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Ankita completed her graduation in Biotechnology from Dhempe College of Arts and Science Miramar Goa and pursued Masters Degree from Goa University in Marine Sciences. Having spent most of her childhood on the golden beaches of Goa, the vastness of the sea inspired her to explore the infinite hidden treasure of knowledge. She carried out research on Coral reef ecology at the CSIR National Institute of Oceanography in Goa. She is an open water SCUBA diver and has dived in bio diverse regions like Lakshadweep Islands, Gulf of Mannar, and the Grande Island etc. Apart from Science, spirituality attracts her the most and she is a Yog practitioner and holds a Diploma in Yogshastra. An avid traveller and nature lover spends her free time with pets and plants.

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