



Form No.: VSI/Personnel/ Job Advt./Plant Breeding/2026-27/29.09.2026

Job Tittle*	Applications are invited for the post of Technical Officer (02 Nos.) at Plant Breeding Section. Application should be submitted by Post or by Hand to VSI along with Photo copies of original Certificates, CV/Resume on or before 19th October 2026
Company Name	VASANTDADA SUGAR INSTITUTE, PUNE
Company Profile	VSI established in 1975 by the sugarcane growers of the co-operative sugar factories, is the only organization of its kind in the World. The institute performs under one umbrella all scientific, technical and educational functions relevant to the Sugar Industry. The institute endeavour to improve and increase the productivity in the Sugar Industry through three main channels namely- Academics, Research and Extension. VSI symbolizes a unique partnership between Sugar Industry, the Scientific Community and the Cane Growers.
Name of the Post*	Technical Officer (02 Nos.)
Name of Department*	Plant Breeding
Remuneration (Per month)*	VSI Pay Level S-18 (Rs. 35210-111550) Starting Salary: Rs. 66,899/-pm (including All eligible allowances)
Job Profile*	1. Sugarcane germplasm maintenance & evaluation, cytogenetic study, marcotting & attempting hybridization at SBI, Coimbatore and SBC, Amboli. 2. Ground nursery evaluation, progeny assessment, conduct plant breeding trials at R & D farms of VSI and various factory locations of Maharashtra & also in other states. 3. Supervision of farm operation, nucleus seed production & inspection of breeder seed, 4. Speed breeding and Artificial induction of flowering experiment. 5. Supervise the work of sub-ordinate staff. 6. To prepare annual reports, research reports and improve sugarcane breeding activities 7. Extension activities, organizing the training programme, workshops, seminars, International Conference, consultancy services, preparation & attend the visits of delegates.
Qualification*	M. Sc. (Agri.) in Genetics and Plant Breeding
Experience*	Minimum 3 years of experience in Sugarcane Breeding with handling large amount of Sugarcane germplasm & Sugarcane hybridization
Ref. No.	Dated 23 rd Sept. 2026
Location*	Generally by default is 'Pune' and 'Anywhere in India'



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Terms & Conditions*	*Age Limit not more than 40 years. *No TA/DA will be provided if candidate called for Written/ Personal interview at Institute. *The Decision of Selection Committee of the Institute shall be final. *Institute reserves the right to fill in the post or cancel post without assigning any reason thereof *For location of VSI see location Map.
Details of mode of application Submission*	Application supported with evidence of academic and experience may be sent super scribing the envelope “Application for the Post of “Technical Officer” BY POST / BY HAND To, The Director General Vasantdada Sugar Institute Manjari (Bk.), Tal. Haveli, Dist. Pune 412 307.
Last Date of Application Submission by Post or by Hand*	On or before date 19-10-2026
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