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Summary

Cross-functional leader with 7+ years of experience managing 50+ customer-facing sites and driving large-scale backend operations across critical supply chains. Skilled in leading data-driven business development, digital transformation, and infrastructure upgrades, unlocking significant revenue growth across the retail network and enhancing plant efficiency through enterprise technology and coordinated cross-functional execution.

Professional Experience

Assistant Manager - Retail and Business Development | Indian Oil Corporation Limited | Howrah

Strategic Growth and Business Development

- Delivered 3% YoY market share growth across a 50+ site network in saturated market through partnership restructuring and prioritized facility upgrades; program-managed full-cycle execution resulting in ₹80+ Cr incremental revenue.
- Unlocked ₹250+ Cr in value opportunity by designing a network expansion roadmap prioritizing 27 high-potential sites through demand analytics, ROI modelling, and commercial due diligence for greenfield expansion.
- Drove 22% YoY volume growth and ₹0.5+ Cr in B2B lubricant revenue through Key Account Management of fleet operators, developing a value-driven engagement model using fuel purchase insights, dealer margin restructuring, and frontline sales training to expand channel penetration.
- Designed an implementation roadmap to position fuel stations as one-stop mobility solutions, conducting cost estimation, floating RFPs, drafting commercial terms and defining service warranty protocols to generate ₹0.5+ Cr annual revenue.
- Orchestrated client engagement for fleet operators, a hard-to-digitize segment, via targeted training and structured customer interaction, driving 50%+ adoption of a loyalty platform and generating ₹2+ Cr downstream value.

Digital Transformation & Change Management

- Led pilot rollout and designed scalable workflows for a CRM-based partner portal across 50+ sites, partnering with IBM; enabled enterprise-wide integration for 25,000+ channel partners.
- Improved supply lead time by 20% across a 400+ outlet network through ERP-driven workflow automation at the central hub; demonstrated ownership from opportunity assessment to post-implementation change management.
- Orchestrated capability-building for 200+ users across 50 dealerships through 1000+ training hours during digital platform rollout, driving structured knowledge management that reduced support queries by ~30% and improved dealer satisfaction by 15% during early adoption.

Project Management and Leadership

- Generated ₹90+ Cr in annual revenue by leading rollout of five new units, conducting financial and operational diligence, cost estimation, and investment evaluation to ensure project feasibility and execution readiness.
- Drove 10% sales uplift across an underperforming rural portfolio through a multi-pronged approach including loyalty program rollout and targeted community outreach; partnered with BCG to design data-backed, segment-oriented interventions.
- Led ₹15 Cr flagship outlet modernization by redesigning layout and upgrading infrastructure aligned to projected demand, improving operations and delivering 50% sales growth to establish West Bengal's top-performing fuel station.
- Executed ₹4 Cr alternate fuel infrastructure rollout by sourcing right-sized EV suppliers for deployment at 20+ dealer sites and commissioning 2 CNG stations, driving vendor coordination, site readiness, and ESG-aligned execution

Retail Operations Lead - Company Owned Outlets | Indian Oil Corporation Limited | Kolkata

- Sales Operations & Team Leadership- Achieved 11% YoY business growth across four COCO retail units, managing full P&L and leading a 60+ member team to drive service excellence through standardized protocols and strengthen outlet brand equity.
- Lean Process Improvement- Streamlined NFR invoicing processes across 100+ outlets through standardized agreements and workflow redesign, strengthening financial governance and operational efficiency.
- Retail Audit & Compliance Excellence- Led third-party audit compliance for company-owned retail outlets under IOCL's Retail Transformation Project—Dhruva, achieving 100% Service Excellence and Facility Improvement scores by standardizing operations, maintaining service benchmarks, and enhancing infrastructure readiness, positioning outlets as model retail sites.

Operations Officer - Howrah Terminal | Indian Oil Corporation limited | Howrah

- Led 16-member team at Howrah terminal, ensuring uninterrupted fuel dispatch to 400+ retail outlets and key airports by proactively identifying and mitigating supply and safety risks through SAP-driven inventory control, dispatch coordination, and compliance-focused operations.
- Proactively led third-party ethanol receipts, coordinating with 10+ supply points to enable 10% ethanol blending in petrol, ensuring timely supply through monthly demand forecasting.
- Mentored a team of 10 apprentices on SAP workflows, preventive maintenance practices, safety protocols, and HR procedures, fostering operational readiness and adherence to compliance standards.

Education

- Bachelor of Technology (Mechanical Engineering) YMCA University of Science and Technology, Faridabad | India
- Live project Customer Insights and Variant Purchase Analysis | TVS Motors

Accomplishments and Awards

- Manjunath Award (2019, 2020) Indian Oil Corporation Limited Sole recipient from the Retail cadre across IOCL for two consecutive years; recognized for outstanding performance in sales growth, operational efficiency, and customer experience, based on a holistic performance evaluation.
- Awarded two consecutive fast-track promotions for consistently exceeding performance benchmarks and delivering exceptional results, placing me in the top 5% of employees at IOCL.
- Placed in the top 0.1% of 2 lakh+ candidates in the All-India GATE 2017 (Mechanical) exam, demonstrating exceptional quantitative aptitude and problem-solving ability.

License & Certifications

- Microsoft Certified: Power BI Data Analyst Associate
- Lean Six Sigma, Green Belt, KPMG
- Excel Skills for Business (Advanced) Macquarie University
- Pre-MBA Statistics Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad
- Artificial Intelligence Certificate Deeplearning.AI
- AWS Cloud Practitioner Training Udemy

Co/Extra-curricular

- Speaker Cell Head, General Management & Leadership Club, IIM Ahmedabad Selected as 1 out of 158 students to lead institute-wide speaker engagements and leadership sessions across PGP, PGPX, FABM & PhD programs under the General Management & Leadership Club.
- Core Committee Member, Profile Committee, PGPX, IIM Ahmedabad Contributed to shaping and managing external branding, cohort representation, and stakeholder engagement strategy for one of India's most prestigious MBA programs.
- Hindi Coordinator, IOCL Howrah Division (2017–19) Led initiatives to increase Hindi usage at the workplace by organizing events, conducting workshops, and supporting communication efforts across departments.
- Centre Lead- Computer Education Initiative-Bhumi NGO (2019-2022)- Spearheaded volunteer coordination and curriculum delivery for underprivileged students in Kolkata, impacting digital literacy and long-term learning outcomes.