

## Curriculum Vitae

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1981 Certificate laboratory assistant (analytical chemistry, STOVA, Wageningen)  
1983 Vocational training Environment Science (PBNA, Arnhem)  
1987 Course Energy and Food (OU, Nijmegen)  
1990 Course Biochemistry (HG, Arnhem/Nijmegen)  
1991 Course Physics/Chemistry of Food (IHL Wageningen)  
1996 Course Physics of Food (WU, Wageningen)

Hans works as a research assistant, his activities include testing the mechanical properties of natural fibres and natural fibre/ PP composite materials on agrofibres and agrofibre-based products.

Hans has more than 20 years practical experience in the field of natural fibres, ( natural) PVC stabilizers, lignin etc.

Hans is inventor of two patents.  
Use of Halogenated Sulfonates as a Stabilizer booster in PVC  
(02758331.9-2102-EP0207687).  
Use of salts of superacids as stabiliser in vinyl halide polymers  
(03076681.0)