

*Curriculum Vitae*

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*Professional Summary:*

* With over **18 years** of experience in **Software Testing & Quality Assurance** within **Agile frameworks**, I have served as a **Validation Lead** in an **Offshore-Onshore** model involving **POD structures**. My role involves ensuring that products meet the **highest standards of quality** and fully comply with **customer expectations and requirements.**
* Experience in **Functional Testing** and/or **workflows verifications** of **Content Management Systems (AEM based),** **API Testing,** W**eb-based 2-3 tier** **GUI**, **Oracle GL**, **Mainframe, and SharePoint Based** applications and solutions.
* Proficient in **API testing** using **Postman** and willing to work in this area if given the opportunity.
* **Core expertise** in Functional Testing, Static & Dynamic Testing, Re-testing & Regression Testing at Integration, System, and User Acceptance Testing (UAT) to validate product/software functionality based on SRS, FRS & BRD.
* **Proficiency** also in gathering requirements, creating test plans, estimating tests, developing test strategies, scheduling, resource planning, writing test scenarios and cases, reviews of testing artefacts, maintaining a traceability matrix, preparing test data, and producing testing progress reports to stakeholders.
* Over **12 years** of experience testing **Banking & Financial solutions** focusing on **Equity IT and Trading** floor applications like **Order Routing & Exchange Link systems**. Proficient in various electronic trading protocols in the APAC market and **Dark Pool** / **Internal Order Crossing Engine** and **Smart Order Routing** applications.
* Possess extensive knowledge of the **Investment Banking** domain, with practical experience in **Prime Brokerage**, specifically in **Securities Lending, Collateral Allocation, and Client Asset Utilization** projects using **FIS – Global One & Loanet** products and various in-house **Trade Capture & Settlement systems**.
* Possess experience in projects involving **Adobe Experience Manager** (AEM) content management systems on **AEM as a Cloud Service**, which assist businesses in creating and managing websites, mobile applications, and forms.
* Experience with **Rapid Software Testing & Risk Based Testing** techniques such as Heuristics Test Strategy, Mind Maps, Exploratory Testing.
* Formulate and sustain comprehensive **validation** **strategies** **and** **plans**, encompassing **timelines**, **resource** **allocation**, and **risk** **assessment**. Collaborate with cross-functional teams, including the development team, business analysts, and stakeholders, to define testing requirements.
* Successfully established and implemented **Root Cause Analysis** process within project team, which significantly reduced defect rejections and prevented issues from reaching UAT/LIVE.
* Expertise and experience in **Defect & Incident Management** and creating **Knowledge Repository**
* Over 3 years of **onsite work experience** in the UK and Japan, handling client-facing roles

*Technical Skills Set:*

* **Certifications –** ISEB & ISTQB Foundation Certification in Testing from British Computer Society
* **Test Tools –** Postman, SOAP UI, Azure DevOps, Browser Stack, IBM Doors, JIRA and HP-ALM 11x.
* **Language –** C and SQL
* **Operating Environment -** UNIX, Windows 9x/XP
* **Others:** Power Apps,Figma,TOAD, WinSCP

*Achievements:*

* L0 & L1 Cognizant Certifications in Investment Banking.
* Champagne Team Award – RBS OFP Test Services
* Champagne Award on Atos Origin United Kingdom

*Academic Record:*

* **Bachelor of Engineering – Computers** with 53% in 2005 from M.C.O.E. affiliated to Pune University.
* **Diploma in Computer Technology** with throughout 1st Class in 2001 from S.V.C.P. under M.S.B.T.E.
* **S.S.C.** with 81 % in 1998 from Maharashtra Board.

*Summary - Professional Experience*

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| **Organization** | **Designation** | **From** | **To** |
| Cognizant Technology Solutions, India Pvt. Ltd. | Senior Associate | 02nd Nov 2011 | Till Date |
| ATOS India Pvt. Ltd. Pune | Test Analyst | 07th March 2008 | 01st Nov 2011 |
| Virstra i-Technology Services Ltd. Pune (IBU of Nucleus Software Exports Ltd. [www.nucleussoftware.com](http://www.nucleussoftware.com)) | Test Engineer | 21st Aug 2006 | 06th March 2008 |

*Detailed - Professional Experience*

***Current Organization:*** Cognizant Technology Solutions India Pvt. Ltd. (<https://www.cognizant.com/>)

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| **Client - Project** | **Role - Duration** |
| **Novo Nordisk Inc. USA** – Migration of AEM On-Prem to Cloud via Adobe AEM as Cloud Service. Handled a team of 18+ QA members involved in testing for AEM customized and OTS component used by developers and marketers to organize and distribute content across digital channels.   * Developed test strategy, test plan for Functional, Authoring, UI-UX, and Styling aspects of the AEM components as per Features, Acceptance Criteria, User Story, and Figma. * Process setup for Cross Browser-Device testing using Browser Stack tool. * Collaborate with cross-functional teams, including the development team, business analysts, and stakeholders, to define testing requirements. * Resource Allocation, capacity planning, task assignment & monitoring for team. * Daily stand-ups with QA team, offshore onshore project team, and client/stakeholders. * Task prioritization to align with business goals and customer requirements. * Test Execution monitoring/controlling and Status Reporting for testing activities | **Validation Lead**  (Mar-24 to Feb-25) |
| **Boehringer Ingelheim, Germany** – Migration from legacy to Veeva Systems in Data Migration, Interface and Process Config areas with GxP practices of Life Science industry. Handled team of 10+ QA members working in **Veeva Vault QMS** with below responsibilities in line with GxP practices of Life Science industry.   * Worked on authoring, reviewing, updating and approval of various documents such as Quality/Validation Plan, User Requirements Specification, System Requirements Specifications, Technical Installation Plan, Test Plan, System Access Plan, Document Index, CAPA, and Quality/Validation Report. * Test Administration activities for testing artefacts from GxP - Life Science compliance standard perspective e.g. Review of OQ & PQ test cases. * Test Execution monitoring/controlling and Status Reporting for validation activities for Veeva Vault QMS modules of Supplier Management, Audit Management, Risk Management, Inspection Management, Non-compliance, and QualityDocs. | **Validation Lead**  (Jul-23 to Feb-24) |
| **Credit Suisse Group AG** in APAC Exchange connectivity team responsible for Order Routing, Exchange Link and Dark Pool (Internal Order Crossing Engine) & Smart Order Routing Systems.   * Functional & Regression testing at System & System Integration Test levels. * Review & Analysis of Business and Functional requirements mentioned in Detailed Design Document / Business Requirement Document / Use Case Document. * Preparation & Peer Review of Test Cases & Test Scenarios. * Traceability / Mapping of Test Cases & Test Scenarios to Business & Functional Requirements in Quality Centre. * Test Data gathering & management. * Test Execution, Defect reporting & tracking and re-testing. * Test Metrics gathering & management. | **Sr. Test Analyst**  (Jul-19 to Jun-23) |
| **Barclays Capital Inc.** in Securities Lending, Collateral Allocation and Client Asset Utilization team.   * Functional & Regression testing at System & System Integration Test levels. * Review & Analysis of Business and Functional requirements mentioned in Detailed Design Document / Business Requirement Document / Use Case Document. * Preparation & Peer Review of Test Cases & Test Scenarios. * Traceability / Mapping of Test Cases & Test Scenarios to Business & Functional Requirements in Quality Centre. * Test Data gathering & management. * Test Execution, Defect reporting & tracking and re-testing. * Test Metrics gathering & management. | **Test Analyst**  (Nov-11 to Jun-19) |

**2nd Organization:** *ATOS India Pvt. Ltd. (BFS - Retail Banking & Payment Card Industry)*

**1st Organization:** *Virstra i-Technology Services Ltd. Pune (BFS – Retail Banking)*