

	Parameter Name	Data Entered by NGO
Organization Information	Name of organization	Vidnyanvahini
	Organization mission	Creating awareness that science empowers & removing superstitious beliefs among rural high school children.
	Organizational history	Started in 1995 a mobile science lab for rural schools of Maharashtra. Makes 140 visits per year in the MSL to about 80 schools. Arranges 5-6 teachers' workshops and one student workshop. Distributes book libraries in 15 villages per year. Provides support to other similar minded organizations. Has taken up watershed development work in one village.
	Total number of employees	Two (about 20 additional volunteers)
	Geographical domain of influence (list the states)	Maharashtra
	Main physical challenge focus (select from visual, aural, speech, mobility)	No physical challenge focus. Our focus is rural children who have little if any infrastructural support system.
	Main type of work (select from education, rehabilitation, vocational training or others)	Education.
	Total number of beneficiaries at current juncture	About 10,000 high school students and 100 teachers benefit from mobile lab's visit and workshops per year.
	Number of beneficiaries living on premises (boarding and lodging)	Not applicable
Financial Information	Annual budget in Rs. Lakhs	4 lakhs.
	Typical organization overheads as % of disbursements	Nil (or less than 1%).
	Present means of support by source (%): → overnment → eligious groups → ndian corporate sector → nternational agencies → rivate donations → nterest from trust fund	Government 0% Religious groups 0% Indian Corporate sector 3% International agencies 5% Private donations 2% Interest from Trust Fund 90% (Includes one-time and annual support)
	Value of trust fund (if any) in Rs. Lakhs	40 lakhs
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