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Education:

Graduation:

BE Mechanical, from Walchand College of Engineering 1983 batch

Post graduation:

ME Automotive Engineering; VJTI Mumbai 1985 Batch

Primary industrial experience:

GPI Kolhapur for 1.5 years as product development engineer

Post graduation in Germany:

Design Engineering/Factory Automation Engineering, from Technical University Berlin, Germany 1991 Batch

Work experience:

1992 Started working in India as resident engineer for a German company ifm electronic gmbh from Essen, Germany

1995 founded ifm electronic India – a subsidiary of ifm electronic gmbh at Kolhapur, now working as Managing Director of ifm electronic India Pvt. Ltd, Kolhapur - 100% daughter company of ifm electronic gmbh, Germany.

ifm electronic is a multinational present in more than 60 countries, having a worldwide turnover of 750 Mill. Euros (approximately 5000 Cr. Rupees worldwide), the products and solutions offered are various types of sensors and control devices (proximity sensors, photo sensors, flow-, pressure-, temperature-, speed- sensors, encoders, related control systems); used widely in automation of steel-, automotive-, cement-, machine tool-, food and beverages-, printing and packaging, earth moving machine- industries.

Started with a team of 2 people in 1995 at head office in Kolhapur and now having a sizable team with branch offices all over India offering sensor solutions to the industry. We also have built our own local IT backbone – built and supplied by a company in Kolhapur.

My team as well as our customers are greatest contributors to our success.

Hobby: Mechatronics and painting