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The nutraceuticals market in India is expected to grow from $4 billion in 2017 to $18 billion in 2025 in the backdrop of rising demand for dietary supplements from upper and middle class. Dietary supplements, which constitute over 65 percent of the Indian nutraceuticals market, include commodities such as macronutrients, herbal and non-herbal extracts.

Increasing health consciousness and improved incomes and standards of living has boosted the growth of the nutraceuticals markets in India, making it one of the fastest growing segments. The dietary supplements market in India is valued at USD 3924.44 million in 2020 and reports say that it will reach USD 10,198.57 million by 2026. It puts the industry at a 22 per cent growth rate year on year.

In its 7th year, the Nutrition Summit is one of India’s premier dedicated conference that provides a common platform for the industry and other stakeholders to come together to discuss the key challenges, learn from the best practices adopted across the continent with focus on compliance, regulatory guidelines and the latest innovations.
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Nandan Joshi,
Head - Nutrition & Medical Affairs,
Danone India
Wonderful conference! I heard new topics & new speakers. Good mix of academic & industry speakers

Suhas Wadwalkar,
Director,
Ishaana Nutraceuticals
An excellent platform to interact and learn from the experts & leaders in the industry

D. N. Bhise,
Vice President,
Sayaji Ingritech
One of the best platform to exchange knowledge & select friends across the globe

Jitender Chotani,
General Manager,
G.S. Pharmaceuticals
Very well covered list of topics & speakers

Vishwajit Karandikar,
GM - Clinical Nutrition,
Fresenius Kabi
This is a conference dedicated to regulatory, manufacturers, marketers, developers etc

Shweta Khandelwal,
Associate Professor,
Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI)
This summit gives an opportunity to access large body of evidence in form of short informative talks from experts. Important to network with all kinds of valuable stakeholders

Raghuram A. S.
GM - R&D,
MTR Foods
Nice organisation of summit with good speakers

Pawan Kamra,
MD,
Nutraceutex
Right platform for all kind of nutraceutical players

Pramod Pillai,
Marketing Director,
Signutra Inc. USA
I would not like to miss even one nutrition summit. Have been regular in all 4 summits conducted till date. Awesome agenda and content planned. Keep it up!

Meena Sharma,
Head - Quality Assurance (Confectionery),
DS Group
I was hesitant to spare 2 days for a summit considering it’s a usual conference but I found it very informative as an industry professional

Harish Kapoor,
General Manager,
Associated Capsules
Excellent information was covered
Day 1 | 28th April 2022

08:15 Registration and coffee

08:50 Welcome note by Inventicon Business Intelligence

09:00 Key note Session: India nutraceuticals market outlook 2022
- India nutraceuticals market segmentation by dietary supplements, and functional foods & beverages and distribution channels
- Major trends and developments
- Broadly identify opportunities for growth across the value chain

Dr. Vaibhav Kulkarni, Global Chair - International Life Sciences Institute Board Assembly (ILSI), Hon. Secretary - Health Foods and Dietary Supplements Association (HADSA)

09:40 Digital Biriyani - Emergence of Nutraceuticals innovation on demand

Amit Srivastava, Founder and Chief Catalyst, NUTRIFY TODAY

10:10 Fortification and healthy living – challenges and opportunities
- Emerging opportunities in LSFF
- Navigating through the changing trends and market landscape

Swapnil Wani, General Manager-Business Development, Piramal Nutrition Solutions

10:50 Coffee and networking break

11:20 Panel Discussion: New era of nutraceuticals- research, technologies & applications
- With the onset of the pandemic there has been an exponential increase of demand for nutraceuticals; Understanding its impact in the long run
- What are the upcoming ingredients and categories to watch out for
- Is the Indian industry mature enough to adopt self-regulations
- Impact on product formulation
- Mega trends shaping growth in the nutraceuticals industry

Moderator: Dr. Balkumar Marthi, HOD New Product Development - Nutrify Today Academy, Associate Dean of GITAM University

Panellists:
- Dr. Nandan Joshi, Head Medical Affairs - Nutrition, India and Emerging Markets, Dr. Reddy’s Laboratories
- Dr. Vivek Srivastav, Vice President - R&D and Operations, Esperer Onco Nutrition
- Swapnil Wani, General Manager-Business Development, Piramal Nutrition Solutions
- Priya Karkera, Senior Manager Nutrition Health and Wellness Projects, Nestle India

12:00 Nutraceuticals: The futuristic resources to tackle malnutrition through food fortification

Arun Om Lal, President: Corporate Affairs and Communications, Hexagon Nutrition Ltd.

12:30 Investment in large-scale food fortification and biofortification
- Estimating the burden of micronutrient deficiency in India
- Government mandates for fortified foods
- Working with local small and medium-sized food producers to strengthen local and rural food systems

Ishaan Gorla, Programme Lead, Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition (GAIN)

13:00 Luncheon

14:00 Panel Discussion: Women’s health and lifestyle
- Nutrition programming for women and adolescents: The future implications-why it matters?
- Bridging the nutrition and health gap -key inputs and its implementation
- Matching public policy intent with intensity, through partnerships and investments in upscaling the nutrition scenario.

Moderator: Prof. Sirimavo Nair, Professor, Dept. of Foods and Nutrition, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda

Panellists:
- Dr. Chetan Mehndiratta, Head Medical Affairs - SAR, Signutra Inc, USA
- Dr. Bhavna Sharma, Head – Nutrition Science Division, ITC Ltd.
- Dr. Alka Walavalkar, Founder, Resonance L Nutrition

14:50 Personalized nutrition - Key trends
- Navigating the personalized nutrition ecosystem
- The essential role of data in driving personalized nutrition forward
- How should companies in this space best capitalize on this projected growth?
- Exploring sustainable business models–identify your routes to market to maximize profitability

Dr. Bhavna Sharma, Head – Nutrition Science Division, ITC Ltd.

15:20 Coffee and networking break

15:50 Food safety and nutrition: Role of conformity assessment and accreditation
- Role of conformity assessment bodies
- Accreditation ecosystem International and national context

Varsha Mishra, Deputy Director, National Accreditation Board for Certification Bodies (NABCBI) | Quality Council of India

16:20 Round Table discussion:
Participants are free to join which ever theme they are most related to and discuss the current trends and what strategies can be used and implemented. Each participant shares their views and insights on the given theme. Post discussion one of the participants concludes by sharing the points discussed by their respective table with the entire audience.

Table A: Misleading Claims
Table B: Can early nutrition influence obesity risk?
Table C: Lack of dietary diversity & monotonous diet

16:50 Conference group photograph

17:00 End of day one of conference

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- Changing dietary patterns among 2+ children  
- Emerging concerns like childhood obesity, constipation, allergies etc.  
- It’s short term and long term impact  
- Opportunities for differential innovations in this segment  
  
  **Dr. Nandan Joshi**, Head Medical Affairs - Nutrition, India and Emerging Markets, Dr. Reddy’s Laboratories |
| 09.50 | Impact of diet on the human gut microbiome |  
- Modulating microbial pathways as a therapeutic strategy  
- COVID-19, the GI tract, and the microbiome: What do we know today?  
  
  **Dr. Neerja Hajela**, Head - Science and Regulatory Affairs, Yakult Danone India Pvt. Ltd. |
| 10.20 | PCOS solution from FAT to FIT |  
- PCOS Crisis  
- Lifestyle Intervention & Management  
- Guidelines & Recommendations  
  
  **Dr. Chetan Mehndiratta**, Head Medical Affairs - SAR, Signutra Inc, USA |
| 10.50 | Coffee break and networking | |
| 11.20 | Panel Discussion: Obesity and weight management; Nutraceuticals in endocrine and metabolic disorders |  
- Use in type 2 diabetes mellitus, the metabolic syndrome, obesity, dyslipidaemia and osteoporosis  
- Role of proteins in controlling obesity and improve energy and performance  
- MS is a complex web of metabolic factors that are associated with a 2-fold risk of CVD and a 5-fold risk of diabetes  
  
  **Moderator**  
  **Naaznin Husein**, National Executive Committee Member, Indian Dietetic Association  
  **Panellists**  
  **Dr. Madhavi Marathe**, Senior Manager, Healthcare Nutrition Science, Danone India  
  **Dr. Tariq Jagmag**, Scientific Advisor, Glowderma Lab Pvt. Ltd.  
  **Dr. Sanandan Kulkarni**, Head-Medical, Regulatory, Vigilance, Quality, Fresenius Kabi India Pvt. Ltd. |
| 12.20 | Sore Today, Strong Tomorrow; Muscle health - key for wellness & active living |  
- Role of muscle health in wellness and active living  
- Nutrition and lifestyle changes for muscle health  
  
  **Dr. Madhavi Marathe**, Senior Manager, Healthcare Nutrition Science, Danone India |
| 12.50 | Luncheon | |
| 13.50 | Fireside Chat: Nutrition interventions in aging and age-associated disease |  
- Older adults with chronic illnesses are especially at risk for poor nutrition, which can happen because of bad eating habits, loss of appetite, and decreased access to healthy foods because of limited mobility, money, or time.  
- Importance of good nutrition for older adults  
- Warning signs of malnutrition in older adults  
  
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| 14.20 | Nutrition therapy for long COVID |  
- Immunopathology effects following the infection  
- Diet and lifestyle factors that might contribute to recovery from long-COVID symptoms  
  
  **Dr. Sanandan Kulkarni**, Head-Medical, Regulatory, Vigilance, Quality, Fresenius Kabi India Pvt. Ltd. |
| 14.50 | Coffee and networking break | |
| 15.20 | Anti-inflammatory, antiviral, antioxidant properties of (novel polyherbal) imusil which enables it to treat covid, long covid and reduces belly fat too |  
- imusil kills 71 percent of the covid virus in 2 days via its interferon elevating properties  
- imusil blocks tnf,il 1 and il 6 and is hence useful in treating the cytokine storm of covid  
- imusil blocks CDX2 and hence blocks inflammation  
- imusil blocks NOX2 and hence is a strong antioxidant which reduces oxidative stress, and improves insulin sensitivity and arterial health  
  
  **Dr. Tariq Jagmag**, Scientific Advisor, Glowderma Lab Pvt. Ltd. |
| 15.50 | Effects of nutraceuticals on genetic expressions |  
- Recognizing the interaction of specific nutraceuticals, with the genetic code possessed by all nucleated cells  
- Nutrigenomics and its impact on lifestyle associated metabolic diseases  
- Nutrient-gene interaction in lifestyle associate diseases  
- Ethical and regulatory issues  
  
  **Dr. Sanjay Gupta**, Principal Investigator and Scientific Officer ‘G’, Epigenetics and Chromatin Biology Group, CRI-ACTREC, Tata Memorial Centre |
| 16.20 | End of Conference | |

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Arun Om Lal, President: Corporate Affairs and Communications, Hexagon Nutrition Ltd.

A visionary leader with an outstanding track record of successful business and marketing strategies, Mr. Arun Om Lal has cultivated staunch credibility in the nutraceutical industry. Possessing more than three decades of experience in the consumer durable and nutraceutical industry, Mr. Arun Om Lal is currently positioned as the President - Corporate Affairs and Communication Of Hexagon Nutrition Limited. After completing his Master’s in Marketing Management from Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies, Mumbai (1987-1990), he showcased his prowess in building some world-renowned brands. Mr. Arun has contributed to the success of brands like Morphy Richards, Jockey, Evian Natural Spring Water, Himalayan Natural Water, and Hexagon Nutrition. Mr. Arun’s dedication and hard work had been acknowledged in the past as he was rewarded with many awards including “Best Health Care Entrepreneur” in 2016. It was under his guidance that Hexagon Nutrition won the “Best Nutrition Company Award” in 2017 by ASSOCHAM Nutrition, Food and Safety Award. For more than a decade, his work has been focused on the improvement of the nutraceutical industry and addressing the issue of malnutrition by stimulating the food fortification vertical. Mr. Arun Om Lal has been working to deploy strategies to spread awareness about food fortification and bring it to the mainstream food industry. Apart from being a nutraceutical leader, Mr. Arun Om Lal has been elected as ASSOCHAM Co-Chairman for Food Processing Industry and Value Addition. He is also a member of CII, FICCI, AIFPA National committees, and the Advisory Board of Centre of Excellence for Food Fortification, NIFTEM which further states his prominence in the food and nutrition industry.

Dr. Bhavna Sharma, Head – Nutrition Science Division, ITC Ltd.

Dr. Bhavna Sharma (PhD) is the India Head-Nutrition Science Division, at ITC Limited. She is responsible for developing & implementing the scientific & nutritional strategy for the organisation. She is responsible for claim and product development along with external scientific collaboration. Before this, she worked as Senior Scientist - Innovation, supporting the Family Nutrition portfolio at GSK. She was responsible for researching on newer science avenues to support the company’s vision on leading innovation through science in the areas of Growth in children, bone health, Cognition and energy metabolism. Before this role she was working as Applied Nutrition Specialist at Nestlé R&D Center, India, where she contributed in developing & generating knowledge in the research areas of vitamin D (estimation in foods, supplementation trials etc.), dietary intake & food consumption behavior among Indians (with a focus on children below 12 and pregnant & lactating mothers) and developing micronutrient fortification initiatives for various age groups, where she was also awarded for ‘excellence in NHW leadership role’. Before Nestlé she has also worked with General Mills Pvt ltd, as a Health Scientist. She is a PhD in Nutrition from the University of Delhi in collaboration with INMAS and has been working in the field of Nutrition and Public Health since the last 18 years in various roles. She has published many papers in peer-reviewed journals and presented work in many academic forums.

Dr. Chetan Mehndiratta, Head Medical Affairs - SAR, Signutra inc, USA.

Dr. Chetan Mehndiratta is currently working with Signutra as Head Medical Affairs for South Asia Region, established medical department of Signutra and previously he has worked with Nestle & Ranbaxy. His extensive professional journey of 16 years covers several stellar achievements in his field of specialty like collaboration with India’s biggest Tertiary care centre for Hospital Training Certification for “Improved Child Health” He has identified the knowledge-practice gap and has collaborated with scientific leaders at South Asia Region to develop 1st Recommendations on “Diabesity” and “Nutrition in Pediatric Clinical Practice” which have been published in International Journals. Having completed Post Graduate Program in Child Health from European Academy of Pediatrics (UK), Women’s Health from EBCOG (Belgium) and Clinical Nutrition from Royal College of Physicians (UK). He has more than 35 publications in National & International indexed journals which include 25+ papers in the field of nutrition. He has been invited as a faculty in National & International Conferences. He was selected to grade International abstracts for the ISPE Conference 2013 & 2015. Has special interest in Women’s Health, Pediatric & Maternal Nutrition and Metabolic Disease Conditions.

Dr. Alka Walavalkar, Founder, Resonance L Nutrition

Dr. Alka Walavalkar, Founder of Resonance L Nutrition, is a Clinical Dietitian & Nutritionist with over two decades of experience. A Certified Diabetes Educator, she believes & works for diabetes reversal through lifestyle interventions. She specializes further in Integrative Health & Medicine from University of Minnesota. Currently associated with Novoliver (Satya Health Sciences) as Director (Nutrition and Program development) & with Dr. Dalal Healthcentre Diabetes Care. Recipient of Academic Excellence award by hands of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam in 1996, she has worked with reputed Institutions like Bhabha Atomic Research Centre & Institute of Science. She has been Nutrition partner for Maharashtra Police International Marathon, has organised Wellness Program for Community Health in Mantralya. She is a columnist and a speaker and has conducted workshops and retreats for corporates & individuals for management of chronic diseases, weight loss and stress reduction. She has presented and published data in national and international journals. She has been interviewed by various radio channels & invited by TV channels for expert bytes. She is a Pinkathon ambassador working for promotion of health & fitness amongst women.

Dr. Balkumar Marthi, HDD New Product Development - Nutry Today Academy, Associate Dean of GITAM University

Balkumar is currently the Dean of the Faculty of Sciences at GITAM University. He also is responsible for the Research & Innovation Function of the University. Building on a strong technical and research foundation in the Biological Sciences, Balkumar has developed leading capabilities in Food Science & Technology, Food Safety, Risk Assessment, Biotechnology & Sustainability. He has served for 25 successful years in Unilever R & D, in India and the Netherlands – 13 of them in senior management as a Director of R & D. As R & D Director in the Foods R & D Organisation in the Netherlands, he has gained a great deal of expertise in management of the innovation process and in bringing ideas to market. As part of the Leadership Team in Foods Research, he was responsible for setting the strategic direction for R & D & Innovation. He has also led activities to build bridges with the external scientific world as well as Government and Civil Society to drive strategic R & D and policy agendas. He has been a Senior Advisor in the external scientific world as well as Government and Civil Society and has helped drive strategic Foods R & D and policy agendas – at the Dutch National Level and at the European Union Level. He has been very active in Sustainability-linked technical challenges and have represented Unilever on EU Programme Committees in Bio-based materials, Genomics, Food Science, Food Safety. His vision for the future is to create a compelling long-term strategic framework for GITAM’s Research & Innovation ambitions, and develop a world-class Academics, Research, Innovation & Entrepreneurship Continuum that will drive the future growth of the University. As Director of the CHWI, he is charged with setting up the overall Research & Innovation strategy – based on the principles of “Responsible Nutrition” for the Centre and launch the activities of the Centre. The Centre’s key purpose to develop an integrated, holistic approach to provide Nutrition solutions that foster Health and Well-being. He also teaches Entrepreneurship and mentors students and professionals on a regular basis.

Amit Srivastava, Founder and Chief Catalyst, NUTRIFY TODAY


With over 18000 industry networks on nutrifytoday.com Amit envisions to democratize the nutraceutical business development for research innovators to small to mid size companies across the world. Nutrifytoday.com commercialized USD 18 million in last year and envisions to commercialize USD 100 million by 2025. Amit along with industry leaders is working with government on evolving policies that could drive Indian nutraceutical industry from USD 8 billion to USD 100 Billion by 2030. In this journey to achieve this ambition for the country, he has joined the nutraceutical task force under the chairmanship of Principal Scientific advisor to Government of India.
Dr. Madhavi Marathe, Senior Manager, Healthcare Nutrition Science, Danone India

Dr. Madhavi Marathe is a Nutrition Professional with over 20 years of experience in diverse sectors like Food and Pharma Industry, Hospital & Research Center and Public Health. Nutrition. Academic Background: M.Sc., Ph.D. (S.N.D.T. Women's University), Study Attachment on Human Nutrition at London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK. Postgraduate Diploma in Marketing Management, NMIMS, Mumbai. Areas of Expertise: Currently she leads Nutrition Science & Design and Research initiatives at Danone, supporting Early Life Nutrition as well as Advanced Medical Nutrition portfolios. Her expertise include applying nutritional science for Medical and Consumer Communication, Product Development and Claims. She has also provided effective scientific and technical stewardship for the Nutrition Business in varied workflows including Medical Affairs, KOL and Stakeholder Management, Food Regulations and PR initiatives. She was a proficient Diet Counselor and a skillful Trainer. Her areas of interest and work has been in Early Life Nutrition, Maternal Nutrition, Metabolic and Lifestyle Diseases & Geriatrics. Passionate about Nutrition, she has been an invite speaker at various forums organized by universities, pharmaceutical companies, industry, medical and nutrition associations, consumer education initiatives. She has published her work in national and international journals.

Dr. Neerja Hajela, Head - Science and Regulatory Affairs, Yakult Danone India Pvt. Ltd.

Dr. Neerja Hajela has done her Ph. D in Biotechnology and has a special interest in probiotics. She is currently the Head of Science and Regulatory Affairs at Yakult Danone India Pvt. Ltd. She has over 16 years of experience and has worked in organizations like Ranbaxy Laboratories Pvt. Ltd. and Biotech Consortium India Limited (Department of Biotechnology). She is involved in the development, planning and implementation of scientific programmes including clinical trials for the company. She handles all the regulatory issues and ensures compliances related to the category and individual product. She works closely with health care professionals and scientists to advance the science, promote evidence-based clinical use, and improve consumer understanding of probiotics. She is associated with the Asian Federation of Societies for Lactic Acid Bacteria (AFSLAB). She is a member of the Gut Microbiota and Probiotic Science Foundation (India) that aims to establish credibility for the science of intestinal microbiota and probiotics in the country. She is a member of the scientific committee of the Probiotic Association of India. She is also a member of the Governing Council for ILSI-India Knowledge Center for Functional Foods, Gut Health and Immunity (IKFHI). She has presented at International and National conferences and has several publications in peer reviewed journals.

Dr. Sadanand Kulkarni, Head-Medical, Regulatory, Vigilance, Quality, Fresenius Kabi India Pvt. Ltd.

Dr. Sadanand Kulkarni is Head- Medical affairs, Regulatory affairs, Vigilance and Quality- South Asia with Fresenius Kabi since January 2019. He is a part of leadership team for Fresenius Kabi in South Asia. Earlier he was Head- Medical affairs for Fresenius Kabi South Asia. Before joining industry, he was in teaching profession for 5 years. He has got wide and varied experience of 21 years in Clinical Research- Clinical Project Management, Medical Monitoring, Medical writing and Medical Affairs. He is recognised as a faculty in clinical nutrition and fluid management.

Dr. Tariq Jagmag, Scientific Advisor, Global Chair - International Life Sciences Institute Board Assembly (ILSI), Hon. Secretary - Health Foods and Dietary Supplements Association (HADSA)

Dr. Tariq Jagmag has pursued the field of Psycho-Neuro-Endocrine-Immunology (PNEI) over the past 15 years. He is currently the scientific advisor at Glowderma Lab Pvt Ltd, a dermatological pharma company and its sister concern Herbicine to develop low dose cytokines. He is associated with FOCIS (Federation of Clinical Immunology Societies). He has 2 international patents on his name and is developing new and innovative products. He conducts regular training programs for doctors on Basic Immunology, role of immunity in various diseases and their pathways; different cytokines and homeopathic remedies and treatment modalities for various diseases. His expertise and in depth understanding of immunological pathways along with their effects in various chronic diseases has enabled him to help many doctors with their patients across globe to get better from chronic disease conditions.

Dr. Sanjay Gupta, Principal Investigator and Scientific Officer “G”, Epigenetics and Chromatin Biology Group, CRI-ACTREC, Tata Memorial Centre

Dr. Sanjay Gupta is the head of Epigenetic and Chromatin Biology Group at Tata Memorial Centre, Navi Mumbai. He obtained his Ph.D. from the Banaras Hindu University in the area of aging, chromatin biology and gene regulation. Dr. Gupta, after his post-doctoral and DST- young scientist fellowships, is deciphering how epigenetic component, histones and histone modifying enzymes are involved in the pathogenesis of cancer, resistance mechanisms and DNA repair. Further, the group is understanding the relationship of dietary factors, metabolism with epigenetic regulation. His group is exploiting these epigenetic changes for biomarker development and epi-drugs for their therapeutic potential. Dr Sanjay is an active contributor to global epigenetic science and innovation.
Dr. Vivek Srivastav, Vice President - R&D and Operations, Esper Onco Nutrition

With around 14 years of experience in the field of Alternative Medicine and Nutrition, earlier Dr. Srivastava worked as Director of Enteral Nutrition Development Center (North East South East Asia) at Fresenius Kabi. Dr. Vivek pursued his Masters in Alternative Medicine with specialization in Herbs and Phytotherapeutics followed by a Doctorate in Phytonutrients and Phyto-formulations. He has harboured a deep seated passion for innovative research, Product development and curating pragmatic products based on scientifically backed claims in the niche of health and wellness with the successful commercialization of more than 75 formulations. His expertise lies in the R&D branch in Herbs and Nutrition. He has formerly worked at various CRO level positions with different ventures in the domain of Ayurveda and Nutrition. However with the rise of the conscious consumer, a paradigmatic shift has been observed in the last decade or so. The scientific research changed gears to holistic nutrition and Dr. Vivek joined the discourse since its advent. With 30+ articles published, Dr. Vivek has garnered strong assets in terms of networks, taken steps to be recognised in the domain of Herbs and Nutrition with his commendable contribution in techno-commercial sphere. As a steering member of MNI (Medical Nutrition Industry) he is instrumental in representing the food industry to implement food regulation and its harmonization.

Ishank Gorla, Programme Lead, Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition (GAIN)

Ishank Mikhail Gorla is the Programme Lead at GAIN leading the Commercialisation of Biofortified Crops Programme. He holds a master's in business administration – Communications and advertising, Symbiosis International University in India. Ishank champions nutrition by previously leading the proactive and optimum care of children through public household approach for nutrition project in GAIN and is now leading teams to deliver strategies and innovations for commercialisation of nutrient dense crops through partnerships.

Prof. Sirimavo Nair, Professor, Dept. of Foods and Nutrition, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda

Academia and Research Experience: above 30 years
Publications: WHO Guidelines – 4; papers-International journals – 34; National – 20; e-publications – 7; Conferences in books – 7; Modules – 3; Research Reports – 5, Project completed-12 Fields of Specialization under the Subject/Discipline •Growth and sustenance of Development Programmes •Health & Nutrition Program Development with Technical inputs, Food fortification, Maternal and Child Health, Quality control for lab and field based methods.
•Partnership and collaborations: – WABA, BPNI – India, WHO-SEAR office, UNICEF India, Ni-L India, Ni-Canada, Cornell Agricultural University, USA, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai; BAIF-Pune •Convenor-Nurturant Nutrition of FSSAI, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India, New Delhi •Endorser of EIC (Export Inspection Council) •Advisory Body of Industry Food Fortification, NIFTEM •March 2022, NUTRIATION LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE AWARD towards Leadership in Nutrition and Public Health Champion, under the aegis Ministry of Food processing, Govt. of India.

Priya Karkera, Senior Manager Nutrition Health and Wellness Projects, Nestle India

Priya has over 2 decades of experience in Nutrition, with super specialization in Pediatric Nutrition from Harvard Medical School (USA) and Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia (USA). She is first Indian Dietitian to be trained in FODMAP Diet for IBS from Monash University – Australia. Additionally, she has trained in Neonate Nutrition from Monash Children’s Hospital Melbourne, Australia. She is completing her PhD in Management and holds Applied Business Analytics credentials from ISB Hyderabad. Additionally, she is also a Green belt in Lean Six Sigma, strengthening her expertise in processes. With a flair for technology, she has trained in Nutrition Informatics from the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (USA) and is now responsible to largely in creating User based Algorithms and Machine learning logic building frame works bringing together subject expertise in Nutrition and creating consumer based user journey. Her key area of interest is in Pediatric Nutrition, Innovating newer products for the set age groups and translating information through Digital Nutrition Informatics.
She has established herself in various fields such as career in Education and teaching, Clinical Nutrition (with various Super Specialty Hospitals) and also worked as a Corporate Consultant for Employee wellness to ICI Prudential, HPCL (Hindustan Petroleum), BPCL (Bharat Petroleum). She has multiple research publications in Pediatric Nutrition in her credentials. Having led large teams of Nutritionists and has been instrumental in developing the blue print for Ask Nestle - A one stop solution for children. At Nestle India, Priya is responsible for advancing Nutrition Health and Wellness around specific projects, new growth platforms, and developing consumer facing Health and Nutrition propositions.

Naznin Husein, National Executive Committee Member, Indian Dietetic Association

Naznin Husein is the Founder of Freedom Wellness Management. She is the immediate past president, Indian Dietetic Association-Mumbai Chapter and a National Executive member of the IDA Pan India. Naznin believes and strongly practices holistic wellness and is chief dietitian Yoga Institute Santacruz. Naznin pursues her passion for sports and has been an advisory board of the Indian Navy and armed forces. Ms Naznin Husein has been a nutritional counsellor for famous sports celebrities and bollywood actors and is regular columnist in newspapers, TV shows and radio interviews. She is the trustee of the Equal Streets Movement and Mumbai car free day promoting health, wellness, environment and open spaces.

Swapnil Wani, General Manager-Business Development, Piramal Nutrition Solutions

Swapnil Wani, General Manager-Business Development at Piramal Nutrition Solutions. A Visionary & results-oriented business development professional with a track record in spearheading sales & marketing strategies for nutraceuticals within leading organizations. His last assignment was with BASF India-Health & Nutrition division. He has over a decade of experience across R&D, Project management, sales, business development in the pharma/ Nutra sector, with strong expertise in cultivating meaningful partnerships. He is an alumnus of the Indian Institute of Management-Ahmedabad (IIM-A) & a postgraduate in Pharmaceuticals. His past assignments include BASF, Kerry & Lonza(Capsugel)

Varsha Misra, Deputy Director, National Accreditation Board for Certification Bodies (NABCB) | Quality Council of India

Varsha Misra is currently working as Deputy Director in National Accreditation Board for Certification Bodies (NABCB), one of the constituent Boards of the Quality Council of India (QCI). NABCB is the National Accreditation Body in India, provides accreditation to Certification, Inspection, and Validation & Verification Bodies, and is signatory to the international Multilateral Mutual Recognition Agreements / Arrangements of the International Accreditation Forum (IAF) and the International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) for its accreditation schemes. Prior to this, she has enriched experience in Food Regulatory Affairs, Food Quality Assurance, Food Safety Management Systems professional with 17+ years’ experience in reputed organizations, previously worked for Export Inspection Council (EIC) Ministry of Commerce as well as worked for Food Safety and Drug Administration (Govt. of U.P) and Regional Food Research and Analysis Centre, Department of Horticulture, U.P. She holds a Masters in Food Technology, Masters in Diets and Food service management systems, as well as PGD Industrial Relation and Personnel Management, she is also Seafood HACCP certified professional and attended [OLIT] programme from Cornell University (USA) and National Seafood HACCP Alliance Program organized by AFDO national Association of Food and Drug Officials. Her specific work also includes New Food product development as well as R&D initiatives on various food products ie Jaggery the best alternative of sweetness , Protein soup formulation,Ripe Mango powder, Fenugreek based herbal formulation for Diabetic Population,Moringa based food Formulation and many more , As a nutritionist and Dietician She has worked for various Groups of the population for their nutrition Needs, her specific contribution is on , Study Nutrition part of Food and Tribal groups in Sonbhadra Chhatisgarah area “ for which she was awarded “ Pratibha Mitra Award” In year 2009. Her Core Competencies are Food Regulatory Affairs & Compliance Certification – Food Testing, Quality Assurance & Control- Marine and Seafood HACCP – Quality Management Systems – Standards & Technical Regulations on food safety & analysis – SPS/TBT – International / External Audits – Program / Project Management – International Technical Evaluations & Cooperation – Training & Capacity Building – Documentation – Production and Process Control – Product Development – Technology Transfer.
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We innovate and supply Non-Governmental Organizations such as UNICEF and the World Food Program with holistic nutrition solutions for their supplements programs to address micronutrient deficiencies and aid in eradicating malnutrition. PNS is also a partner of choice for the poultry and aqua culture industry where we provide fit for purpose solutions to improve yields and productivity.

PNS has a dedicated, high quality, flexible manufacturing facility located at Mahad, Maharashtra, India which is equipped with capabilities exclusively designated for nutraceutical oral solid dose, liquid oral formulations, nutritional premixes, and spray dried vitamin products.

We also have a second site in Digwal, Telangana, India, where we manufacture pharma and food-grade vitamins including A, D, and E, as well as retinol derivatives for the cosmetics industry.

Quality forms an integral part of the PNS value proposition, from raw material sourcing to following Good Manufacturing Practices (GMPs) and implementing stringent quality control checks on all products.

PNS is part of Piramal Pharma Solutions (PPS), a global leader in integrated solutions. We offer a unique platform of services across the drug lifecycle – from drug discovery and development to commercial manufacturing of drug substances and drug products. Our capability as an integrated service provider & experience with various technologies enable us to serve pharma, food and cosmetic companies worldwide.

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Hexagon Nutrition is a differentiated and research-oriented pure-play nutrition company offering clinical nutrition products, micronutrient premixes, and therapeutic products. There is a growing demand for the functional nutrition food segment and Hexagon Nutrition has been able to move up the value chain with clinical nutrition products having presence across retail pharmacies, hospitals, and prominent e-commerce players. We market our products across India and exports to more than 70+ countries to meet the demand for nutrition through Micro-nutrient premixes, Clinical Nutrition, and Therapeutic Nutrition.

“PENTASURE” is a leading name in the health, wellness, and clinical nutrition space and offers a complete source of nutrition for all age groups. The Covid-19 pandemic has made consumers increasingly aware of health and nutrition and Hexagon Nutrition can address this rapidly emerging requirement.

With a focus on Innovation, our product portfolio addresses alleviation of malnutrition and daily nutritional requirements across demographics. Hence, with our manufacturing facilities located at Nashik, Chennai, and Thoothukudi (Tuticorin) and R&D facilities located at Nashik and Chennai, we are a fully integrated company engaged, right from product development to marketing including research and development and manufacturing, with a focus on quality control of nutrition products across diversified categories of nutrition products.

https://znap.link/HexagonNutrition

BACFO, established in 1994, is a leading manufacturer and exporter of Nutraceutical supplements, Herbal medicine & Personal Care products. It currently exports to 25 countries in addition to sales in domestic marketing and is manufacturing for over 50 leading Indian pharmaceutical companies, pharmacy chains, e-commerce players & network marketing organizations.

The state-of-the-art facility located in Noida (New Delhi capital region), spread over 8,100 sq.m. manufactures tablets, capsules, syrups, powders, oils, ointments, gels and creams, in dust-free aseptic conditions with controlled RH and temperature conditions. Three new automatic protein powder lines and two soft-gelatin lines are being added and expected to be commissioned in June 2022.

Commitment to quality and rigorous end-to-end Quality controls help BACFO to attain reputed quality certifications like FSSC 22000 by Intertek, ISO 22000 and cGMP certified by British Standards Institute, UK. It is also Ecocert, Halal & USDA certified. It has been awarded the ‘Outstanding Export Achievement Award’ by Pharmexcil, Government of India.

The R&D unit is duly recognized by the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research (DSIR), Government of India. A separate pilot scale Lab with R&D scale manufacturing ensures quick development, sampling & process optimization for its customers.

BACFO is part of the global AKC Group, whose promoters are also behind the genesis of reputed Amity Education Group, which has diversified business interests in Plastics, Pharmaceuticals, Packaging, Education, Technology Transfer, Turnkey Projects, Finance, Construction, Publishing and IT. The Group, established in 1976, has over 12,000 people.

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Sudeep Nutrition Pvt. Ltd., a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Sudeep Group, established in 1989, strives to deliver value-added ingredients to the food, beverage, nutraceutical and nutrition industries across the world. Its vision to become a company of possibilities and a brand that is all about its customers are followed up religiously by ensuring consistent production, quality and optimal client satisfaction. Sudeep Nutrition, with its products, promises to cater to the global demand of fortification premixes as well as food and nutritional ingredients that include the encapsulated vitamins, minerals, spray dried and triturates range of food ingredients to enrich health and empower life. As a customer-centric company, it focuses on being environmentally responsible, positively impacting life with ingredient solutions that can be delivered through cutting edge technology to build a healthier tomorrow. Sudeep Nutrition Pvt. Ltd. forms a part of the Sudeep Group of industries which also includes Sudeep Pharma Pvt. Ltd., Sudeep Pharma USA as well as a joint venture with leading German manufacturer of excipients and coatings JRS Pharma.

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