

Proforma for Submission of Project Proposal under Niche Area of Excellence

(Give separate one-page summary at the beginning of proposal)

1. Name of the University:
2. Name of the Niche Area:
3. If the area is Multidisciplinary:
4. Reasons for selecting the Niche Area:
5. Existing strength in the Niche area:

5.1 Past achievements of the PI

(a) Research Programmes completed/in operation

Programme Title	Goal	Date of start/completion	Costing	Funding Agency	Indicate your role (PI/Co-PI)

(b) Publications (Peer reviewed research publications of NAAS rating 5.5 & above)

Authors (s) name. Year of publication. Title. Journal's name, volume, page number.
(NAAS rating).

(c) Patents (if any)

Title	Application /publication number	Date of application /publication	Present status	Indicate your role (1 st /2 nd /3 rd /... inventor /others)

(d) Technologies generated

Name of the technology	Number of beneficiary	Status (commercialized or not)	Revenue generated (Rs. in lakh)	Your role in technology generation/commercialization

(e) Resources available

Name of the major equipments/facilities	Number	Unit cost (Rs. in lakh)	Year of procurement	Funding source	Present status

(f) Students completed M.Sc. /M. V. Sc. /Ph. D

(g) Employment profile of alumni

(h) Awards/recognition

Award name	Date of award	Host institution	Purpose of the Award

5.2 Faculty included in the Niche Area (with one page bio-data for each as an Annexure)

(a) Within the Department

(b) Outside the Department

(c) Outside the University

5.3 Supporting staff available in the Niche Area

5.4 Infrastructure, equipments and other facilities available (particularly, in support of the proposed work)

Name of the major equipments/facilities	Number	Status

6. Proposal in Support of Niche Area

6.1 Goal

6.2 Objectives

6.3 Introduction

6.4 Technical programme

S. No.	Activities	Quarter	Responsibility (PI/Co-PI)

6.5 Activity milestones (yearly)

Year	Milestones	Responsibility (PI/Co-PI)

6.6 Monitorable targets

6.7 Major equipments/facilities required:

Name of the major equipments/facilities	Unit cost (Rs. in lakh)	Need & justification in context of the proposed work	Alternate use of the facility/equipment in future

6.8 Budgetary requirements

S. No.	Particular	Amount (Rs. in lakh)	Brief Justification (Details separately)
A. Recurring (Research & Operational Expenditure)			
i.	TA (Participation in national Seminar/workshops etc)		
ii.	RA/SRF		
iii.	Operational expenses (Manpower, Chemicals, glassware's etc)		
B. HRD			
iv.	Organization of trainings [Provide schedule (tentative) in separate table]		
C. Non-recurring			
v.	Equipments (with justification)		
vi.	Works (renovation/refurbishing including furniture of laboratory etc)		
vii.	Others (software/animals, etc.)		
Total			

6.9 Expected outcome for the stake holders at the end of the project :

- (a) For the country
- (b) For the state
- (c) For the region
- (d) For the university
- (e) For students
- (f) For farmers
- (g) For agribusiness management/industries

6.10 Sustainability of programme after completion:

- (a) For the country
- (b) For the state
- (c) For the region
- (d) For the university
- (e) For students
- (f) For farmers

7. Details of the Co-PIs (Name, designation, complete address, e-mail, mobile no., etc. One page bio-data may be annexed separately)

8. In-charge of Niche Area (Annex two page bio-data separately)

- (a) Name
- (b) Designation
- (c) Address
- (d) Telephone
- (e) Fax
- (f) E-Mail

CHECK LIST If Yes please tick (√) if No please (X)

- A Submission of Demand/ Proposal as per format
- B UC/AUC of Previous Financial Year
- C Printed Annual Reports as per format
- D Head Wise Expenditure in Annexure

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Designation: _____

Address: _____

Date: _____

Place: _____