

<b>Name of the Test</b>	<b>Marital satisfaction Scale (MSS) Brief version (Form A &amp; Form B)</b>
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<b>Availability</b>	Jnana Prabodhini's Institute of Psychology For sale, for research
<b>Training Levels</b>	Level B (No specific training but prior knowledge in test administration expected)
<b>Uses</b>	For research, counseling, post-marital guidance
<b>Year of standardization/adaptation</b>	2006
<b>Year of revised edition</b>	----
<b>Description of the test</b>	
<b>Language</b>	Marathi, English
<b>Level</b>	Married person/couple above 20 years of age
<b>What is measured?</b>	Personality & adjustment : To measure Marital satisfaction
<b>Type of Test</b>	Paper pencil, Likert type scale, force choice, verbal
<b>Total no. of Items with parts if any</b>	138
<b>Item type</b>	Ranking (agreement/disagreement)
<b>Kind of Response</b>	Item in statement form to which the respondent is supposed to express agreement / disagreement in the respective degree.
<b>Areas</b>	1) Sexual relationship 2) Emotional Bonding 3) Sharing thoughts and opinions 4) sharing household responsibility 5) views towards child rearing 6) Time devoted to each other 7) economic stability 8) personality of spouse 9) Motivating each other 10) Relations with in laws 11) Growing in and with the relation 12) religious beliefs 13) General marital satisfaction
<b>Time</b>	App. 30-35 min.
<b>Scoring procedure</b>	manual with help of a scoring manual / guide, objective
<b>Statistics studied while standardizing the test</b>	
<b>Sample (for standardization and norms)</b>	N = 316
<b>Reliability</b>	split half reliability was seen 0.98
<b>Validity</b>	content validity, concurrent validity was seen
<b>Norms</b>	Established
<b>Standardization category</b>	Standardized
<b>More about the test</b>	It covers different aspects of marital life and can be a good tool for individual as well as group counseling
<b>References</b>	Lavalekar, A.; Kulkarni, P & Jagtap, P. (2006). Marital Satisfaction and Emotional Intelligence. Report submitted to U.G.C., New Delhi