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The Regulations for the Bachelor of Science (Hons.) in Agriculture degree in faculty of Agriculture.

In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (3) of section 30 and clause (1) and (IV),(V),(VI),(VII) of (2) of section 22 of the Gujarat Agricultural University, Act-2004 and on recommendations of the Board of Studies of the faculty of Agriculture, Academic Council hereby makes the following regulations in supersession of the early regulations.

REGULATION NO.1 :

SHORT TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT :

- 1.1 These regulations may be called "The Regulations for the award of the Bachelor of Science (Hons) Agriculture i.e. B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree under semester system in the Faculty of Agriculture".
- 1.2 It shall come into force from the academic year 2008-2009 for the students admitted to B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree course from that year and onwards.
- 1.3 The nomenclature of degree to be awarded under the Regulations shall be Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Agriculture [B.Sc. (Hons) Agri.] in the faculty of Agriculture in the college named "College of Agriculture, Junagadh".

- 1.4 The duration of B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree course after 10+2 shall be of four years divided into eight semesters.

REGULATION NO.2 :

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION :

- 2.1 Following shall be the requirements for admission to the B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree course.

The candidate should have passed Higher Secondary Certificate Examination in Science Stream with Physics, Chemistry and Biology with English as a compulsory subject from any statutory University / Board in Gujarat State or Examinations recognized as equivalent thereto by the University.

The minimum requirement of marks in the subjects of physics, Chemistry and Biology in theory papers at the qualifying examination for admission to B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree course shall be as under :

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| a. For Scheduled Castes candidates | 35% |
| b. For Scheduled Tribes candidates | 35% |
| c. For Socially and Educationally backward Class candidates | 40% |
| d. For all other candidates | 40% |
- except where specific Contrary provision has been made in the rule.

- 2.2 Candidate who have passed Higher Secondary Certificate Examination with Vocational stream in Agriculture as well as from Higher Secondary Post-basic stream with Physics, Chemistry and Biology subjects with English be also admitted with the percentage of marks obtained as stated in regulation No.2.1 a,b,c,d.
- 2.3 Candidates who have passed the Central Board of Secondary Education Examination, Delhi from the institutions of Gujarat State in 10+2 pattern with Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English and who fulfill the requirements as stated in the Regulation 2.1 shall be admitted on *pro-rata* basis to the candidates passed from the Gujarat Secondary Education Board.
- 2.4 (a) Weightage of five per cent marks will be given to farmer's sons / daughters / brothers / sisters / grand sons / grand daughters subject to production of certificate (7-12 & 8-A record) from a competent authority for having held land in Gujarat under cultivation by himself / herself, his / her father, his / her mother, his / her grand father (paternal), his / her grand mother (paternal) and his / her brother subject to the fulfillment of minimum qualification required for admission as above.
- 2.4 (b) Weightage to the sportsmen / women for admission will be given as under.
- I. Participation at the International level 7 %
 - II. Participation at the National level
 - (a) Secured 1st position 5 %
 - (b) Secured 2nd position 3 %

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| (c) Secured 3 rd position | 2 % |
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- III Participation at the state level
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| (a) secured 1 st position | 1 % |
| (b) Secured 2 nd position | 0.5 % |

The student will get the above weightage once during his / her University career.

- 2.5 The candidate for admission shall be selected on the basis of merit, which shall be determined by the score at the qualifying examination, and / or any other test as decided by the University from time to time.
- 2.6.1 The merit order shall be decided on the basis of external evaluation in theory papers of science subjects only viz. Physics, Chemistry and Biology for Higher Secondary Examination. However, while calculating the total number of marks, for preparing the merit order list, the marks obtained in the practical in science subjects shall not be taken in the consideration except provided under rules 2.6.2.
- 2.6.2 If there are candidates who have secured equal number of marks in theory of science subjects (PCB), the merit order shall determined by application of criteria as under.
- (a) For candidates who have secured equal marks their merit order shall be decided on the basis of marks obtained in English.
- (b) Candidates who have secured equal marks in English, their merit shall be decided by total aggregate of external marks in theory and practical in Science subjects.

- 2.6.3 Candidates with maximum of three trails shall be eligible for admission. The application of candidates who have passed Higher Secondary School Certificate examination with more than two additional trials will not be considered for eligibility of admission (The failure also include drop and absent for qualifying examination for this purpose, non appearance in the qualifying examination at Higher Secondary School Certificate examination, when due or appearance at qualifying examination in part is treated at par)
- 2.7 The minimum age requirement of a candidate on the 31st day of December of the year of his first admission to the degree course shall be 17 years. The age limit may be relaxed in exceptional cases by the admission committee.
- 2.8 The University shall reserve seats for admission of the candidates as specified below provided that nothing in this regulation shall require the University to admit candidates larger in number or with academic and other qualifications lower than those prescribed except in situation as in 2.1.
- (a) For candidates belonging to the scheduled castes, scheduled tribes and socially and educationally backward classes of the Gujarat State as may be required by the Gujarat State Government from time to time, which at present is as follows :
- Twenty two per cent of the total seats at the stage of admission shall be reserved for backward class candidates. Out of 22 % seats, 7 % shall be earmarked for the candidates

belonging to scheduled tribes, subject to condition those who are able to secure admission on merit shall not, however, be counted against the seat reserved for them. Further, it is provided that reciprocal adjustment in the above specified 7 % and 15 % seats between the two groups will be made, if the need arises on account of vacant seats due to less number of applications in one group and shortage of seats due to more number of application of eligible candidates in the other group. If applications from backward class candidates are more than the reserved seats earmarked for them as above, admission will be given to them strictly on inter se merit within each of the two groups.

- (b) As required by the Government of Gujarat, 27 per cent of the total seats shall be reserved for those candidates who fall under the category of Socially and Educationally Backward Communities as defined by the Baxi Commission & Mandal Punch.

A candidate availing him / her self of reserved seat as above shall be required to produce a certificate that he / she belonging to a particular group of backward class from the competent authority of the state.

The candidate belonging to SEBC should produce the certificate showing that he / she does not belong to creamy layer sections, issued during current year in which admission is sought from the competent authority, otherwise he / she will not be considered under the SEBC category.

SEBC candidates, who are able to secure admission on merit shall not however, be counted against the seats reserved for them.

- (c) Extra 25 per cent of the total number of seats earmarked for out state candidates shall be reserved for the candidates nominated by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi on the basis of All India Entrance Test subject to the conditions that they fulfill the minimum requirement for admission.
- (d) Foreign eligible students seeking admission to B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. programme shall have to route their application through their respective embassy at New Delhi or respective Indian missions abroad to the Government of India / ICAR New Delhi and their candidature shall be considered only if they are sponsored by their respective National Government and / or by the Government of India / ICAR. The candidate will be admitted under reserve quota for ICAR / Government of India sponsored candidates as under rule 2.8 (c). However relaxation in eligibility criteria for a foreign student may be granted by the Vice-Chancellor on recommendation of the Government of India / ICAR New Delhi. Application of a foreign student sponsored by the Foreign Agency who has signed MOU (Memorandum Of Understanding) with Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh shall be considered as a special case, outside the reserved quota, with or without relaxation in the eligibility criteria by the Vice-Chancellor.

- (e) i. Three percent seats are reserved for the disable (Physically handicapped) candidates, which are adjustable within the respective category.
 - ii. "A candidate having locomotor disability of one leg and partial arm shall be eligible to apply for admission to course, subject to the certificate to that effect from the Civil Surgeon / Medical Superintendent of the Government hospital based on the opinions of the concerned Specialist that the locomotor disabled candidate is in a position to undertake the course and perform the functions of the concerned field. The admissions will be on the basis of inter se merit only"
 - iii. Disable (Physically handicapped) candidate shall have to fulfill the academic and minimum requirements of marks at the qualifying examination of his / her category as mentioned in 2.1, a,b,c,d.
- (f) One additional seat shall be reserved for Parsi Community, Who are domicile of Gujarat State. This seat will be non-transferable.
 - (g) Two additional seats are reserved for Kashmiri migrants as per policy provided as under.
- 1. Students may be granted following relaxation while giving admission
 - (i) Extension in date of admission by about 30 days.
 - (ii) Relaxation in cut-off percentage up to 10% subject to minimum eligibility requirement.
 - (iii)Waiving of domicile requirements.

(iv)Facilitation of migration in second and subsequent years.

2. The admission may be considered to such students provided that the nomination is received from Secretary, Agriculture and Co-operation Department, Government of Gujarat.
3. The student shall have to produce certificate from Deputy Commissioner of respective state where he has been migrated from Kashmir along with Registration Number and ration card.
4. This will be applicable till the condition in J & K is normalized.

(h) NRI / PAYMENT SEATS

Twenty Seats are reserved as NRI/Payment Seats with the conditions stated below.

- i. The fees for NRI seat will be 3600 US Dollars for each semester + normal fee.
- ii. The fees on payment seat will be Rs.28000/- for each semester + normal fee.
- iii. The unfilled NRI seats will be filled up as payment seats.
- iv. The candidate seeking admission on NRI / Payment seat shall have to pay fees for first two semesters at the first instance.
- v. The eligibility criteria for NRI / Payment seat shall be as per Regulation 2.1.
- vi. The candidates on NRI / Payment seats will be selected as per Regulation 2.5, 2.6.1 & 2.6.2.
- vii. The candidature for foreign students shall be considered only if they are sponsored by their

respective National Government and or by Government of India / ICAR.

- (i) One percent of available seats shall be reserved for the children of Defence Personnel and Ex-servicemen, for admission.
 - i. A candidate claiming admission against Ex-servicemen category shall be required to submit a certificate to that effect duly issued by the Director, Sainik Welfare Board Gujarat State or by the District Sainik Welfare Officer. In-service Defence Personnel shall be required to submit certificate to that effect duly issued by the Commanding Officer of the respective unit in which they are serving.
 - ii. The seats remaining vacant against the category of Defence Personnel and Ex-servicemen in case of candidates who have passed the qualifying examination from the Gujarat Secondary and Higher Secondary Education Board, Shall be allotted to the children of Defence Personnel and Ex-servicemen of the Central Board. The seats remaining vacant thereafter shall be filled up from the general merit list of the Gujarat Board.
 - iii. The children of Defence Personnel and Ex-servicemen of Gujarat origin shall be included under the reserved category specified in this rule, if they have passed the qualifying examination from the schools located outside the Gujarat State.
- 2.9 No candidate availing any of reserved seats shown under 2.8, or enjoying any concessions in admission requirements shall, however, be

- eligible to get more than one advantage of relaxation in minimum qualification at the same time.
- 2.10 In the event of some or all reserved seats specified under 2.8 a and b Remaining vacant due to less number of applications, for eligible candidates, they shall be considered as open seats and shall be filled in the order of merit from the general merit list of candidates.
 - 2.11 Ten per cent extra candidates may be admitted over the total seats at the stage of admission from the merit list with a view to balance the likely shortfall in the total seats on account of candidates who may leave their studies after paying fees.
 - 2.12 The candidates will apply to the Registrar of the University and the admission will be finalized by a committee of the Principal of the College of Agriculture in the University and the Registrar, strictly on merits and preferences given by the students in their applications. The committee will also observe other rules laid down by the University. The admission will be given to the students as per their preferences strictly on merits.
 - 2.13 Candidates called for admission will be interviewed by the authorities for physical fitness, verification of original mark sheets, certificates etc.
 - 2.14 Nothing in these regulations shall affect the enrolment of a candidate for the B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree course already made under the regulations hereby superseded.

The maximum number of candidates to be admitted in first semester of the degree course will be in accordance to the intake capacity decided by the University from time to time.

REGULATION NO.3 :

REGISTRATION :

- 3.1 A candidate selected for admission shall become an enrolled student of the Junagadh Agricultural University only on completion of his / her first registration in person, which consists of the following steps :
- (i) Payment of fees in person
 - (ii) Submission of original mark sheets and necessary certificates.
 - (iii) Orientation
 - (iv) Registration for courses
- 3.2 Selected candidates shall report at the college on the date fixed by the University for their first registration but not later than 7 days from commencement of the classes.
- 3.3 The admission of any candidate who fails to report on the fixed date as in 3.2 shall stand cancelled and another candidate on the waiting list may be admitted to the vacant seat so created.

It is, however, provided that a candidate who is not in a position to report for the first registration on the date fixed for him due to unavoidable circumstances may obtain provisional registration by paying fees by post

or through messenger on or before the date fixed for his / her registration. Such a candidate shall be required to complete the remaining steps of registration within one week from the date of commencement of the semester, failing which his / her admission shall stand cancelled.

- 3.4 (i) Renewal of registration in the case of continuing students will consist of the below given steps to be completed within the first two days of the beginning of semester, failing which a fine of Rs.20 per day for the first seven days shall have to be paid by the students. After this period registration shall be cancelled.

A. Payment of fees in person

B. Registration for courses.

(ii) Late registration only in very exceptional cases with fine will be permitted by the Principal for a maximum period of three weeks (fine of Rs.20 per day for first 7 days and Rs.40 per day for next 14 days) only from the date of commencement of the semester after which, the admission of those who failed to get registered will be treated as cancelled except for those whose payment of fees has been guaranteed by either the Government or *bonafide* institutions or similar bodies.

(iii) An under graduate student in faculty who has successfully completed all the requirements of 1st year of degree course may be admitted within a period of three years at his own risk at the equivalent semester from which he / she gave up his / her studies provided that no disciplinary action should have been taken

against such student during his career in the college and do not have joined any course / service in other institutes. This period of absence will be calculated from the date he / she leave the college. The case of such students needs to be placed before equivalence committee appointed by the Dean / Principal of the college and on the basis of report of this committee, the action will be given for revival of registration to the students who gives up the studies. Further, this provision shall be applied if the course curriculum was in existence in which he studied.

- 3.5 A student enrolled in the University will be given his registration number to be used along with his / her name in all the concerned academic documents.
- 3.6 An identity card shall be issued to every enrolled student. It shall be carried by him / her and shown when required. In case the identity card is lost a new one shall be issued on payment of fees as prescribed by the University from time to time.

REGULATION NO.4 :

FEES, DEPOSITS ETC. :

- 4.1 The fees, deposit etc. payable by the students of the faculty of Agriculture for the B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree course shall be prescribed by the University from time to time.

REGULATION NO.5 :

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENT :

- 5.1 An enrolled candidate, in order to earn his / her B.Sc. (Hons.) Agri. degree of the University shall have completed satisfactorily the prescribed number of course credits including those acquired by the approved transfer, and shall have earned an overall grade point average (O.G.P.A.) of 5.5 and above.
- 5.2 A course credit means one hour of theory lecture or two hours of laboratory / field / plant practical per week in the semester. The course of study includes (1) Humanities (2) Basic Science (3) Core courses in Agriculture (4) Allied fields (5) Rural Agricultural Work Experience (RAWE) (6) Field Training (7) Intensive Practical Training and (8) Physical Education / N.C.C. / N.S.S. The distribution of courses for each semester is given in Statement A, which may be subjected to change for time to time.
- 5.3 The students will undertake an educational tour of three weeks inclusive of one week from the semester break in Eighth semester as a part of RAWE programme.

REGULATION NO.6 :

SYSTEM OF TEACHING :

- 6.1 The semester system of teaching and continuous for evaluation of a student will be as follow.

The academic year (July-June) is divided into two semesters. The minimum duration of 110 working days, consisting of 95 instructional days and 15 examination days. Under this system there will be eight semesters during which the student shall complete the requirements of course credits.

- 6.2 The semester in a year will normally be, as under, the exact dates of which will be announced in an academic calendar prepared by the committee of the Principal.

Odd semester will be from July to December.

Even Semester from January to June.

Suitable adjustment will be made to accommodate Diwali holidays / summer vacation, which will be notified in the academic calendar. Candidates seeking admission to the 1st semester B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree course will apply for admission after declaration of H.S.C.E. results as per guidelines given in the advertisement in newspapers and the first semester shall commence within two weeks after admission.

- 6.3 Each student will be assigned to an advisor by the Dean / Principal of the college during the first semester. The advisor will help the student in carrying out the programme of his studies. Students are expected to keep constant touch with their advisors to enable the latter to watch progress and guide them along right lines.

6.4 Grading and evaluation will be in "Ten Point Grade System"

6.5 The medium of instruction will be English.

REGULATION NO.7 :

CURRICULUM AND COURSES :

- 7.1 A student enrolled in the University for the B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree programme shall be required to pursue the prescribed curriculum and courses.
- 7.2 The curriculum consists of a series of courses designed to provide training to meet the requirements for the award of B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree.
- 7.3 A course includes lecture and / or practical classes and RAWE in a particular subject covered in a semester.
- 7.4 A student shall be required to earn the credits specified for the degree programme inclusive of those for physical education, NCC / NSS, intensive field training, study tour and RAWE etc.
- 7.5 In pursuing course, a student will be required to attend lecture classes and / or perform practical in laboratory / field / plant etc. He / she shall also put required efforts in library work and shall submit the assignments, reports etc. as per instructions from the course teachers.
- 7.6 The student shall have to obtain at least 5.00 grade point or above in order to clear a course and shall have to earn over all grade point average (OGPA) of 5.5 to earn the degree.

If a student obtains GP / CGPA between 5.00 and less than 5.49 in Course / semester shall be allowed to improve the GP / CGPA for not more than three subjects (including subjects in which he / she failed) in supplementary examination to be conducted in subsequent semester. While improving the grade point of a subject, only external marks shall be taken in to account for such improvement in GP / CGPA and it shall be considered as trial.

- 7.7 A student securing less than 50% marks (5.0 grade point) in a course, shall be considered to have failed and shall have to clear the same as mentioned in 7.6 above for which maximum of only three additional trials shall be given, failing which his / her admission shall stand discontinued.
- 7.8 When a student clear a course(s) by more than one trial, the grade point (less than 5.0) obtained by him / her previously will be replaced by the grade point subsequently obtained by him in the respective course(s) for calculating the OGPA for the award of the degree. All the grade points below 5.0 and grade such as "I", "AB", "W" and "US" will be shown in his / her evaluation report and will be considered for calculating OGPA. Fail, "I", "US" will not be considered for determining merits for the award of scholarship, medals etc.
- 7.9 (i) The minimum percentage of attendance required to be completed by a student in each course shall be 75 per cent of the total credit hours of the academic calendar in

respect of average of both theory and practical.

- (ii) A condonation up to five per cent may be allowed by the Principal on the recommendation of the concerned teacher / Professor in a special case.
- (iii) An additional five per cent may be allowed by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of the Principal of the college concerned. The decision of the Vice-Chancellor shall be final.
 - a) A student whose attendance in a course falls short of the requirements shall be deemed to have dropped the course. He/She will not be allowed to appear in the semester examination of the concerned course(s) and shall be awarded "I" (incomplete) grade and he/she will have to repeat the course(s) by rejoining the course(s) as and when offered.
- (iv) Students, who are required to forgo classes due to their participation in sports, athletics and other co-curricular activities at inter collegiate, inter university, interstate or national level shall be counted as present for the purpose of calculating percentage of attendance.
- (v) A student admitted to Hospital on account of serious sickness / accident, shall be allowed the benefit of attendance and also to give missing internal examination (s) if any for corresponding number of day depending upon the nature of illness by the concerned Principal of the College after

he/she produced a medical certificate from the medical officer of the university or from a medical officer of any Government hospital as special case only.

- (vi) In case of indoor hospitalization, a student whose attendance in a particular course excluding medical benefit, is less than 50 per cent on an average of both theory and practical shall be deemed to have withdrawn the course. He/She will not be allowed to appear at the final semester end examination of the concerned course(s) and shall be awarded “W” (Withdrawal) grade and he/she will have to repeat the course(s) by rejoining the course (s) as and when offered in the subsequent semester.

REGULATION NO.8 :

SYSTEM OF EVALUATION :

- 8.1 The mode of evaluation through the different type of examination and weightage for each course shall be as follows :

A. Courses having theory and practical :

<u>Nature of Evaluation</u>	<u>Marks</u>
<u>Internal Examination :</u>	
i) Two tests each of one hour duration and 20 marks conducted during zero hours and one best out of two will be considered	20
ii) Practical examination by a course teacher	20

Semester end examination :

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| i) Theory examination | 80 |
| ii) Practical examination | 80 |

B. Courses having theory only :

<u>Nature of Evaluation</u>	<u>Marks</u>
i) Two tests each of one hour duration and 20 marks conducted during zero hours and one best out of two will be considered	20
ii) Semester and examination	80

C. Courses having practical only :

<u>Nature of Evaluation</u>	<u>Marks</u>
i) One internal practical examination	20
ii) Semester and practical examination	80

(1) Course teacher will carry out the internal evaluation through different examination of theory and practical for each course as the case may be.

(2) Paper setting and evaluation of semester end theory examination.

(a) The question paper for semester end theory examination for all the colleges of Agricultural Universities of Gujarat will be common.

(b) The course teacher of each college will jointly draw question paper of particular course. Among these four concerned teachers, any one of these will work as convener.

- (c) The semester end examination evaluation will be done jointly by the course teachers of four Agricultural Universities of Gujarat.
- (3) Practical examination will be done jointly by the internal examiner (i.e. concerned course teacher) and external examiner appointed by the university from among the teachers of the university.
- (4) The sequence of internal and semester end examination shall be as follows:

(a) Courses having theory and practical :

The sequence shall be first one hour test, internal practical (two hours duration as the case may be), second one hour test, semester end practical examination (three hours duration) and semester end theory examination (three hours duration).

(b) Courses having theory only :

The sequence shall be first one hour test, second one hour test and semester end theory examination (three hours duration).

(c) Courses having practical only :

The sequence shall be internal practical examination (two hours duration) and semester end practical examination (three hours duration).

8.2 EVALUATION SHALL BE MADE AS SHOWN BELOW :

- (i) The number and mode of assignments, periodical tests etc. shall be determined by the committee of Dean / Principals from time to time.

- (ii) A student shall not be permitted to appear at the semester end examination of a particular course(s), if the concerned teacher / teachers report that his / her academic performance is not satisfactory and / or that he / she has not satisfactorily carried out the laboratory, field, plant practical during the semester and / or / he / she has not been regular in attending classes, he/she shall be awarded "I" (Incomplete) grade, His / her absence from the semester end examination on this account shall be considered as a trial and will have to repeat that course. He / she will be eligible to take the remaining three trials only after repeating the course(s) as and when they are offered. A student shall not be permitted to appear in the semester end examination of a particular semester if he / she fail to satisfactorily complete his / her RAWE and / or study tour etc.

8.3 The evaluation made by the teachers / examiners in all examinations of a course shall be recorded in total score, score / weighted score and grade point. The following marking shall also be shown by the teachers / examiners / University in the students' performance evaluation report.

Grade	Significance	Value	Remarks
Ab	Absent	-	For those students who do not appear in Internal / External Examination without giving any reason.
W	Withdrawal	-	For those students who do not appear at semester end

			examination due to unforeseen circumstances as certified by the Dean / Principal (in very exceptional cases only)
I	Incomplete	-	Candidates not permitted to appear at the semester end examination. As per item 7.9(4) & 8.2(2).
R	Repeated	-	To be shown by university in evaluation report and transcript in case of course repeated and cleared.
S	Satisfactory	-	For NCC, NSS, Physical education intensive, non-credit courses and study tour.
US	Unsatisfactory	-	

Note : Grade point "S" or "US" shall have no significance in calculating GPA /CGPA / OGPA

- 8.4 A student who fails to appear in any of the examinations (at least one hourly theory test, semester end examination) either in theory and / or in practical shall be marked "Ab" (absent) and the value of "Ab" is to be taken as zero. He / she shall be given grade(s) in such course(s) with zero value for the absence in the examination in which he / she fails to appear.
- (i) A student shall not be permitted to appear in the semester end examination of a particular course / courses if he / she fails to appear either in hourly theory test or in practical test / examination of internal evaluation as well as not

submitted the examination form alongwith fees within a prescribed time limit.

Explanation : Internal evaluation means – One hour theory tests and practical examinations as considered by the Principal of the college.

(ii) It is compulsory for the student to appear in the semester end examinations (both theory and practical) to earn grade(s) in the course(s), except he / she is not permitted to appear in the semester end examination.

8.5 There shall be no make up examination for the semester end examination after first trial

8.6 The students obtaining 5.0 or more grade point in a course shall be deemed to have cleared that course and those obtaining less than 5.0 grade point or "W" or "I" or "Ab" grade shall be required to clear in that course subsequently.

It will be obligatory for the students to earn "S" grade for all non-credit courses (graded as "S" or "US") in order to be eligible for the award of the degree.

8.7 Grade point average (GPA) is the sum of products of credits of the courses and the respective grade points obtained in these courses divided by the total number of credits of the different courses offered in the semester.

$$\text{G.P.A} = \frac{\text{(Credits x Grade points)}}{\text{Total Credits}}$$

The cumulative grade point average (CGPA) is the weighted average of GPA of all the semester attended, the G.P.A. being

weighted by the credit loads of the respective semester.

The cumulative grade point average obtained at the end of the final semester is the overall grade point (OGPA) of the candidate.

- 8.8 The award of classes will be based on the O.G.P.A. (Overall grade point average) obtained by the candidates and will be governed by the following criteria.

Grade point	Class
less than 5.00	Fail
less than 5.49	Academic Probation
5.50 - 5.99	Pass class
6.00 - 6.49	Second class
6.50 - 7.49	First class
7.50 and above	First class with Distinction

The class earned by a candidate shall be indicated in his / her degree certificate subjected to change from time to time.

- 8.9 Verification of the grade awarded will be permissible on payment of fees as prescribed by the university.
- 8.10 Maximum time limit to obtain degree of B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. after first registration is Seven-years (14-Semesters).

REGULATION NO.9 :

CONTINUATION OF AN ENROLLED STUDENT :

Continuation of a student as an enrolled student of the University shall depend on the following conditions.

- (i) Satisfactory academic performance.
- (ii) Satisfactory conduct and disciplined behaviour.
- (iii) Satisfactory completion of N.C.C. / N.S.S. or physical education wherever these are compulsory.
- (iv) Satisfactory health and physical capacity to continue the academic programme and completion of the medical examination, if prescribed.
- (v) Timely payment of University dues.

REGULATION NO.10 :

ACADEMIC PROBATION :

- 10.1 A student who fails to clear one or more courses in semester shall be placed on academic probation until he / she clears the same. Barring withdrawal, absence for any reason from the semester end examination of any course(s) or non submission of examination form along with fees shall be counted as a trial with failure in the said course / courses.
- 10.2 A student on academic probation shall not be promoted to the next semester, if he/she fails in more than four courses offered in the semester.

- 10.3 If a student on academic probation fails to clear only one subject at the second trial, he/she shall be conditionally promoted to next semester to clear that course in make up examination by third trial which is to be conducted within a month of declaration of result, If a student fails to clear such course in make up exam by third trial, he / she shall not be promoted to that semester for which he / she is conditionally promoted. The student shall be required to clear such course by fourth and the final trial, Failing which he / she shall stand discontinuing as an enrolled student of the University.
- 10.4 If a student on academic probation fails to clear more than one courses at the second trial, he/she shall not be promoted to the next semester but may be permitted to register for the semester in the course / courses in which he / she has failed and / or withdrawn to enable him / her to repeat studies of the said course(s) and clear the same at the third trial.
- 10.5 If a student on academic probation fails to clear any course(s) even after third trial, he / she may be permitted to clear the same at the fourth and the last trial, failing which he / she shall stand discontinued as an enrolled student of the University.
- 10.6 A student who is not permitted to appear at the semester end examination of a course / courses under 7.9 (4) & 8.2(2), shall be required to repeat the course / courses by registering in the semester in which those course are offered and he / she be

subsequently permitted to avail of a maximum of three trials to clear the same, failing which he / she shall be discontinued as an enrolled student of the university or non submission of examination form along with fees.

REGULATION NO.11 :

Anti Ragging :

11.1 Anti Ragging Committee and Squad are functioning at the University, any one found guilty will be suitably punished, FIR will be lodged against a student(s) abusing fellow student(s)

REGULATION NO.12 :

12.1 Student Discipline :

Student shall abide by any special or general rules made by the University and the College authorities in regard to their conduct within the premises of the University and the College and outside. It shall be always presumed that the guardians of the students have agreed that their wards shall comply with the rules. Failure to comply with these rules will make the concerned students liable for disciplinary action as per students' discipline rules as prescribed by the University from time to time.

12.2 USE OF UNFAIR MEANS

(a) A student found using unfair means or copying during an examination shall be liable to be expelled from the examination in the first instance by the conductor and shall not be permitted to appear in the remaining examinations. The conductor shall report such cases to the Controller of Examination.

- (b) The Examination committee shall have the power to impose any other punishment for misbehavior or misconduct of examinees.
- (c) The Examination Committee shall examine the cases of unfair means and shall recommend to the Academic Council for suitable action.

REGULATION NO.13 :

ELIGIBILITY FOR DEGREE :

13.1A student is deemed to have completed the requirement for graduation and is eligible for the award of B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree if.

- (i) He / she has satisfied all the rules of evaluation as prescribed by the University.
- (ii) He / she has undertaken all the courses as required in each semester and has obtained required grade points in the concerned courses.
- (iii) He / she has satisfied the requirements prescribed by the Head of the Departments including RAWE programme and study tour, if any.
- (iv) He / she has paid all fees prescribed by the University.
- (v) There is no case of indiscipline pending against him / her.
- (vi) He / she has satisfactorily completed the training of NCC / NSS or physical education wherever necessary.

REGULATION NO.14 :

APPLICABILITY :

- 14.1 The students admitted during the year 2008-2009 and thereafter shall be governed by these rules superseding all existing rules and regulations governing conduct of B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. programme from the day they are approved by the Academic Council. However, the students registered prior to the approval of these rules shall be governed by the rules and regulations in force at the time of their registration.

REGULATION NO.15 :

INTERPRETATION :

- 15.1 For the interpretation or implementation of any provision of the regulations for conduct of B.Sc. (Hons) Agri. degree programme, the Registrar of the Junagadh Agricultural University may issue necessary orders as and when needed, with prior approval of the Hon. Vice-Chancellor.

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