## **MACS-Agharkar Research Institute**

### Citizen's Charter

## **Vision**

Our goal is to excel as an internationally recognised centre of multidisciplinary life science research that focuses on industrial development, human health and environment.

#### **Mission**

Conduct basic and applied research in life sciences and harness the genetic diversity of microbes, plants and animals towards a cleaner environment, sustainable agriculture and better health of the masses.

# **Objectives**

- Undertake research in cutting-edge science and its applications
- Develop and translate technologies for cleaner environment and better health
- Develop and adopt practices for sustainable agriculture

### **Services transacted**

Repository	Services	Eligibility criteria and application process; Time limits for service delivery; Required documents and applicable fees	Contact details of responsible officers
Agharkar Herbarium (AHMA)	Maintenance of Plant Specimens and their Identification		020-25325057
Ajrekar Mycological Herbarium (AMH)	Maintenance of Fungal and Lichen Specimens and their Identification		020-25325103
National Fungal Culture Collection of India (NFCCI)	Deposit and accession of fungal cultures, Authentication of fungi, Supply of authentic active fungal culture	Service specific details are available on www.aripune.org	020-25325103
Botanical Crude Drug Repository	Maintenance of crude drug specimens and their Identification, Training		020-25325057
Diatom Collection	Maintenance of diatom Specimens and their Identification, Training		020-25325053
Fossil Repository	Maintenance of fossil and foraminifera Specimens and their Identification, Training		020-25325083
MACS Collection of Microorganisms (MCM)	Maintenance of specialized microbial strains, identification of cultures, training, supply microbial cultures, inventory of microbial strains isolated from ecosystems in Western India		020-25325115
Courses	Services		
Certificate course in Home Gardening	Floriculture, olericulture, pomology, roses, lawns, medicinal plants, cacti, succulents, orchids, bottle garden, hangings, bonsai, lkebana	Service specific details are available on www.aripune.org	020-25325023, 020-25325144
Certificate Course in Field Botany	Classification of flowering plants, diversity, habitats, niches, Plant Morphology, Classification, Ecology		020-25325023, 020-25325144
Testing	Services		
Analytical Services	High Performance liquid Chromatography, Ion Chromatography, Gas Chromatography, X-ray Diffraction, Fourier-transform Infrared Spectroscopy, Atomic Absorption Spectrometry, Lyophilization, Atomic Force Microscopy, Fluorescence Microscopy, Scanning Electron Microscopy, RT-PCR, Next Generation Sequencing, HPTLC		020-25325103
Water and Wastewater Analysis	Chemical oxygen demand, Total Solids and Volatile Solids, Diatom based bio monitoring of river/lake/stream/estuary, Environmental impact Assessment, Water quality assessment, Spectrometry, Total Organic Carbon, Fiber Analysis (Cellulose, Hemicellulose and Lignin Content), 100-liter Fermenter facility	Service specific details are available on www.aripune.org	020-25325103
Pharmacological and Toxicity Testing, Supply of Laboratory Animals	Animal Toxicity, Toxicity study on Zebra fish embryos, Supply of Wistar Rats, Swiss Albino Mice, Hydra Culture Kit, Preclinical Pharmacological and Toxicity Testing		020-25325103

Wheat and Soybean Analysis	Soybean: Seed Physical Property, Oil Composition, Oil Content; Wheat: beta carotene/ yellow pigment, Bread Making Properties, Evaluation of Gliadin Banding Patterns, HMW Glutenin Banding Patterns, chapatti making properties, Flour/Semolina characters, Milling Quality		020-25325092
Doctoral degree	Subjects		
PhD	Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Botany, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Geology, Microbiology, Zoology	Service specific details are available on www.aripune.org	020-25325102
Public-Private Partnership	Thematic Areas		
Contract Research, Transfer of Technology, Consultancy	Biodiversity and Palaeobiology, Bioenergy, Bioprospecting, Developmental Biology, Genetics and Plant Breeding, Nanobioscience	Service specific details are available on www.aripune.org	020-25325103
Breeder seed	Grain		
Supply	Wheat, Soybean	Service specific details are available on <a href="https://www.aripune.org">www.aripune.org</a>	020-25325092

### Grievance Redressal Mechanism and how to access it

Grievance may be addressed through https://pgportal.gov.in/CPGOFFICE/ to Director, Agharkar Research Institute, Gopal Ganesh Agarkar Road, Pune 411004

#### Stakeholders/ Citizens/ Clients

- Researchers/ Scientists
- Academic organisations, Research students, Teachers
- Farmers, Industries, Citizens

# Indicative Expectations from the Stakeholders/ Citizens/ Clients

- Quick search: For specific details refer to the website www.aripune.res.in
- Correspondence: Director, Agharkar Research Institute, Gopal Ganesh Agarkar Road, Pune 411004

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