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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

СВТ	Computer Based Test
CSIR	Council of Scientific and Industrial Research
EWS	Economically Weaker Section
GOI	Government of India
MCQ	Multiple Choice Question
MoE	Ministry of Education
NDA	Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA)
NEGP	National e-Governance Plan (NeGP)
NFOBC	National Fellowship for Other Backward Classes
NFSC	National Fellowship for Schedule Caste
NFPwD	National Fellowship for Persons with Disabilities
NTA	National Testing Agency
OBC-NCL	Other Backward Classes-Non Creamy Layer
PwD	Persons with Disabilities
QRS	Query Redressal System
RPwD	The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016
sc	Scheduled Castes
ST	Scheduled Tribes
UGC	University Grant Commission
UPI	Unified Payment Interface (UPI)
UR	Unreserved
UT	Union Territory
VLE	Village level Entrepreneur

IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND DATES AT A GLANCE

(Please refer to Information Bulletin for details)
Dates, Fee Details and Application Procedure for
Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024

Name of the Examination	Joint CSIR-UGC NET December, 2024
Online registration and submission of Application Form through NTA Website: https://csirnet.nta.ac.in	09 December, 2024 to 30 December, 2024
Last date for successful transaction of Examination fee	31 December, 2024

Fee Payable for JOINT CSIR-UGC NET December, 2024 (Debit/Credit Card/UPI or Internet Banking through any of the payment gateway of SBI/ICICI)		
Category Application Fee		
General	INR 1150	
General-EWS/OBC(NCL)*	INR 600	
SC/ST/PwD/Third Gender INR 325		
Nata.		

Note:

- An applicant can apply for payment through net-banking/debit/credit card/UPI.
- Service charges of the concerned Bank/ Payment Gateway Integrator, as applicable.
- · Applicants are advised to read Payment instructions carefully before paying the application fee.

Name of the Examination	JOINT CSIR-UGC NET December, 2024
Correction in the Particulars of Application Form online only	01 January 2025 to 02 January, 2025
City Intimation Slip	To be announced later through website.
Downloading of Admit Card by the Candidate from NTA Website	To be announced later through website.
Mode of Examination	Computer Based Test (CBT)
Pattern of Examination	Objective Type with MCQ
Duration of Examination	180 minutes (03 hours)
Date(s) of Examination Schedule	16 February, 2025 to 28 February, 2025
Timing of Examination	Will be announced on NTA website
Centre, Date and Shift of Joint CSIR-UGC NET Examination	As mentioned on the Admit Card
Display of Recorded Responses and Answer Keys	Will be announced later on website
Declaration of Result on NTA Website	Will be announced later on website
Website	https://csirnet.nta.ac.in/www.nta.ac.in

^{*}OBC (Other Backward Classes)-NCL (Non-Creamy Layer) as per the central list of Other Backward Classes available on the website of National Commission for Backward Classes. The candidates falling in this list may mention OBC in the Category Column.

State list OBC Candidates who are not in OBC-NCL (Central List) may choose General (EWS) in case they fulfill the prescribed requirement in this regard.

- 1. Candidates can apply for Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 through "Online" mode only.
- Candidate must carefully read the Instructions (including how to fill up Application Form online) given in the Information Bulletin available on the NTA Website. Candidates not complying with the Instructions shall be summarily disqualified.
- Submission of Online Application Form may be done by accessing NTA website https://csirnet.nta.ac.in. Application Form in any other mode will not be accepted.
- 4. Only one application is to be submitted by a candidate.
- Candidates must ensure that E-mail Address and Mobile Number provided in the Online Application Form are their own as all information/ communication will be sent by NTA through e-mail on the registered e-mail address or SMS on registered Mobile Number only.
- 6. Instructions for filling Online Application Form:
 - ❖ Download Information Bulletin and read the same carefully regarding eligibility and procedure / documentation required for filling the Online Application Form.
 - Follow the steps given below to Apply Online:
 - Step-1: Register for Online Form submission using unique Email ID and Mobile No.
 - Step-2: Fill in the Online Application Form and note down the system generated Application No. Upload legible scanned images of: (i) a recent photograph (in jpg file, size 10Kb 200Kb) either in colour or black & white with 80% face (without mask) visible including ears against white background; (ii) candidate's signature (in jpg file size: 4kb 30kb) (iii) Duly verified Result Awaited Attestation Form (in PDF format file size: 50KB to 500KB), (iv) Category Certificate, if applicable (SC/ ST/ OBC/ EWS etc.) (in PDF format file size: 50KB to 300KB) & (v) PwD Certificate, if applicable (in PDF format file size: 50KB to 300KB).
 - Step-3: Pay prescribed fee through Net Banking / Debit Card / Credit Card and UPI, keep proof of fee paid for future reference.
 - Download, save and print copies of Confirmation Page after successful remittance of feeand keep copies safely for future reference.
 - PwD candidates are exempted from payment of fee.
 - All the 3 Steps can be done together or at separate sittings.
- 7. After the submission of Online Application Form (i.e., successful completion of all the Steps), Confirmation Page of the Application Form, should be downloaded and a printout of the same may be retained for future reference. The Confirmation Page of the online Application Form will be generated **only after successful payment by the Candidate.**
 - In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of the prescribed Fee, the candidate should approach the concerned Bank/ Payment Gateway integrator (at the helpline number and email given in **Annexure-I** of the Information Bulletin), for ensuring the successful payment.

In spite of the above, if successful transaction is not reflected on the Portal, it means transaction is not complete and candidate may pay second time and ensure OK status. However, any duplicate payment received from the candidate by NTA in course of said transactions will be refunded (in the same payment mode through which the duplicate payment is received), after fee reconciliation by NTA.

- 8. Information such as his/ her name, contact details / address, category, PwD status, educational qualification details, date of birth, choice of exam cities, etc. provided by the candidate in the online Application Form will be treated as final. Any request for change in such particulars after the closure of correction period will not be considered by NTA.
- 9. NTA does not edit/modify/alter any information entered by the candidate under any circumstances. Any request for change in information will not be entertained. Therefore, candidates are advised to exercise utmost caution for filling up correct details in the Application Form. Request for corrections made by any candidates through Post/Fax/WhatsApp/Email/by hand will not be entertained by NTA.
- 10. Candidates must ensure that their email address and mobile number registered on their online Application Form are their own, as relevant/ important information/ communication will be sent by NTA through e-mail on the registered e-mail address and/or through SMS on registered mobile number only. NTA shall not be responsible for any non-communication/ mis-communication with a candidate in the email address or mobile numbergiven by him/ her other than his/ her own.
- 11. NTA disclaims any liability that may arise to a candidate(s) due to incorrect information provided by him/her in his/her online Application Form.
- 12. Candidates are advised to visit the NTA Website and check their e-mails regularly for latest updates.
- 13. Role of NTA is confined to registration of candidates and conduct of exam. Further, finalization of answer keys after inviting challenges, processing and declaration of results and preparation of the list of qualified candidates is being done by NTA in collaboration with CSIR. NTA has no role to play in the award of fellowships or other downstream processes.

Notes:

- The final submission of Online Application Form will remain incomplete if Step-3 is not complete. Such forms will stand rejected and no correspondence on this account will be entertained.
- ii. No request for refund of fee once remitted by the candidate will be entertained by NTA under any circumstances.
- iii. The entire application process for **Joint CSIR-UGC NET December, 2024** is online, including uploading of scanned images, payment of fees, and printing of Confirmation Page, Admit Card, etc.
- iv. Usage of Data and Information: NTA/Government of India can use the data provided by the End Users (test taker in this case) for internal purpose(s), including training, research and development, analysis, and other permissible purpose(s). This data can be shared by the UGC/NTA with Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) for admission to Ph.D. programmes and with Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) & other organizations for their recruitment processes.

Candidates are advised to carry only the following with them into the examination venue:

- i. Admit card along with Self Declaration (Undertaking) downloaded from the NTA Website (a clear printout on A4 size paper) duly filled in
- ii. A simple transparent Ball Point Pen
- iii. Additional photograph (same as uploaded on the Online Application Form) to be pasted on the attendance sheet in examination Room/ Hall.
- iv. Any one of the authorized photo IDs (must be original, valid, and non-expired) College Identity Card with photograph/ PAN card/ Driving License/ Voter ID/ Passport/ Aadhaar Card (With photograph)/E-Aadhaar with photograph/ Ration Card with photograph/ Bank Passbook with Photograph
- v. PwBD certificate issued by the authorized medical officer, if claiming the relaxation under PwBD category
- vi. Personal transparent water bottle
- vii. Sugar tablets/fruits (like banana/apple/orange) in case the candidate is diabetic.

Notes:

- 1. In case it is found at any time in future that the Candidate has used / uploaded the photographand signature of someone else in his/ her Application Form / Admit Card or he/she has tampered his/her Admit Card / result, these acts of the candidate shall be treated as Unfair Means (UFM) Practices on his/her part and he/she shall be proceeded with action as contemplated under the provisions of Unfair Means Practices covered in this Information Bulletin.
- 2. Candidates are NOT allowed to carry Instruments, Geometry or Pencil box, Handbag, Purse, any kind of Paper/ Stationery/ Textual material (printed or written material), Eatables (loose or packed), Mobile Phone/ Earphone/ Microphone/ Pager, Calculator, DocuPen, Slide Rules, Log Tables, Camera, Tape Recorder, Electronic Watches with facilities of calculator, any metallic item or electronic gadgets/ devices in the Examination Hall/Room. Smoking, chewing gutka, spitting etc. in the Examination Room/Hall is strictly prohibited.
- 3. Possession by a candidate of any of the above-mentioned items will be treated as an act of Unfair Means and may lead to cancellation of his/her candidature in the Examination & may also involve debarring the candidate for future Examination(s) conducted by NTA.

CHAPTER - 1: INTRODUCTION ABOUT NTA AND JOINT CSIR- UGC NET

1.1. About National Testing Agency (NTA)

The Ministry of Education (MoE), Government of India (GOI) has established the National Testing Agency (NTA) as an independent, autonomous, and self-sustained premier testing organization under the Societies Registration Act (1860) for conducting efficient, transparent and international standard tests in order to assess the competency ofcandidates for admissions to premier higher education institutions.

The National Testing Agency (NTA) has been entrusted by the CSIR, with the task of conducting of Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 which is a test to determine the eligibility of Indian nationals for 'award of Junior Research Fellowship and appointment as Assistant Professor', 'appointment as Assistant Professor and admission to Ph.D.' and 'admission to Ph.D. only' in Indian universities and colleges.

1.2. About Joint CSIR-UGC Fellowship

CSIR and UGC provide Research Fellowships for research under expert guidance of faculty members/scientists working in University Departments/ National Laboratories and Institutions in various fields of Science and interdisciplinary areas of research. Joint CSIR-UGC NET Fellowships are tenable in Universities/IITs/Post Graduate Colleges/Govt. Research Establishments including those of the CSIR, Research & Development establishments of recognized public or private sector industrial firms and other recognized institutions. Only bonafide Indian Citizens are eligible for the test. Joint CSIR-UGC NET Fellowships are tenable in India.

Joint CSIR-UGC NET is a test to determine the eligibility of Indian nationals for 'award of Junior Research Fellowship and appointment as Assistant Professor', 'appointment as Assistant Professor and admission to Ph.D.' and 'admission to Ph.D. only' in Indian universities and colleges and R&D Establishment.

Syllabus for enlisted subjects (Annexure-II) are available at www.csirhrdg.res.in
The validity of qualifying certificate of Assistant Professor is forever.

The award of Joint CSIR-UGC NET Fellowship is for a fixed tenure and does not imply any assurance or guarantee for subsequent employment by CSIR-UGC NET to the beneficiary.

- ➤ The candidates qualifying under the 'appointment as Assistant Professor and admission to Ph.D.' category will be eligible for appointment as Assistant Professor and admission to Ph.D. but not for the award of JRF.
- ➤ The candidates qualifying under the 'admission to Ph.D. only' category will be eligible for admission to Ph.D. only but not for the award of JRF and/or appointment as Assistant Professor.
- The eligibility will be determined in the following manner:

Qualified for	Eligible for			
400 00	JRF	Assistant Professor	Ph.D. admission	
Category-1 Award of JRF and appointment as Assistant Professor	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Category-2 Appointment as Assistant Professor and admission to Ph.D.	No	Yes	Yes	
Category-3 Admission to Ph.D. only	No	No	Yes	

- ➤ The JRF-qualified candidates are admitted into the Ph.D. programme based on an interview as per the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedures for Award of Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2022.
- ➤ Joint CSIR-UGC NET under category-2 and category-3 can be used as an entrance test for Ph.D. admission in place of entrance tests conducted by the different universities/HEIs for admission to Ph.D.
- ➤ For candidates qualified under the category-2 and category-3, the marks obtained in the NET will have 70% weightage and 30% weightage will be based on the performance in the interview/viva voce conducted by the University/HEI concerned. The Ph.D. admission will be based on the combined merit of NET marks and the marks obtained in the interview/viva voce.
- For admission to Ph.D., the marks obtained in the NET by the candidates in category-2 and category-3 will be valid for a period of one year from the date of declaration of the result of Joint CSIR-UGC NET.
- The result of NET will be declared in percentile along with the marks/normalized marks (in case of multiple shifts) obtained by a candidate to utilize the marks for admission to Ph.D. In case the test for a subject(s) is conducted in two or multiple shifts, the marks will be normalized by using the Equi-percentile method, and the result will be declared in percentile along with normalised marks.
- The number of candidates who will be qualified for JRF-NET, Assistant Professor and 'admission to the Ph.D. only' will be decided by the results committee.

1.3. About Junior Research Fellow11.3 about J1.3 Junior Research Fellowship Stipend

The stipend of a JRF selected through CSIR- National Eligibility Test (NET) will be Rs. 37,000/- per month for the first two years. In addition, annual contingent grant of Rs. 20,000/- is reimbursed directly to the fellow. The Fellowship will be governed by terms and conditions of CSIR, UGC or Research Scheme, as applicable.

On Completion of two years as JRF and if the Fellow is registered for Ph.D., the Fellowship will be upgraded to SRF (NET) and the stipend will be increased to Rs. 42,000/- per month for the 3rd and subsequent years, on the basis of assessment of Fellows' research progress/ achievements through interview by an Expert Committee consisting of the Guide, Head of the Department and External Member from outside the University/ Institution who is an expert in the relevant field, not below the rank of Professor/ Associate Professor. As far as possible, the External Member should be the chairman of three members Committee. Where the guide happens to be the Head of the Department, the Dean, Faculty of Science or any senior member of the Department may be associated as the third member of the Committee. In the event of the Committee not recommending up-gradation or the fellow has not registered for Ph.D., the candidate will continue as JRF with a stipend of Rs. 37,000/- per month for the 3rd year or his/her fellowship may be terminated depending upon the recommendation of the Committee and the decision of CSIR in this regard shall be final. The progress of research work of JRF will be assessed by duly constituted three member assessment committee again at the end of 3rd year for such up-gradation.

The number of fellowship for each subject is limited.

1.4. Joint CSIR-UGC NET Examination December, 2024

National Fellowships/Schemes (NFOBC, NFSC and NFPwD)

Candidates aspiring for the NFOBC, NFSC or NFPwD shall also have to apply for Joint CSIR UGC NET December, 2024. However, the result of NFOBC, NFSC and NFPwD will be compiled/declared by the respective nodal agency on their websites. Candidates must provide correct information in online application form (wherever asked for) to be eligible for these fellowships. These fellowships/schemes are governed by the guidelines available on official websites of implementing agencies/ministries.

1.5. The data of UGC-NET candidates can be shared by the UGC/NTA with Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) for admission to Ph.D. programmes and with Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) & other organizations for their recruitment processes.

CHAPTER - 2: ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

2.1 Joint CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 Eligibility Criteria

2.1.1.

- a) General/ Unreserved/ General-EWS candidates who have secured at least 55% marks (without rounding off) in Master's Degree or equivalent examination from recognized universities/ institutions are eligible for this Test. The Other Backward Classes (OBC) belonging to Non-Creamy Layer/Scheduled Caste (SC)/ Scheduled Tribe (ST)/ Persons with Disability (PwD)/ Third gender category candidates who have secured at least 50% marks (without rounding off) in Master's degree or equivalent examination are eligible for this Test.
- b) Candidates who are pursuing their Master's degree or equivalent course or candidates who have appeared for their qualifying Master's degree (final year) examination and whose result is still awaited or candidates whose qualifying examinations have been delayed may also apply for this test. However, such candidates will be admitted provisionally and shall be considered eligible for NET, only after they have passed their Master's Degree or equivalent examination with at least 55% marks (50% marks in case of OBC-NCL/ SC/ ST/ PwD/ Third gender category candidates). Such candidates must complete their Master's degree or equivalent examination within two years from the date of NET result with required percentage of marks, failing which they shall be treated as disqualified.

However, those candidates who qualify for 'Admission to Ph.D. Only' must complete their Master's degree or equivalent examination within one year from the date of NET result with required percentage of marks, failing which they shall be treated as disqualified.

- c) Candidates belonging to the Third gender category are eligible to draw the same relaxation in fee, age and Eligibility Criteria for NET as are available to SC/ST/PwD categories. The subject-wise qualifying cut-offs for this category would be the lowest among those for SC/ ST/ PwD/ OBC-NCL/ General-EWS categories in the corresponding subject.
- d) The Ph.D. degree holders whose Master's level examination have been completed by 19 September 1991 (irrespective of date of declaration of result) shall be eligible for a relaxation of 5% in aggregate marks (i.e. from 55% to 50%) for appearing in NET.
- e) Candidates are neither required to send any certificates/documents in support of their eligibility nor printout of their Application Form or Confirmation Page to NTA. However, the candidates, in their own interest, must ensure themselves about their eligibility for the test. In the event of any ineligibility being detected by the CSIR/UGC/NTA at any stage, their candidature will be cancelled, and they shall be liable for legal action. NTA does not verify the information provided by the candidates during online registration and hence candidature will be purely provisional subject to the fulfillment of eligibility criteria.
- f) Candidates with post-graduate diploma/ certificate awarded by Indian University/ Institute or foreign degree/ diploma/ certificate awarded by the foreign University/ institute should in their own interest, ascertain the equivalence of their diploma/degree/ certificate with Master's degree of recognized Indian universities from Association of Indian Universities (AIU), New Delhi (www.aiu.ac.in).

g) The candidates having passed a 4-year/8-semester bachelor's degree programme should have a minimum of 75% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade on a point scale wherever the grading system is followed. A relaxation of 5% marks or its equivalent grade may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ ST/ OBC (non-creamy layer)/ Differently-Abled, Economically Weaker Section (EWS) and other categories of candidates as per the decision of the Commission from time to time (refer to University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedures for Award of Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2022 https://www.ugc.gov.in/pdfnews/0909572_Minimum-Standards-and-Procedure-for-Award-of-PhD-Degree.pdf)

The candidates qualifying in the NET, based on a four-year undergraduate degree, will be eligible for the award of the Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) and for admission to the Ph.D. The candidates qualifying in the NET, based on a four-year undergraduate degree, will not be eligible for appointment as Assistant Professor.

- h) The candidates who are pursuing Four Year/8 Semester Bachelor's Degree Programme and are in their last semester/year may also apply for the test. However, such candidates will be admitted provisionally and shall be considered eligible for the award of JRF/admission to Ph.D. only after fulfilling the requirements contained in the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedures for Award of Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2022 within two years (if qualified for award of JRF)/within one year (if qualified for admission to Ph.D. only) from the date of declaration of the NET result, failing which they shall be treated as disqualified.
- i) The candidates with a Four-Year Bachelor's Degree Programme are allowed to appear in a subject (the List of Subjects and their Codes for Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 are given at (**Annexure-II**) in which they want to pursue a Ph.D. irrespective of the discipline in which they have obtained the four-year bachelor's degree.

2.1.2 Upper Age limit:

a) **JRF:** Not more than 30 years as on the 1st day of the month in which the examination is concluded i.e. February, 2025. A relaxation of upto 5 years is provided to the candidates belonging to OBC-NCL (as per the Central list of OBC available on website: www.ncbc.nic.in) /SC/ST/PwD/Third gender categories and to women applicants.

Relaxation will also be provided to the candidates with research experience, limited to the period spent on research in the relevant / related subject of post-graduation degree, subject to a maximum of 5 years, on production of a certificate from appropriate authority, which should be a recognized Indian university / Institute of National Importance / foreign university which is duly approved / recognized / accredited in its own Country / Public Sector Undertaking of Government of India / State Government in India. The research should not have been carried out towards completion of graduation or post-graduation degree(s). A relaxation of upto 5 years is provided to the candidates who have served in the armed forces subject to the length of service in the armed forces upto the first day of the month in which the concerned Joint CSIR-UGC-NET is, conducted, i.e., December, 2024 Total age relaxation on the above ground(s) shall not exceed five years under any circumstances.

- b) **Assistant Professor:** There is no upper age limit in applying for Joint CSIR UGC-NET for Assistant Professor.
- c) Admission to PhD: There is no upper age limit in applying for Joint CSIR-UGC-NET for Admission to PhD.

2.1.3 Declaration

In the event of any ineligibility being detected by CSIR / UGC / NTA at any stage, their candidature will be cancelled and they shall be liable for legal action. NTA does not verify the information provided by the candidates during online registration and hence candidature will be purely provisional subject to the fulfillment of eligibility criteria.

CHAPTER – 3: Details of Examinations

3.1 Mode of Examinations

The Examinations will be conducted in Computer Based Test (CBT) mode.

3.2 Pattern of Question Papers

The Test will consist of three parts. All the parts will consist of objective type, multiple choice questions. There will be no break between papers. The subject-wise scheme of examination is as per details below:

CHEMICAL SCIENCES (701)	PART A	PART B	PART C	TOTAL
Total questions	20	40	60	120
Max No of Questions to attempt	15	35	25	75
Marks for each correct answer	2	2	4	200
Marks for each incorrect answer (Negative marking for part A, B & C is @ 25%)	0.5	0.5	1	-
EARTH, ATMOSPHERIC, OCEAN AND PLANETARY SCIENCES (702)	PART A	PART B	PART C	TOTAL
Total questions	20	50	80	150
Max No of Questions to attempt	15	35	25	75
Marks for each correct answer	2	2	4	200
Marks for each incorrect answer (Negative marking for part A & B is @ 25% and part C is @ 33%)	0.5	0.5	1.32	-
LIFE SCIENCES (703)	PART A	PART B	PART C	TOTAL
Total questions	20	50	75	145
Max No of Questions to attempt	15	35	25	75
Marks for each correct answer	2	2	4	200
Marks for each incorrect answer (Negative marking for part A, B & C is @ 25%)	0.5	0.5	1	-
MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES (704)	PART A	PART B	PART C	TOTAL
Total questions	20	40	60	120
Max No of Questions to attempt	15	25	20	60
Marks for each correct answer	2	3	4.75	200
Marks for each incorrect answer (Negative marking in Part A & B is @ 25%; no negative marking in Part C)	0.5	0.75	0	-
PHYSICAL SCIENCES (705)	PART A	PART B	PART C	TOTAL
Total questions	20	25	30	75
Max No of Questions to attempt	15	20	20	55
Marks for each correct answer	2	3.5	5	200
Marks for each incorrect answer (Negative marking for part A, B & C is @ 25%)	0.5	0.875	1.25	-

Chemical Sciences: The candidate is required to answer a maximum of 15, 35 and 25 questions from Part-A, Part-B and Part-C respectively. If more than required number of questions are answered, only first 15, 35 and 25 questions in Part A, Part B and Part C respectively will be taken up for evaluation. Below each question in Part A, Part B and Part C, four alternatives or responses are given. Only one of these alternatives is the "correct" option to the question. The candidate has to find, for each question, the correct or the best answer.

Earth Sciences: The candidate is required to answer a maximum of 15, 35 and 25 questions from Part-A, Part-B and Part-C respectively. If more than required number of questions are answered, only first 15, 35 and 25 questions in Part A, Part B and Part C respectively will be taken up for evaluation. Below each question in Part A, Part B and Part C, four alternatives or responses are given. Only one of these alternatives is the "correct" option to the question. The candidate has to find, for each question, the correct or the best answer.

Life Sciences: The candidate is required to answer a maximum of 15, 35 and 25 questions from Part-A, Part-B and Part-C respectively. If more than required number of questions are answered, only first 15, 35 and 25 questions in Part A, Part B and Part C respectively will be taken up for evaluation. Below each question in Part A, Part B and Part C, four alternatives or responses are given. Only one of these alternatives is the "correct" option to the question. The candidate has to find, for each question, the correct or the best answer.

Mathematical Sciences: The candidate is required to answer a maximum of 15, 25 and 20 questions from Part-A, Part-B and Part-C respectively. If more than required number of questions are answered, only first 15, 25 and 20 questions in Part A, Part B and Part C respectively will be taken up for evaluation. Below each question in Part A, Part B, four alternatives or responses are given. Only one of these alternatives is the "correct" option to the question. The candidate has to find, for each question, the correct or the best answer. In Part C each question may have "ONE" or "MORE" correct options. Credit in a question shall be given only on identification of "ALL" the correct options in Part C.

Physical Sciences: The candidate is required to answer a maximum of 15, 20 and 20 questions from Part-A, Part-B and Part-C respectively. If more than required number of questions are answered, only first 15, 20 and 20 questions in Part A, Part B and

Part C respectively will be taken up for evaluation. Below each question in Part A, Part B and Part C, four alternatives or responses are given. Only one of these alternatives is the "correct" option to the question. The candidate has to find, for each question, the correct or the best answer.

Part 'A' shall be common to all subjects. This part shall contain questions pertaining to General Aptitude with emphasis on logical reasoning, graphical analysis, analytical and numerical ability, quantitative comparison, series formation, puzzles etc.

Part 'B' shall contain subject-related conventional Multiple-Choice questions (MCQs), generally covering the topics given in the syllabus.

Part 'C' shall contain higher order questions that may test the candidate's knowledge of scientific concepts and/or application of the scientific concepts. The questions shall be of analytical nature where a candidate is expected to apply scientific knowledge to arrive at the solution to the given scientific problem.

3.3 Medium of Examination

The Paper will be in bilingual i.e. Hindi and English. Candidates are required to answer in the medium as per option exercised in the Application Form. In case of any ambiguity between Hindi and English version due to translation, English version would be treated as final.

3.4 Marking Scheme of Examinations

Please refer to point no. 3.2.

3.5 Subjects of the Test

The Test will be held in the subjects mentioned below:

Subject Code	Subjects of the Test
701	Chemical Sciences
702	Earth, Atmospheric, Ocean and Planetary Sciences
703	Life Sciences
704	Mathematical Sciences
705	Physical Sciences

3.6 Syllabus of the Test

Syllabus & Scheme of Examination of the MCQ Paper may be seen at CSIR HRDG website: www.csirhrdg.res.in .

CHAPTER – 4: FACILITY FOR PWD CANDIDATES

4.1 Provisions relating to Persons with Disability (PwD):

- As per Section 2(t) of the RPwD Act, "Persons with Disability (PwD)" means a person with long-term physical, mental, intellectual, or sensory impairment which, in interaction with barriers, hinders his full and effective participation in society equally with others.
- According to Section 2(r) of the RPwD Act, 2016, "persons with benchmark disabilities" means a person with not less than forty percent (40%) of a specified disability where specified disability has not been defined in measurable terms and includes a person with disability where specified disability has been defined in measurable terms, as certified by the certifying authority.
- The "specified disabilities", which are included in the Schedule of the RPwD Act, are as follows:

S. No.	Category	Type of Disability	Specified Disability
1.	Physical Disability	Locomotor Disability	 a. Leprosy cured person, b. cerebral palsy, and c. dwarfism, d. muscular dystrophy, e. acid attack victims.
		Visual Impairment	a. blindness, b. low vision
		Hearing Impairment Speech & Language Disability	a. deaf, b. hard of hearing Permanent disability arising out of conditions such as laryngectomy or aphasia affecting one or more components of speech and language due to organic or neurological causes.
2.	Intellectual Disability		 a. specific learning disabilities/perceptual disabilities: Dyslexia, Dysgraphia, Dyscalculia, Dyspraxia & Developmental Aphasia) b. autism spectrum disorder
3.	Mental Behaviour		a. mental illness
4.	Disability caused due to	i. Chronic Neurological Conditions	a. multiple sclerosis b. Parkinson's disease
		ii. Blood disorder	a. Haemophilia, b. Thalassemia, c. Sickle cell disease
5.	Multiple Disabilities		More than one of the above specified disabilities including deaf blindness

4.1.1 Facilities for PwD Candidates to Appear in the Exam:

As per the guidelines issued by the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan) under Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment issued from time to time on the subject: "Written Examination for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities", A candidate with one of the benchmark disabilities [as defined in Section 2(r) of RPwD Act, 2016], holding a Disability Certificate in the format prescribed in **Annexure-IV**, is entitled to the following facilities:

- Scribe shall be given, if so desired by a person with benchmark disabilities in the category of blindness, locomotor disability (Both Arms affected-BA) and cerebral palsy.
- ❖ The facility of Scribe, in case he/she has a physical limitation and a scribe is essential to write the examination on his/her behalf, being so certified in the aforesaid format by a CMO/Civil Surgeon/ Medical Superintendent of a Government Health Care Institution, will be provided.
- Compensatory time of not less than 20 minutes per hour of examination will be provided. If the examination is of 03 hours duration, the compensatory time shall be 01 hour. In case the duration of the examination is less or more than 03 hours, the compensatory time shall be on pro rata basis.
- ❖ The compensatory time will be given to a candidate with benchmark disabilities, whether such candidate uses the facility of Scribe or not. Services of a Scribe As per the office memorandum of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Reference: F. No. 34-02/2015-DD-III dated August 29, 2018), the PwD candidates who are visually impaired OR dyslexic (severe) OR have a disability in the upper limbs OR have lost fingers/hands thereby preventing them from properly operating the Computer Based Test platform may avail the services of a scribe (amanuensis).
- ❖ The scribe will help the Candidate in reading the questions and/or keying in the answers as per the directions of the Candidate.
- A scribe will NEITHER explain the questions NOR suggest any solutions. PwBD candidates who desire to avail the services of a scribe need to opt for this during the online registration.
- ❖ A copy of the PwBD certificate must be uploaded at the time of online registration. The formats for the PwBD certificate are given in **Annexure-IV**.
- It is to be noted that the Scribe will be provided by the National Testing Agency. However, the candidate is also permitted to bring his/her own scribe (Annexure-V), if he/she so chooses.
- If it is found at any stage that a candidate has availed the services of a scribe and/or availed the compensatory time, but does not possess the extent of disability that warrants the use of a scribe and/or grant of compensatory time, the candidate will be

excluded from the process of evaluation, ranking, counseling, and admission. In case such a candidate has already been admitted to any Institution, the admission of the candidate will be cancelled. Candidates are advised to go through the Public Notice No. NTA/Exam/PwD/Scribe/2022 dated 11.09.2022 on the NTA website www.nta.ac.in in this regard.

- 4.1.2 Facilities for PwD candidates who have less than 40% disability and have a limitation in writing and a scribe is essential to write the exam on his/her behalf:
 - ❖ A PwD candidate with less than 40% disability and has a limitation in writing and a scribe is essential to write the exam on his/her behalf, being so certified in the prescribed format (Annexure-VI) by a CMO/Civil Surgeon/ Medical Superintendent of a Govt. Health Care Institution will be provided a scribe by NTA. He is required to state his requirements in his application form. He/she is also permitted to bring his/her own Scribe along with an undertaking in the format given at Annexure-VII.

The Candidate cannot change the category or sub-category (PwD status) after the submission of the Online Application Form, and in any case, no change will be entertained by NTA after the declaration of NTA scores. Therefore, the candidates are advised to fill the category / sub-category column very carefully.

CHAPTER - 5: Registration and Application Process

5.1. Ready Reckoner:

Before beginning the process of filling the Online Application Form, Information Bulletin carefully, keep ready required documents and follow the following instructions:

- ❖ Copy of Board/ University Certificate for Candidate's Name, Mother's Name. Father's Name and Date of Birth
- ❖ Type of Identification Bank A/c passbook with photograph/ Passport Number/ RationCard/ Aadhaar Card Number/Voter ID Card Number/ Other Govt ID
- Qualifying Degree Certificate or last semester marks sheet
- Your Mailing Address as well as Permanent Address with Pin Code
- Four cities for Centres of your choice
- Code of Joint CSIR-UGC NET Subject
- Category Certificate, if applicable
- Result Awaited Certificate, if applicable
- Economically Weaker Section (EWS) Certificate, if applicable
- Person with Disability (PwD) Certificate, if applicable
- e-mail address and Mobile Number of candidate
- Scanned images in JPG format only

File size must be between 10 kb to 200 kb.

Candidate's Signature in running hand | File size must be between 04 kb to 30 kb.

5.2. Instructions for filling Online Application Form

- Candidates have to apply "Online" only for JOINT CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 5.2.1. by accessing the website: https://csirnet.nta.ac.in/. (The Application other than online mode would not be accepted in any case).
- 5.2.2. If a candidate submits more than one Application Form for the same course, all his/her Application Forms shall summarily be rejected.
- 5.2.3. Replica of Application Form is given at Annexure-XIII.
- 5.2.4. Information Bulletin and Replica of Application Form given therein may be downloaded and read carefully by the candidate to be sure about his/her eligibility and acquaint with requirements for submission of Online Application Form.
- 5.2.5. Whether they fulfil the eligibility conditions for the Exam as prescribed.
- In order to avoid correction in the particulars at a later stage, the candidate 5.2.6. should exercise utmost caution while filling up the details in the Application Form.
- 5.2.7. Following Steps may be followed to Apply Online:
- Step-1: Register for Online Form submission using your own Email ID and Mobile No. and note down system generated Application Number.
- Step-2: Complete the Online Application Form and note down the system generated Application Number. Upload scanned images of (i) Candidate's Photograph (in JPG file size: 10 kb -200 kb), (ii) Candidate's Signature (in JPG file size: 4kb - 30kb), (iii) Duly verified Result Awaited Attestation Form (in PDF file size: 50kb - 500kb), (iv) Category Certificate, if applicable (SC/ST/OBC/EWS etc.) (in PDF file size: 50kb - 300kb) & (v) PwD Certificate, if applicable (in PDF file size:50kb - 300kb).
- Step-3: Pay prescribed fee through Net Banking / Debit Card / Credit Card / UPI and keep proof of fee paid for future reference.

All the 3 Steps can be completed at one go or each step completed at a time, saved, and the next completed later.

After the submission of Online Application Form (i.e. successful completion of Step-3), Confirmation Page of the Application Form, should be downloaded and a printout of the same may be retained for future reference. The Confirmation Page of the online Application Form could be generated **only after successful payment by the Candidate.**

In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of Prescribed Fee, then the candidate should approach the concerned Bank/Payment Gateway Integrator (in the helpline number and email given in **Annexure-I** of the Information Bulletin), for ensuring the successful payment.

In spite of above, if successful transaction is not reflected on the Portal, it means transaction is not complete and candidate may pay second time and ensure OK status. However, any duplicate payment received from the candidate by NTA in course of said transactions will be refunded (in the same payment mode through which the duplicate payment is received), after fee reconciliation by NTA.

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Notes:

- The final submission of Online Application Form will remain incomplete if Step 2 and Step 3 are not completed, such Application Forms will stand rejected and no correspondence on this account will be entertained.
- ii. No request for refund of fee once remitted by the candidate will be entertained.
- iii. The entire application process of JOINT CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 is online, including uploading of scanned images, Payment of Fees and Printing of Confirmation page. Therefore, candidates are not required to send/submit any document(s) including Confirmation page to NTA through Post/Fax/By Hand/E-mail.
- iv. Candidates are advised to keep visiting the NTA's website regularly for latest updates and to check their e-mails.
- v. The NTA can make use of the data generated for the purpose of research and analysis.
- vi. All the candidates who have submitted the online Application and paid the Examination fee till last date will be allowed to appear in **JOINT CSIR- UGC NET December 2024** and their admit cardswill be uploaded on the website.
- vii. NTA does not verify the information filled by the candidates in the Application Form or any certificate of Category/Educational Qualification for deciding the eligibility of candidates.
- viii. The certificates of educational qualification and category (if applied under reserved category) will be verified by the concerned institution. The candidates are, therefore, advised to ensure their eligibility and the category (if applying under reserved category).
- ix. NTA will, in no way, be responsible for any wrong/incorrect information furnished by the candidate(s) in his/her Online Application Form. The letter/e-mails/WhatsApp Message/Public Grievance in this regard will not be entertained by the NTA.
- x. Candidates are advised to retain their Admit & Score Cards for future reference.

5.3. Choice of Cities for Examination Centre

- 5.3.1 List of Cities for Examination Centres for JOINT CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 are given at Annexure-III. It is mandatory for candidates to select four cities of their choice while filling Online Application Form. {Annexure III}
- 5.3.2 Effort will be made to allot a Centre of Examination to a candidate in a City of his/her Choice. However, due to logistic & administrative reasons, exam centre may be allotted to him/her in a different city of nearby area.
- 5.3.3 The City for Examination Centre once chosen and allotted cannot be changed (after the closing of the correction window) and any request in this regard will not be entertained.

5.4. Procedure for Filling Application Form

PART I: REGISTRATION PAGE

Fill in the basic information and note down the system generated Application No.

- (i) Candidate's Name/ Mother's Name/ Father's Name:
 Provide Candidate's Name, Mother's Name, and Father's Name as given in the
 Secondary School Examination or equivalent Board / University Certificate in
 capital letters. No prefix in the name of the candidate is allowed
- (ii) Date of Birth: dd/mm/yyyy Provide Candidate's date of birth as recorded in SecondarySchool Examination or equivalent Board/University Certificate.
- (iii) Mobile Number and e-mail Address:
 Candidates must provide own Mobile Number and e-mail address.

Note: Only one e-mail address and one Mobile Number are valid for one application

PART II: FILL IN THE COMPLETE APPLICATION FORM

Fill in the complete Application

- **1.** The application particulars entered can be **edited before final submission** of the Application Form.
- Once finally submitted, particulars in certain specific fields may be changed only during correction window. After that no communication in this regard would be entertained.
- 3. All the steps for submission of Online Application Form, Uploading of Candidate's photograph, Candidate's signature, Documents (if applicable), Payment of fee and Printing of Confirmation Page can also be done separately.
- **4.** Facility of submission of Online Application Form, uploading of photograph, signatures, payment of fee and printing of the Confirmation Page will be deactivated as per schedule for submission of Application Form. Hence, candidates are required to complete the process within the prescribed schedule.

- 5. Candidates are not required to send/ submit hard copy of Confirmation page to NTA office. However, the candidates are advised to retain the hard copy of the Confirmation Page, and a proof of fee submitted for future need.
- **6.** Registration will be treated as complete only if the fee has been transacted successfully, else the form will be cancelled.
- 7. Other Backward Classes (OBC)-Non Creamy Layer is as per the central list of Other Backward Classes available on National Commission for Backward Classes (NCBC), Government of India website (www.ncbc.nic.in). Thus, the candidates falling in this list may mention OBC in the Category Column. State list OBC Candidates who are not in OBC-NCL (Central List) may choose General (EWS) in case they fulfill the prescribed requirements in this regard.
- 8. Gender- Provide Candidate's gender as recorded in the Type of Identification viz. Bank A/c Number/ Passport Number/ Ration Card/ Other Govt. ID.
- 9. Provide complete postal address with PIN Code (Mailing Address as well as Permanent Address) for further correspondence. PIN code of Correspondence Address should be given in the space provided for this purpose.
- 10. Choice of Cities for Examination Centres: The candidate should select any four cities of their choice for examination of Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 given at Annexure-III. Choice of cities will be limited to the State of Permanent & Present Address of the Candidate.
- 11. Joint CSIR-UGC NET Subject: The candidate should select the CSIR-UGC NET subject to appear from the list of Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 Subjects given at Annexure-II.

Notes:

- a. The NTA shall not be responsible for any delay/loss in postal transit or for an incorrect Correspondence address given by the Applicant in the Application Form. Therefore, the candidate has to ensure that he/she mentions his/her complete correspondence address, including pin code, in his/her Online Application Form.
- b. The Candidate must ensure that e-mail address and Mobile Number provided in the Online Application Form are their own (which cannot be changed later) as communication maybe sent by NTA through e-mail or SMS.
- c. The Candidate should not give the postal address, Mobile Number or e-mail ID of Coaching Centre in the Online Application Form.
- d. Under no circumstances the choice of cities for Centre and NET subject filled in the Application Form shall be changed by the NTA

PART III: Uploading of scanned images

(i) Candidate's Photograph: to be uploaded

- Photograph should not be with cap or goggles. Photograph should cover 80% face (without mask) visible including ears against white background.
- Spectacles are allowed if being used regularly.
- Polaroid and Computer generated photos are not acceptable.
- Applications not complying with these instructions or with unclear photographs are liable to be rejected.
- Candidates may please note that if it is found that photograph uploaded is fabricated i.e. de- shaped or seems to be hand-made or computer made, the form of the candidate will be rejected and the same would be considered as using unfair means and the candidate would be dealt with accordingly.
- Application without photograph shall be rejected. The photograph need not be attested. Candidates are advised to take 6 to 8 passport size colored photographs with white background.

Note: Passport size photograph is to be used for uploading on Online Application Form and also for pasting on Attendance Sheet at the Examination Centre.

• The candidate should scan his/her passport size photograph for uploading. Filesize must be between **10 kb to 200 kb** (in JPG Format only).

(ii) Candidate's Signature: to be uploaded

- The candidates are required to upload the full signature in running hand writing in the appropriate box given in the Online Application Form. Writing full name in the Box in Capital letters would not be accepted as signature and the Application Form would be rejected. Further, unsigned Online Application Forms will also be rejected.
- The candidate should put his full signature on white paper with Blue/Black Ink pen and scan for uploading.
- File size must be between 04 kb to 30 kb (in JPG Format only).

(iii) Result Awaited Attestation Form: to be uploaded (if applicable)

• File size must be between **50 kb to 500 kb** (in PDF Format only).

(iv) Category Certificate: to be uploaded (if applicable)

• File size must be between **50 kb to 300 kb** (in PDF Format only).

(v) PwD Certificate: to be uploaded (if applicable)

• File size must be between 50 kb to 300 kb (in PDF Format only).

Note: Candidate must ensure that the uploaded images are clear and proper.

PART IV: Payment of Examination Fee

Pay prescribed fee through **Net Banking / Debit Card / Credit Card / UPI** and keep proof of fee paid for future reference. Please see **Annexure–I** for details.

PART V: Check List for filling the Online Application Form

The candidates are advised to ensure the following points before submitting the Online Application Forms:

- (i) Whether they fulfill the eligibility conditions for the Test as prescribed under the heading 'Conditions of Eligibility' and 'Age Limit'.
- (ii) That they have selected their **category** viz General/ General-EWS/ OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)/ SC/ ST/ PwD/ Third gender and Minority option, in the relevant column correctly.
- (iii) That they have filled their **Subject and City of examination and code** in the relevant column correctly.
- (iv) That the Person with Disability (PwD) candidate has filled the relevant column in the Online Application Form. Only PwD candidates have to fill this column and the others have to leave it blank.
- (v) Whether they have kept a Printout of Application Form (Confirmation Page) for their own record.

5.5. Important Points to Note:

- 5.5.1. The Candidates should fill their complete postal address with PIN Code for further correspondence.
- 5.5.2 The Candidate must ensure that e-mail address and Mobile Number provided in the Online Application Form is his/her own (which cannot be changed later) as communication would be sent by NTA through e-mail or SMS.
- 5.5.3 The Candidate should not give the postal address, Mobile Number or e-mail ID of Coaching Centre in the Online Application Form. In order to appear in Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024, the candidates are required to apply 'online'. The Application Form other than online mode shall not be accepted. No change will be accepted through offline mode i.e. through fax/application including e-mail etc.
- 5.5.4 Online Application Form cannot be withdrawn once it is submitted successfully.
- 5.5.5 Application Form of candidates who do not fulfil the eligibility criteria shall be rejected.
- 5.5.6 In case a candidate is found providing incorrect information or the identity is proved to be false at any time in the future, the candidate shall face penal action as per the law.
- 5.5.7 The Candidates are not required to send/submit the confirmation page of Online Application Form to the NTA. However, he/she is advised to retain the following documents with them as reference for future correspondence:

- Printouts of the Confirmation Page of Online Application Form.
- Proof of fee paid
- Photographs (same as uploaded on the Online Application Form) 6
 to 8 passport size photographs need to be kept aside.
- 5.5.7.1. The name on the photo identification must match with the name as shown on the Admit Card. If the name has been changed due to events such as marriage & others, candidate must show the relevant document at the time of exam. The relevant documents are: Marriage Certificate / Divorce / Decree / Legal Name Change Document / Gaztte Notification.
- 5.5.8 In case any exam is held in multiple shifts, NTA may follow the process of normalization of the two test forms as per policy (**Annexure-XIV**).
- 5.5.9 Provision of Reservation for candidates belonging to EWS/ OBC/ SC/ ST/ PwD will be as per Gol instructions issued from time to time.
- 5.5.10 The Aadhaar number is only one of the types of identification and is not mandatory. Candidates may also enter Passport number, Ration Card number, Bank Account number or any other valid Government identity number.
- **5.5.11** A candidate can fill only one application. Multiple application by the same candidate are liable to be rejected.

CHAPTER - 6: Admit Card, Instructions and Prohibited Materials

6.1. Admit Card for the Examinations

- 6.1.1. The Admit Card will be issued provisionally to the candidates, subject to their satisfying the eligibility conditions.
- 6.1.2. The candidate has to download the Admit Card from the NTA website and appear for the Examination at the given Centre on Date, timing and Examination as indicated in their Admit Card.
- 6.1.3. No candidate will be allowed to appear at the Examination Centre, on Date and timing other than that allotted to them in their Admit Card.
- **6.1.4.** In case candidates are unable to download Admit Cards from the website, they may approach the Help Line between 09:30 am and 5:30 pm or write to NTA at csirnet@nta.ac.in.
- 6.1.5. The candidates are advised to read the instructions on the Admit Card carefully and follow them during the conduct of the Examination.
- 6.1.6. In case of any discrepancy in the particulars of the candidate or his/her photograph and signatures shown in the Admit Card and Confirmation Page, the candidate may immediately approach the Helpline between 09:30 am and 5:30 pm. In such cases, candidates would appear in the Examination with the already downloaded Admit Card. However, NTA will take necessary action to make correction in the record later.

Notes:

- a. Candidate may please note that Admit Cards will not be sent by post.
- b. Under no circumstance, a duplicate Admit Card for Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 will be issued at the Examination Centres.
- c. Candidate must not mutilate the Admit Card or change any entry made therein.
- d. Candidates are advised to preserve their Admit Cards in good condition for future reference.
- e. No Admit Card shall be issued to the candidates whose Applications are found to be incomplete for any reasons (including indistinct/ doubtful photographs/unsigned Applications) or who do not fulfill the eligibility criteria for the examination.
- f. Issue of Admit Cards, however, shall not necessarily mean acceptance of eligibility which shall be further scrutinized at subsequent stages of admission process.

6.2. Important Instructions for Candidates

Candidates are advised to go through instruction printed on Admit Card carefully beforegoing for the Examination and follow them strictly

- 6.2.1. The candidates are advised to read the instructions on the Admit Card carefully and follow them strictly.
- 6.2.2. Candidates MUST bring the following documents on the day of Examination at thetest centre. Candidates who do not bring these will not be allowed to appear in the Examination.
 - i. Print copy of Admit Card downloaded from NTA website.
 - ii. One passport size photograph (same as uploaded on the Online Application Form) for pasting on the specific space in the attendance sheet at the Centre during the Examination.
 - iii. Any one of the authorized Govt. photo IDs (must be original, valid and non-expired), viz. School Identity Card/ PAN card/ Driving Licence/ Voter ID/Passport/ Aadhar Card (With photograph)/ Aadhar Enrolment No/ Ration Card
 - iv. PwD certificate issued by the Competent Authority, if claiming the relaxation under PwD category.

If the name has been changed due to events such as marriage, candidate must show the relevant document at the time of exam. Marriage Certificate/ Divorce/ Decree / Legal Name Change Document.

- 6.2.3 Candidates should not be in possession of any material listed in the list of prohibited material.
- 6.2.4 Candidates are not allowed to carry any baggage inside the Examination Centre. NTA will not be responsible for any belongings stolen or lost at the premises.
- 6.2.5 The candidates shall report at the Examination Centre at the time mentioned on the Admit Card so as to avoid crowding at the Examination Centre.
- 6.2.6 Candidates must reach the test centres on or before the reporting time. Entry of the candidates into centre shall be stopped 30 mins before the start of the Examination.
- 6.2.7 Candidates may note that late entry to the Examination premises is not permitted under any circumstances. NTA shall not be responsible for any delayed arrival of the candidate in reaching the centre due to any reason. Candidates are advised to familiarize themselves with the location of test centre and plan travel time accordingly.
- 6.2.8 Biometric information of all the candidates shall be captured. Identity checks will be made upon arrival at the test centre to ensure that there are no unauthorized candidates appearing for the test. Candidates are required to cooperate with the security personnel for security checks.

- 6.2.9 The candidate must show, on demand, the Admit Card for entry in the Examination room/hall. A candidate who does not possess the valid Admit Card shall not be allowed to enter the Examination Centre.
- 6.2.10 Candidates should take their seat immediately after opening of the Examination hall on their allotted seat. If not they are likely to miss some of the general instructions to be announced in the Examination Rooms/ Halls. NTA shall not be responsible for any delay.
- 6.2.11 Any candidate found to have changed room/ hall or the seat on his/her own other than allotted would be considered as a case of unfair means and the candidature shall be cancelled and no plea would be accepted.
- 6.2.12 The candidate must sign and paste the photograph on the Attendance Sheet at the appropriate place.
- 6.2.13 The candidate should ensure that the question paper available on the computer is as per the opted Examination indicated in the Admit Card. In case, the subject of question paper is other than the opted Examination, the same may be brought to the notice of the Invigilator concerned.
- 6.2.14 All calculations/writing work are to be done only in the rough sheet provided at the centre in the Examination Room/ Hall and on completion of the test candidates must hand over the rough sheets to the invigilator on duty in the Room/ Hall.
- 6.2.15 No candidate, without the special permission of the Centre Superintendent or the Invigilator concerned, will leave his/ her seat or Examination Room/ Hall until the full duration of the paper is over. Candidates must follow the instructions strictly asinstructed by the Centre Superintendent/Invigilators.
- 6.2.16 Please note that only registered candidates will be allowed at the Examination Centre. Friends or relatives accompanying the candidates shall not be allowed entry in the test centre under any circumstances and will not be allowed to contact the candidate while the Examination process is going on.
- 6.2.17 Candidate shall appear at their own cost at the Centre on Date and time as indicated on their Admit Card issued by the NTA. No TA, DA or any accommodation facility will be admissible for appearing in JOINT CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 examination.
- 6.2.18 The candidates are to be governed by the Rules and Regulations/Instruction of the NTA with regard to their conduct in the Examination Hall. All cases of unfair means will be dealt with as per rules.
- 6.2.19 Applications of candidates submitting false and fabricated information will be rejected and such candidates will be further debarred from appearing in Examinations conducted by NTA.

- 6.2.20 NTA reserves the right to withdraw permission, granted inadvertently if any, to any candidate who is not eligible to appear in the JOINT CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 even though the Admit Card had been issued by the NTA.
- 6.2.21 In case of any ambiguity in interpretation of any of the instructions/ terms/ rules/ criteria regarding determination of Eligibility/ Conduct of Examination/ Registration of Candidates/ Information contained therein, the interpretation of the CSIR/ NTA shall be final and binding.

6.3. Prohibited Materials

Candidates are not allowed to carry any textual material, Calculators, DocuPen, Slide Rules, Log Tables and Electronic Watches with facilities of calculator, printed or written material, bits of papers, mobile phone, Blue-tooth devices, pager or any other electronic gadget/ device etc.

- The candidates are prohibited to bring any kind of electronic gadgets/device in the Examination room/hall.
- If any candidate is in possession of any of the above item, his/ her candidature will be treated as unfair means and lead to cancellation of the current Examination and also debar the candidate for future Examination(s) & the material will be seized.
- Smoking, chewing gutka, spitting etc. in the Examination Room/Hall is strictly prohibited.
- Instrument / Geometry / Pencil box, Handbag, Purse or Any kind of Paper/ Stationery, Eatables / Snacks and Tea / Coffee / Cold drinks / Water (loose or packed), Mobile Phone / Ear Phone / Microphone / Pager / Calculator/ Camera / Tape Recorder, any metallic item or electronic gadgets etc. are NOT allowed in the Examination Room / Hall.

Note: Diabetic students will be allowed to carry eatables like sugar tablets / fruits (like banana / apple / orange) and transparent water bottle to the Examination hall. However, they will not be allowed to carry packed foods like chocolate / candy / sandwich etc.

CHAPTER - 7: Unfair Means Practices

7.1. Unfair Means Practices and Breach of Examination Rules

- **7.1.1.** Definition: Unfair Means practice is an activity that allows a candidate to gain anunfair advantage over other candidates. It includes, but is not limited to:
 - **a.** Being in possession of any item or article which has been prohibited or can be used for unfair practices including any stationery item, communication device, accessories, eatable items, ornaments or any other material or information relevant or not relevant to the Examination in the paper concerned;
 - **b.** Using someone to write Examination on his / her behalf (physical or virtual impersonation) orpreparing material for copying;
 - **c.** Writing the Exam at an Exam Centre other than the one allotted to him / her;
 - **d.** Violating Examination rules or any direction issued by NTA in connection with Joint CSIR UGC NET Examination;
 - **e.** Assisting other candidate to engage in malpractices, giving or receiving assistance directly or indirectly of any kind or attempting to do so;
 - **f.** Contacting or communicating or trying to do so with any person, other than the Examination Staff, during the Examination time in the Examination Centre;
 - **g.** Threatening any of the officials connected with the conduct of the Examination orthreatening any of the candidates;
 - **h.** Using or attempting to use any other undesirable method or means in connection with the Examination;
 - i. Manipulation and fabrication of online documents viz. Admit Card, Rank Letter, Self-Declaration, etc.;
 - **j.** Forceful entry/exit from Examination Centre/Hall;
 - **k.** Use or attempted use of any electronic device after entering the Examination Centre;
 - **I.** Affixing/ uploading of wrong/ morphed photographs/signatures on the ApplicationForm/ Admit Card/ Proforma;
 - **m.** Creating obstacles in smooth and fair conduct of Examination;
 - Availing of the service of a scribe and/ or compensatory time without processing the extent of disability that warrants the use of service and/ or grant of compensatory time;
 - **o.** Any other malpractices declared as Unfair Means by the NTA;

Disclaimer- The decision of NTA shall be final and binding for declaration of any person / candidate guilty of foregoing or such offence as shall be classified as Unfair Means Case (UMC).

7.1.2. Punishment for using Unfair means practices

During the course of or before or after the Examination, if a candidate is found indulging in any of the practices as defined above, he/she shall be deemed to have used Unfair means practice(s) and booked under UNFAIRMEANS (U.F.M.) Case. The candidate could be debarred for 3 years in future and shall also be liable for criminal action and /or any other action as deemed fit.

CHAPTER - 8: Procedure of Declaration of Result

8.1. Display of Recorded Responses

The NTA will display the Recorded Responses and Question Paper attempted by the candidates on the NTA website https://csirnet.nta.ac.in/ prior to declaration of result. The recorded responses are likely to be displayed for two to three days.

A Public Notice in this regard informing the date/s when the window will open will be hosted on the NTA website.

8.2. Display of Provisional Answer Key for Challenges

The NTA will display Provisional Answer Key of the questions on the NTA website https://csirnet.nta.ac.in/ to provide an opportunity to the candidates to challenge the Provisional Answer Key. The Answer Keys are likely to be displayed for two to three days.

The Candidates will be given an opportunity to make a challenge online against the Provisional Answer Key, on payment of Rs. 200/- per challenged question, as a non-refundable processing fee.

The NTA decision on the challenges shall be final and the result will be declared on the basis of final answer keys.

8.3. Procedure and Criteria for Declaration of Result

Negative marking for wrong answers, wherever required, shall be applicable as per subject wise scheme of Exam.

If a question for any reason is found to be wrong, the benefit of marks will be given to only those candidates who attempted the question. On examining the challenges by the subject experts, if it is found that along with the original answer key one more option(s) is correct, then marks will be awarded to all those candidates who have attempted any one of the correct options. (Except in Part C of Mathematical sciences where rules as prescribed in Chapter 3.2 shall apply)

No grievances/representation with regard to Answer Key(s) after declaration of result will be entertained.

Key Challenge procedure- Only paid challenges made during stipulated time through key challenge link will be considered. Challenges without justification/evidence and those filed on any other medium other than the prescribed link will not be considered.

The merit lists decided by Result Committee will be made on the basis of performance of candidates in the above test.

There will be no separate cut-off for Part A, B & C. The cumulative marks of all parts are taken into consideration for drawing of merit list. There is a minimum bench mark of 33% for General, EWS & OBC category and 25 % in respect of SC/ST and PwD categories for both fellowship and Assistant Professor.

8.4. Percentile and Normalization Procedure

- **a.** For multiple shifts papers, raw marks obtained by the candidates in different shifts will be converted to NTA Scores (Percentile)
- **b.** The detailed procedure of NTA Score to be adopted is available at **Appendix-XIV** in Information Bulletin.
- c. In case the test of a subject is conducted in multi-shifts, NTA Score will be calculated corresponding to the raw marks obtained by a candidate, as per **Appendix-XIV**. The calculated NTA Score for the Raw Marks for all the shifts will be merged for further processing for deciding the allocation.
 - In case where it is necessary, the normalized score shall be calculated based on equi-percentile method (Appendix-XV)
- **d.** In the events of the percentiles for the multi-shifts being dissimilar / unequal, the lowest will be the eligibility cut-off for that category for all candidates (i.e. all shifts).
 - **For Example:** In the Examination held in two shifts, if the 40% marks correspond to a Percentile score of 78 in Shift 1 and 79 in Shift 2, then all those equal to or above 78 percentiles (Percentile score of 100 to 78) in both shifts will become eligible in General Category. Similar method will be adopted for the other categories to determine eligibility cut-offs. In case the Examination is held in greater number of shifts the same principle shall apply.
- **e.** The result of Joint CSIR-UGC NET will be declared in percentile along with the marks obtained by a candidate to utilize the marks for admission to Ph.D.

8.5. Re-Evaluation/Re-Checking of result

a. There shall be no re-evaluation/re-checking of the result. No correspondence in this regard shall be entertained.

CHAPTER - 9: General / Miscellaneous Provisions

9.1. Procedure for appearing in Computer Based Test (CBT)

Please read the detailed procedures for Computer Based Test (CBT) provided at **Annexure-XII**.

9.2. Caution Notice and Non-Disclosure Agreement

9.2.1. Caution Notice

- a. Candidates are advised to refer to Joint CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 website https://csirnet.nta.ac.in/ for authentic information and periodic updates about Joint CSIR- UGC NET December 2024.
- Candidates are advised not to be allured by various claims of any party or person or institute for qualifying Joint CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 securing seat.
- c. Candidates are advised to bring any such information to the notice to NTA by email on csirnet@nta.ac.in.

9.2.2. Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA)

- a. Joint CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 is a proprietary Examination and is conducted by NTA. The contents of this exam are confidential, proprietary and are owned by NTA/CSIR and explicitly prohibits the candidate from publishing, reproducing or transmitting any or some contents of this test, in whole or in part, in any form or by any means, verbal or written, electronic or mechanical or through Hangouts, Blogs etc. using either one's own account or proxy account(s), for any purpose.
- b. By registering for the Joint CSIR- UGC NET December 2024, candidates are covered by Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA). As per NDA, candidates cannot disclose any question or contents of question paper in part orotherwise with any person or party or website or such other media/publication. Any act in breach of the NDA shall be liable for penal action as per law. Kindly note that this is a punishable offence and shalllead to cancellation of candidature.
- c. Violation of any act or breach of the same shall be liable for penal action and cancellation of the candidature at the bare threshold.

9.3. Common Services Centres/Facilitation Centres

Candidates, who are not well conversant with the processes of submitting the online application due to various constraints, can use the services of Common Services Centre, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India under the Digital India initiatives of Hon'ble Prime Minister. The Common Services Centre (CSC) scheme is a part of the ambitious National e-Governance Plan (NeGP) of Government of India and is managed at each village panchayat level by a Village level Entrepreneur (VLE).

CHAPTER – 10: Correspondence with NTA

10.1. Correspondence with NTA

All the correspondence should be addressed by e-mail to NTA on csirnet@nta.ac.in. The email query shall be addressed only if it is not anonymous and contains the name, Registration/ Application No, postal address and contact number of the sender. An email containing vague or general queries and other queries as contained in the Information Bulletin shall not be entertained. Queries shall not be entertained from person claiming to be representatives, associates or officiates of the applicant candidate. The following information shall not be revealed by phone or email:

- a. Internal documentation/status.
- b. Internal decision making process of NTA. Any claim/counter claim thereof.
- c. Dates & venue of internal meetings or name of the staff/officers dealing with it.
- d. Any information which in the opinion of NTA cannot be revealed.

10.2. NTA Weeding Out Rules

The record of JOINT CSIR- UGC NET December 2024 will be preserved up-to 90 days from the date of declaration of result.

10.3. Legal Jurisdiction

All disputes pertaining to the conduct of **JOINT CSIR- UGC NET** Examinations including results shall fall within the **jurisdiction of Delhi / New Delhi** only. Further, any legal question arising out of the Examination shall be entertained only when raised within 30 days from the declaration of result.

The Director (Administration) of the NTA shall be the official by whose designation the NTA may sue or be sued.

10.4. RTI

Information uploaded on the website shall not be provided to the candidate or any other person under R.T.I. Act, 2005. The information uploaded on the website shall remain for a specific period only. Therefore, the candidates are advised to download the uploaded information and keep with them for future. In due course of examination or in midway of process, neither any application under Right to Information Act, 2005 shall be entertained nor information will be provided.

PAYMENT OF EXAM FEE - PROCEDURE/ MODE / SERVICE PROVIDER(S), SERVICES CHARGES AND HELPDESK

After completing Step-2 of Online Application Form, candidates may remit the examination fee (Step-3) bychoosing the following options:

Online Mode i.e. Debit/Credit Card/UPI or internet banking through any of the payment gateway of SBI or ICICI:

- Check the validity of the Debit/Credit Card and keep it ready with you while logging on to website for submitting application form. Candidate should enter the information asked for and make payment through Debit/ Credit Card.
- Through Net Banking, check the balance in your account and keep all credentials ready with you while logging on to website for submitting application form. Candidate should Login with his/her credentials of net banking and make payment through Net Banking.

Please select any Mode of Payment/Service Provider (Service & other charges as applicable per transaction to be paid by the candidate to the concerned Bank/ Payment Gateway Integrator): -

S. No.	Mode of Payment	ICICI BANK			STATE	BANK OF INDIA
1	Net Banking	ICICI	NIL Charge		SBI	Po 5 00 + CST
1	Net banking	Other Banks	4.00	+ GST	Other Banks	Rs 5.00 + GST
2	DobitCord	Transaction u	upto Rs 2000/-	0 %	- Nil	
2	Debit Card	Transaction al	bove Rs 2000/-	0.5% + GST		
		Domestic	0.40% of Transaction value		Domestic	0.80% +GST
3	Credit Card	International	2.35% of Transaction value		International	3.50% of Fee+GST (Minimum Rs 11/-)
	Unified	Transaction u	upto Rs 2000/-	0 %		NII
4	Payment Interface(UPI)	Transaction al	bove Rs 2000/-	5.0 % + GST	Nil	

Note: In case, the fee payment status is not 'OK' the candidates are advised as following:-

- (i) If the fee is paid through credit/debit card and status is not OK, it means the transaction is cancelled. Therefore, such candidates have to pay the fee once again and ensure the OK fee status.
- (ii) For cancelled transactions, the amount will, automatically, be refunded by the concerned Bank to concerned credit/debit card within 15 days of last date of submission of Application Form.

2. Helplines:

(a) If Paying through State Bank of India (SBI):

SI.	Name	Email ID	Contact Number
1	Helpdesk3	sbi.05222@sbi.co.in	08026599990
2	Customer Care	agmcustomer.lhodel@sbi.co.in	1800112211
3	Through SMS	UNHAPPY (add text)	8008202020

(b) If Paying through ICICI Bank:

SI.	Name	Email ID	Contact Number
1	Helpline Number	pgsupport.ind@worldline.com	1800222884

(c) NTA Helpdesk Contact details (in case the payment related issues are not resolved through the above-mentioned Helplines of the concerned Bank/Payment Gateway Integrator):

Email: csirnet@nta.ac.in

Phone No.: 011-40759000, 011-69227700

2. Procedure to raise payment related Grievance:

After (successful completion of Step-3, Confirmation Page of the Application Form, should be downloaded and a printout of the same may be retained for future reference. The Confirmation Page of the online Application Form could be generated **only after successful payment by the Candidate.**

In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of prescribed Fee, then the candidate should approach the concerned Bank/Payment Gateway integrator (in the helpline number and email given in **Annexure-I** of the Information Bulletin), for ensuring the successful payment.

Inspite of above, if successful transaction is not reflected on the Portal, the candidate may contact NTA Helpline. If the payment issue is still not resolved, the candidate may pay second time.

However, any duplicate payment received from the candidate by NTA in course of said transactions will be refunded through the same payment mode through which the duplicate payment is received, after fee reconciliation by NTA.

Information to be provided by the Candidate while raising any payment related query/grievancethrough QRS/email/Helplines: -

- a. Name of the Bank and / or payment Gateway.
- b. Date and time of the transaction
- c. Transaction Number
- d. Bank Reference Number
- e. Proof of transaction
- f. Screenshot from the payment portal (in case of payment failure).

ANNEXURE-II

JOINT CSIR- UGC NET SUBJECTS

The Syllabus & Scheme of Examination may be seen at CSIR HRDG website: www.csirhrdg.res.in.

National Testing Agency will not provide the copy of syllabus to individual candidates.

The Test will be held in the subjects mentioned below:

Subject Code	Subjects of the Test
701	Chemical Sciences
702	Earth, Atmospheric, Ocean and Planetary Sciences
703	Life Sciences
704	Mathematical Sciences
705	Physical Sciences

ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF EXAM CITIES FOR JOINT CSIR- UGC NET DECEMBER 2024

S.NO.	STATE	CITY	CITY CODE
1	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	PORT BLAIR	AN01
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	ANANTAPUR	AP01
3	ANDHRA PRADESH	BHIMAVARAM	AP03
4	ANDHRA PRADESH	CHIRALA	AP04
5	ANDHRA PRADESH	CHITTOOR	AP05
6	ANDHRA PRADESH	ELURU	AP06
7	ANDHRA PRADESH	GUNTUR	AP07
8	ANDHRA PRADESH	KADAPA	AP08
9	ANDHRA PRADESH	KAKINADA	AP09
10	ANDHRA PRADESH	KURNOOL	AP10
11	ANDHRA PRADESH	NARASARAOPETA	AP20
12	ANDHRA PRADESH	NELLORE	AP11
13	ANDHRA PRADESH	ONGOLE	AP12
14	ANDHRA PRADESH	PRODDATUR	AP21
15	ANDHRA PRADESH	RAJAHMUNDRY	AP13
16	ANDHRA PRADESH	SRIKAKULAM	AP14
17	ANDHRA PRADESH	SURAMPALLEM	AP23
18	ANDHRA PRADESH	TIRUPATHI	AP16
19	ANDHRA PRADESH	VIJAYAWADA	AP17
20	ANDHRA PRADESH	VISAKHAPATNAM	AP18
21	ANDHRA PRADESH	VIZIANAGARAM	AP19
22	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	ITANAGAR/NAHARLAGUN	AL01
23	ASSAM	DIBRUGARH	AM01
24	ASSAM	GUWAHATI	AM02
25	ASSAM	JORHAT	AM03
26	ASSAM	SILCHAR (ASSAM)	AM04
27	ASSAM	TEZPUR	AM05
28	BIHAR	ARRAH	BR09
29	BIHAR	BHAGALPUR	BR02
30	BIHAR	DARBHANGA	BR04
31	BIHAR	GAYA	BR05
32	BIHAR	MUZZAFARPUR	BR06
33	BIHAR	PATNA	BR07
34	BIHAR	PURNEA	BR08
35	CHANDIGARH	CHANDIGARH/MOHALI/ PANCHKULA	CH01
36	CHHATTISGARH	BHILAI NAGAR/DURG	CG01
37	CHHATTISGARH	BILASPUR (CHHATTISGARH)	CG02

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38	CHHATTISGARH	RAIPUR	CG03
39	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	DN01
40	DAMAN & DIU	DAMAN	DD01
41	DAMAN & DIU	DIU	DD02
42	DELHI	NEW DELHI	DL01
43	GOA	PANAJI/MADGAON	GO01
44	GUJARAT	AHMEDABAD / GANDHINAGAR	GJ01
45	GUJARAT	ANAND	GJ02
46	GUJARAT	BHAVNAGAR	GJ03
47	GUJARAT	HIMATNAGAR	GJ14
48	GUJARAT	JAMNAGAR	GJ06
49	GUJARAT	JUNAGADH	GJ07
50	GUJARAT	MEHSANA	GJ08
51	GUJARAT	RAJKOT	GJ10
52	GUJARAT	SURAT	GJ11
53	GUJARAT	VADODARA	GJ12
54	GUJARAT	VAPI	GJ13
55	HARYANA	AMBALA	HR01
56	HARYANA	FARIDABAD	HR03
57	HARYANA	GURUGRAM	HR04
58	HARYANA	HISAR	HR05
59	HARYANA	KARNAL	HR06
60	HARYANA	KURUKSHETRA	HR07
61	HARYANA	PANIPAT	HR08
62	HARYANA	SONIPAT	HR09
63	HARYANA	YAMUNA NAGAR	HR10
64	HIMACHAL PRADESH	BILASPUR	HP01
65	HIMACHAL PRADESH	HAMIRPUR	HP03
66	HIMACHAL PRADESH	KANGRA	HP04
67	HIMACHAL PRADESH	KULLU	HP10
68	HIMACHAL PRADESH	MANDI	HP08
69	HIMACHAL PRADESH	SHIMLA	HP06
70	HIMACHAL PRADESH	SOLAN	HP07
71	HIMACHAL PRADESH	UNA	HP09
72	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	BARAMULLA	JK01
73	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	JAMMU	JK02
74	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	SAMBA	JK03
75	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	SRINAGAR	JK04
76	JHARKHAND	BOKARO STEEL CITY	JH01
77	JHARKHAND	DHANBAD	JH02

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78	JHARKHAND	HAZARIBAGH	JH05
79	JHARKHAND	JAMSHEDPUR	JH03
80	JHARKHAND	RANCHI	JH04
81	KARNATAKA	BELAGAVI(BELGAUM)	KK02
82	KARNATAKA	BELLARY	KK03
83	KARNATAKA	BENGALURU	KK04
84	KARNATAKA	BIDAR	KK05
85	KARNATAKA	DAVANAGERE	KK06
86	KARNATAKA	DHARWAD/HUBBALLI(HUBLI)	KK10
87	KARNATAKA	GULBARGA	KK08
88	KARNATAKA	HASSAN	KK09
89	KARNATAKA	MANDYA	KK18
90	KARNATAKA	MANGALURU(MANGALORE)	KK12
91	KARNATAKA	MYSURU(MYSORE)	KK14
92	KARNATAKA	SHIVAMOGA(SHIMOGA)	KK15
93	KARNATAKA	TUMAKURU	KK16
94	KARNATAKA	UDUPI/MANIPAL	KK17
95	KERALA	ALAPPUZHA	KL01
96	KERALA	ERNAKULAM	KL04
97	KERALA	IDUKKI	KL05
98	KERALA	KANNUR	KL07
99	KERALA	KASARAGOD	KL08
100	KERALA	KOLLAM	KL09
101	KERALA	KOTTAYAM	KL11
102	KERALA	KOZHIKODE	KL12
103	KERALA	MALAPPURAM	KL13
104	KERALA	PALAKKAD	KL15
105	KERALA	PATHANAMTHITTA	KL16
106	KERALA	THIRUVANANTHAPURAM	KL17
107	KERALA	THRISSUR	KL18
108	LADAKH	LEH	LL01
109	LAKSHADWEEP	KAVARATTI	LD01
110	MADHYA PRADESH	BALAGHAT	MP01
111	MADHYA PRADESH	BETUL	MP02
112	MADHYA PRADESH	BHOPAL	MP03
113	MADHYA PRADESH	CHHINDWARA	MP05
114	MADHYA PRADESH	GWALIOR	MP06
115	MADHYA PRADESH	INDORE	MP07
116	MADHYA PRADESH	JABALPUR	MP08
117	MADHYA PRADESH	REWA	MP11

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118	MADHYA PRADESH	SAGAR	MP12
119	MADHYA PRADESH	SATNA	MP13
120	MADHYA PRADESH	UJJAIN	MP15
121	MAHARASHTRA	AHMEDNAGAR	MR01
122	MAHARASHTRA	AKOLA	MR02
123	MAHARASHTRA	AMRAVATI	MR03
124	MAHARASHTRA	AURANGABAD	MR04
125	MAHARASHTRA	CHANDRAPUR	MR09
126	MAHARASHTRA	DHULE	MR10
127	MAHARASHTRA	JALGAON	MR13
128	MAHARASHTRA	KOLHAPUR	MR14
129	MAHARASHTRA	LATUR	MR15
130	MAHARASHTRA	MUMBAI/NAVI MUMBAI	MR16
131	MAHARASHTRA	NAGPUR	MR17
132	MAHARASHTRA	NANDED	MR18
133	MAHARASHTRA	NASHIK	MR19
134	MAHARASHTRA	PUNE	MR22
135	MAHARASHTRA	RAIGAD	MR23
136	MAHARASHTRA	RATNAGIRI	MR24
137	MAHARASHTRA	SANGLI	MR25
138	MAHARASHTRA	SATARA	MR26
139	MAHARASHTRA	SOLAPUR	MR27
140	MAHARASHTRA	THANE	MR28
141	MAHARASHTRA	WARDHA	MR29
142	MANIPUR	CHURACHANDPUR	MN02
143	MANIPUR	IMPHAL	MN01
144	MEGHALAYA	SHILLONG	MG01
145	MIZORAM	AIZAWL	MZ01
146	NAGALAND	DIMAPUR	NL01
147	NAGALAND	KOHIMA	NL02
148	ODISHA	BALASORE	OR02
149	ODISHA	BERHAMPUR-GANJAM	OR03
150	ODISHA	BHUBANESWAR	OR04
151	ODISHA	CUTTACK	OR05
152	ODISHA	DHENKANAL	OR06
153	ODISHA	ROURKELA	OR08
154	ODISHA	SAMBALPUR	OR09
155	PUDUCHERRY	PUDUCHERRY	PO01
156	PUNJAB	AMRITSAR	PB01
157	PUNJAB	BHATINDA	PB02

S.NO.	STATE	CITY	CITY CODE
158	PUNJAB	JALANDHAR	PB04
159	PUNJAB	LUDHIANA	PB05
160	PUNJAB	PATHANKOT	PB07
161	PUNJAB	PATIALA/FATEHGARH SAHIB	PB08
162	PUNJAB	SANGRUR	PB11
163	RAJASTHAN	AJMER	RJ01
164	RAJASTHAN	ALWAR	RJ02
165	RAJASTHAN	BIKANER	RJ05
166	RAJASTHAN	JAIPUR	RJ06
167	RAJASTHAN	JODHPUR	RJ07
168	RAJASTHAN	КОТА	RJ08
169	RAJASTHAN	SIKAR	RJ09
170	RAJASTHAN	SRIGANGANAGAR	RJ10
171	RAJASTHAN	UDAIPUR	RJ11
172	SIKKIM	GANGTOK	SM01
173	TAMIL NADU	CHENNAI	TN01
174	TAMIL NADU	COIMBATORE	TN02
175	TAMIL NADU	CUDDALORE	TN03
176	TAMIL NADU	KANCHIPURAM	TN05
177	TAMIL NADU	KANYAKUMARI/NAGERCOIL	TN06
178	TAMIL NADU	MADURAI	TN08
179	TAMIL NADU	NAMAKKAL	TN10
180	TAMIL NADU	SALEM	TN11
181	TAMIL NADU	THANJAVUR	TN12
182	TAMIL NADU	THOOTHUKUDI	TN13
183	TAMIL NADU	TIRUCHIRAPPALLI	TN14
184	TAMIL NADU	TIRUNELVELI	TN15
185	TAMIL NADU	TIRUVALLUR	TN16
186	TAMIL NADU	VELLORE	TN18
187	TAMIL NADU	VIRUDHUNAGAR	TN20
188	TELANGANA	HYDERABAD	TL01
189	TELANGANA	KARIMNAGAR	TL02
190	TELANGANA	KHAMMAM	TL03
191	TELANGANA	MAHBUBNAGAR	TL04
192	TELANGANA	NALGONDA	TL05
193	TELANGANA	WARANGAL	TL07
194	TRIPURA	AGARTALA	TA01
195	UTTAR PRADESH	AGRA	UP01
196	UTTAR PRADESH	ALIGARH	UP02
197	UTTAR PRADESH	AYODHYA	UP06

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198	UTTAR PRADESH	BAREILLY	UP04
199	UTTAR PRADESH	GHAZIABAD	UP07
200	UTTAR PRADESH	GORAKHPUR	UP08
201	UTTAR PRADESH	JHANSI	UP10
202	UTTAR PRADESH	KANPUR	UP11
203	UTTAR PRADESH	LUCKNOW	UP12
204	UTTAR PRADESH	MATHURA	UP13
205	UTTAR PRADESH	MEERUT	UP14
206	UTTAR PRADESH	MORADABAD	UP15
207	UTTAR PRADESH	MUZAFFARNAGAR	UP16
208	UTTAR PRADESH	NOIDA / GREATER NOIDA	UP09
209	UTTAR PRADESH	PRAYAGRAJ	UP03
210	UTTAR PRADESH	SITAPUR	UP17
211	UTTAR PRADESH	VARANASI	UP18
212	UTTARAKHAND	DEHRADUN	UK01
213	UTTARAKHAND	HALDWANI	UK02
214	UTTARAKHAND	HARIDWAR	UK03
215	UTTARAKHAND	NAINITAL	UK04
216	UTTARAKHAND	PANTNAGAR	UK05
217	UTTARAKHAND	ROORKEE	UK06
218	WEST BENGAL	ASANSOL	WB01
219	WEST BENGAL	BURDWAN	WB02
220	WEST BENGAL	DURGAPUR	WB04
221	WEST BENGAL	HOOGHLY	WB06
222	WEST BENGAL	HOWRAH	WB07
223	WEST BENGAL	KALYANI	WB08
224	WEST BENGAL	KOLKATA	WB10
225	WEST BENGAL	SILIGURI	WB11

ANNEXURE-IV

CERTIFICATE REGARDING PHYSICAL LIMITATION TO WRITE IN AN EXAMINATION

Certificate No.	Dated	Affix Passport size Photograph of the
This is to certify that Mr./MsSon/ Daughter of Mr. / Ms	Aged Years,	candidate (same as uploaded on the Online
R/o	and Poll No	Application Form) duly attested by the issuing
has the following Disability (name of the Spe		authority
words) in (percentage) of in figures.		(in

Please tick on the "Specified Disability"

(Assessment may be done on the basis of Gazette of India. Extraordinary, Part-II, Section 3 Sub-section (ii), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment)

Category	Type of Disability	Specified Disability
Physical Disability	Locomotor Disability	a. Leprosy cured person, b. cerebral palsy, c. dwarfism,d. muscular dystrophy, e. acid attack victims.
	Visual Impairment	a. blindness, b. low vision
	Hearing Impairment	a. deaf, b. hard of hearing
	Speech & Language	Permanent disability arising out of conditions such as
	Disability	laryngectomy or aphasia affecting one or more
		components of speech and language due to organic
		or neurological causes.
Intellectual Disability		a. specific learning disabilities/perceptual disabilities:
		Dyslexia, Dysgraphia, Dyscalculia, Dyspraxia &
		Developmental Aphasia)
		b. autism spectrum disorder
Mental Behaviour		a. mental illness
Disability caused	i. Chronic Neurological	a. multiple sclerosis
dueto	Conditions	b. Parkinson's disease
	ii. Blood disorder	a. Haemophilia, b. Thalassemia, c. Sickle cell disease
Multiple Disabilities		More than one of the above specified disabilities including
		deaf blindness
	Physical Disability Intellectual Disability Mental Behaviour Disability caused dueto	Physical Disability Visual Impairment Hearing Impairment Speech & Language Disability Intellectual Disability Mental Behaviour Disability caused dueto i. Chronic Neurological Conditions ii. Blood disorder

This is to further certify that he/she has physical limitation which hampers his/her writing capabilities towrite the Examination owing to his/her disability.

Chief Medical Officer/ Civil Surgeon/ Medical SuperintendentGovernment Health Care Institution with Seal

ANNEXURE-V

Letter of Undertaking for Using Own Scribe

I	_, a candidate with _		(name of
the disability) appearing for the		(name of the	e examination)
bearing Roll No	at	(name	of the centre)
in the District	,		(name
of the State). My qualification is			
I do hereby state that	(name	of the scribe) w	ill provide the
service of scribe/reader/lab assist	ant for the undersi	gned for taking	the aforesaid
examination.			
I do hereby undertake that his qualit	fication is	.	
further certify that the scribe whose OVID-19 + and a certificate to this effo	ect from Competent A	authority is enclos	sed to this letter.
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ate:			Photograph of Scribe
Name of Scribe	ID of the Scribe	(Self	- Attested Photograph)

ANNEXURE-VI

Certificate for person with specified disability covered under the definition of Section 2 (s) of the RPwD Act, 2016 but not covered under the definition of Section 2(r) of the said Act, i.e. persons having less than 40% disability and having difficulty in writing

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3.	by recruit	ficate is issued only for the pur ment agencies as well as acad naximum period of six months o	emic institutions	and is valid upt	o (it is
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F	ppaedic/ PMR ecialist	Clinical Psychologist/Rehabilitation Psychologist/Psychiatrist/ Special Educator	Neurologist (if available)	Occupational Therapist (if available)	Other Expert as nominated By the Chairperson (if any)
(Signa	ature & Na	me)			
Chief	Medical O	fficer/Civil Surgeon/Chief Distri	ct Medical Office	er	Chairperson
Na	ame of Go	vernment Hospital/Health			_
Ca	are Centre	with Seal			
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ANNEXURE-VII

Letter of Undertaking by the person with specified disability covered under the definition of Section 2 (s) of the RPwD Act, 2016 but not covered under the definition of Section 2(r) of the said Act, i.e. persons having less than 40% disability and having difficulty in writing

1.	I, a candidate with (nature of disability/condition)
	appearing for the (name of the examination) bearing Roll No.
	at (name of the centre) in
	the District, (name of the State). My educational
	qualification is
2.	I do hereby state that (name of the scribe) will provide the
	service of the scribe for the undersigned for taking the aforementioned examination.
3.	I do hereby undertake that his qualification is In case, subsequently
	it is found that his qualification is not as declared by the undersigned and is beyond my
	qualification. I shall forfeit my right to the post or certificate/diploma/degree and claims
	relating thereto.
	(Signature of the candidate)
	(Counter signature by the parent/guardian, if the candidate is minor)
	Place:
	Date:

ANNEXURE-VIII

ATTESTATION FORM (For 'Result Awaited' Candidates only) OR

(For 'Enrolled' Candidates only)

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ANNEXURE-IX

FORMAT OF OBC CERTIFICATE

FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES APPLYING FOR APPOINTMENT TO POSTS / ADMISSION TO CENTRAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, UNDER THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

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NOTE:

- (a) The term 'Ordinarily resides' used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.
- (b) The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificates are indicated below:
- (i) District Magistrate/ Additional Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/ 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate).
- (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate / Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate / Presidency Magistrate.
- 1. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar' and
- 2. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and / or his family resides.

ANNEXURE-X

FORMAT OF SC/ST CERTIFICATE

town* in District/ Division* of the State/ Union Territory*Belong to the	
Caste/Scheduled Tribe* under: *The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951 {As amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Lists (Modification Order) 1956, the Bombay Reorganization Act, 1960, the Punjab Reorganization Act 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North-Eastern Areas (Reorganisation) Act, 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Castes (Amendment) Act, 1976) *The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Castes Order, 1956; *The Constitution (Andaman & Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1959, as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act 1976; *The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order, 1962; *The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1962; *The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1964; *The Constitution (Otar and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1966; *The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968; *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978 *The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978 *The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order (Amendment) Act, 1990 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Amendment Act, 1991 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Amendment Act, 1991 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Amendment Act, 1991 *The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Amendment Act, 1991	•
 This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes Certificate issued to Shri/ Smt*	f l
Signature Designation (With seal of Office) Place: State Date: Union Territory	
NOTE: The term "Ordinarily resides" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950. *Please delete the words which are not applicable. AUTHORITIES EMPOWERED TO ISSUE SCHEDULED CASTE/ SCHEDULED TRIBE CERTIFICATES {G.I. Dept. of Per. & Trg. O.M. No. 3012//88-Estt. (SCT), (SRD III) dated 24.04.1990}	

The under mentioned authorities have been empowered to issue Caste Certificates of verification:

- 1. District Magistrate/ Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/ First class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner.
- 2. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate.
- 3. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar
- 4. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his/her family normally resides

FORMAT OF EWS CERTIFICATE

Government of India (Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)

INCOME & ASSET CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS

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	I. 5	5 acres c	of agricultural land a	nd above;			
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	III F	Resident	ial plot of 100 sq. ya	ards and above	in notified municipa	alities;	
	IV F	Resident	ial plot of 200 sq. ya	ards and above	in areas other thar	n the notified munici	palities.
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^{*}Note 1: Income covered all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession etc.

^{**} Note 2: The term "Family" for this purpose include the person, who seeks benefit of reservation, his/ her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

^{***}Note 3: The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places/cities have been clubbed whileapplying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

ANNEXURE-XII

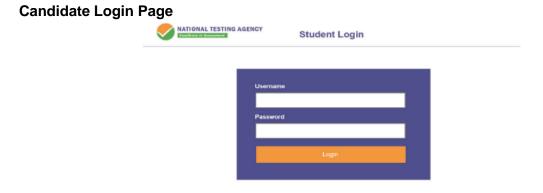
PROCEDURE FOR APPEARING IN COMPUTER BASED TEST (CBT)

The major examinations being conducted by NTA are Computer Based Test (CBT). A CBT requires candidates to sit in front of a computer terminal (node) allocated to them against their Roll number and Admit card. After logging the candidate will get detailed instructions for the examinations. At the designated time of start of examination, the candidates will be able to proceed and see the questions on the computer screen using the computer mouse. Candidates will have the option to change / modify/ edit / answers already entered any time during the examination.

Procedure for appearing in Computer Based Test (CBT):

(Sample/mock test will be available on NTA website: www.nta.ac.in for hands on practice)

- (a) A computer terminal (node) indicating Roll Number will be allocated to each candidate. Candidates should find and sit on their allocated computers only. Any candidate found to have changed room/hall or the computer on their own other than the one allotted would lead to cancellation of candidature and no plea in this regard would be entertained.
- (b) For login, the candidate will have to enter **login-ID** and **password**. The computer terminal allotted to the candidate will display WELCOME login screen, Candidate's photograph and NET subject opted by the candidate.



Candidate Welcome Screen



(c) After login, the candidate shall be able to see the detailed instructions for the examination. Candidates are advised to go through the instructions carefully regarding the type of questions and marking scheme. At the designated time of start of the examination, the candidates will be able toproceed and see the questions on the computer screen.

General Instruction Page

Please read the instructions

carefully General Instructions:

- 1. Total duration of examination is 180 minutes.
- 2. The clock will be set at the server. The countdown timer in the top right corner of screen will display the remaining time available for you to complete the examination. When the timer reaches zero, the examination will end by itself. You will not be required to end or submit your examination.
- 3. The Questions Palette displayed on the right side of screen will show the status of each question using one of the following symbols:
 - You have not visited the question yet.
 - You have not answered the question.
 - You have answered the question.
 - You have NOT answered the question but have marked the question for review.
 - The question(s) "Answered and Marked for Review" will be considered for evaluation.
- 4. You can click on the ">" arrow which appears to the left of question palette to collapse the question palette thereby maximizing the question window. To view the question palette again, you can click on"<" which appears on the right side of question window.
- 5. You can click on your "Profile" image on top right corner of your screen to change the language during the exam for entire question paper. On clicking of Profile image you will get a drop-down to change the question content to the desired language.
- 6. You can click on to navigate to the bottom and to navigate to top of the question are, without scrolling.

Navigating to a Question:

- 7. To answer a question, do the following:
 - a. Click on the question number in the Question Palette at the right of your screen to go to that numbered question directly. Note that using this option does NOT save your answer to the current question.
 - b. Click on **Save & Next** to save your answer for the current question and then go to the next question.
 - c. Click on **Mark for Review & Next** to save your answer for the current question, mark it for Review, and then go to the next question.

Answering a Question:

8. Procedure for answering a Multiple-Choice type question:

- a. To select you answer, click on the button of one of the options.
- b. To deselect your chosen answer, click on the button of the chosen option again or click on the Clear Response button
- c. To change your chosen answer, click on the button of another option
- d. To save your answer, you MUST click on the Save & Next button.
- e. To mark the question for review, click on the Mark for Review & Next button.
- 9. To change your answer to a question that has already been answered, first select that question for answering and then follow the procedure for answering that type of question.

Navigating through sections:

- 10. Sections in this question paper are displayed on the top bar of the screen. Questions in a Section can be viewed by click on the section name. The Section you are currently viewing is highlighted.
- 11. After click the **Save & Next** button on the last question for a section, you will automatically be takento the first question of the next section.
- 12. You can shuffle between sections and questions anything during the examination as per yourconvenience only during the time stipulated.
- 13. Candidate can view the corresponding section summery as part of the legend that appears in everysection above the question palette.

The keyboard attached to the computer, if any, will be disabled during the entire duration of the examination. Depending on the type of question, the answers to questions can either be entered by clicking on the virtual on-screen keyboard (numeric or otherwise) using the computer mouse or by clicking the chosen option(s) using the computer mouse. Candidates will have the option to change/modify answers already entered anytime during the entire duration of the examination.

In case the computer/mouse allotted to any candidate malfunctions anytime during the test, he/she will be immediately allotted another computer system and the time lost due to this will be adjusted in the server so as to give the candidate the full allotted time.

The on-screen computer clock counter of every candidate will be set at the server. The countdown timer in the top right side of computer screen will display the time remaining (in minutes) available for the candidate to complete the examination. When the timer reaches zero, the examination will end by itself. Candidate will not be required to end or submit the examination.



(d) The Question Palette displayed on the screen will show the status of each question using one



of the following symbols:

The question(s) "Answered and Marked for Review" status for a question indicates that candidate would like to have a relook at that question again. A candidate has the option of answering a question and simultaneously "Marked for Review", these answers will be considered for evaluation. However, if a candidate has simply put "Marked for Review" for a question without answering it, the corresponding question marked for review without an answer will not be considered for evaluation. It may be noted that a candidate can return to any "Marked for Review" question any time during the examination by clicking on the corresponding question number icon displayed on the Question Palette of the corresponding section.

- (e) Candidate can click on the ">" arrow which appears to the left of question palette to collapse the question palette thereby maximizing the question viewing window. To view the question palette again, candidate can click on "<" which appears on the right side of question window.
- (f) Candidate can click on to navigate to the bottom and to navigate to the top of the question area, without scrolling. Using the computer mouse the candidate can scroll up and down the question viewing area for viewing the entire question.
- (g) The full paper can be viewed by clicking the "Question Paper" icon on the top right corner of the screen.

(h) Blank Sheets for doing rough Work/calculations shall be provided to the candidates. The Blanks Sheets would have a Header page for the candidates to write down his/her Name and Roll Number. All calculations/writing work are to be done only in the Blank Sheets provided at the centre in the examination Room/Hall and on completion of the test candidates must hand over the rough sheets to the invigilator on duty in the Room/Hall.

(i) Navigating to a Question to navigate between questions within a Paper, candidate needs to do the following:

- (a) Click on the question number in the Question Palette at the right of the screen to go to that numbered question directly. Note that using this option does NOT save the answer to the currently displayed question.
- (b) Click on "Save & Next" to save the answer of any question. Clicking on "Save & Next" will save the answer for the current question and the next question will be displayed on the candidate's computer screen.
- (c) Click on "Mark for Review & Next" to mark a question for review (without answering it) and proceed to the next question.



(j) Answering a Question

To navigate between questions within a Paper, candidate needs to do the following: Procedure for answering a Multiple-Choice type question:

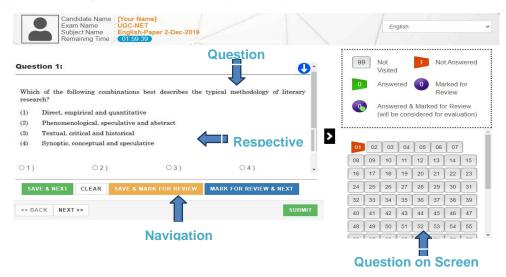
- (a) To select the option(s), click on the corresponding button(s) of the option(s).
- (b) To deselect the chosen answer, click on the button of the chosen option again or click on the "Clear Response" button.
- (c) To save the answer, the candidate MUST click on the "Save & Next" button.
- (d) To mark the question for review (without answering it), click on the "Mark for Review & Next" button.

(k) Navigating through sections:

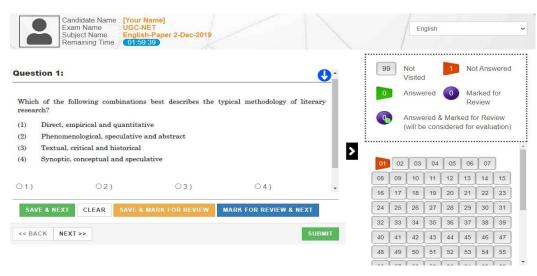
- (i) Sections in the question paper are displayed on the top bar of the screen. Questions in a section can be viewed by clicking on the section name. The section in which candidate is currently viewing will be highlighted.
- (ii) After clicking the "Save & Next" button on the last question for a section, candidate

will automatically be taken to the first question of the next section.

- (iii) Candidate can shuffle between sections and questions within sections anytime during the examination as per the convenience only during the time stipulated.
- (iv) Candidate can view the corresponding section summary as part of the legend that appears in every section above the question palette.



- (I) Procedure for answering questions that require inputs from virtual key board (numeric or otherwise):
 - (a) Candidate will have to use the on-screen virtual keyboard (that would be displayed just below the question statement of these types of questions) and the attached computer mouseto enter his/her answer in the space provided for answer.



On Screen Virtual Keyboard



- (b) The answer can be changed, if required, anytime during the test. To save the answer, the candidate MUST click on the "Save & Next" button.
- (c) To mark the question for review (without answering it), click on the "Mark for Review & Next" button.

Candidate will have the option to change previously saved answer of any question, anytime during the entire duration of the test. To change the answer to a question that has already been answered, first select the corresponding question from the Question Palette, then click on "Clear Response" to clear the previously entered answer and subsequently follow the procedure for answering that type of question.

(m) ROUGH WORK:

All calculations/writing work are to be done only in the rough sheet provided at the Centre in the examination Room/Hall and on completion of the test candidates must hand over the rough sheets to the invigilator on duty in the Room/Hall.

ANNEXURE-XIII

REPLICA OF APPLICATION FORM

Joint CSIR-UGC NET December, 2024



JOINT CSIR-UGC NET DECEMBER-2024

- Please read the instructions, procedure and Information Bulletin carefully before you start filling the Application Form.
- Candidate can apply "ON-LINE" only through the official website (https://csirnet.nta.ac.in.).
- Please ensure your eligibility as per the criteria laid down for JOINT CSIR-UGC NET DECEMBER-2024.
- 4. Examination Fees

CATEGORY	FEE AMOUNT
GENERAL	Rs. 1150/-
GENERAL-EWS,OBC NCL (CENTRAL LIST)	Rs. 600/-
SC/ST/PwD/THIRD GENDER	Rs. 325/-

- 5. The fee may be submitted through Net Banking/Debit Card/Credit Card/UP.
- fee may be submitted through Net Banking/Debit Card/Credit Card/UP.

 1. Application Procedure: Steps to be followed to apply online.

 Step 1 (REGISTRATION FORM): Register for the Online Application Form and note down the system generated Application Number. The candidate should supply the required Registration details while filling the Online Application Outside the Process of the Application and enter this/her Answer After successful submission of the personal details, an Application number will be generated and it will be used to complete the remaining Steps of the Application Form and will also be required for all future reference/correspondence. For subsequent logins, the candidate will be able to login directly with the respective system generated Application Number and created Password.

 Step 2 (APPLICATION FORM): The Candidates can log in with the system generated Application Number and pre-created Password for completing the Application form including Application filling up of personal details, applying for the Paper, providing the details of Educational Qualifications, and uploading the images and documents Form:

Upload Scanned Images of Candidate Photograph, Signature, Category Certificate (wherever applicable), PWD Certificate (wherever applicable) and Result Awaiting Certificate (wherever applicable)

- The recent photograph should be colour or black/white (but with clear contrast).
- Scanned photograph and signature should be in JPG, JPEG & PDF format.
- 3. Size of the scanned photograph should be between 10 kb to 200 kb.4. Size of the scanned signature should be between 4 kb to 30 kb
- 5. Size of the scanned copy of the certificates should be between 50 kb to 300 kb

Note: The Candidate has to upload only his/her photograph, signature, and certificate(s) as mentioned above (and not of anybody else) in a correct proper manner, as the facility for correction will not be given in the future. In case, it is found at any time in the future that the Candidate has used uploaded the photograph, signature, and certificate(s) off someone else in his/her Application Form/Admit Card, or he/she has tempered his/her Admit Card/Result/Scorecard, these acts of the candidate shall be treated as Unfair Means (UFM) Practices.

Please check your photograph and signature before submission of the Application Form. In case the photograph or signature is blurred or not visible to identify the identity of the candidate then, the application will be rejected and no option for correction or revision will be permitted.

Step 3: Pay Examination Fee by Net Banking/Debit Card/Credit Card/UPI: The candidate has to select the Net banking/Debit card/Credit Card/UPI: The candidate has to select the Net banking/Debit card/Credit card/UP option to pay the application fee and follow the online instruction to complete the payment of fee. After the successful payment, candidate will be able to print the Confirmation Page. In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after the payment of fee then the transaction is cancelled and the confirmation that the confirmation of the amount. The confirmation Page is not generated the Confirmation Page is not generated.

THESE STEPS CAN BE DONE TOGETHER OR SEPARATELY ALSO

Important Instruction about PASSWORD

- During online form filling, the candidate will be required to choose PASSWORD and Security Question and its Answer. Candidate is advised to record/remember their password for all future logins.
- For subsequent logins, candidate will be able to login directly with their respective system generated Applications Number and the chosen Password.

- Password.

 S. Candidate is advised not to disclose or share their password with anybody. Nta will not be responsible.

 4. Candidate can change his/her passwords after login, if desired.

 5. Candidate should remember to log out at the end of their session so that the particulars of the candidate cannot be tampered or modified by unauthorized persons

- unauthorized persons

 6. The Password must be as per the following Password policy.

 1. Password must be 8 to 13 characters long

 2. Password must have at least one Upper case alphabet.

 3. Password must have at least one Lower case alphabet.

 4. Password must have at least one unmeric value.

 5. Password must have at least one special characters!@#\$%&*

 7. How to reset your Password: The following options are available to reset Password

 1. Using Security Question & its Answer you chose during Form filling-
- 3. Using a reset link sent via Email to your Registered Email address.
 The Application Number printed on the computer generated Confirmation Page must be mentioned in all such correspondences. It is therefore essential to note down the application number printed on the Confirmation Page
- Only one application is to be submitted by a candidate. More than one application i.e. Multiple application forms submitted by a candidate will be rejected.
- Applicants applying under reservation should ensure having valid certification and would require to provide them when asked for.
- ☐ I have downloaded the information Bulletin of JOINT CSIR UGC-NET DECEMBER-2024 read and understood all the instructions therein as well as those mentioned above, and fill up the online Application Form for the JOINT CSIR UGC-NET DECEMBER-2024 accordingly.

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Login and Identification for online submission of Application Form

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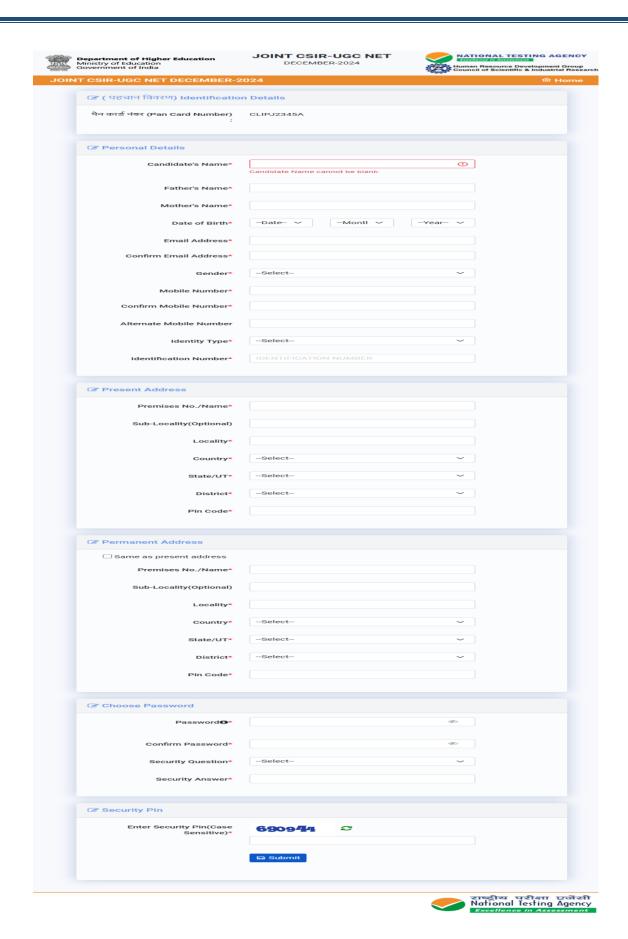
Dear Candidate, kindly use your Aadhaar/Identity proof (Don't use your parents/relative identity) to create login as your Aadhaar/Identity proof will be used for verification/authentication purpose at different stages of exam. Using anyone's else Aadhaar/Identity card may result in cancellation of your candidature.

(प्रिय अभ्यर्थी लॉगिन बनाने के लिए अपने आधार/पहचान प्रमाण (अपने माता-पिता/रिश्तेदार की पहचान का उपयोग न करें) का उपयोग करें क्योंकि आपके आधार/पहचान प्रमाण का उपयोग परीक्षा के विभिन्न चरणों में सत्यापन/प्रमाणीकरण उद्देश्य के लिए किया जाएगा। किसी अन्य के आधार/पहचान पत्र का उपयोग करने पर आपकी अभ्यर्थिता रद्द हो सकती है।)

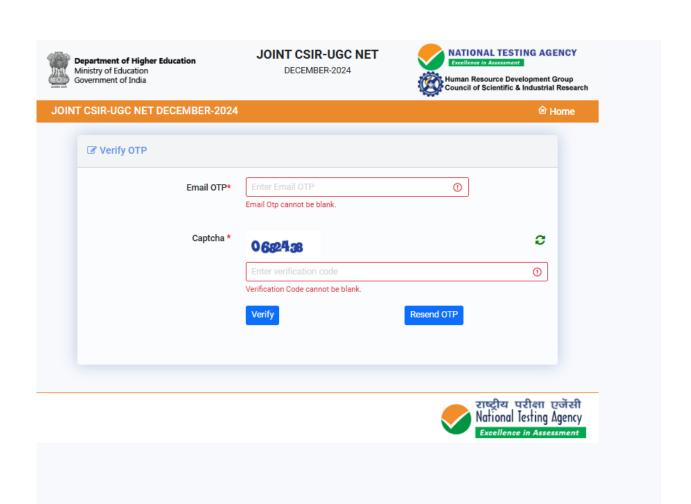
- I have an Aadhaar Number and wish to create my Login using Aadhaar Number,also I provide my consent for using Aadhaar data for authentication purposes at various stages of examination. / मेरे पास आधार नंबर है और मैं आधार नंबर का उपयोग करके अपना लॉगिन बनाना चाहता / चाहती हूँ, साथ ही मैं परीक्षा के विभिन्न चरणों में प्रमाणीकरण उद्देश्यों के लिए आधार डेटा का उपयोग करने के लिए अपनी सहमति प्रदान करता/ करती हूँ।
- I have a Digilocker Account. I wish to login and identify through Digilocker. / मेरे पास डिजिलॉकर खाता है। मैं डिजिलॉकर के माध्यम से लॉगिन करके अपनी पहचान प्रमाणित करना चाहता/चाहती हाँ।
- I do not have a Digilocker Account. I wish to create my Digilocker Account and login and identify through Digilocker. / मेरे पास डिजीलॉकर खाता नहीं है। मैं अपना डिजीलॉकर खाता बनाना चाहता/चाहती हूँ और डिजीलॉकर के माध्यम से लॉगिन करके और अपनी पहचान प्रमाणित करना चाहता/चाहती हाँ।
- I have an Academic Bank of Credits ID (ABC ID). I wish to login and identify through ABC ID. / मेरे पास एक एकेडेमिक बैंक ऑफ क्रेडिट्स आईडी (ABC आईडी) है। मैं ABC आईडी के माध्यम से लॉगिन करके और अपनी पहचान प्रमाणित करना चाहता/चाहती हाँ।
- I do not have Academic Bank of Credits ID (ABC ID). I wish to create my ABC ID and login and identify through ABC ID. / मेरे पास एकेडेमिक बैंक ऑफ क्रेडिट्स आईडी (ABC आईडी) नहीं है। मैं अपना ABC आईडी बनाना चाहता/चाहती हूँ और ABC आईडी के माध्यम से लॉगिन करके और अपनी पहचान प्रमाणित करना चाहता/चाहती हाँ।
- I have an Indian Passport and wish to create my Login using Passport. / मेरे पास एक भारतीय पासपोर्ट है और मैं अपने पासपोर्ट का उपयोग करके अपना लॉगिन बनाना चाहता/चाहती हूँ।
- I have a PAN Card and wish to create my Login using PAN. / मेरे पास पैन कार्ड है और मैं अपने पैन कार्ड का उपयोग करके अपना लॉगिन बनाना चाहता/चाहती हूँ।
- I have a Non-Indian Passport and wish to create my Login using Non-Indian Passport. / मेरे पास एक गैर-भारतीय पासपोर्ट है और मैं अपने गैर-भारतीय पासपोर्ट का उपयोग करके अपना लॉगिन बनाना चाहता/चाहती हुँ।

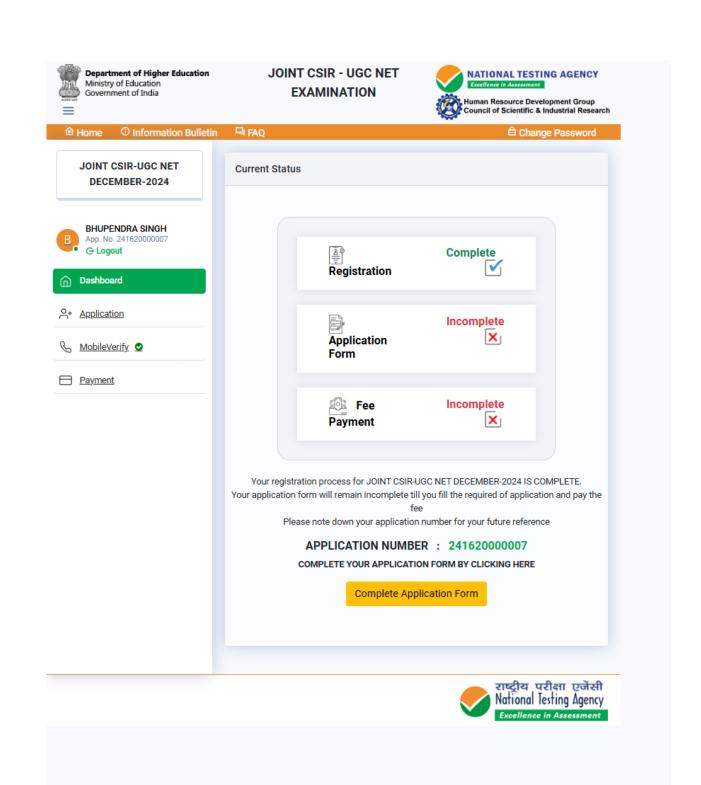
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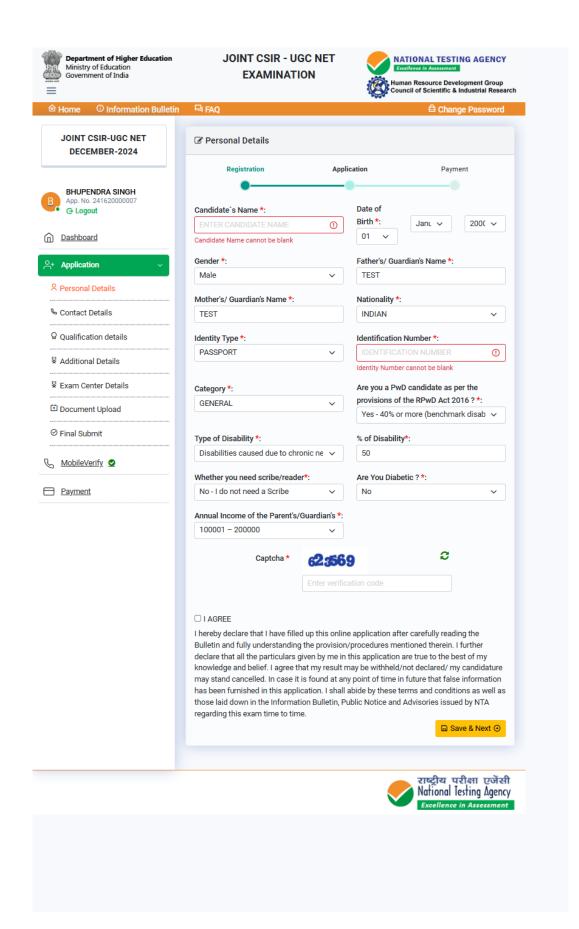


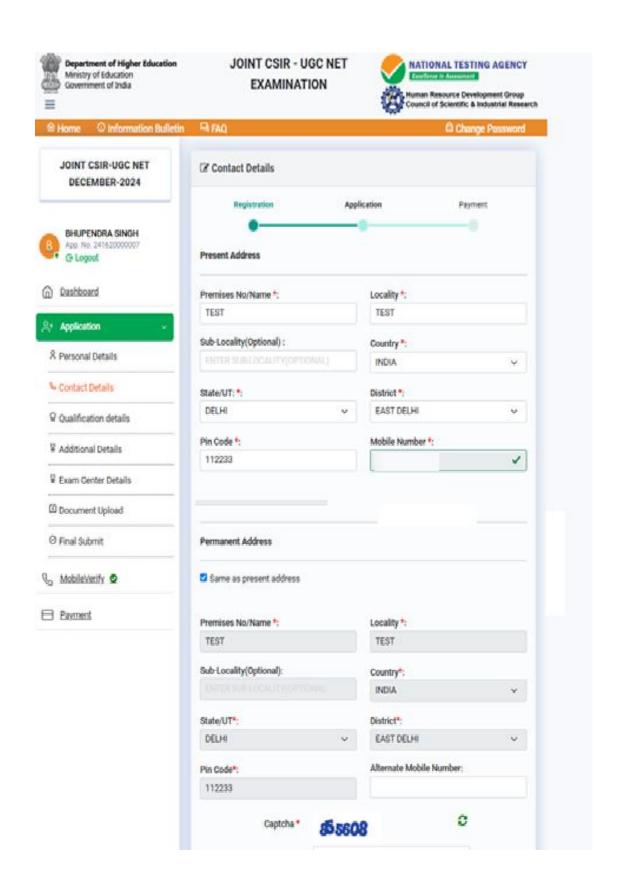


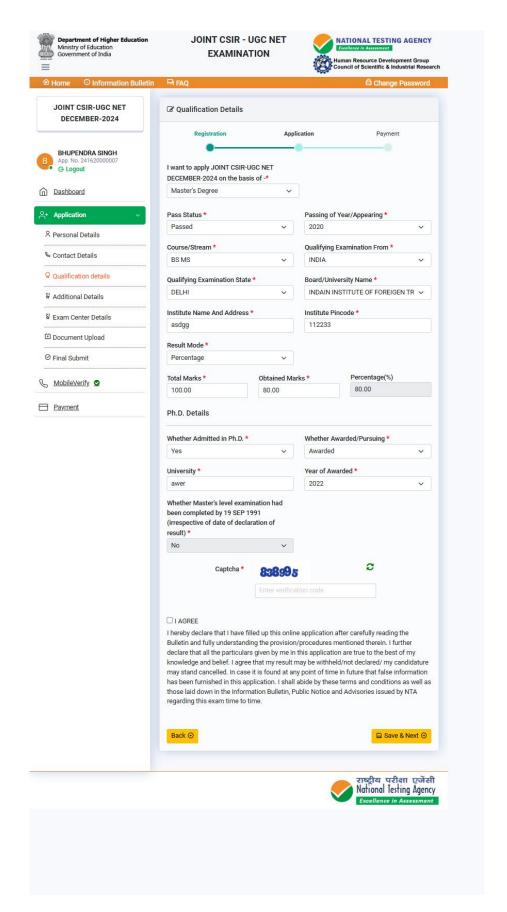




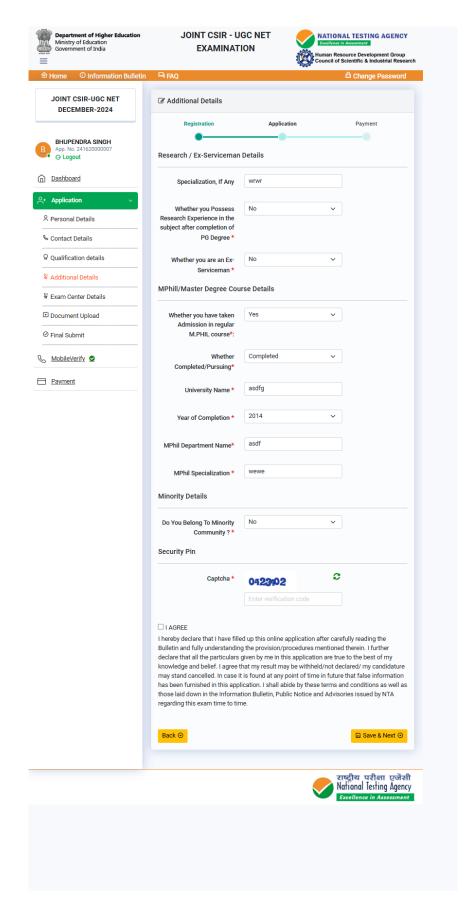




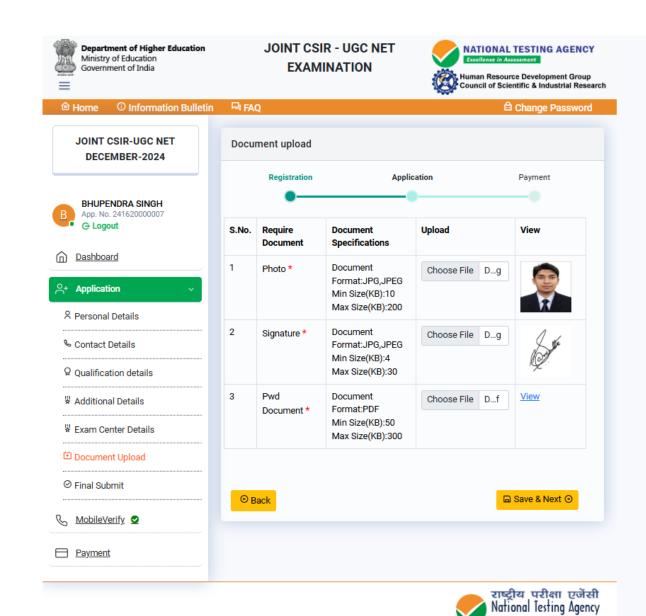


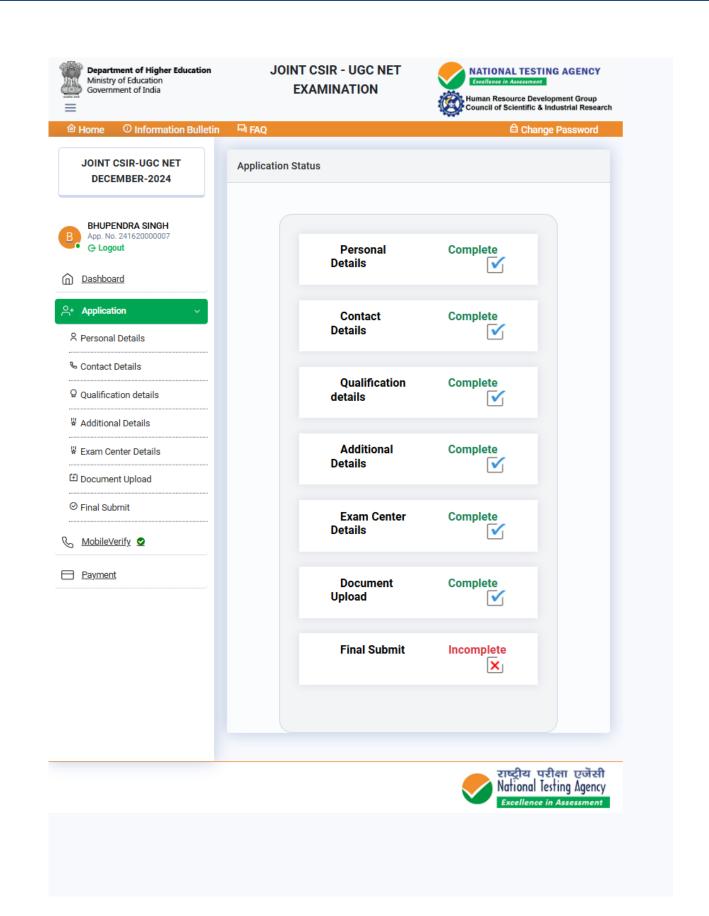


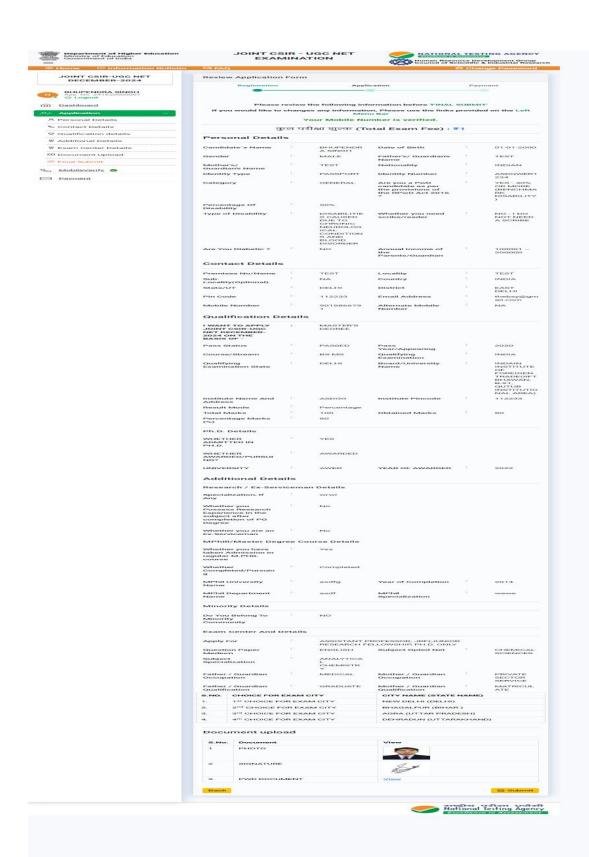
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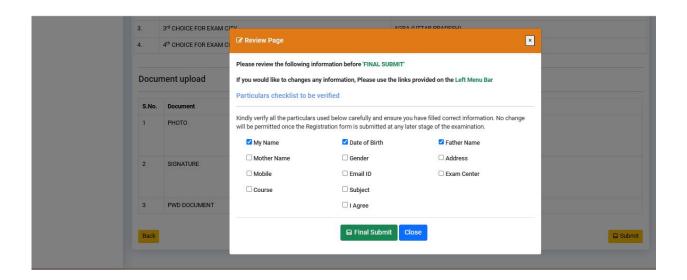


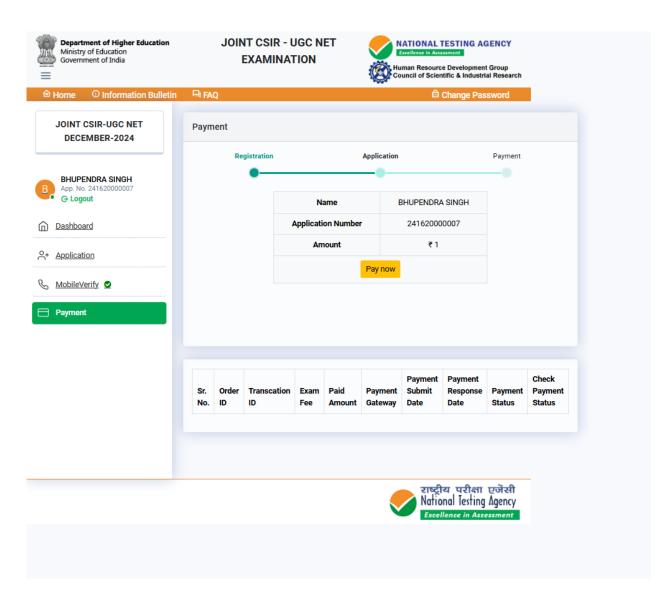
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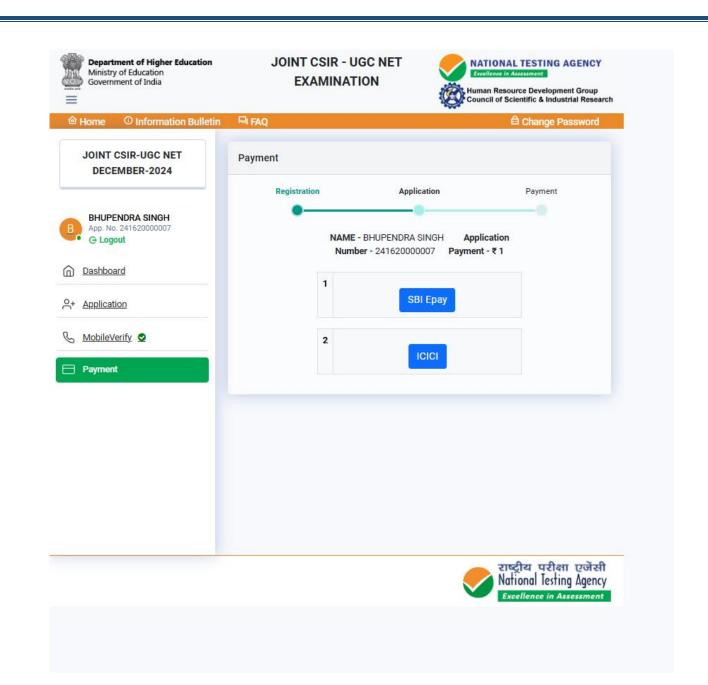


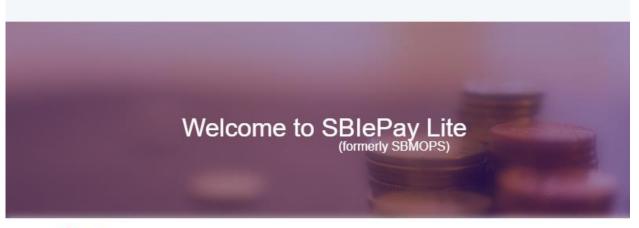






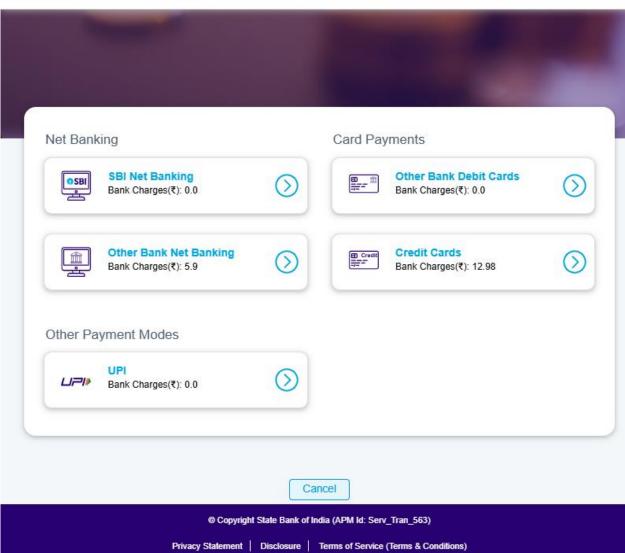
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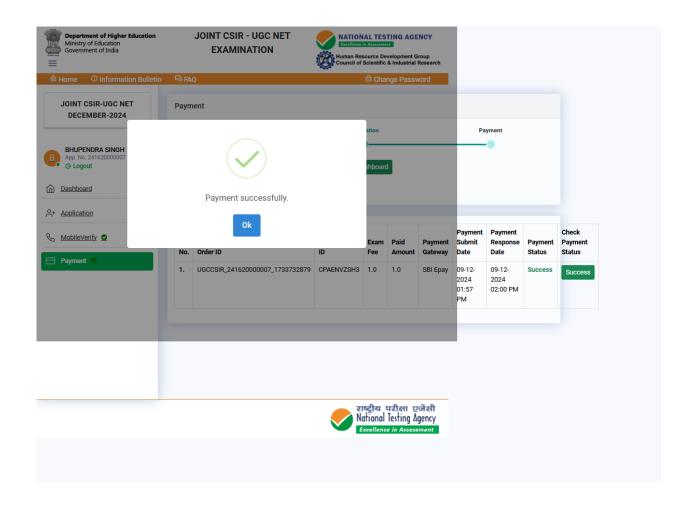


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व्यक्तिगत व्योरा (Personal Detail)				
उम्मीदवार का नाम (Candidate Name)	IBHUPENDRA SINGH	उम्मीदवार की जन्म तिथि (Candidate Date of Birth)	01-01-2000	
लिंग (Gender)	MALE	पिता/अभिभावक का नाम (Father/Guardian Name)	TEST	
माता/अभिभावक का नाम (Mother/Guardian Name)	TEST	राष्ट्रीयता (Nationality)	INDIA	
पहचान का प्रकार (Identity Type)	PASSPORT	पहचान संख्या (Identification Number)	ASDQWER1234	
वर्ग (Category)	GENERAL			

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योग्यता विश्वरण (Qualification Details)					
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संस्थान का नाम और पता (Institute Name And Address)	ASDGG	संस्थान पिनकोड (Institute Pincode)	112233		
परिणाम मोड (Result Mode)	PERCENTAGE	कुल अंक (Total Marks)	100		
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ANNEXURE-XIV

PROCEDURE TO BE ADOPTED FOR COMPILATION OF NTA SCORES FOR MULTI SESSION PAPERS (NORMALIZATION PROCEDURE BASED ON PERCENTILE SCORE)

NTA will be conducting examinations on multiple dates, generally in two sessions per day. The candidates will be given different sets of questions per session and it is quite possible that in spite of all efforts of maintaining equivalence among various question papers, the difficulty level of these question papers administered in different sessions may not be exactly the same. Some of the candidates may end up attempting a relatively tougher set of questions when compared to other sets. The candidates who attempt the comparatively tougher examination are likely to get lower marks as compared to those who attempt the easier one. In order to overcome such asituation, "Normalization procedure based on Percentile Score" will be used for ensuring that candidates are neither benefitted nor disadvantaged due to the difficulty level of the examination. With the objective of ensuring that a candidate's true merit is identified, and that a level playing field is created in the above context, the Normalization Procedure, set out below shall be adopted, for compiling the NTA scores for multi session papers.

The process of Normalization is an established practice for comparing candidate scores across multi session papers and is similar to those being adopted in other large educational selection tests conducted in India. For normalization across sections, NTA shall use the percentile equivalence.

Percentile Scores: Percentile scores are scores based on the relative performance of all those who appear for the examination. Basically, the marks obtained are transformed into a scale ranging from 100 to 0 for each session of examinees.

The Percentile Score indicates the percentage of candidates that have scored EQUAL TO OR BELOW (same or lower raw scores) that particular Percentile in that examination. Therefore, the topper (highest score) of each session will get the same Percentile of 100 which is desirable. The marks obtained in between the highest and lowest scores are also converted to appropriate Percentiles.

The Percentile score will be the Normalized Score for the examination (instead of the raw marks of the candidate) and shall be used for preparation of the merit lists.

The Percentile Scores will be calculated up to 7 decimal places to avoid bunching effect and reduce ties.

The Percentile score of a Candidate is calculated as follows:

100 X Number of candidates appeared in the 'Session' with raw score EQUAL TO OR LESS than the candidate Total number of the candidates appeared in the 'Session'

Note: The Percentile of the Total shall **NOT be** an aggregate or average of the Percentile of individual subject. Percentile score is not the same as percentage of marks obtained.

Example: Suppose a test was held in 4 sessions of examinees as per details given below:(Allocation of Days and shifts were done randomly)

(a) Distribution of candidates were as follows:

Session-1: Day-1 Shift-1, Session-2: Day-1 Shift-2, Session-3: Day-2 Shift-1 and Session-4: Day-2 Shift-2

Session	Day/Shift	N ₁	o of Candidat	ndidates		
		Absent	Appeared	Total	Highest	Lowest
Session-1	Day-1 Shift-1	3974	28012	31986	335	-39
Session-2	Day-1 Shift-2	6189	32541	38730	346	-38
Session-3	Day-2 Shift-1	6036	41326	47362	331	-49
Session-4 Day-2 Shift-2		9074	40603	49677	332	-44
Total (Session	on-1 to Session-4)	25273	142482	167755	346	-49

In this method of scoring the HIGHEST RAW SCORE in each paper (irrespective of the raw scores) will be the 100 Percentile indicating that 100% of candidates have scores equal to or lesser than the highest scorer/topper for that session.

Highest Raw Score and Percentile Score: All the highest raw scores will have normalized Percentile Score of 100 for their respective session.

Session	Total Candidates Appeared	Highest Raw Score	Candidates whoscored EQUAL OR LESS THAN Highest Raw Score	Percentile Score	Remarks
	28012	335	28012	100.0000000	i.e. all the
Session -1	20012	5	20012	[(28012/28012)*100]	Highest raw
	32541	346	32541	100.0000000	scores would be
Session -2	32341	340	32341	[(32541/32541)*100]	normalized
	41326	331	41326	100.0000000	to100 Percentile
Session -3	41320	331	41320	[(41326/41326)*100]	Score for their
	40000	000	40000	100.0000000	respective
Session -4	40603	332	40603	[(40603/40603)*100]	session.

Lowest Raw Score and Percentile Score: Percentile Score of all the lowest raw scores will depend on the total number of candidates who have taken the examination for their respective session.

Session	Total Candidates Appeared	Lowest Raw Score	Candidates who scored EQUAL OR LESS THAN Lowest RawScore	Percentile Score	Remarks
Session-1	28012	-39	1	0.0035699 [(1/28012)*100]	i.e. Percentile Score of all the
Session-2	32541	-38	1	0.0030730 [(1/32541)*100]	lowest raw scores are
Session-3	41326	-49	1	0.0024198 [(1/41326)*100]	different i.e. Percentile Score
Session-4	40603	-44	1	0.0024629 [(1/40603)*100]	depend on the total number of candidates who have taken the examination for their respective Session.

The following is a further explanation of the interpretation of the raw scores and Percentile Page 83 of 95

Score in Session-3 (Day-2 and Shift-1) with 41326 candidates who have taken the examination.

Percentile Score	No of	Raw	Remark
	Candidates	Score	
100.0000000	1	331	Indicates that amongst those appeared,
[(41326/41326)*100]			100% have scored either EQUAL TO OR
			LESS THAN the candidate A (331 raw
			score).
			It also indicates that no candidate has
			scored more than the candidate A (331 raw
90 1224/11	77	121	score). Indicates that amongst those appeared,
	,,	121	90.1224411% have scored either EQUAL
[(37244/41020) 100]			TO OR LESS THAN the candidate B (121
			raw score).
			It also indicates that remaining candidates
			have scored more than candidate B (121
			raw score).
	381	41	Indicates that amongst those appeared,
[(20851/41326)*100]			50.4549194% have scored either EQUAL
			TO OR LESS THAN the candidate C (41
			raw score).
			It also indicates that remaining those appeared have scored more than
			appeared have scored more than candidate C (41 rawscore).
24 7040420	700	25	, ,
	769	25	Indicates that amongst those appeared, 31.7040120% have scored either EQUAL
[(13102/41320) 100]			TO OR LESS THAN the candidate D (25
			raw score)
			It also indicates that remaining candidates
			have scored more than candidate D (25
			raw score).
	100	-15	Indicates that amongst those
[(456/41326)*100]			appeared, 1.1034216% have scored either
			EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN the candidate
			E (-15 raw score)
			It also indicates that remaining candidates have scored more than candidate E (-15
			raw score)
	100.0000000	100.0000000 1 [(41326/41326)*100] 90.1224411 77 [(37244/41326)*100] 50.4549194 381 [(20851/41326)*100] 789 [(13102/41326)*100]	100.0000000 1 331

STEP-BY-STEP PROCEDURE FOR NORMALIZATION AND PREPARATION OF RESULT:

Step-1: Distribution of Examinees in two shifts:

Candidates have to be distributed into two sessions randomly so that each session has approximately equal number of candidates. These two sessions would be as follows:

Session-1: Day-1 Shift-1, Session-2: Day-1 Shift-2

In the event of more number of days or less number of shifts, the candidates willbe divided accordingly.

This will ensure that there is no bias in the distribution of candidates who shall take the examination. Further, with a large population of examinees spread over the entire country the possibility of such bias becomes remote.

Step-2: Preparation of Results for each Session:

The examination results for each session would be prepared in the form of

- Raw Scores
- Percentiles Scores of Total raw scores.

The Percentiles would be calculated for each candidate in the Session as follows: Let TP1

be the Percentile Scores of Total Raw Score of that candidate.

No. of candidates appeared from the session with raw score

EQUAL TO OR LESS than T1 score

Total No. of candidates appeared in the session

Step-3: Compilation of NTA score and Preparation of Result:

The Percentile scores for the Total Raw Score for all the sessions (Session-1: Day-1 Shift-1, Session-2: Day-1 Shift-2) as calculated in Step-2 above would be merged and shall be called the NTA scores which will then be used for compilation of resultand further processing for deciding the allocation.

In the events of the percentiles for the multi-shifts being dissimilar / unequal, the lowest will be the eligibility cut-off for that category for all candidates (i.e. all shifts).

For Example: In an the examination held in two shifts, if the 40% marks correspond to a Percentile score of 78 in Shift 1 and 79 in Shift 2, then all those equal to or above 78 percentiles (Percentile score of 100 to 78) in both shifts will become eligible in General Category. Similar method will be adopted for the other categories to determine eligibility cut-offs.

In case the examination is held in more number of shifts the same principle shall apply.

PROCEDURE TO BE ADOPTED FOR CONVERSION OF NTA SCORES INTO NORMALIZED MARKS FOR MULTI-SHIFTS PAPERS

(Normalization procedure based on Percentile and Equi percentile method)

Need for Normalization

For several subjects, the Joint CSIR-UGC NET may planned in multiple shifts. Since the question papers for any subject in different shifts are different and it is quite possible that despite all the best possible efforts of maintaining equivalence among various question papers, the difficulty level of these question papers administered in different Shifts may not be the same or similar. Some of the candidates might have ended up attempting a relatively tougher set of questions when compared to other sets. The candidates who attempted the comparatively tougher examination are likely to get lower marks as compared to those who attempted the easier one; the scores of the students across shifts are not directly comparable. There is a need for normalizing the marks across shifts to make them amenable to such comparisons.

A Committee headed by a Senior Professor from the Indian Statistical Institution Delhi and comprising of Senior Professors from the Indian Institute of Technology Delhi and the University of Delhi had detailed deliberations to arrive at the methodology.

As already intimated in the Information Bulletin of Joint CSIR-UGC NET December 2024 the raw score of each candidate in each subject will be normalized using the Equi-percentile method. This is done separately for each subject for which the examination is held in multiple shifts.

For each subject for which the examination is held in multiple shifts, the raw score for each candidate appearing for the subject will be converted into NTA Score (Percentile Score & Normalized Score) in the following three steps.

Step 1: Convert Raw Scores into Percentile Scores.

The percentiles are calculated separately for each shift.

Record the number of candidates who have appeared in a shift. Denote this number by N.

Sort all the candidates in one shift in decreasing order of their marks.

Note the raw marks for each candidate. Suppose this is denoted by T. Count the number of candidates in that shift whose raw scores are less than or equal to T. Denote this number by m. The percentile score for this candidate is then calculated as:

$$\mathbf{P} = \frac{m}{} * 100$$

$$N$$

Illustration:

Suppose that the examination in a certain subject is held in two different shifts, S1 and S2, say. Consider six candidates A, B, C, D, E, and F out of which A, B, and C are from shift S1 and the other three are from shift S2.

Let the raw marks of the six candidates be x_A , x_B , x_C (shift S1 marks) and y_D , , y_F (shift S2 marks).

For candidates A, B, and C, the percentiles are calculated using the total marks obtained by candidates appearing in shift S1 (in the same subject) as explained above.

Similarly, for candidates D, E, and F, the percentiles are calculated using the total marks obtained by candidates appearing in shift S2 (in the same subject) as explained above.

Let the respective percentiles be denoted by PA, PB, PC, PD, PE, and PF.

The above data is summarized in the following table. The terms in red colour indicate that these are the output of this step.

Shift S1			Shift S2		
Candidate	Candidate Raw score Percentile Candidate Raw score Per				Percentile
A	X_{A}	PA	D	Y_D	PD
В	X_{B}	PB	Е	$Y_{\rm E}$	PE
C	X_{C}	PC	F	Y_{F}	PF

Since the calculation for percentiles in any shift depends only on the data from that shift alone, there is a separate table for each shift.

Step 2: Pull the percentiles to the marks scale for each session to getaNormalized Score.

The data across all sessions tabulated at the end of *step 1* is collated into a single table.

The columns for the shift-wise raw score should be kept separate.

All the records are then sorted in decreasing order of the percentiles.

Illustration (Continued):

In the illustrative example given above, suppose that the percentiles of the six candidates satisfy

$$PE>PA>PC=PF>PB>PD$$

Then the collated table would look as given below:

Candidate	Percentile	RawscoreS1	RawScoreS2
Е	PE	_	Y_D
A	PA	X_{A}	_
C&F	PC=PF	X_{B}	$Y_{\rm E}$
В	PB	$X_{\rm C}$	_
D	PD		Y_{F}

Candidate C from shift S1 and candidate F from shift S2 have the same percentile. The relevant entries under "Raw Score S1" and "Raw Score S2" are the actual raw scores x_C and y_F respectively. This has the obvious interpretation that marks x_C of shift S1 are equivalent to marks y_F of shift S2.

Candidates A and B, appearing in shift SI, have a blank entry in column "Raw Score S2", as there is no corresponding candidate having exactly the same percentile from shift S2. Similarly, Candidates D and E, appearing in shift S2, have a blank entry in column "Raw Score SI", as there is no corresponding candidate having exactly the same percentile from shift SI.

• In the remaining part of this *Step 2*, the blank entries in the two "*Raw Score*" columns are filled up using linear interpolation.

• Consider a record (row) whose entry in the column "Raw Score S1" is blank. The blank will be replaced by the interpolated score X which is calculated as:

$$X = x_1 + \frac{x_2 - x_1}{p_2 - p_1} (P - p_1)$$

Where:

P is the corresponding entry in the "Percentile" column

 x_1 is the first *non-blank* entry BELOW X. i.e., $x_1 < X$ and there is noother non-blank entry in the column between x_1 and X.

x2 is the first *non-blank* entry *ABOVE X. i.e.*, x2 > X and there is no other non-blank entry in the column between x2 and X.

 p_1 is the entry in the "Percentile" column corresponding to x_1 from the column "Raw Score S1". p_2 is the entry in the "Percentile" column corresponding to x_2 from the column "Raw Score S1". Note that there may be several blank entries between x_1 and x_2 .

All the blank entries in column "Raw Score S1" can now be replaced by the interpolated values. The blank entries in column "Raw Score S2" are also replaced using a similar procedure.

Illustration (Continued):

The table in the illustrative example would look like the following, where the entries in red indicate the additional output at the end of this step.

Candidate	Percentile	Raw Score S1	Raw Score S2
Е	PE	XE	УE
A	PA	X_{A}	YA
C&F	PC=PF	X_{C}	УF
В	PB	X_{B}	Y_B
D	PD	XD	УD

Step3: Calculation of the Normalized Score

Now for each subject, there is a score assigned to each percentile value for each session.

The *Normalized score*, **Z**, corresponding to a percentile value *P*, is calculated as:

Z= Average of
$$(u_1, u_1, u_2, \dots u_t) = \frac{u_A + u_B + u_C + \dots + u_t}{t}$$

Where uA, ... ut denote the raw scores corresponding to the percentile P in each of the different sessions

Illustration (Continued):

The **final** table in the *illustrative example* would be as follows:

Candidate	Percentile	Raw ScoreS1	Raw ScoreS2	Normalized Score
E	PE	XE	УE	$(XE + y_E)/2$
A	PA	X_{A}	YA	$(x_A + Y_A)/2$
C&F	PC=PF	$X_{\rm C}$	УF	$(x_C + y_F)/2$
В	PB	X _B	YB	$(x_B + Y_B)/2$
D	PD	XD	УD	$(XD + y_D)/2$

Step-by-Step Procedure for Converting from Raw Score to Normalized Score: -

Example: Suppose a test was held in 4 phases of examinees as per details given below: (Allocation of Days and shifts were done randomly)

Session Day	Dor	D Cl.:64	No of Candidates			Raw Score	
	Shift	Absent	Appeared	Total	Highest	Lowest	
Session-1	Day-1	Shift-1	3974	28012	31986	200	-40
Session-2	Day-1	Shift-2	6189	32541	38730	194	-36
Session-3	Day-2	Shift-1	6036	41326	47362	188	-36
Session-4	Day-2	Shift-2	9074	40603	49677	200	-40
Total (Session-1 to Session-4)		25273	142482	167755	200	-40	

Highest Raw Score and Percentile Score: -

Session	Total Candidates Appeared	Highest Raw Score	Candidates who scored Equal or Less Than Highest RawScore	Percentile Score	Remarks
Session-1	28012	200	28012	100.0000000 [(28012/28012) *100]	i.e., All the highest raw
Session-2	32541	194	32541	100.0000000 [(32541/32541) *100]	scores would be normalized to
Session-3	41326	188	41326	100.0000000 [(41326/41326) *100]	100 Percentile Score for their
Session-4	40603	200	40603	100.0000000 [(40603/40603) *100]	respective session.

Lowest Score and Percentile Score: -

Session	Total Candidates Appeared	LowestRaw Score	CandidatesWho Scored Equal or Less Than Highest RawScore	PercentileScore	Remarks
Session-1	28012	-40	1	0.0035699 [(1/28012) *100]	i.e., the Percentile Score of all the lowest
Session-2	32541	-36	1	0.0030730 [(1/32541) *100]	raw scores are different i.e., Percentile Score dependson the total
Session-3	41326	-36	1	0.0024198 [(1/41326) *100]	number of candidates who have taken the examination for their
Session-4	40603	-40	1	0.0024629 [(1/40603) *100]	respective session.

Step1: Convert Raw Score into Percentile Score
The percentile score for this candidate is then calculated as:

No. of Candidates appeared from the session Percentile Score = 100 x with raw score EQUAL TO OR LESS than T Score Total No. of Candidates who appeared in the session

Candidate	Raw Score S1	PercentileScore
A20020720	200	100
A20411664	192	99.969144
A20018569	190	99.831255
A20339879	184	99.732901
A20074407	180	99.432054
A20751862	88	88.654575
A20922992	48	74.137715
A21004667	40	69.290405
A21141123	22	52.135343
A25465232	8	30.675846
A26545946	6	27.584445
A25656543	2	24.886459
A26625216	1	22.351432
A26174451	0	19.997686
A25463225	-1	15.23523
A26598636	-6	11.104361
A26596462	-40	0.053034

Candidate	Raw Score S2	PercentileScore
B20123935	194	100
B20012622	192	99.9990405
B20656224	100	96.9671093
B20410215	42	69.2904047
B20236444	26	67.7672549
B20128586	14	46.3751151
B20001667	4	27.0887703
B20042147	2	23.9100399
B20051256	0	12.225608
B20481968	-2	11.6211621
B20091701	-12	10.4982563
B20549576	-14	10.3947421
B20098269	-30	10.2430506
B20071356	-36	0.053034

Candidate	Raw Score S3	PercentileScore
C20150694	188	100
C20087997	186	99.969144
C20121991	184	99.831255
C20058572	180	99.732901
C20060310	172	99.432054
C20008597	56	78.338974
C20430859	36	69.00182
C20518247	20	52.135343
C20045510	14	38.091932
C20860609	9	30.675846
C20861476	5	27.584445
C20512680	3	24.886459
C20069270	2	22.351432
C20355550	0	12.188701
C20549576	-3	11.23523
C26598636	-22	0.0539983
C26596462	-36	0.053034

Candidate	Raw Score S4	PercentileScore
D20479616	200	100
D20040337	194	99.9990405
D20467385	98	88.6545749
D20398094	44	68.9660903
D20428934	40	49.5097099
D20032939	32	46.3751151
D20690279	30	27.0887703
D20840699	28	23.9100399
D20084751	26	20.8800276
D21237483	24	12.1887008
D21077463	1	11.5349248
D20348188	-2	11.0243302
D25463225	-40	0.053034

Step 2: Pull Back the percentiles to the scale of the marks for each session to get Normalized marks.

Candidate	Percentile	Raw	Raw	Raw	Raw
	Score	Score S1	Score S2	Score S3	Score S4
A20020720=B20123935=C20150694=D20 479616	100	200	194	188	200
B20012622=D20040337	99.99904053	1	192	1	194
A20411664=C20087997	99.9691438	192	-	186	-
A20018569=C20121991	99.8312554	190	-	184	-
A20339879=C20058572	99.7329013	184	-	180	-
A20074407=C20060310	99.4320538	180	-	172	-
B20656224	96.9671093	1	100	1	-
A20751862=D20467385	88.6545749	88	-	-	98
C20008597	78.3389742	-	-	56	-
A20922992	74.1377149	48	-	-	-
A21004667=B20410215	69.2904047	40	42	-	
C20430859	69.0018201	-	-	36	-
D20398094	68.9660903	-	-	-	44
B20236444	67.7672549	_	26	-	-
A21141123=C20518247	52.1353428	22	-	20	-
D20428934	49.50970986	-	-	-	40
B20128586=D20032939	46.37511514	-	14	-	32
C20045510	38.0919321	_	-	14	-
A25465232=C20860609	30.6758464	8	-	9	-
A26545946=C20861476	27.5844446	6	-	5	-
B20001667=D20690279	27.08877034	-	4	-	30
A25656543=C20512680	24.886459	2	-	3	-
B20042147=D20840699	23.91003991	_	2	-	28
A26625216=C20069270	22.3514324	1	-	2	-
D20084751	20.88002763	-	-	-	26
A26174451	19.9976858	0	-	-	-
A25463225	15.23523	-1	-	-	-
B20051256	12.225608	-	0	-	-
C20355550=D21237483	12.1887008	-	-	0	24
B20481968	11.62116211	-	-2	-	-
D21077463	11.53492478	-	-	-	1
C20549576	11.23523	_	-	-3	-
A26598636	11.1043613	-6	-	-	-
D20348188	11.0243302	-	-	-	-2
B20091701	10.49825625	-	-12	-	-
B20549576	10.39474209	-	-14	-	-
B20098269	10.2430506	-	-30	-	-
C26598636	0.0539983	-	-	-22	-
A26596462=B20071356=C26596462=D25 463225	0.053034	40	-36	-36	-40

In the remaining part of Step 2, the blank entries in the Raw Score Columnsare filled up.

In the remaining part of Step Candidate		Raw Score S1			Raw Score S4
A20020720=B20123935=C2015069	100	200	194	188	200
4=D20479616	100	200	1)4	100	200
B20012622=D20040337	99.9990405	199.7512409	192	187.93781	194
A20411664=C20087997	99.9691438	192	171.96504	186	171.96504
A20018569=C20121991	99.8312554	190	167.63275	184	167.63275
A20339879=C20058572	99.7329013	184	164.54257	180	164.54257
A20074407=C20060310	99.4320538	180	155.09028	172	155.09028
B20656224	96.9671093	158.958447	100	158.4442	101.91063
A20751862=D20467385	88.6545749	88	82.580043	112.72997	98
C20008597	78.3389742	56.7810489	60.96241	56	69.707196
A20922992	74.1377149	48	52.158146	47.207694	58.184318
A21004667=B20410215	69.2904047	40	42	36.629757	44.889504
C20430859	69.0018201	39.6972017	38.968549	36	44.097997
D20398094	68.9660903	39.6597121	38.593224	35.966106	44
B20236444	67.7672549	38.4018305	26	34.828858	43.753534
A21141123=C20518247	52.1353428	22	17.231221	20	40.539799
D20428934	49.5097099	20.1081761	15.758363	18.878207	40
B20128586=D20032939	46.3751151	17.8496346	14	17.538962	32
C20045510	38.0919321	11.8814266	9.7051566	14	31.141031
A25465232=C20860609	30.6758464	8	5.8599046	9	30.371981
A26545946=C20861476	27.5844446	6	4.2570079	5	30.051402
B20001667=D20690279	27.0887703	5.2651195	4	4.6325597	30
A25656543=C20512680	24.886459	2	2.6143453	3	28.614345
B20042147=D20840699	23.9100399	1.6148289	2	2.6148289	28
A26625216=C20069270	22.3514324	1	1.7332164	2	26.97122
D20084751	20.8800276	0.374867	1.4813591	1.7104312	26
A26174451	19.9976858	0	1.3303305	1.5367886	25.79696
A25463225	15.23523	-1	0.5151508	0.5995493	24.70105
B20051256	12.225608	-4.6428439	0	0.0072632	24.008493
C20355550=D21237483	12.1887008	-4.6875164	-0.122119	0	24
B20481968	11.6211621	-5.3744647	-2	-1.785703	4.0338503
D21077463	11.5349248	-5.4788463	-2.767984	-2.057041	1
C20549576	11.23523	-5.8415966	-5.436905	-3	-0.760858
A26598636	11.1043613	-6	-6.602352	-3.222382	-1.529777
D20348188	11.0243302	-6.24622	-7.315066	-3.358377	-2
B20091701	10.4982563	-7.8647146	-12	-4.252322	-3.822101
B20549576	10.3947421	-8.1831815	-14	-4.428221	-4.180631
B20098269	10.2430506	-8.6498685	-30	-4.685987	-4.706027
C26598636	0.0539983	-39.9970333	-35.99943	-22	-39.99666
A26596462=B20071356=C2659646 2=D25463225	0.053034	-40	-36	-36	-40

Step 3: Calculation of Normalized Score: Now for each subject there is a score assigned to each percentile value for each session. The Normalized score, Z, corresponding to a percentile value P, is calculated as Z= Average of (uA, uC,ut)=uA+uB+uC+,+ut/t Where uA, uC,ut denote the raw scores corresponding to the percentile P in each of the different sessions

Candidate	Percentile Score	Raw Score S1	Raw Score S2	Raw Score S3	Raw Score S4	Normalized Marks
A20020720=B20123935=C 20150694=D20479616	100	200	194	188	200	195.5
B20012622=D20040337	99.999041	199.7512409	192	187.9378	194	193.4223
A20411664=C20087997	99.969144	192	171.965	186	171.965	180.4825
A20018569=C20121991	99.831255	190	167.6327	184	167.6327	177.3164
A20339879=C20058572	99.732901	184	164.5426	180	164.5426	173.2713
A20074407=C20060310	99.432054	180	155.0903	172	155.0903	165.5451
B20656224	96.967109	158.958447	100	158.4442	101.9106	129.8283
A20751862=D20467385	88.654575	88	82.58004	112.73	98	95.3275
C20008597	78.338974	56.7810489	60.96241	56	69.7072	60.86266
A20922992	74.137715	48	52.15815	47.20769	58.18432	51.38754
A21004667=B20410215	69.290405	40	42	36.62976	44.8895	40.87982
C20430859	69.00182	39.6972017	38.96855	36	44.098	39.69094
D20398094	68.96609	39.6597121	38.59322	35.96611	44	39.55476
B20236444	67.767255	38.4018305	26	34.82886	43.75353	35.74606
A21141123=C20518247	52.135343	22	17.23122	20	40.5398	24.94276
D20428934	49.50971	20.1081761	15.75836	18.87821	40	23.68619
B20128586=D20032939	46.375115	17.8496346	14	17.53896	32	20.34715
C20045510	38.091932	11.8814266	9.705157	14	31.14103	16.6819
A25465232=C20860609	30.675846	8	5.859905	9	30.37198	13.30797
A26545946=C20861476	27.584445	6	4.257008	5	30.0514	11.3271
B20001667=D20690279	27.08877	5.2651195	4	4.63256	30	10.97442
A25656543=C20512680	24.886459	2	2.614345	3	28.61435	9.057173
B20042147=D20840699	23.91004	1.6148289	2	2.614829	28	8.557414
A26625216=C20069270	22.351432	1	1.733216	2	26.97122	7.926109
D20084751	20.880028	0.374867	1.481359	1.710431	26	7.391664
A26174451	19.997686	0	1.330331	1.536789	25.79696	7.16602
A25463225	15.23523	-1	0.515151	0.599549	24.70105	6.203938
B20051256	12.225608	-4.6428439	0	0.007263	24.00849	4.843228
C20355550=D21237483	12.188701	-4.6875164	-0.12212	0	24	4.797591
B20481968	11.621162	-5.3744647	-2	-1.7857	4.03385	-1.28158
D21077463	11.534925	-5.4788463	-2.76798	-2.05704	1	-2.32597
C20549576	11.23523	-5.8415966	-5.43691	-3	-0.76086	-3.75984
A26598636	11.104361	-6	-6.60235	-3.22238	-1.52978	-4.33863
D20348188	11.02433	-6.24622	-7.31507	-3.35838	-2	-4.72992
B20091701	10.498256	-7.8647146	-12	-4.25232	-3.8221	-6.98478
B20549576	10.394742	-8.1831815	-14	-4.42822	-4.18063	-7.69801
B20098269	10.243051	-8.6498685	-30	-4.68599	-4.70603	-12.0105
C26598636	0.0539983	-39.9970333	-35.9994	-22	-39.9967	-34.4983
A26596462=B20071356=C 26596462=D25463225	0.053034	-40	-36	-36	-40	-38

The above method is based on the work: "Normalization of marks in multi-session examinations", Abhay G. Bhatt et al, CURRENT SCIENCE, Vol. 118, No. 1, 10 January 2020.
Note: The NTA is planning to do the JOINT CSIR UGC – NET December 2024 examination in a single shift for each Subject/General Test, so that the need for Normalization will not exist. However, under unavoidable circumstances, if any subject is conducted in multi-shifts, then normalization will be done. The performance of every candidate will be evaluated using the equi-percentile method wherein normalized marks of each candidate will be calculated using the percentiles of each group of students in a given shift across multiple days for the same subject.

ANNEXURE- XVI

HELPDESK CONTACT DETAILS OF JOINT CSIR- UGC NET DECEMBER 2024

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