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Date of Birth: 18-01-1986



As a Supply Chain Management Specialist, I have rich background in Indian Air Force Logistics Management. I have experience in Inventory management, calibration, testing, fuel operations, procurement and warehouse management. I have been trained time to time at different locations for managing various type of Supply Chain Solutions. My core area is to build the understanding about the workflow and optimize the operation with keeping safety of personnel at paramount. I believe in my team and always lead it by being an integral part of it. I maintain high quality standards and operational excellence. Adaptability, strategic mindset and continuous improvement are the key skills for the fast-paced culture of IAF to sustain national security operations.

## Professional Summary

- Supply Chain Management Specialist having 20 years of leadership in the Indian Air Force logistics management.
- High quality standards achieved by process improvement and keen observation through data analysis.
- Carried out forecasting, decision-making, and demand planning to streamline supply chain processes B2C.
- leading cross-functional teams, demonstrating strong leadership and teamwork abilities.
- Managed warehouse for aviation spare parts more than 25000 items and always ensured stocking level for operational readiness.
- By keen observation prevented fuel theft by truck drivers and saved significant public funds.
- Proficient in Advanced Excel and learning Power BI for analyzing data to drive results for decision making process.
- I have experience managing dangerous goods like explosives, missiles, liquid oxygen, and compressed gases
- Worked on an ERP from 2006 its starting phase to presently a developed version.
- Passionate about managing supply chains, operations, transportation, warehouses, inventories, and procurement.

## Career Timeline

- May 2020 - Sep 2024** Senior Manager Warehouse Operations  
Indian Air Force Kanpur
- May 2018 - May 2020** Fuel Store Manager  
Indian Air Force Jamnagar
- May 2013 - May 2018** Receipt and Dispatch Supervisor  
Indian Air Force New Delhi
- May 2008 - May 2013** Compressed Gases and Lubricants Store Executive  
Indian Air Force Port Blair
- Sep 2004 - May 2008** Ration Store Executive  
Indian Air Force Guwahati

## Soft Skills

- Teamwork
- Adaptability
- Analytical Skills
- Problem-solving
- Communication
- Leadership

## Technical Skills

- Advanced Excel
- Quality Management Systems
- Inventory Management Systems
- Power BI
- Logistics Management Software

## Certifications

- **Business Analyst using Power BI** (Edureka - 2024)
- **Entrepreneurship Development Programme** (NIESBUD - National Institute for Entrepreneurship and Small Business Development Kanpur - 2024)
- **Supply Chain Management and Capacity Planning** (Alison - 2024)
- **Fundamental Of Using Six Sigma in Supply Chains** (Alison - 2024)
- **Business Analyst with Excel** (Simplilearn - 2024)
- **Design Thinking** (Simplilearn - 2024)
- **Basic and Advance Excel** (Pathfinder Education Centre Faridabad - 2023)
- **Security Orientation Course** (Chief Admin Officer Air Force Station Jamnagar - 2019)

## Work Experience

May 2020 - Sep 2024

### Senior Manager Warehouse Operations Indian Air Force Kanpur (Kanpur)

- Supervised the management of over 25,000 types of aviation spare parts for various aircraft models across a sprawling 350,000 square feet area.
- Handled demand reception, materialization, and forecasting as well as placing indents
- Organized packaging and storage of spare parts and managed the associated logistics fleet
- 99% on time deliveries to user for operational readiness by keen forecasting

May 2018 - May 2020

### Fuel Store Manager Indian Air Force Jamnagar (Jamnagar)

- Administered petrol and diesel pump operations, including indents, consumption calculations, and forecasting
- Implemented refueling processes for station vehicles and managed fuel stock levels
- Provided fuel to entire station need approx. 1500 vehicles per day during pandemic

May 2013 - May 2018

### Receipt and Dispatch Supervisor Indian Air Force New Delhi (New Delhi)

- Managed nationwide reception, calibration, and load testing of materials such as slings, upholding strict quality standards
- Optimized processes for improved efficiency, ensuring timely dispatch for operational readiness
- Monitored testing timings to prioritize tasks and maintain high-performance standards

May 2008 - May 2013

### Compressed Gases and Lubricants Store Executive Indian Air Force Port Blair (Port Blair)

- Managed aerolubes for all aircraft types, ensuring proper storage, requirement fulfillment, and demand forecasting
- Oversaw compressed gases, liquid oxygen, and ATF fuel accounting with a digital management system
- Conducted rigorous inspections to maintain compliance and quality control

Sep 2004 - May 2008

### Ration Store Executive Indian Air Force Guwahati (Guwahati)

- Oversaw operations of five distinct messes, upholding the highest quality standards for ration supplies
- Coordinated ration quality management, distribution, and documentation with army and civil vendors
- Managed and streamlined ration supplies, ensuring accurate forecasting, distribution, and accountability for over 1,000 personnel.

## Education

- **Master of Arts (MA) in English**  
Manonmaniam Sundarnar University, Tirunelveli  
Mar 2011 - May 2013
- **Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Sociology, Honours**  
IGNOU, Maidan Garhi  
Apr 2006 - Mar 2010
- **Bachelor's of Logistics and Supply Chain Management**  
Indian Air Force  
Sep 2004 - Sep 2019
- **Pursuing MBA in Logistics and Supply Chain Management**  
Shoolini University, Solan Himachal Pradesh  
Jun 2024

## Languages

English Gujarati Hindi Assamese

## Hobbies

Photography Video Editing Jogging

## Achievements

- Led the calibration and testing logistics coordination, achieving a 15% increase in process efficiency and contributing to nationwide operational readiness.
- Completely streamlined the management of compressed gases and lubricants for aircraft for both fixed and rotatory wings. Enhanced the life cycle by keen data analysis and life monitoring process.
- During my tenure in Jamnagar, my vigilant observation uncovered fuel theft by truck drivers, resulting in significant savings of public funds amounting to Crores.
- Awarded by Jayant Chaudhary, Union Minister of Skill Development, for outstanding entrepreneurship and the successful implementation of an innovative idea in logistics and supply chain management, reflecting my commitment to continuous learning and professional excellence.