

“Engineering Management (EM) for Excellence in Cooperative Milk Plant: An Empirical Study on Optimal Functioning and Success of Kolar Milk Union Limited (KOMUL) Karnataka, India.”

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Abstract:

Introduction: Dairy cooperatives require structured EM systems for efficiency.

Motivation: KOMUL's consistent growth demonstrates scope for optimization.

Purpose: To evaluate operational, managerial factors influencing its excellence.

Importance: Enhances rural livelihoods, quality, and cooperative sustainability.

Need: Rising demand and competition require data-driven management.

Problem Statement: Lack of an integrated Engineering Management Framework that unites operations, governance, and technology to achieve measurable cooperative excellence.

Keywords:

1) Engineering Management (EM) 2) Dairy Cooperatives 3) KOMUL 4) Operational Excellence 5) Optimization.