sci., 6(12): 238-244.
 25. J.M. Patel, P.D. Vihol, M.C. Prasad, J.H. Patel, J.K. Raval and I.H. Kalyani (2017). Polymerase Chain Reaction in the Diagnosis of Spontaneous Leptospirosis in Bovines. Int. J. Curr. Microbiol. App. Sci. 6(12): 1723-1728.
 26. J. K. Raval, Vikas Jaiswal, J. M. Patel, P. D. Vihol, H. C. Parmar, J. H. Patel and B. P. Joshi (2018). Genotoxicity Studies of Arsenic, Lead and Their Interaction in Wistar Rats. *International Journal of Current Microbiology and Applied Sciences*. 7(11): 3536-3539.
 27. J. K. Raval., M. C. Prasad, H. C. Parmar, J. M. Patel, P. D. Vihol, J. H. Patel and I. H. Kalyani (2019). Ameliorative effects of *eugenia jambolana* seeds aqueous extract on Diabetes induced oxidative stress in rats *Haryana Vet.* 58(2), 232-235
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 29. V.M. Prajapati, G.S. Rao, H.G. Vamja, R.S. Parmar and P.D. Vihol (2019). Clinicopathological assessment of renal functional status in canines. *Veterinary Research International*. 7(2): 88-91.
 30. Raval J. K., Patel J. M., Vihol P. D., Parmar Hitesh, C., Patel D. G. and Patel Jatin, H. (2019). Clinico-pathological changes in hepatozoonosis in dogs. Int. J. Curr. Microbiol. App. Sci. 8(11): 928-932.
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 33. J. M. Patel, P. D. Vihol, M. C. Prasad, J. H. Patel, N. B. Patel and K. M. Patel (2020). Pathomorphological changes in vital organs of buffaloes (*Bubalus bubalis*) naturally infected with leptospirosis. *Buffalo Bulletin*. 39 (4): 483-491.

34. Pratik P. Panchal, Jignesh M. Patel, Priti D. Vihol, J. K. Raval, D. R. Patel, Nikhil Danger, I. H. Kalyani and Patel, N. M. (2020). Serotyping and Prevalence of Escherichia coli Infection in Poultry of South Gujarat based on Culture Isolation and Identification. *International Journal of Current Microbiology and Applied Sciences*. 9(10): 3876-3883.

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Photo Gallery

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| Section cutting in automatic microtome | Automatic microtome |
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| Microscopes in laboratory | Pathological specimens |

Courses offered by the Department (Theory and Practical)

Undergraduate Programme

| Sr. No. | Name of Course | Credit |
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| 1 | UNIT: 1 GENERAL VETERINARY PATHOLOGY | 3+2 |
| 2 | UNIT-2 SYSTEMIC VETERINARY PATHOLOGY | |
| 3 | UNIT-3 ANIMAL ONCOLOGY, VETERINARY CLINICAL PATHOLOGY AND NECROPSY | |
| 4 | UNIT-4 PATHOLOGY OF INFECTIOUS AND NON-INFECTIOUS DISEASES OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS | |
| 5 | UNIT-5 AVIAN PATHOLOGY | |
| 6 | UNIT -6 PATHOLOGY OF DISEASES OF LABORATORY AND WILD ANIMALS | |

Master Degree Programme

| Sr. No. | CODE | COURSE TITLE | CREDITS |
|---------|---------|--|---------|
| 1. | VPP 601 | GENERAL PATHOLOGY | 2+1 |
| 2. | VPP 602 | TECHNIQUES IN PATHOLOGY | 1+1 |
| 3. | VPP 603 | ANIMAL ONCOLOGY | 1+1 |
| 4. | VPP 604 | CLINICAL PATHOLOGY | 1+2 |
| 5. | VPP 605 | NECROPSY PROCEDURES AND INTERPRETATIONS I | 0+1 |
| 6. | VPP 606 | NECROPSY PROCEDURES AND INTERPRETATIONS II | 0+1 |
| 7. | VPP 607 | SYSTEMIC PATHOLOGY | 2+1 |
| 8. | VPP 608 | PATHOLOGY OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS | 2+1 |
| 9. | VPP 609 | TOXICOPATHOLOGY | 2+1 |
| 10. | VPP 610 | AVIAN PATHOLOGY | 2+1 |
| 11. | VPP 611 | PATHOLOGY OF LABORATORY ANIMALS, FISH AND WILD ANIMALS | 2+1 |
| 12. | VPP 612 | VETEROLEGAL PATHOLOGY | 1+0 |
| 13. | VPP 691 | MASTER'S SEMINAR | 1+0 |

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| 14. | VPP 699 | MASTER'S RESEARCH | 20 |
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Ph.D. Programme

| Sr. No. | CODE | COURSE TITLE | CREDITS |
|---------|---------|--|---------|
| 1. | VPP 701 | PATHOLOGY OF NUTRITIONAL AND METABOLIC DISTURBANCES | 2+1 |
| 2. | VPP 702 | ADVANCES IN TOXICOPATHOLOGY | 2+1 |
| 3. | VPP 703 | ADVANCES IN DIAGNOSTIC PATHOLOGY | 1+2 |
| 4. | VPP 704 | ULTRASTRUCTURAL PATHOLOGY | 1+1 |
| 5. | VPP 705 | IMMUNOPATHOLOGY | 2+1 |
| 6. | VPP 706 | PATHOLOGY OF IMPORTANT AND EMERGING DISEASES OF PETS AND LIVESTOCK | 1+1 |
| 7. | VPP 707 | ADVANCES IN AVIAN PATHOLOGY | 2+1 |
| 8. | VPP 708 | PATHOLOGY OF FUNGAL DISEASES | 2+1 |
| 9. | VPP 709 | MOLECULAR PATHOLOGY OF CELL INJURY | 2+1 |
| 10. | VPP 710 | EXPERIMENTAL PATHOLOGY | 1+1 |
| 11. | VPP 790 | SPECIAL PROBLEM | 0+2 |
| 12. | VPP 791 | DOCTORAL SEMINAR I | 1+0 |
| 13. | VPP 792 | DOCTORAL SEMINAR II | 1+0 |
| 14. | VPP 799 | DOCTORAL RESEARCH | 45 |