Entrepreneurship is an interesting and challenging subject for study. It plays an important role in industrial and economic development of a country. It is now emerged as a separate discipline. Like other disciplines, it can also be developed and fostered through specific educational and training programmes. Several institutes in the field of entrepreneurship are running and working for the development of entrepreneurship in all most all the countries of the global world. On this line many universities have introduced the course papers for the study of entrepreneurship and thus today the knowledge and information about entrepreneurship are available easily for potential entrepreneur.

Successful business enterprises and economic development just do not happen. They are the result of right environment, planning, efforts and innovation. And this proper mixture can only be achieved by the effective entrepreneurs. These people provide a clear blue print for stimulating research, innovation, technology and finance to promote matured enterprises. If enterprises are to expand, entrepreneurship should also develop. Both enterprise and entrepreneurship needs to be nurtured, supported, cultivated, developed and built up. It is important to note that the supportive environment and financial and non financial assistance with government help and assistance must be created for the purpose.

Industrial estate is one of the institutional measure to promote industrial and economic development of the country. In India, industrial estates have been utilized as an effective tool for the promotion and growth of small scale industries. They have also been used as an effective tool to decentralize industrial activity to rural and backward area.

In the present study, an attempt has been made to evaluate the role of GIDC in entrepreneurship development with special reference to some of the selected chemical units of Ahmedabad, Nandesari, Ankleshwar, Sachin and Vapi Industrial Estate of Gujarat State. For this purpose, different infrastructural, commercial and social facilities are analyzed. Along with this, comparison of sample units of industrial estates was also made to determine the position of facilities.