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**All India Entrance Examination**  
**for Admission to**  
*Master Degree Programs*



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**Abbreviations:**

AU	Agricultural Universities
AMU	Aligarh Muslim University
BHU	Banaras Hindu University
CAU	Central Agricultural University
CIFE	Central Institute of Fisheries Education
CU	Central University
DARE	Department of Agricultural Research and Education
Dr. RPCAU	Dr. Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University
DU	Deemed University
EWS	Economically Weaker Section
IARI	Indian Agricultural Research Institute
ICAR	Indian Council of Agricultural Research
IVRI	Indian Veterinary Research Institute
JRF	Junior Research Fellowship
NAEAB	National Agricultural Education Accreditation Board
NAREES	National Agricultural Research, Education and Extension System
NDRI	National Dairy Research Institute
OGPA	Overall Grade Point Average
PwBD	Persons with Benchmark Disability
RLB CAU	Rani Lakshmibai Central Agricultural University
SAU	State Agricultural University
SHUATS	Sam Higginbottom University of Agriculture, Technology and Sciences
SRF	Senior Research Fellowship

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND DATES AT A GLANCE

(Please refer to Information Bulletin for details)

### 1. FEE DETAILS AND IMPORTANT DATES:

Online submission of Application Form		25.07.2021 to 20.08.2021 (upto 05:00 PM)
Last date of successful transaction of fee through Credit/Debit Card/Net-Banking/UPI		20.08.2021 (upto 11:50 PM)
Fee Payable by candidates	General/Unreserved	Rs. 1120/-
	Other Backward Classes (OBC)- (NCL)*&UPS**/ EWS***	Rs. 1100/-
	SC/ST/PwBD/ Transgender	Rs. 550/-
	<b>Note : - Service charges of the concerned Bank / Payment Gateway Integrator are to be paid by the candidate extra, as applicable.</b>	
Correction in particulars of Application Form on website only (No corrections shall be allowed after 26.08.2021)		23.08.2021 to 26.08.2021
Downloading of Admit Cards from NTA website		To be announced later
Date of Examination		17 <sup>th</sup> September 2021
Duration of Examination		120 minutes (2 hours)
Timing of Examination		As to be indicated on Admit Card
Centre, Date and Shift of Examination		As to be indicated on Admit Card
Display of Attempted Question Paper and Provisional Answer Keys		To be announced later
Websites		<a href="https://icar.nta.ac.in">https://icar.nta.ac.in</a> <a href="http://www.nta.ac.in">www.nta.ac.in</a> ,
Declaration of Result on NTA website		To be announced on the NTA website later
Schedule for Online Counselling		To be announced by the ICAR on <a href="http://www.icar.org.in">www.icar.org.in</a> , <a href="http://www.icarexam.net">www.icarexam.net</a> after the declaration of result

*\*Other Backward Classes-Non Creamy Layer 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](http://www.ncbc.nic.in). Only 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) **must choose General/Unreserved.***

*\*\* Candidates of Remote and Underprivileged States must check their eligibility before applying.*



\*\*\*As per the OM No. 20013/01/2018-BC-II dated January 17, 2019 issued by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment and the OM No. 12-4/2019-U1 dated 17.01.2019 regarding implementation of reservation for Economically Weaker Sections (EWSs) for admission in Central Educational Institutions.

2. Candidates can apply for **AIEEA (PG)-2021“Online”** on the website : <https://icar.nta.ac.in>.
3. **The Application Form other than online mode will not be accepted.**
4. **Only one application is to be submitted by a candidate.**
5. Candidates must follow the instructions strictly as given in the Information Bulletin on NTA website. Candidates not complying with the instructions shall be summarily disqualified.
6. 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 **e-mail address or SMS on given Mobile Number only.**
7. **Instructions for filling Online Application Form :**
  - ❖ Download Information Bulletin and Replica of Application Form. Read these carefully to ensure your eligibility.
  - ❖ **Follow the 4 steps given below to Apply Online:**
  - ❖ **Step-1: Apply for Online Registration using unique Email Id and Mobile No.**
  - ❖ **Step-2: Fill in the Online Application Form and note down the system generated Application No.**
  - ❖ **Step-3:** Upload scanned images of Candidate's Photograph (file size: 10 kb - 200 kb), Candidate's Signature (file size: 4 kb – 30 kb) and Thumb impression (file size: 3 kb-30 kb) in JPG/JPEG format.
  - ❖ **Step-4:** Pay fee using **SBI/Canara/HDFC/ICICI/Paytm Payment Gateway** through **Debit Card/Credit Card/Net Banking/UPI** and keep proof of fee paid. In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of fee then the transaction is cancelled, and amount will be refunded to the candidate's account. However, the candidate has to make another transaction, in case the Confirmation Page is not generated.
  - ❖ All the 4 Steps can be done together or at separate times.
8. Candidates are advised to keep visiting the NTA website and check their e-mails/SMS regularly for latest updates.
9. Candidate shall appear at their own cost at the Examination Centre on the date and shift indicated on their Admit Card issued by NTA.
10. Any request to change the Examination Centre, Date , Shift and Subject provided on the Admit Card will not be considered under any circumstances.

**Note:**

1. The final submission of Online Application Form will remain incomplete if Step 3 and Step 4 are not completed. Such forms will stand rejected and no correspondence on this account will be entertained.
2. No request for refund of fee once remitted by the candidate will be entertained by NTA under any circumstances.
3. The entire application process of **AIEEA (PG)-2021** 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, Sponsorship Certificate/ Declaration by the Employer of the Candidate (By In-Service Candidate) to NTA/ICAR through Post/ Fax/ E-mail/By Hand.**

Candidates are **NOT** allowed to carry Instrument/ Geometry/ Pencil box, Handbag, Purse, any kind of Paper/ Stationery/Textual material (printed or written material), Eatables and Water (loose or packed), Mobile Phone/ Ear Phone/ 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.

**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 chocolates/candy/sandwich etc.

#### **DISCLAIMER**

1. Candidates are advised to read the Information Bulletin carefully and go through the instructions regarding filling of Online Application Form given on AIEEA (PG)-2021 website [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in), <https://icar.nta.ac.in> before starting online registration.
2. Candidates should ensure that all information entered during the online registration process is correct.
3. Online information provided by candidates like name of candidate, contact/address details, category, PWBD status, educational qualification details, date of birth, etc., during online registration for AIEEA (PG)-2021 will be treated as correct/final and NTA will not entertain, under any circumstances, any request for change in information provided by the candidates.
4. NTA disclaims any liability that may arise to a candidate(s) due to incorrect information provided by the candidate(s) during online registration process.
5. NTA does not edit /modify/alter any information entered by the candidates after completion of application form under any circumstances. Any request for change in information thereafter will not be entertained. Therefore, candidates are advised to exercise utmost caution for filling up correct details in application form.

**Usage of Data and Information:** NTA can use the data provided by the End User (test taker in this case) for internal purpose(s) including training, research and development, analysis and other permissible purpose(s).

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## CHAPTER-1 INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 About NTA

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

**The objectives of NTA, inter-alia, include:**

- i. To conduct efficient, transparent and international standard tests in order to assess the competency of candidates for admission.
- ii. To undertake research on educational, professional and testing system to identify gaps in the knowledge systems and take steps for bridging them.
- iii. To produce and disseminate information and research on education and professional development standards.

The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) has entrusted the responsibility of conducting All India Competitive Examinations for admission to Bachelor (UG), Masters (PG) & Doctoral (Ph.D.) Courses in Agricultural Universities (AUs) and award of **scholarships & fellowships**, to the NTA from 2019 onwards.

### 1.2 About ICAR

The ICAR is the Apex Body for coordinating, guiding, and managing research and education in agriculture in the entire country under the aegis of Department of Agricultural Research and Education (DARE), Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare. Considering the importance of agricultural education, the University Education Commission (1948) chaired by Dr. S. Radhakrishnan recommended the establishment of Rural Universities in the country. As a result, the first State Agricultural University (SAU) was established in 1960 at Pantnagar on the pattern of the Land Grant Colleges of the United States.

The ICAR-AU System of India has 74 Agricultural Universities comprising 63 State Agricultural, Veterinary, Horticultural and Fisheries Universities (SAUs), 4 ICAR-DUs, viz. IARI, IVRI, NDRI and CIFE, 3 Central Agricultural Universities (CAU, Imphal, Dr. RPCAU, Pusa and RLB CAU, Jhansi), 4 Central Universities (CU) having Faculty of Agriculture (BHU, AMU, Viswa Bharati and Nagaland University). The National Agricultural Research, Education and Extension System (NAREES) of India is one of the largest in the world, admitting more than 28000 students at PG level and over 17,500 students at Master's and Doctoral level annually, in different disciplines of Agricultural and Allied Sciences.

**During 2020-21, against the total of 3219 Seats, 2641 candidates were recommended by ICAR**



for admission to accredited Master Degree Programmes in 67 accredited AUs under the ICAR-AU system.

### 1.3 AIEEA (PG) 2021

Students for 25% seats in Master degree programmes in AUs are admitted through AIEEA (PG). All (100%) seats of the four ICAR-DUs namely, Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI), Indian Veterinary Research Institute (IVRI), National Dairy Research Institute (NDRI) and Central Institute of Fisheries Education (CIFE) and CAUs, viz. RLBCAU, Jhansi and Dr. RPCAU, Pusa are also filled up through the same examination. **Further, not more than 40% candidates from any one state shall be admitted in any agricultural university in a particular subject and category.**

ICAR AIEEA (PG)-2021 examination for the academic session 2021-22 will be conducted at 89 cities (**Annexure-I**) all over the country enabling participation of a large number of candidates seeking admission in Master degree programmes in AUs in different disciplines of Agriculture, Horticulture, Forestry, Veterinary, Animal Sciences, Agricultural Engineering, Community Science (erstwhile Home Science), Fisheries, Dairy Science and other allied sciences. For postgraduate studies, ICAR-PG Scholarship, shall be awarded to 600 candidates based on merit in this examination as per their over all merit-rank and seat availability in different disciplines. The remaining admitted students will be awarded NTS (PG).

Candidates declared eligible for registration and choice filling for counselling by ICAR will only be considered for allocation of subject and the Agricultural University. **There is no provision of direct nomination for admission through ICAR in any Master degree programme without qualifying in ICAR AIEEA (PG).**

**To align with New Education Policy (NEP 2020) and reduce the burden on students for appearing in multiple entrance examination for admissions in AUs, ICAR has taken an initiative and asked for the consent of AUs if they wish to utilize the NTA scores for PG admissions during academic session 2021-22. The list of AUs which have expressed their willingness to utilize NTA scores is given at APPENDIX-I.**

#### NOTE

- Ragging in the Universities, in any form, has been strictly banned and is a criminal offence. Before applying, all the candidates are advised to study in detail the **PGC Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009** (<https://www.PGc.ac.in/oldpdf/ragging/gazetaPG2010.pdf>).
- Ragging is totally prohibited in the institutions, and anyone found guilty of ragging and/or abetting ragging, whether actively or passively, or being a part of a conspiracy to promote ragging, is liable to be punished in accordance with these Regulations as well as under the provisions of any penal law for the time being in force.
- Every student studying in the institution and his/her parents/guardians shall be required to provide the specific affidavits in accordance with clauses (d), (e) and (g) of Regulation 6.1 of these Regulations at the time of admission or registration, as the case may be, during each academic year.
- The candidates are advised to contact Anti-Ragging Committee/Cell of the admitting institution for further information in this regard. They may visit ICAR's Agricultural Education Portal (<https://education.icar.gov.in/>) to reach the website of the Agricultural University/Institution of their interest for more information.

## CHAPTER-2 GENERAL INFORMATION

### 2.1 Major Subject Groups and Sub-Subjects for Master Degree Programmes

Master Degrees are awarded by Agricultural Universities in about 96 Sub-Subjects under 20 Major Subject-Groups (**Annexure-III**). Candidates should select one Major Subject Group for appearing in the Entrance Examination, based on compatibility with their own subject at graduation (UG) level (**Annexure-IV**). The sub-subject choices, within the Major Subject-Group (in which the candidate qualifies the entrance examination), will be available at the time of online counseling.

### 2.2 University-Wise and Sub Subject-Wise Number of Seats Available for Admission

The numbers of ICAR seats and ICAR PG Scholarships/NTS (PG) in various Sub-subjects for the Academic Session 2021–22 will be displayed on ICAR website [www.icar.org.in/www.icarexam.net](http://www.icar.org.in/www.icarexam.net) at the time of counselling.

### 2.3 Schedule of AIEEA (PG) 2021

Schedule for important examination related activities has been given below. However, candidates are requested to keep themselves updated about the schedule through NTA and ICAR websites [www.nta.c.in](http://www.nta.c.in), <https://icar.nta.ac.in/> and [www.icar.org.in](http://www.icar.org.in).

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Websites	<a href="https://icar.nta.ac.in">https://icar.nta.ac.in</a> <a href="http://www.nta.ac.in">www.nta.ac.in</a> ,
Declaration of Result on NTA website	To be announced on the NTA website later
Schedule for Online Counselling	To be announced by the ICAR on <a href="http://www.icar.org.in">www.icar.org.in</a> , <a href="http://www.icarexam.net">www.icarexam.net</a> after the declaration of result

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## 2.4 Scheme of Examination

The test of AIEEA (PG) 2021 has a single paper of 2 hours duration. Details of the test are given below:

Mode of Examination	CBT (Computer Based Test)
Duration	120 minutes (2 hours)
Number of Questions	120
Type of Questions	Multiple Choice Questions
Scoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 marks for each correct response</li> <li>• -1 mark for each incorrect response (negative scoring)</li> <li>• 0 for non-attempt</li> </ul>
Medium of Paper	English only

## 2.5 Syllabus for the Test

The Question Papers for the test shall be based on the syllabus prescribed by the ICAR, which is available at the website : <https://icar.org.in/content/icar%E2%80%99s-aice-jrfsrf-pgs-2020-examination>.

## 2.6 Subjects

Candidates must ensure their subject or discipline-specific criteria before selecting subject or discipline for admission as given under Section 3.3.

## **2.7 Conditions for the award of ICAR-PG Scholarship and National Talent Scholarship (PG) – 2021**

- ICAR-PG Scholarship will be awarded to meritorious candidates seeking admission in the Agricultural Universities where Master degree programme consists of course and research work. Candidates already pursuing Master degree programme can also apply for fresh admission and compete for ICAR- PG Scholarship provided they have not completed one year of their Master degree programme on the date of examination.
- The ICAR- PG Scholarship would be awarded for two years from the date of registration in the Master degree programme. For graduates with 10+2+3, if admitted in IARI and NDRI and awarded ICAR- PG Scholarship, no fellowship would be payable during the first year of their degree program, i.e. while completing remedial courses in the first year. No extension in ICAR- PG Scholarship duration beyond 2 years will be granted. In case the fellowship allotted to a candidate is vacated for any reason, the same will not be allotted/transferred to any other candidate even if there are candidates next to him/her in the merit in same or other subject group. ICAR- PG Scholarship awardees of last year(s), even if in merit, will not be awarded ICAR-PG Scholarship again; however, admission would be granted to them as per their merit rank.
- Further, if ICAR- PG Scholarship holder seeks fresh admission, entire amount of scholarship received by him/her shall have to be refunded back to the university with Interest. The scholarship will be at the rate of Rs. 12,640/- per month together with a contingent grant of Rs. 6,000/- per year for procurement of essential chemicals, equipments, books and travel connected with the research work. Not more than 50% of the contingent grant will be spent for purchase of books. All purchases are to be made with the approval of the Major Advisor/Chairman of Student Advisory Committee.
- All candidates who have been awarded ICAR-PG Scholarship have to execute a surety Bond of appropriate amount as per University rules and regulations at the time of registration in the University. The AU will ensure that if the candidate leaves before completion of the programme, he /she refunds the scholarship amount drawn by him /her to the Council.
- To get ICAR- PG Scholarship, the candidate must pursue Master's degree from an AU in a state different from the one where the AU of his/her Bachelor's degree is located, i.e. AUs of Bachelor's degree and Master Degree should be located in different states. This condition, however, shall not apply for admission to NDRI, Karnal where admissions to 100% seats of Bachelor's degree programme are made on the basis of All India Entrance Examination conducted by ICAR. The candidates passed out from IVRI, Bareilly, Dr. RPCAU, Pusa and RLBCAU, Jhansi shall also be exempted from this condition subject to fulfilment of other prescribed requirements for the award of ICAR-PG Scholarship.
- The non-PG Scholarship/NTS(PG) candidates shall be eligible to get revised National Talent Scholarship (NTS) of Rs. 5,000/- per month for two years provided they join Master degree programme in an AU located in a state different from their state of domicile. For further details, the candidates may see the Guidelines for NTS (2016) available at

[http://www.icar.org.in/files/FINALGuidelines\(GNTS\)-26072016.pdf](http://www.icar.org.in/files/FINALGuidelines(GNTS)-26072016.pdf). Even the candidates who do not want to avail NTS (PG) have to mandatorily seek admission in an AU different from the one from where they have graduated.

- The award of PG scholarship and NTS (PG) shall be governed by the rules and regulations issued and as amended by the Council from time to time in this regard. After the admission, under no circumstances, the request for change of subject and the university will be entertained from the candidates/parents. Further they should also note that for the Academic Session 2021-22 and onwards irrespective of affiliation, whether it is ICAR DUs or DARE (3 CAUs) or SAUs or CUs with Agriculture Faculty, for all accredited AUs, the award of NTS would be only for 15% seats of UG and 25% seats of Masters degree programmes.

**Note:**

- **5% reservation in PG Scholarship for PwD category will be horizontal across all categories, i.e. such candidates would draw Scholarship from the GEN/SC/ST category to which they belong. If the PG Scholarship is not available in a particular category to which the PwD candidate belongs then the same would be drawn from Gen. category, if available.**
- From Academic Session 2017-18, the criteria for PG Scholarship (erstwhile JRF) distribution, based on total number of seats in each subject, has been changed to average number of aspirants actually appeared in the AIEEA (PG) in the preceding three years. The number of PG Scholarships may vary depending on the number of candidates actually appeared for the examination in a particular Major Subject. It will finally be known only at the time of counseling.
- There will be no transfer of ICAR-PG Scholarship even if a candidate awarded PG Scholarship at the time of counseling leaves the degree programme in between for any reason.
- There is no reservation of ICAR- PG Scholarship for candidates of Gen-EWS, OBC (NCL) and UPS category. They would be entitled for ICAR- PG Scholarship based on overall merit.
- ICAR-PG Scholarship & NTS (PG) shall be awarded only after the completion of Online Counselling.
- The candidates are informed that in accordance with the decision taken during XVI Meeting of National Agricultural Education Accreditation Board (NAEAB) held on 28.03.2016, the admissions to the Master's degree programmes of RLBCAU, Jhansi shall be made through ICAR's AIEEA (PG). However, it has been decided by the Council that w.e.f. the Academic Session 2020-21, the candidates recommended for admission to these programmes shall not be eligible for the award of ICAR-PG Scholarship and NTS (PG). Such candidates **may be provided** scholarship by RLBCAU, Jhansi from its budget w.e.f. the Academic Session 2020-21. Further they should also note that for the Academic Session 2021-22 and onwards irrespective of affiliation, whether it is ICAR DUs or DARE (3 CAUs) or SAUs or CUs with Agriculture Faculty, for all accredited AUs, the award of NTS would be only for 15% seats of UG and 25% seats of Masters degree programmes.
- Similarly, in accordance with the decision taken during XIX Meeting of National Agricultural Education Accreditation Board (NAEAB) held on 20.03.2017, admissions to the non-accredited Master's degree programmes or non-accredited colleges of Dr. RPCAU, Pusa shall be made through ICAR's AIEEA (PG). However, it has been decided by the Council that w.e.f. the Academic Session 2020-21, the candidates recommended for admission to these programmes shall not be eligible for the award of ICAR-PG Scholarship and NTS (PG). Such candidates may be provided scholarship by Dr.

RPCAU, Pusa from its budget w.e.f. the Academic Session 2020-21. The award of ICAR-PG Scholarship and NTS (PG) to the candidates recommended for admission to Dr. RPCAU, Pusa may be considered in future subject to accreditation of such programmes by the Council. The list of ICAR accredited Master's degree programmes and Colleges of Dr. RPCAU, Pusa is given at **Annexure-VI**.

- However, the students who are already enrolled in non-accredited Master's degree programmes in non-accredited colleges and had received the letter of award of the PG Scholarship and NTS (PG) from the ICAR shall continue to avail the same in accordance with the prescribed rules and regulations of the scholarship issued by the Council in this regard.
- The award of ICAR-PG Scholarship and NTS (PG) to the candidates recommended for admission to RLBCAU, Jhansi and Dr. RPCAU, Pusa may be considered in future subject to accreditation of the university, Colleges and Master's degree programmes by the Council.

## **2.8 Reservation Policy**

### **A. SC/ST/OBC-(NCL)/EWS/PwD in each Category**

- (i) There would be reservation of seats as well as ICAR-PG Scholarship to the extent of 15% for Scheduled Caste and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe candidates in different disciplines. The reservation of seats among SC/ST categories is interchangeable i.e., if sufficient number of candidates are not available to fillup the seats as well as PG Scholarship reserved for ST candidates, these can be filled up from among suitable SC candidates and vice-versa in a given subject as per merit-rank in examination. The original SC/ST certificate in prescribed form (**Annexure-XVI**) is required to be produced for verification at the time of admission. Depending on merit and choice, they can also take seat from the General/Unreserved Category.
- (ii) Reservation for candidates belonging to Central OBC (NCL) category would be available at BHU, SASARD Nagaland University, CAUs, CIFE, IARI, IVRI and NDRI Universities as per the latest Government of India directives applicable at the time of counseling and Hon'ble SC Judgment dated 18th August, 2011 and communication of seats by these universities at the time of counseling. Candidates claiming admission under this category have to produce a Central OBC (NCL) certificate as per specimen enclosed in **Annexure-XVII**.
- (iii) Reservation of seats for EWS shall be in accordance with the Gazette Notification No. DL-(N)/04/0007/2003-19, dated 12 January, 2019, Ministry of Law and Justice (Legislative Department), Govt. of India or any further related Govt. of India directive(s) applicable at the time of counseling. The provision shall be applicable only for admission to Central Educational Institutions and not to SAUs and minority educational institutions, if any, under the ICAR-AU system. The unfilled seats remaining under Gen-EWS category will be de-reserved to Unreserved (UR)/Open category seats. The certificate format for EWS candidates is given at **Annexure – XVIII**.
- (iv) Five percent seats are reserved, **horizontally across the categories** in different subjects, for Persons with Disability (PwD) candidates suffering from lowvision, hearingimpairment, locomotors disability or cerebralpalsy with appropriate medical



certificate having at least 40% disability and found suitable by the Counseling Committee/University official. The candidate applying for admission under this category should submit a copy of the certificate about being PwD from a Govt. Hospital/Medical Board at the time of admission in allotted University as per given specimen (**Annexure–XI**). The criteria for assessing the degree of handicap could be variable from one subject to another. The decision of the University allotted will be final in this regard. If seat is not available in a particular Category to which the PwD candidate belongs, then the same would be drawn from General Category/Unreserved Category depending upon the availability..

## **B RESERVATION FOR REMOTE AND UNDER PRIVILEGED STATES/UT (UPS)**

Two percent seats under each discipline would be reserved, horizontally, across categories for the candidates of the remote and underprivileged States/UTs namely (i) Andaman & Nicobar Islands, (ii) Arunachal Pradesh, (iii) Dadra and Nagar Haveli, (iv) Daman & Diu, (v) Goa, (vi) Lakshadweep, (vii) Manipur, (viii) Meghalaya, (ix) Mizoram, (x) Nagaland, (xi) Sikkim (xii) Tripura and (xiii) Ladakh, where educational facilities in agriculture and allied science subjects either do not exist or have no SAU(s) and who qualify this examination. UPS candidates will have to produce domicile certificate issued by the competent authority at the time of admission. There will not be any State quota within this quota.

### **Note:**

1. Candidates need to refer to ICAR website ([www.icar.org.in](http://www.icar.org.in), [www.icarexam.net](http://www.icarexam.net)) for detailed information regarding reservation of seats and/or allocation of scholarship/fellowships for SC/ST/OBC (NCL)/ PwD/UPS/EWS in each category at the time of online counseling.
2. The responsibility for verification of the genuineness of SC/ST/OBC (NCL)/PwD/UPS and EWS certificate will be of the concerned AU & ICAR System where the candidate has been granted admission on the basis of counseling.

## **2.9 Provision for Persons with Benchmark Disability (PwBD) Candidates**

- (i) In compliance of the “*Guidelines for Conducting Written Examination for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities*” issued by the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment vide Office Memorandum No. F.No. 34-02/2015-DD-III dated 29<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, the following provisions would be available to the Candidates with Benchmark Disabilities, as defined in Section 2(r) of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (RPwD) Act, 2016.
- (ii) A person with benchmark disability, as defined in Section 2 (r) of the RPwD Act, “means a person with not less than 40 percent 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 Candidate claiming to be a PwBD for availing the benefits / facilities needs to submit a certificate as per the format given on **Annexure-XI**.

- (iii) *A specified disability, as defined in Section 2 (zc) of the RPwBD Act, means the disabilities as specified in the Schedule of the said Act, which includes:*
- (a) Locomotor Disabilities: Leprosy, Cerebral Palsy, Dwarfism, Muscular Dystrophy, Acid Attack Victims;
  - (b) Visual Impairment: Blindness & Low Vision;
  - (c) Hearing Impairment: Deaf & Hard of Hearing;
  - (d) Speech & Language Disability;
  - (e) Intellectual Disability: specific learning disability (dyslexia, dysgraphia, dyscalculia, dyspraxia & developmental aphasia), autism spectrum disorder;
  - (f) Mental illness;
  - (g) Chronic Neurological Conditions: Multiple sclerosis, Parkinson's diseases;
  - (h) Blood Disorder: Haemophilia, Thalassemia, Sickle cell diseases;
  - (i) Multiple Disabilities: more than one of the specified disabilities including deaf blindness
- (iv) In case of candidates with benchmark disabilities in the category of blindness, locomotor disability (both arm affected-BA) and cerebral palsy, **the facility of scribe/reader shall be given, if so desired by them.**
- (v) In case of other category of persons with benchmark disabilities (the Schedule of the said Act may be referred to), the provision of scribe/reader can be allowed (if they so desire) on production of a certificate to the effect that the person concerned has physical limitation to **write (use the mouse in case of CBT) and scribe is essential to write examination on his behalf**, from the Chief Medical Officer/Civil Surgeon/Medical Superintendent of a Government health care institution as per proforma at **(ANNEXURE–XII)**.
- (vi) Such candidates will have the discretion of bringing his/her own scribe/reader or may opt to have Scribe/Reader from NTA or through any of its authorised Institute/Agency/Personnel involved in the examination.
- (vii) An eligible PwBD candidate, desirous of having facility of scribe/reader, shall have to mention his/her appropriate PwBD category in the relevant column of the application form and have also to record as to whether he/she will have his/her own arrangement of scribe/reader or it has to be arranged by NTA or through any of its authorised Institute/Agency/Personnel.
- (viii) The qualification of the scribe shall be one step below the qualification of the candidate taking the examination. The persons with benchmark disabilities opting for own scribe/reader should submit details of the own scribe as per proforma at **(ANNEXURE–XIII)**.
- (ix) In case a PwBD candidate who has opted for the scribe/reader from NTA or through any of its authorised Institute/Agency/Personnel, the Centre Superintendent shall arrange a meeting of the candidate with scribe/reader, a day before the examination, for giving him/her a chance to check/verify whether the scribe/reader is suitable or not.

- (x) Compensatory time of not less than 20 minutes per hour of examination shall be given to a candidate allowed to use scribe/reader. If the examination is 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.

As far as possible, the examination for Person(s) with Disabilities should be held at the ground floor.

## CHAPTER-3

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA AND QUALIFICATIONS

#### 3.1 General Eligibility Criteria to appear in AIEEA (PG) 2021

- i. In order to appear in ICAR-AIEEA (PG) 2021, an Indian national candidate must ensure that he/she fulfills the eligibility requirements for the examination as well as admission as detailed in the Information Bulletin. Applying for AIEEA (PG) 2021, appearing in the examination and qualifying the same does not necessarily mean acceptance of eligibility. The applicant for a particular Subject must satisfy the eligibility criteria as specified in this Information Bulletin (or its amendments/corrections from time to time).

- No certificates are required to be uploaded along with the online application at the time of online submission.
- The documents/certificates etc., shall be verified directly at the time of admission in the admitting university. In case the candidate is found not-eligible at any stage, his/her candidature would be summarily rejected and admission will be cancelled.

Filling of ICAR quota seats in PG programmes in Agricultural Universities (under the ICAR-AU system) will be permitted only for the programmes, colleges and Universities accredited by the ICAR.

- ii. Candidate should note that for admission to Master's degree programmes through entrance examination conducted by NTA, only the candidates having passed graduation with four/six (10+6 B.Sc. Ag.)/five years' (B.V.Sc. & AH)/5½ years (B.V.Sc. & AH) degree programme will be eligible.

For appearing in AIEEA (PG), it would be mandatory for the candidates to have passed out from ICAR-accredited constituent colleges and ICAR-accredited courses/programmes of public funded/Govt. institutions (Govt./State Govt. funded) within or outside ICAR-AU system OR ICAR-accredited Private Agriculture and Allied Science colleges and ICAR-accredited courses/programmes. It would be mandatory for the Private Agriculture and Allied Science colleges to have accreditation from ICAR even if they are affiliated to an ICAR-accredited public funded/Govt. institution (Govt./State Govt. funded) outside ICAR-AU system or AUs (Govt./State Govt. funded) within the ICAR-AU system.

To align with the recommendations made by National Agricultural Education Accreditation Board (NAEAB) in its XXVI Meeting held on 17th September, 2020 and subsequent approval accorded by Governing Body of ICAR in its 251<sup>st</sup> meeting held on 15.10.2020, the first batch pass out/appeared/appearing students of a graduate programme (UG) in Agriculture & Allied Science subject from public funded/Govt. institutions (within or outside ICAR-AU system) or Private Agriculture and Allied Science colleges which have not been accredited by ICAR (irrespective of the fact whether they have applied to ICAR for accreditation or not)

shall be exempted from the requirement of ICAR accreditation for appearing in and seeking admission through AIEEA (PG)-2021 in the current Academic Year/Session (2021-22). This exemption, however, shall not be applicable to the already passed out first batch students or batches subsequent to first batch from these institutions for appearing and seeking admission through the ICAR's AIEEA (PG) to be held in subsequent Academic Sessions until and unless they acquire ICAR-accreditation. For details please refer to the Public Notice No. 1(6)/2018-ExamCell-Pt-4 dated 24 June 2021 available on the ICAR website ([www.icar.org.in](http://www.icar.org.in)).

The onus of proving that s(he) has passed out from the first batch of non-ICAR accredited college and programme shall primarily lie with the candidate. The candidate must produce a certificate from the Registrar or an equivalent authority of the concerned institution to this effect for verification by the admitting university.

Further, in case any degree from a particular college/university is not considered for admission by an Agricultural University on account of a particular college/university being derecognized by VCI/UGC, or due to any Court directives (present or future), ICAR will not be responsible for admitting students of that college/university in the Universities not willing to admit such candidates.

The list of ICAR-accredited GoI/State Govt. funded public institutions (including constituent colleges of AUs under the ICAR-AU system) and private Agriculture and Allied Science colleges along with their ICAR-accredited programmes shall be available on ICAR's Counseling portal at the time of AIEEA-2021 counseling. For ready reference, the list of ICAR-accredited universities, colleges and programmes for admission through AIEEA-2020 is available in public domain at [www.icarexam.net](http://www.icarexam.net).

**The list of Govt. (outside ICAR AU system) and private Agricultural Universities/Colleges accredited by ICAR whose candidates are eligible to appear in the AIEEA (PG)-2021 examination is given at Annexure-V-B. The candidates having Bachelor's degree with 3 years' duration will not be considered for admission through ICAR AIEEA (PG) 2021 in AUs under ICAR-AU system except in few courses at two ICAR-DUs, viz. IARI and NDRI for which the eligibility criteria of the concerned ICAR-DU, including admission of graduates having passed with 3 years' degree, would prevail for admission.**

- iii. The Candidate must have passed Bachelor degree examination securing Overall Grade Point Average (OGPA) of at least 6.60/10.00 in ten-point scale, 5.88/9.00 in nine-point scale, 5.226/8.00 in eight point scale, 4.573/7.00 in seven point scale, 3.92/6.00 in six point-scale, 3.25/5.00 in five-point scale, 2.60/4.00 in four-point scale for General, OBC, UPS and EWS categories whereas for SC/ST/Person with Disability (PWD) candidates, the said requirement is an OGPA of at least 5.60/10.00, 4.98/9.00 in nine-point scale, 4.426/8.00 in eight point scale, 3.873/7.00 in seven point scale, 3.32/6.00 in six point- scale, 2.75/5.00, 2.20/4.00, respectively. In other cases, where grade points are not awarded and only marks are awarded, the candidate must have secured at least 60% marks for General, OBC, UPS

and EWS categories whereas for SC/ST/PwD categories the requirement is 50% marks. (Please note that equivalence between OGPA and % marks will not be acceptable). There will be no rounding-off of the OGPA/percentage of marks of qualifying examination while deciding the basic eligibility of any candidate for admission e.g. if a candidate obtained 49.99% marks in his/her qualifying examination, then it will not be rounded-off to 50%.

- iv. For admission in M.V.Sc., candidates must have completed B.V.Sc. & A.H. with internship before the date of admission in the allotted university.
- v. The candidates must complete the graduate degree in all respects and should have all the degree-completion requirements at the time of Counseling/admission in the university failing which they will not be considered for admission and the award of scholarship. Please note that ICAR/University will NOT be held responsible for denial of admission to non-eligible candidates.

Candidates reporting for the admission in the allotted university must have final year/final semester result in hand clearly indicating final OGPA/CGPA or final percentage of marks where grade points are not awarded. Candidates will be required to produce Provisional/Degree certificate of qualifying graduate examination issued by the university for this purpose. The candidates who do not have the PDC/Degree certificate, have to mandatorily produce a certificate from the Registrar of the concerned university specifically indicating that **the candidate has fulfilled all the requirements for the award of Bachelor degree. His/her Final OGPA/Percentage of marks at the end of final semester/year along with likely date of issuance of PDC/Degree must be mentioned.** The candidates should note that the university may deny admission in case the PDC is not produced at the time of admission at the university. No correspondence shall be entertained by the Council in this regard.

The B.V.Sc. & A.H candidates enrolled in 5½ years programme who would be passing out in the month of February/March, 2022 shall be provisionally eligible to appear in AIEEA (PG) 2021 examination and seek admission along with B.V.Sc. & A.H candidates enrolled in 5 years programme who would be passing out in the month of June/July, 2021 Both sets of B.V.Sc. & A.H. candidates (5 years and 5½ years) may be accommodated by IVRI, Bareilly, NDRI, Karnal, and as far as possible by other AUs, twice for admission during the Academic Session 2021-22 after the counselling is conducted by ICAR. To facilitate such candidates, the tentative date of registration at some AUs has been incorporated (APPENDIX-II) in the AIEEA (PG) 2021 Information Bulletin and for rest of the AUs, it would be known at the time of counseling.

Both sets of B.V.Sc. & A.H. candidates (5 years and 5½ years) may, however, appear in the ICAR's AIEEA (PG) examination to be held in the month of May/June w.e.f. Academic Session 2022-23. However, w.e.f. Academic Session 2022-23, only B.V.Sc. & A.H. 5½ years' batches



will be available to appear in the ICAR's AIEEA(PG) examination. Therefore, the batches of students who will be passing out in the month of December, 2022 as per VCI's instructions shall be eligible to appear in the AIEEA(PG)-2022 to be conducted in the month of May/June, 2022. Henceforth, this will become a standard practice and B.V.Sc. & A.H. candidates passing out in the month of December every year shall appear in the AIEEA(PG) exam in the preceding June of the year in which they pass out.

Since VCI has already issued instructions to Veterinary colleges to finish the Academic year for B.V.Sc. & A.H. candidates during the month of December. Therefore, all the State Veterinary Universities (SVUs) and constituent colleges of veterinary sciences under the State Agricultural Universities (SAUs) may have to synchronize the start of their Academic Sessions w.e.f. 2023-24 during the months of January/February. Since the OGPA of such candidates would be available, and internship grades are reflected as satisfactory/unsatisfactory only, they would be deemed provisionally eligible to appear in the ICAR's AIEEA (PG) examination. However, such candidates will be mandatorily required to produce evidence of completion of graduation degree in all respects including successful completion of Internship training programme at the time of admission in the allotted university.

The admission of the candidates shall be valid only for the Academic Session in which the examination has been conducted by ICAR.

### 3.2 Instructions for in-service candidates

1. The in-service candidates will qualify for admission only if they come in the overall merit list of their concerned Subject and produce the Sponsorship Certificate/Declaration by their employer (**Annexure-XIX**) for verification at the time of counselling.
2. The in-service candidates must be working in ICAR Institutes, ICAR-DUs, SAUs, CAUs, CUs having faculty of agriculture, Central Government/State Government Departments dealing in Agriculture and Allied Sectors and Public Sector Undertakings dealing with Agriculture and Allied Sectors (**Annexure-XX**).
3. The in-service candidates qualifying for admission will arrange for study leave/leave of the kind due from their respective organizations themselves and ICAR will not intervene in this regard.
4. In-service candidates must retain the computer generated hard copy of confirmation page of the application along with Sponsorship Certificate, in original, for showing to the university officials in the event of their qualifying the examination and recommendation for admission to the concerned university.
5. ***In no case, the computer generated hard copy of confirmation page of the application and Sponsorship Certificate (Declaration by the employer) should be sent by the candidate either to NTA or ICAR.***
6. The counselling of in-service candidates seeking admission on seats reserved for the purpose at ICAR-DUs (ICAR-IARI, ICAR-IVRI, ICAR-NDRI and ICAR-CIFE) will be done at respective ICAR-DU level only. Such candidates are, therefore, advised to remain in touch with the respective

ICAR-DU's website for further details such as no. of seats, eligibility requirements, counselling schedule, etc.

### 3.3 Eligibility Qualifications for Admission to different Subjects

Candidates must ensure their subject or discipline specific criteria before selecting subject or discipline for admission.

Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degreein)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
<b>01-PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY</b>			
1.1 Plant Bio-Chemistry/ Bio.Chem.	B.Sc. Ag./Horti. or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3 yrs.system)	IARI
1.2 Plant Biotech & Molecular Biology/ Biotech.	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry/ Seri./ Biotechnology or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Forestry/ Sericulture/ Biotechnology/ B. Tech. (Biotechnology).	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3 system)	IARI
1.3 Plant/ CropPhysiology	B.Sc. Ag./Horti. or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
<b>02- PLANT SCIENCES</b>			
2.1 Plant Breeding and Genetics	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Forestry/ B. Tech. (Biotechnology).	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
2.2 PlantPathology	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Forestry.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
2.3 Agricultural Microbiology/ Microbiol.	B.Sc. Ag./Horti. or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/B. Tech. (Biotechnology).	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3 system)	IARI
2.4 SeedScience&Technology	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/Forestry.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
2.5 Plant Genetic resources	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/Forestry/B. Tech. (Biotechnology).	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
<b>03- PHYSICAL SCIENCE</b>			
3.1 Agricultural/ Agro. Meteorology	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Forestry.	-	-
3.2 (a) SoilScience&Agril.Chemistry	B.Sc. Ag./Horti. or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI

<b>Subject/ Discipline</b>	<b>Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degreein)</b>	<b>Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI &amp; (4) CIFE</b>	<b>Applicable at</b>
(b) SoilConservation&Water Mgmt./ SWC	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Forestry.	-	-
(c) Irrigation& WaterMgmt.	B.Sc. Ag./Horti. or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	-	-
3.3 Agril.Physics	B.Sc. Ag./Horti. or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
3.4 Agril.Chemicals	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/Forestry.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
3.5 Environmental Science	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/Forestry.		
<b>4 – ENTOMOLOGY AND NEMATOLOGY</b>			
4.1 Agricultural/Horticultural Entomology	B.Sc. (Ag.)/Horti./ Forestry/ Sericulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horti./Forestry/ Sericulture.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
4.2 Nematology	B.Sc. (Ag.)/ Horticulture / Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Forestry.	B.Sc.(10+ 2+3system)	IARI
4.3 Apiculture	B.Sc. (Ag.)/ Horticulture / Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Forestry.	-	-
4.4 Sericulture	B.Sc. (Ag.)/Horti./ Forestry/ Sericulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horti./Forestry/ Sericulture.	-	-
4.5 Plant Protection	B.Sc. (Ag.)/Horti./ Forestry/ Sericulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horti./Forestry/ Sericulture.	-	-
<b>5-AGRONOMY</b>			
5.1 Agronomy	B.Sc. Ag. or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture.	B.Sc. (Ag.)/ B.Sc. (Ag.) Hons/ B.Sc. (Ag. & AH)	NDRI
5.2TeaHusbandry & Technology	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/Horti./Forestry.	-	-
<b>06-SOCIAL SCIENCES</b>			

Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degree in)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
6.1 Agricultural Economics	B.Sc. Ag./ Horticulture / Agril. Marketing and Co-operation/ Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/Horticulture / Agril. Marketing and Co-operation/ Forestry.	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (DT)/ B. Tech.(DT)/ B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc. (Animal Sciences) /B.F.Sc.	IARI
6.2 Dairy Economics	B.Sc. (Dairy Tech.)/ B.Tech. Dairy Engg./ B. V.Sc. & A.H. / <b><u>B.Sc. Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation/ B.Sc.(Hons.) Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation</u></b>	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (DT)/ B. Tech.(DT)/ B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc. (Animal Sciences) /B.Sc. (Ag.)/B.Sc. Home Science./ B.Sc.(Agri./Horti./ Ag. Marketing & Co-operation) / <b><u>B.Sc. (Hons.) Ag. Marketing &amp; Co-operation</u></b>	NDRI
6.3 Agri.Exten./Extn.Education/ Communication	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture / Forestry / Sericulture/ B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture / Forestry / Sericulture/ <b><u>B.Sc. Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation/ B.Sc.(Hons.) Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation</u></b>	B.Sc. Dairying/B.Sc. Dairying (DT)/ B. Tech.(DT)/ B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc. (Animal Sciences) /B.F.Sc./ <b><u>B.Sc. Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation/ B.Sc.(Hons.) Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation</u></b>	IARI
6.4 Dairy Extension Education	B.Sc. Dairying (DT/DH)/ B.Tech. (DT) / B. V.Sc. & A.H. / <b><u>B.Sc. Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation/ B.Sc.(Hons.) Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation</u></b>	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (DT/DH)/ B.Tech. (DT)/ B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc. (Animal Sciences)/ B.Sc. (Ag.) / B.Sc. (Ag. & AH)/ B.Sc.(Ag.) Honors/ B.Sc. Home Science (with elective Extension Education)/ <b><u>B.Sc. Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation/ B.Sc.(Hons.) Agril. Marketing &amp; Co-operation</u></b>	NDRI
<b>07- STATISTICAL SCIENCES</b>			
7.1 Agricultural Statistics	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horti./Forestry/ Sericulture/Agricultural Marketing & Coop./B.F.Sc./Veterinary Sciences/ B.Tech. in Agril. Engg. or B.Sc.	B.Sc.(10+2+3 system)	IARI

Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degree in)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
	(Hons.) Agriculture/ Horti./Forestry/ Sericulture/Agricultural Marketing & Coop./B.F.Sc./Veterinary Sciences/ B.Tech. in Agril. Engg.		
7.2 Computer Application	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horti./Forestry/ Sericulture/Agricultural Marketing & Coop./Veterinary Sciences/B.Tech. in Agril. Engg. or B.Sc. (Hons.) in Agriculture/ Horti./Forestry/Seri./Agril. Mktg. & Coop./Veterinary Sciences/B.Tech. in Agril. Engg.	B.Sc.(10+2+3 system)	IARI
7.3 Bioinformatics	B.Sc. Agriculture/Horticulture/Forestry /B.F.Sc. /B.Sc. (Hons.) Agric./Horticulture/Forestry /B.F.Sc./B.Sc. Agril. Engg / B. Tech. Agril. Engg/B. Tech. (Biotechnology).	B.Sc.(10+2+3 system)	IARI
<b>08- HORTICULTURE</b>			
8.1 Horticulture	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	-	-
8.2 Vegetable Crops or Sci./ Olericulture	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	-	-
8.3 Pomology/Fruit Sci., Fruit Sci. & Hort. Technology	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	-	-
8.4 Post-Harvest Technology of Horticultural Crops	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	-	-
8.5 Floriculture and Landscaping Architecture	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	-	-
8.6 Plantation Spices, Medicinal & Aromatic Crops	B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture.	-	-
<b>09-FORESTRY/ AGROFORESTRY AND SILVICULTURE</b>			
9.1 Forest Production &	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.)	-	-

Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degree in)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
Utilization	Forestry.		
9.2 Silviculture & Agroforestry	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry.	-	-
9.3 Tree Physiology and Breeding	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry.	-	-
9.4 Agroforestry	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry.	-	-
9.5 Forest NRM/Forest Mgmt. & Utilization	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry.	-	-
9.6 Plantation Technology	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry.	-	-
9.7 Wildlife Sci. (Forestry)	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry.	-	-
9.8 Wood Science	B.Sc. Forestry or B.Sc. (Hons.) Forestry.	-	-
<b>10- AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING &amp; TECHNOLOGY</b>			
10.1 Soil and Water Cons Engg./Soil & Water Engg.	B.Tech. Agril. Engg./Mechanical/Civil/Elect./Electronics.	-	-
10.2 Irrigation and Drainage Engg./Irrig. Water Mgmt. Engg.	B.Tech. Agril. Engg./Mechanical/Civil/Elect./Electronics.	-	-
10.3 Post-Harvest Technology/Processing & Food Engg.	B.Tech. Agril. Engg./Agric. & Food Engg./Mechanical/Civil/Elect./Electronics/Food Engg./Process and Food Engg./Chemical Engg.	-	-
10.4 Farm Machinery and Power Engg.	B. Tech. Agril. Engg./Mechanical/Civil/Elect./Electronics/Production Engg.	-	-
10.5 Renewable Energy Engg.	B.Tech. Agril. Engg./Agric. & Food Engg./Mechanical/Civil/Elect./Electronics/Production Engg./Food Engg./Process and Food Engg.	-	-
<b>11- WATER SCIENCE &amp; TECHNOLOGY</b>			
11.1 Water Science & Technology	B.Sc. (Agriculture)/ Horticulture or B.Sc. (Hons.) (Agriculture)/Horticulture/B. Tech. (Agri. Engg.).	-	-
<b>12- HOME SCIENCE (CURRENTLY RENAMED AS COMMUNITY SCIENCE)</b>			
12.1 Food & Nutrition	B.Sc. Community Science/Home	-	-



Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degree in)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
	Science or B.Sc. (Hons.) Community Science/Home Science.		
12.2 Human Development and Family Studies	B.Sc. Community Science/Home Science or B.Sc. (Hons.) Community Science/Home Science.	-	-
12.3 Home Management/Family Resource Management	B.Sc. Community Science/Home Science or B.Sc. (Hons.) Community Science/Home Science.	-	-
12.4 Clothing and Textile/ Textile & Apparel Designing	B.Sc. Community Science/Home Science or B.Sc. (Hons.) Community Science/Home Science.	-	-
12.5 Home Science Extn./Edn.,/ Extn.&Comm.Mgmt.	B.Sc. Community Science/Home Science or B.Sc. (Hons.) Community Science/Home Science.	-	-
<b>13-ANIMAL BIOTECHNOLOGY</b>			
13.1 Animal Biotechnology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (DT/DH) /BE/ B.Tech. (Biotechnology)/ B.Tech. in (Chemical Engg./Biochemical Engg./Food Tech./Fermentation Tech.)/ B.V.Sc. & AH /B. Pharma/Biotechnology/ B.Sc.(10+2+3 system).	NDRI
13.2 Veterinary/ Animal Biochemistry	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	B.Sc. Biochemistry/ B.Sc.(Hons) Biochemistry/ Biotechnology/ Biomedical Sci./ B.V.Sc. & A.H./ B.Sc.(10+2+3 system). B. Tech./ B.E. in Biotech. /Dairy Tech./ Food Tech.	NDRI
<b>14-VETERINARY SCIENCE</b>			
14.1 Veterinary Anatomy/ Veterinary Anatomy & Histology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.2 Vety. Gynecology and Obst./Ani.Reproduction	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-

<b>Subject/ Discipline</b>	<b>Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degree in)</b>	<b>Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI &amp; (4) CIFE</b>	<b>Applicable at</b>
14.3 Vety. Medicine (Clinical/ Preventive)	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.4 Vety. Parasitology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.5 Vety. Pharmacology and Toxicology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.6 Vety. Pathology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.7 Wildlife Sci./ Wildlife Health Mgt.	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.8 Vety. Virology	-	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	IVRI
14.9 Vety. Immunology	-	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	IVRI
14.10 Vety. Microbi. & Immunology / Bacteriology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.11 Vety. Surgery & Radiology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
14.12 Vety. Public Health & Epidemiology/ Vety. Public Health/ Vety. Epidemiology/ Vety. Epidemiology & Preventive Medicine	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
<b>15-ANIMAL SCIENCES</b>			
15.1 Animal Husbandry/ Dairy Sci.	B.Sc. Ag./B.Sc.(Hons.) Agric./B.Sc.(Dairying) /B.Sc. (DairyTech.)/B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
15.2 Animal Genetics and Breeding	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	B.V.Sc.&AH/ B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. (Dairying & AH)/ B.Sc. (Anim. Sci.)/ B.Sc. (Ag. & AH)/B.Sc. (Genetics)/B.Sc. (Biotech.)/B.Sc. (10+2+3 system).	NDRI
15.3 Animal Nutrition	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc. (Ag. & AH) / B.Sc. (10+2+3 system).	NDRI
15.4 Vety./Anim. Physiology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (DH)/ B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc. (Anim. Sci.)	NDRI
15.5 Live stock Production Mgmt.	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. (Animal Sciences)/ B.Sc. (Ag. & AH).	NDRI
15.6 Live stock Products Technology	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
15.7 Poultry Science	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
15.8 Vety. & Animal Husbandry	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-

Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degree in)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
Extension			
15.9 Livestock/ Veterinary/Animal Husbandry Economics	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
15.10 Bio-Statistics	B.V.Sc.&A.H.	-	-
<b>16-FISHERIES SCIENCE</b>			
16.1 Fisheries Sciences/Fish Env. Mgmt.	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.2 Fisheries Resour.Mgmt.	B.F.Sc.	-	
16.3 Aquaculture	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.4 Fish Processing Technol./ Fish PHT	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.5 Fish Physiol. & Biochem.	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.6 Aquatic Animal Health Mgmt.	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.7 Fisheries Extension	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.8 Aquatic Env. Mgmt.	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.9 Fish Genetics/ Breeding/ Biotechnology	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.10 Fish Nutrition and Feed Tech.	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.11 Fish. Economics	B.F.Sc.	-	-
16.12 Fish Engg. & Technology	B.F.Sc.	-	-
<b>17- DAIRYSCIENCE</b>			
17.1 Dairy Microbiology	B.Sc. Dairying (DT/DH)/B.Sc. (DT)/B.Tech. (DT)	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (Dairy Technol.)/ B. Tech (Dairy Technol. /Biotech.)/ B.V.Sc. & AH/ B.Sc.(Hons) Microbiology/ B.Sc. Food Tech., Food Sci./ Biotechnol./ Food Sci. and Technol./ Industrial Microbiology/ Medical Microbiology/ Microbial & Food Technology/ B.Sc. with Microbiology /Industrial Microbiology. B.Sc.(10+2+3 system).	NDRI
17.2 Dairy Chemistry	B.Sc. Dairying (DT/DH)/B.Sc. (DT)/B.Tech.(DT)	B.Sc. Dairying/B.Sc. Dairying (DT)/B. Tech. (DT)/B. Tech./B.Sc.(Food Technology/ Food Sci./Food Sci. & Technol.)/Food	NDRI

Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degreein)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
		Technol. Mgmt./B.V.Sc. & A.H/ B.Sc. Hons. (Chemistry). B.Sc.(10+2+3 system).	
<b>18-DAIRY TECHNOLOGY</b>			
18.1 Dairy Technology	B.Sc. Dairying/B.Tech. DairyTechnology.	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (DT)/ B.Tech. (DT)/B.Sc. Food Tech. / B.Tech. Food Tech. (4 years degree)/B.Sc. (Microbial & Food Tech.) - <b>4 years degree.</b>	NDRI
18.2 Dairy Engineering	B.E./B.Tech. (Dairy Engineering). B.Tech (DT)	B.Sc. Dairying/ B.Sc. Dairying (DT)/ B.Tech. (DT)/B.Sc. Food Tech. / B.Tech. Food Tech. (4 years degree)/ B.Tech. Agril. Engg./B.Sc. (Microbial & Food Tech.) - <b>4 years degree.</b>	NDRI
<b>19- FOOD SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY (M. Sc. Degree will be awarded but M.Tech. Degree at AAU, Anand)</b>			
19.1 Food Technology/Food Science & Technology	B.Sc. Agric./Horti./ B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture,/ FoodSci.&Technol./B.E.(Agril.)/ B.Tech.(Agrl.Engg.)/B. Tech. (FoodTechnology), B.Sc. (Hons.) Food Nutrition and Dietetics.	B.Tech./BE (Food Technology), B.Tech. (Dairy Technology), B.Sc. (Food Science/Food Science & Technology), B.Tech. (Food Technology & Management), B.Sc. (Agriculture), B.V.Sc. & AH.	NDRI
19.2 Food Safety & Quality Assurance	-	B. Tech. Dairy Technol./or Food Technol./Food Technol. & Mgmt. B.Sc. Food Sci./ Home Sci./ Food Microbiol./Industrial Microbiol./Medical Microbiol./B.Sc. (10+2+3 system). B.Sc. Ag. / Horti. / B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/ Horticulture/ B.V.Sc. & AH.	NDRI
<b>20- AGRI BUSINESS MANAGEMENT</b>			
20.1. Agri Business Mgmt.(MBA)	B.Sc. Ag./Horti./Forestry/ Seri./ B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture/Horti./ Agril. Marketing,&Co-operation/ Sericulture/CommercialAgriculture Buss.Mgmt./Forestry/ B.Tech.	-	-

Subject/ Discipline	Eligibility Qualifications for SAUs/CAUs etc. (4/5/6 years Bachelors' degreein)	Alternate Eligibility Qualifications for (1)IARI, (2)IVRI, (3)NDRI & (4) CIFE	Applicable at
	Agril.Engg./Vety.Sci./ Dairy Sci./Fishery Sci./Food Sci. & Technology/ B. Tech. Biotechnology.		
20.2. Agril. Marketing and Co-operation (M.Sc.)	B.Sc. Agril. Marketing and Co-operation /Agriculture/ Horticulture/ Agriculture Engg./Sericulture /Commercial Agriculture/ Business Management/ Forestry/ Veterinary Science.	-	-

**Note:**

1. Candidate must fulfill the eligibility conditions as indicated above. They are generally eligible for pursuing Master Degree in the subject in which they have passed their graduation.
2. For admission in Master degree courses under ICAR-AU system, candidate must have four years Bachelor degree in Agriculture, Horticulture, Forestry, Fisheries Science, Home Science etc., after 10+2 or equivalent or 10+6 examination or five/ 5½ years B.V.Sc.&A.H. Candidate should also note that for admission to Master's degree programmes through entrance examination conducted by ICAR, only the candidates having passed graduation from any public funded/Govt. institution accredited by ICAR will be eligible. Candidates passed out from public funded/Govt. institution or private Agricultural Universities/Colleges not accredited by ICAR, even though affiliated to public funded/Govt. institutions are not eligible for admission through this examination. For details please refer to the Public Notice 1(6)/2018-Exam Cell-Pt-IV dated 24 June, 2021 available on the ICAR website ([www.icar.org.in](http://www.icar.org.in)). The candidates having passed Bachelor's degree with 3 years' duration will not be considered for admission through AIEEA (PG) 2021 in accredited AUs under ICAR-AU system except in few courses at two ICAR-DUs namely IARI, NDRI, for which the eligibility criteria of the concerned ICAR-DU, including admission of graduates having passed with 3 years' degree, would prevail for admission. Master degree programme for graduates from non-agricultural stream would be of three years duration, the first year of which will be exclusively for remedial courses introductory agriculture and orientation programmes.
3. Though four/five/ 5½ (B.V.Sc.&A.H.)/six (10+6) years Bachelor degree is a compulsory requirement for admission to Master degree in Agriculture/ Horticulture/Veterinary sciences but IARI Pusa and NDRI Karnal may admit three - years B.Sc. degree holders in certain subjects.
4. Candidates declared eligible for registration and choice filling for counseling/allotment of seat, may seek admission only during the session for which examination has been conducted. They are not entitled to claim for admission in other sessions/subsequent years based on this year's examination.

### 3.4 Age Limit

Indian Nationals not below 19 years as on 31.08.2021 are eligible to appear in the examination. No relaxation is permissible regarding the minimum age limit.

## CHAPTER-4

### REGISTRATION AND APPLICATION PROCESS

NTA is the examination conducting body and its scope is limited to conducting the examination and declaration of the Result /Merit List as per the criteria prescribed. Candidates must note that they shall be bound by the conditions as laid down in this Information Bulletin as well as the and the Statutes, Ordinances, Notifications, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines of the admitting University / Deemed University / Institute, issued from time to time. It is the sole responsibility of the candidate to ensure that he/she fulfills the specified eligibility in toto before filling up the online application form and appearing in the examination.

#### 4.1 Examination Cities for AIEEA (PG) 2021

The Examination Cities where the AIEEA (PG) 2021 will be conducted are given in **Annexure- I**. While applying candidates have to select any **four cities** of their choice for AIEEA (PG) 2021. The efforts will be made to allot city of examination to the candidates in order of the choice opted by them in their application form. However, due to administrative reasons, a different city of nearby area may be allotted.

- NTA reserves the right to allot a candidate to a near by exam city, other than the one opted by him/her, if need be, depending on administrative exigencies.
- NTA reserves the right to cancel/ merge any exam city/centre if need be, depending on administrative exigencies.
- **The Examination City Centre, once opted, shall not be changed.**

The decision of the NTA regarding allotment of Centre, Date and Shift shall be final. No further correspondence or request shall be entertained in such case.

#### 4.2 Applying Online and Submission of Application Form

The online submission of Application Form for AIEEA (PG)-2021, uploading of scanned photograph and signatures may be made at website [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in), <https://icar.nta.ac.in>. The candidates should complete all the required details while filling up the online form. On submission of details and required fee, a Confirmation Page with Application Number shall be generated. Candidates are required to take printout of Confirmation Page and keep it for reference.

In order to appear in AIEEA (PG)-2021, the candidates are required to apply online as per procedure detailed below. Before filling and submitting the online form, candidates should download the Information Bulletin and Replica of Application Form; and read them carefully. Candidates must follow the instructions strictly as given in the Information Bulletin and on NTA website. Application Forms not complying with the instructions are liable to be rejected.



Candidates must keep following information ready before filling online Application Form:-

- Govt Identity Details like Aadhaar Number (last 4 digits)/Election Card (EPIC No.)/Passport number/Ration Card Number/ Bank Account Number/PAN Number/ Other valid Govt Ids.
- Address for communication, Mobile Number, email id, etc.
- Scanned images of latest Photograph (size of 10 kb to 200 kb) in JPG/ JPEG format only
- Scanned image of Signature (size of 4 kb to 30 kb) in JPG/ JPEG format only
- Scanned image of Thumb impression (Male-Left, Female-Right, size of 3kb to 30 kb) in JPG/JPEG format only.
- Bank Account details for payment of Fee, for uploading as part of submission of online application.

### 4.3 Replica of the Application Form

The Replica of the AIEEA(PG)-2021 Application Form is available at **Annexure-VIII**. The Replica of the AIEEA(PG)-2021 Application Form or Format is available at **Annexure-VIII**.

### 4.4 Four Steps to Complete the Application Process

Application Form may be submitted in four simple steps:

<b>Step 1</b>	<b>Apply for Online Registration using unique Email ID and Mobile No.</b>
<b>Step 2</b>	Fill in the <b>Online Application Form</b> and <b>note down the system generated Application No.</b>
<b>Step 3</b>	Upload scanned images of Candidate's Photograph (file size: 10 kb - 200 kb) Candidate's Signature (file size: 4kb – 30kb) and candidate's thumb impression (between 3 kb to 30 kb) in JPG/JPEG format.
<b>Step 4</b>	Pay fee using <b>SBI/Canara/HDFC/ICICI Bank/ Paytm Payment Gateway</b> through <b>Debit Card/ CreditCard/Net-Banking/UPI</b> and keep proof of fee paid. In case the Confirmation Page is not generated after payment of fee then the transaction is cancelled, and amount will be refunded to the candidate's account. However, the candidate has to make another transaction, in case the Confirmation Page is not generated.
<p>❖ Download, save and print copies of Confirmation Page after successful remittance of fee and keep copies safely for future reference.</p> <p>❖ All the 4 Steps can be done together or at separate times</p>	
<p><b>Note:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The final submission of Online Application Form will remain incomplete if Step 3 and Step 4 are not completed. Such forms will stand rejected and no correspondence on this account will be entertained.</li> <li>2. No request for refund of fee once remitted by the candidate will be entertained by NTA under any circumstances.</li> <li>3. There is no provision to upload any certificate/marks sheet etc., with the application.</li> <li>4. The entire application process is online. Therefore, candidates are not required to send/submit any document(s) including Confirmation Page to NTA/ICAR through Post/ Fax/E-mail By Hand.</li> </ol>	

#### 4.5 Application Fee Payable by the Candidates of Various Categories:

General/Unreserved	<b>Rs. 1120/-</b>
OBC-NCL*/ UPS**/EWS***	<b>Rs. 1100/-</b>
SC/ ST/ PwBD / Transgender	<b>Rs. 550/-</b>
Applicable Service/Processing charges & GST are to be paid by the candidate.	

*\* Other Backward Classes-Non Creamy Layer 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](http://www.ncbc.nic.in). Only 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) **must** choose **General/Unreserved**.*

*\*\* Candidates of Remote and Underprivileged States must check their eligibility.*

*\*\*\*As per the OM No. 20013/01/2018-BC-II dated January 17, 2019 issued by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment and the OM No. 12-4/2019-U1 dated 17.01.2019 regarding implementation of reservation for Economically Weaker Sections (EWSs) for admission in Central Educational Institutions.*

#### 4.6 Method of Fee Payment

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

1. through Debit/Credit card – Candidates need to check the validity of the Debit/Credit Card, while logging on to website for submitting Application Form. Candidate should enter the information asked for and make the required payment through Debit/Credit Card.
2. through Net Banking - Check the balance in account and keep all credentials ready 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.
3. Through UPI/Paytm.

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

1. 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.  
For cancelled transactions, the amount will, automatically, be refunded to concerned credit/debit card within 15 days of last date of submission of Application Form.
2. Generation of Confirmation Page confirms the final submission of Application Form. If Confirmation Page has not been generated, this means that Application Form has not been submitted successfully.
3. The fee difference on account of change of category by the candidate during correction of particulars in online application form shall have to be paid mandatorily by the candidate.

Generation of Confirmation Page confirms the final submission of Application Form. If Confirmation Page has not been generated, this means that Application Form has not been submitted successfully.

NOTE: The fee difference on account of change of category by the candidate during correction of particulars in online application form shall have to be paid mandatorily by the candidate.

#### 4.7 Instructions to be followed while Applying

- Candidates must be careful while entering their e-mail address and phone number in the Application Form, because this email address and phone number may be used by the NTA and ICAR for future communication.
- The candidate is not required to give any option for Agricultural Universities for admission at the time of filling up online application form. The admission/allotment of seat will be made through online counseling on the basis of Sub-subject opted by him/her at the time registration for counselling and depending upon the availability of seat at his/her merit-rank in the opted Major Subject Group and fulfilment of other eligibility requirements.
- The reservation category being claimed by the candidate must be filled in correctly. Selection should be made as under:

SC	- for Scheduled Caste
ST	- for Scheduled Tribe
PwD	- for Persons with Disability
UPS	- for Under Privileged States
EWS	- Economically Weaker Section
OBC (NCL)	- for Other Backward Classes with Central OBC certificate
GEN	- for General/Unreserved category

In case of leaving the reservation category column blank, the candidate would be considered under General Category.

- Candidates need to select their domicile State code carefully (**Annexure-II**).
- The candidate should refer to the list of Graduation College/Faculty Code and Graduation duration code given at **Annexure V-A at the time of filling application form**.
- **The list of Govt. (outside ICAR AU system) and private agricultural universities/colleges (accredited by ICAR) whose candidates are eligible for appearing in AIEEA (PG)-2021 is given at Annexure V-B.**
- The candidates are advised to retain:
  - (i) Computer generated Confirmation Page of online application
  - (ii) 3 identical copies of recent passport size colour photographs (with name and date) same as uploaded on the Online Application Form
  - (iii) Copy of proof of payment of application fee
- If a candidate at any stage is found to have furnished wrong information or deliberately suppressed any material information, his/her candidature/admission will be rejected/cancelled as soon as it comes to the notice of either NTA or ICAR or the university concerned.
- For any future correspondence, the candidates must quote their Application number, the name of examination i.e. AIEEA (PG) 2021 examination and Major Subject Group (with code).

**NOTE:-** In service candidates must retain the computer generated hard copy of confirmation page of the application along with Sponsorship Certificate (**Annexure-XXI**), in original, for showing to the university officials in the event of their qualifying the examination and recommendation for admission to the concerned university. **In no case, the computer generated hard copy of confirmation page and**

**Sponsorship Certificate shall be sent either to NTA or the ICAR.** The in-service candidates, seeking admission to ICAR-DUs, should also see the respective ICAR-DUs website.

#### **4.8 Admit Card for AIEEA (PG)-2021**

- The Admit Card is issued provisionally to the candidates, subject to their satisfying the eligibility conditions.
- The candidate has to download the Admit Card from the NTA website as specified in Schedule of AIEEA(PG)-2021 and appear for the Examination at the given Centre strictly as per the Date and Shift (Timing) indicated on the Admit Card.
- No candidate will be allowed to appear at the examination center, on Date and Timings other than that allotted to them in their Admit card.
- **The candidates are advised to read the instructions on the Admit Card carefully and follow them during the conduct of the examination.**
- 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 Help Line between 10:00 am and 5:00 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.*

**The Examination City Centre, once opted, shall not be changed. The admit card will be uploaded on NTA website [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in), <https://icar.nta.ac.in>. Please check the admit card carefully for your Roll No., Name, Subject, Date of Birth, Gender, Examination Centre Name, City, and Category, etc. In case of any problem related to Admit card, please contact the given helpline numbers between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm.**

*Note:*

- a. Candidate may please note that Admit Cards will not be sent by post.*
- b. In no case, the duplicate Admit Card for AIEEA(PG)-2021 would 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 and verification during Counseling.*
- 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)*
- f. Issue of Admit Cards, however, shall not necessarily mean acceptance of eligibility which shall be further scrutinized at subsequent stages of admission process*

## CHAPTER-5

### CONDUCT OF THE EXAMINATION

#### 5.1 Important Instructions for the Candidates

Candidates MUST bring the following documents on the day of examination at the test centre. Candidates who will 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 (original, valid and non-expired), viz. PAN card/ Driving License/ Voter ID/ Passport/ Aadhaar Card (With photograph)/ Aadhaar Enrolment No/ Ration Card
- IV. PwBD certificate issued by the Competent Authority, if claiming the relaxation under PwBD category

**Note: 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, candidate must show the relevant document like Marriage Certificate/Divorce/Decree/Legal Name Change Document at the time of examination.

1. The candidates shall report at the Examination Centre **at the time indicated on their respective Admit Cards.**
2. Registration desk will close 30 minutes prior to commencement of the examination. Candidates shall not be permitted to enter the Examination Centre after the gate closing time indicated on the Admit Card.
3. The candidates are advised to read the instructions on the admit card carefully and follow them during the conduct of the examination.
4. A seat indicating Roll No. will be allotted to each candidate. Candidates should take their seat immediately after opening of the examination hall. If the candidates do not report in time due to any reason i.e. traffic jam, train/bus delay etc., they are likely to miss some of the general instructions to be announced in the Examination Rooms/Halls. The NTA shall not be responsible for any delay.
5. The candidate must show, on demand, the Admit Card downloaded/printed from the NTA website for admission in the examination room/hall. The Test Centre Staff on duty is authorized to verify the identity of candidates and may take steps to verify and confirm the identify credentials. Candidates are requested to extend their full cooperation. A candidate who does not possess the valid Admit Card shall not be permitted for the examination under any circumstances by the Centre Superintendent. Candidates should find and sit on their allocated seat only. 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 UnFairMeans and the candidature shall be cancelled and no plea would be accepted.
6. **The candidate should ensure that the question paper available on the computer is as per the Subject opted by him/her in the application form and as indicated on the Admit Card.**

**In case, the Subject displayed on the computer is different from the one opted by him/her, the same must be immediately brought to the notice of the Invigilator concerned.**

7. 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.
8. Candidate shall appear at their own cost at the Centre on Date and shift as indicated in their Admit Card issued by the NTA. Under no circumstances the choice of cities for centre and shift provided in the Admit Card shall be changed.
9. 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 as instructed by the Centre Superintendent/Invigilators. Candidates should not leave the room/hall without handing over their rough sheets to the Invigilator on duty in the Room/Hall.
10. Candidates should not be in possession of any material listed in the list of prohibited material.
11. 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.
12. The candidates must sign and paste the photograph on the Attendance Sheet at the appropriate place.
13. The candidates are governed by all Rules and Regulations of the NTA with regard to their conduct in the Examination Hall. All cases of **Unfairmeans** will be dealt with as per rules.

## **5.2 Prohibited Materials**

Candidates are not allowed to carry any textual material, Calculators, Docu Pen, 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, the same will be seized, his/her candidature treated as unfair means and this will lead to cancellation of his/her current examination besides debarring him/her from appearing in future examination(s).
- Smoking, chewing gutka, spitting etc. in the Examination Room/Hall is strictly prohibited.
- Instrument/Geometry/Pencil box, Handbag, Purse, 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.

***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.***

### 5.3 Unfair Means

- (i) If Candidates are found to be in possession of any of the following items, their candidature will be treated as cancelled and will be debarred for future examination(s). The items/material will be seized and the case treated as one of 'unfairmeans'.

Any textual material, Calculators, Docu Pen, Slide Rules, Log Tables and Electronic Watches with facilities of calculator, printed or written material, bits of papers, mobile phone, Bluetooth devices, pager or any other electronic gadget/device etc.

- (ii) Candidates shall maintain perfect silence and attend to their Question Paper only. Any conversation or gesticulation or disturbance in the Examination Room/Hall shall be deemed as misbehavior.
- (iii) Candidates must not obtain or attempt to obtain or give assistance of any kind during the examination. This will entail expulsion and cancellation of candidature for the examination.
- (iv) If a candidate is found using unfairmeans or impersonating, his/her candidature shall be cancelled and he/she will be liable to be debarred for taking examination either permanently or for a specified period according to the nature of offence.

**Important: For those who are unable to appear on the scheduled date and time of test for any reason, re-test shall not be held by the NTA under any circumstances**



## **Chapter-6**

### **PROCEDURE FOR APPEARING IN COMPUTER BASED TEST (CBT)**

The major examinations being conducted by NTA are in Computer Based Test (CBT) mode. 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.

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

## CHAPTER-7

### PROCEDURE OF DECLARATION OF RESULT

#### 7.1 Display of Question Paper and Provisional Answer key for Challenges

- The NTA will display provisional Answer Keys of the questions along with the question papers attempted by the respective Candidates on the NTA website [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in), <https://icar.nta.ac.in> to provide an opportunity to the interested candidates to challenge the Answer Key (if any). 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 Answer Key on payment of a non refundable fee of Rs 200/- per question challenged as processing fees.
- The NTA will also display the recorded responses of all the candidates on the NTA website prior to declaration of result. The recorded responses are likely to be displayed for three days.
- **The NTA's decision on the challenges shall be final and the Result will be declared on the basis of Final Answer Keys as settled by the concerned Subject Experts. No grievance /representation with regard to Answer Key(s) after declaration of result Website, will be entertained.**

#### 7.2 NTA process of Error and Scoring related Exception Handling

Specifications All questions in the test papers are MCQs with only one correct answer. If any anomaly or discrepancy is found during key verification, it shall be addressed in the following manner:

1. If two/three options are found to be correct post challenge or during key verification - Marks to be awarded to only those students who have marked any of the correct option.
2. If all options are found to be correct – Full marks to be awarded to all students.
3. If none of the options is correct/Question is found to be wrong/invalid – Question to be dropped and full marks to be awarded to all students.

#### 7.3 Percentile score and normalization procedure:

If the AIEEA (PG)-2021 is conducted in more than one Session Shifts, the following procedure will be followed in ensuring equivalency in the difficulty level : -

- (i) Raw marks obtained by the candidates in different shifts/sessions will be converted to NTA Score (percentile).

- (ii) In case a subject test is conducted in multi-shifts, NTA Score will be calculated corresponding to the raw marks obtained by a candidate. The calculated NTA Score for the Raw Marks for all the shifts/sessions will be merged for further processing for deciding the allocation.

- (iii) 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.

- (iv) The detailed procedure on NTA Score being adopted is available on **Annexure-X** under Normalization procedure based on Percentile Score.

#### 7.4 Declaration of Result

- Overall Merit/Rank List will be prepared separately for every major Subject. In the event of candidates getting equal marks in the Entrance Examination, relative/*inter se* Merit will be determined in the following order:

- (i) **the candidate scoring less negative marks will be rated higher in merit**

- (ii) **the candidate higher in age would be rated higher in merit**

- (iii) **the candidate with higher score in %age/CGPA in Class XII examination would be rated higher in merit**

- The Result of the AIEEA (PG)-2021 will be displayed to the candidates on NTA website: <https://icar.nta.ac.in>, [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in).
- The result of the entrance examination would be available in terms of overall merit-rank obtained by the candidate declared eligible for registration and choice filling for counseling in his/her subject.
- No separate intimation about non-selection in **AIEEA (PG)-2021** Examination, nor marks obtained there in, will be sent to the candidate and no correspondence (Letter/Fax/e-mail etc.) in this regard will be entertained.
- All announcements related to the conduct of entrance examination including, issue of examination notification, Admit card information, examination result, schedule of online counseling, general notices, etc., would be posted and available on the NTA website [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in), <https://icar.nta.ac.in>. **The candidates are advised to be vigilant about the**

**announcements on the NTA website as the NTA would not be held responsible for non-receipt of any information/ letter by post or otherwise.**

### **7.5 No Re-checking or Re-evaluation**

No representation for re-evaluation/re-checking of answer scripts shall be entertained after the declaration of results, as candidates are given opportunity to evaluate their own recorded responses and to submit challenge to discrepancy (if any), before the finalization of final answer keys and declaration of the result.

### **7.6 Counselling**

Candidates declared eligible for registration and choice filling for online counselling by ICAR will only be considered for allocation of subject and the Agricultural University (Annexure XV). The schedule for counseling will be notified separately on ICAR website ([www.icar.org.in](http://www.icar.org.in)) after declaration of result. The admission and scholarship would be granted only when the candidate seeks admission through counselling conducted by ICAR. AIEEA (PG)-2021 shall be awarded only after the completion of Online Counselling.

## CHAPTER -8

### Special Instructions Regarding COVID-19

#### 8.1 Implementation of GoI Guidelines

NTA will implement Social Distancing measures as per Government of India Guidelines in current scenario of COVID-19 to ensure health & safety of the candidates. Adequate measures are implemented for safety of all without compromising the high standards, sanctity, and fairness in conduct of the examination. Candidates are also required to adhere to Guidelines and new process for Social Distancing and hygiene to ensure safety & health of their own and fellow candidates.

#### 8.2 Preparation at Centre

- a) Standard Operating Procedures for implementing safety precautions and for maintaining required standard of hygiene will be implemented. Before the exam starts, Seating Area will be thoroughly sanitized- exam rooms, desk, chair etc. All door handles, staircase railing, lift buttons, etc will be disinfected.
- b) Gap between 2 seats will be maintained as per GOI guidelines.
- c) Hand Sanitizer will be available at entry and inside the exam venue at various places for candidates and Centre staff to use.
- d) Thermo guns will be available to check body temperature of candidates.
- e) The room/hall number will be informed to the candidates at the registration room.
- f) It is ensured that all the processes are touch free, to the maximum possible extent, to ensure Social Distancing norms.
- g) Candidate is required to reach Centre as per the Reporting/Entry time at Centre given in the Admit Card to avoid any crowding at the Centre at the time of entry and to maintain social distancing.
- h) All exam functionaries will wear mask and gloves at all points of time.
- i) 5 sheets of A4 size will be kept on the desk of each candidates for doing rough work.

#### 8.3 Pre-exam Preparation

- a) Candidate to check Reporting/ Entry time at Centre given in the Admit Card and to reach Centre as per Reporting Time only to avoid any crowding at the Centre at the time of entry and to maintain social distancing.
- b) Candidate should fill Admit card and Undertaking thereon as per instructions contained in the admit card, completely and properly.
- c) Candidates will be permitted to carry only the permitted items with them into the venue.

#### 8.4 At time of Entry

- a) Candidates should avoid coming with more than one escort (parent/guardian). Escorts shall remain outside the gate during the conduct of the examination and therefore it shall be their responsibility to maintain all health and safety norms with respect to COVID-19.
- b) Candidates need to maintain a space of at least 6 feet from each other at all times. Queue manager / ropes and Floor Marks will be arranged outside the Centre.
- c) Room number will not be displayed outside the Centre to avoid any crowding at any one place in any situation.
- d) Candidates will be required to sanitize hands by washing with soap and with Hand Sanitizer before entry in Centre. Hand sanitizer will be available at various locations in the Centre
- e) Candidate should bring duly filled in Admit Card and Undertaking thereon as per instructions contained in the admit card.
- f) They should not bring prohibited items to exam Centre as there are no arrangements available for their safe keeping.
- g) Candidates are permitted to carry drinking water in a transparent water bottle, a small bottle of sanitiser (50 mg), face masks and gloves.
- h) Candidates will be ushered in batches of 10 girls/boys into two different registration rooms, where thermal scanning will be carried out at the entry to that room.
- i) If the body temperature is higher than the COVID-19 norms, candidate would be required to take the exam in a separate room. Candidates are required to strictly adhere to instructions provided by Centre staff.
- j) All processes such as checking of temperature using thermo guns, frisking and verification of documents including admit card will be done inside the registration room.
- k) Contact free frisking will be carried out using Hand Held Metal Detectors.
- l) Candidate will display the following documents for verification to the exam functionary (invigilator on duty) standing across the table.
  - Admit card along with the undertaking with passport size photograph and thumb impression affixed thereon
  - Original and valid Identity proof
  - One additional photograph for affixing on the attendance register
- m) Candidate will be offered a fresh 3 Ply mask before entry. In order to stop chances of any UFM being used in the examination, the candidate is expected to wear the freshly provided mask at the Centre. The candidate will be required to remove the mask worn by him/ her from home and use only the mask provided at Centre, in the exam hall.
- n) Invigilator on duty insider the registration room would check the admit card, ID proof etc and direct the candidate to his exam room in batches of 5 each to maintain safe distance as per the social distancing norms.
- o) A candidate will be denied permission to appear in the examination, if he/ she violates the COVID-19 directives/advisories of Government (Central/State) applicable on the day of exam and instructions mentioned in the Admit Card.

### **8.5 During Examination**

- a) Before the exam starts, Seating Area will be thoroughly sanitized –exam rooms, desk, chair etc. Candidates can further sanitize the same with sanitizers that will be made available in the examination lab/room/hall.
- b) Candidates are required to paste passport size photograph and sign on the Attendance Sheet after sanitizing hands with sanitizer.
- c) Candidates are to do rough work only on the rough sheets provided to them at the centre. They should write their roll number and name on the rough sheets.

### **8.6 After Examination**

- a) On completion of the exam, the candidates will be permitted to move out in an orderly manner, one candidate at a time maintaining a safe distance from each other. They are required to wait for instructions from invigilator and are not to get up from their respective seats until advised.
- b) Candidate must drop the Admit Card and the rough sheets in the drop box after the conclusion of the exam, while leaving. If any candidate fails to do so, action (which also includes disqualification from the exam) can be taken against him/her.



## **CHAPTER-9**

### **Miscellaneous Provisions**

#### **9.1 Common Services Centres/Facilitation Centres**

Candidates who are not well conversant to submit 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).

There are more than 1.5 lakhs Common Services Centres (CSC) across the country which will provide the desired support to candidates from urban as well as rural areas in online submission of application form and payment of fee through e-wallet. The list of the Common Services Centre is available on website: [www.csc.gov.in](http://www.csc.gov.in).

#### **9.2 Test Practice Centres (TPCs)**

NTA has created a network of Test Practice Centres (TPC), for the candidates, especially in remote and rural areas to enable them to practice the previous year question paper through Mock Test and be comfortable in taking a Computer Based Test (CBT). This facility is completely free of cost. Candidates can register online (on NTA website) where they are provided a convenient TPC nearer to their location, to practice on a given computer node.

This facilitates and ease the process of being able to take a Computer Based Test (CBT). The entire experience of using a computer is close to the actual experience of taking a CBT. Efforts are made to provide practice tests and questions so that candidates can familiarize themselves with logging into the system, go through the detailed instructions regarding the test, use the mouse or numeric keyboard on screen (virtual) for attempting each question, scroll down to the next question, navigate between questions, review and edit their options and submit answers.

The TPCs are not functioning now due to the COVID-19 pandemic. However, the opening of TPCs are subject to the improvement of Covid-19 situation.

#### **9.3 Query Redressal System**

National Testing Agency (NTA) has established a Query Redressal System (QRS), an online web-enabled system developed by NTA.

- QRS is the platform based on web technology which primarily aims to enable submission of queries/grievances by the Registered Candidate(s) of ICAR 2021 Examination with (24x7) facility for speedy and favourable redressal of the queries/grievances.
- A Unique Registration Number will be generated for tracking the status of the queries/grievances.

The Registered Candidate(s) are advised to use the online facility for speedy and favourable response before mailing their queries on the official email id of ICAR i.e. [icar@nta.ac.in](mailto:icar@nta.ac.in)

#### **9.4 Correspondence with NTA**

All the correspondence should preferably be addressed by e-mail. The email query shall be addressed only if it is not anonymous and contains the name, 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 offciates 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.

#### **9.5 Weeding Out Rules**

The record of AIEEA (PG)-2021 Examination at NTA would be available up to 90 days from the Date of Examination. The same would be weeded out thereafter.

#### **9.6 Legal Jurisdiction**

All disputes pertaining to the conduct of AIEEA (PG)-2021 Examination including Results shall fall within the jurisdiction of 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.

**LIST OF EXAMINATION CITIES**

CITY_CODE	STATE	CITY
AN01	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	PORT BLAIR
AP16	ANDHRA PRADESH	TIRUPATHI
AP17	ANDHRA PRADESH	VIJAYAWADA
AP18	ANDHRA PRADESH	VISAKHAPATNAM
AL01	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	ITANAGAR/ NAHARLAGUN
AM02	ASSAM	GUWAHATI
AM03	ASSAM	JORHAT
AM04	ASSAM	SILCHAR (ASSAM)
BR09	BIHAR	ARRAH
BR02	BIHAR	BHAGALPUR
BR06	BIHAR	MUZAFFARPUR
BR07	BIHAR	PATNA
CH01	CHANDIGARH	CHANDIGARH/ MOHALI
CG02	CHHATTISGARH	BILASPUR (CHHATTISGARH)
CG03	CHHATTISGARH	RAIPUR
DL01	DELHI	DELHI/NEW DELHI
GO01	GOA	PANAJI/MADGAON
GJ02	GUJARAT	ANAND
GJ08	GUJARAT	MEHSANA
GJ10	GUJARAT	RAJKOT
GJ11	GUJARAT	SURAT
HR05	HARYANA	HISSAR
HR06	HARYANA	KARNAL
HP04	HIMACHAL PRADESH	KANGRA/PALAMPU R
HP07	HIMACHAL PRADESH	SOLAN
JK02	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	JAMMU
JK04	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	SRINAGAR (J & K)
JH03	JHARKHAND	JAMSHEDPUR
JH04	JHARKHAND	RANCHI
KK04	KARNATAKA	BENGALURU

CITY_CODE	STATE	CITY
KK10	KARNATAKA	DHARWAD/HUBBAL LI(HUBLI)
KK08	KARNATAKA	GULBARGA
KK15	KARNATAKA	SHIVAMOGA (SHIMOGA)
KL01	KERALA	ALAPPUZHA/ CHENGANNUR
KL05	KERALA	IDUKKI
KL07	KERALA	KANNUR
KL12	KERALA	KOZHIKODE
KL15	KERALA	PALAKKAD
KL17	KERALA	THIRUVANANTHAP URAM
KL18	KERALA	THRISSUR
LL01	LADAKH	LEH
MP03	MADHYA PRADESH	BHOPAL
MP06	MADHYA PRADESH	GWALIOR
MP07	MADHYA PRADESH	INDORE
MP08	MADHYA PRADESH	JABALPUR
MP12	MADHYA PRADESH	SAGAR
MP13	MADHYA PRADESH	SATNA
MR13	MAHARASHTRA	JALGAON
MR14	MAHARASHTRA	KOLHAPUR
MR16	MAHARASHTRA	MUMBAI/ NAVI MUMBAI
MR17	MAHARASHTRA	NAGPUR
MR18	MAHARASHTRA	NANDED
MR22	MAHARASHTRA	PUNE
MN01	MANIPUR	IMPHAL
MG01	MEGHALAYA	SHILLONG
MZ01	MIZORAM	AIZAWL
NL02	NAGALAND	KOHIMA
OR03	ODISHA	BERHAMPUR- GANJAM
OR04	ODISHA	BHUBANESWAR
OR09	ODISHA	SAMBALPUR

CITY_CODE	STATE	CITY
PB02	PUNJAB	BHATINDA
PB05	PUNJAB	LUDHIANA
RJ01	RAJASTHAN	AJMER
RJ05	RAJASTHAN	BIKANER
RJ06	RAJASTHAN	JAIPUR
RJ07	RAJASTHAN	JODHPUR
RJ08	RAJASTHAN	KOTA
RJ09	RAJASTHAN	SIKAR
RJ11	RAJASTHAN	UDAIPUR
SM01	SIKKIM	GANGTOK
TN01	TAMIL NADU	CHENNAI
TN02	TAMIL NADU	COIMBATORE
TN08	TAMIL NADU	MADURAI
TN11	TAMIL NADU	SALEM
TL01	TELANGANA	HYDERABAD/ SECUNDERABAD/ RANGA REDDY

CITY_CODE	STATE	CITY
TL02	TELANGANA	KARIMNAGAR
TL07	TELANGANA	WARANGAL
TA01	TRIPURA	AGARTALA
UP01	UTTAR PRADESH	AGRA
UP03	UTTAR PRADESH	ALLAHABAD
UP04	UTTAR PRADESH	BAREILLY
UP11	UTTAR PRADESH	KANPUR
UP12	UTTAR PRADESH	LUCKNOW
UP18	UTTAR PRADESH	VARANASI
UK01	UTTARAKHAND	DEHRADUN
UK02	UTTARAKHAND	HALDWANI
WB01	WEST BENGAL	ASANSOL
WB10	WEST BENGAL	KOLKATA
WB11	WEST BENGAL	SILIGURI

**Note:**

1. The exact name/location of Examination venue in the Examination city centre will be notified later along with the Roll Number in accordance with the Application Number and Date of Birth and shall be available on NTA website [www.nta.ac.in](http://www.nta.ac.in), [ntaicar.nic.in](http://ntaicar.nic.in).
2. NTA reserves the right to allot a candidate to near by exam city, other than the one opted by him/her, if need be, depending on administrative exigencies.
3. NTA reserves the right to cancel/ merge any exam city/centre if need be, depending on administrative exigencies.
4. The Examination City Centre, once opted, shall not be changed.

## DOMICILE STATE/UTs CODES

Sl. No.	Name of the State/UT	Code Number
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands (U.T.)	01
2.	Andhra Pradesh	02
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	03
4.	Assam	04
5.	Bihar	05
6.	Chandigarh (U.T.)	06
7.	Chhattisgarh	07
8.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu (U.T.)	08
9.	Delhi (U.T.)	10
10.	Goa	11
11.	Gujarat	12
12.	Haryana	13
13.	Himachal Pradesh	14
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	15
15.	Jharkhand	16
16.	Karnataka	17
17.	Kerala	18
18.	Lakshadweep (U.T.)	19

Sl. No.	Name of the State/UT	Code Number
19.	Madhya Pradesh	20
20.	Maharashtra	21
21.	Manipur	22
22.	Meghalaya	23
23.	Mizoram	24
24.	Nagaland	25
25.	Odisha	26
26.	Puducherry (U.T.)	27
27.	Punjab	28
28.	Rajasthan	29
29.	Sikkim	30
30.	Tamil Nadu	31
31.	Tripura	32
32.	Uttarakhand	33
33.	Uttar Pradesh	34
34.	West Bengal	35
35.	Telangana	36
36.	Ladakh (U.T)	37

**Major Subject Groups and Sub-subjects for Admission through AIEEA (PG) 2021**

Major Subject Code No.	Major Subject- Group	Sub- Subject Code	Sub-Subject
01	PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY	1.1	Plant Biochemistry/Bio-Chemistry
		1.2	Plant Biotech. & Molecular Biology/ Biotech.
		1.3	Plant /Crop Physiology
02	PLANT SCIENCES	2.1	Plant Breeding and Genetics
		2.2	Plant Pathology
		2.3	Agril. Microbiology/Microbiology
		2.4	Seed Science and Technology
		2.5	Plant Genetic Resources
03	PHYSICAL SCIENCE	3.1	Agricultural /Agro. Meteorology
		3.2	(a) Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry (b) Soil Conservation and Water Management/ SWC (c) Irrigation and Water Management
		3.3	Agricultural Physics
		3.4	Agricultural Chemicals
		3.5	Environmental Science
04	ENTOMOLOGY AND NEMATOLOGY	4.1	Agricultural/ Horticultural Entomology
		4.2	Nematology
		4.3	Apiculture
		4.4	Sericulture
		4.5	Plant Protection
05	AGRONOMY	5.1	Agronomy
		5.2	Tea Husbandry & Technology
06	SOCIAL SCIENCES	6.1	Agricultural Economics
		6.2	Dairy Economics
		6.3	Agri. Extension/ Extension Education/ Communication
		6.4	Dairy Extension Education
07	STATISTICAL SCIENCES	7.1	Agricultural Statistics
		7.2	Computer Application
		7.3	Bioinformatics
08	HORTICULTURE	8.1	Horticulture
		8.2	Vegetable Crops or Science/ Olericulture
		8.3	Pomology/Fruit Sci., Fruit Sci. & Hort. Technology
		8.4	Post-harvest Technology of Horticultural Crops
		8.5	Floriculture and Landscaping Architecture
		8.6	Plantation Spices, Medicinal & Aromatic Crops Plants
09	FORESTRY/AGROFORESTRY AND SILVICULTURE	9.1	Forest Production & Utilization
		9.2	Silviculture & Agroforestry
		9.3	Tree Physiology & Breeding

Major Subject Code No.	Major Subject- Group	Sub- Subject Code	Sub-Subject
		9.4	Agroforestry
		9.5	Forest NRM/ Forest Management & Utilization
		9.6	Plantation Technology
		9.7	Wildlife Sci. (Forestry)
		9.8	Wood Science
10	AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY	10.1	Soil and Water Cons. Engg./Soil & Water Engg.
		10.2	Irrigation and Drainage Engg./Irri. Water Mgmt. Engg.
		10.3	Post-Harvest Technology/ Processing & Food Engg.
		10.4	Farm Machinery and Power Engg.
		10.5	Renewable Energy
11	WATER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY	11.1	Water Science & Technology
12	COMMUNITY SCIENCE (FORMERLY HOME SCIENCE)	12.1	Food and Nutrition
		12.2	Human Development and Family Studies
		12.3	Home Management/Family Resource Management
		12.4	Clothing and Textile/ Textile & Apparel Designing
		12.5	Home Science Extension / Education, / Extn. & Comm. Mgmt.
13	ANIMAL BIOTECHNOLOGY	13.1	Animal Biotechnology
		13.2	Veterinary/Animal Biochemistry
14	VETERINARY SCIENCE	14.1	Veterinary Anatomy / Veterinary Anatomy & Histology
		14.2	Vety. Gynecology and Obst./ Ani. Reproduction
		14.3	Vety. Medicine (Clinical /Preventive)
		14.4	Vety. Parasitology
		14.5	Vety. Pharmacology and Toxicology
		14.6	Vety. Pathology
		14.7	Wildlife Sci./ Wildlife Health Mgt.
		14.8	Vety. Virology
		14.9	Vety. Immunology
		14.10	Veterinary Microbiology & Immunology / Bacteriology
		14.11	Veterinary Surgery & Radiology
		14.12	Vety. Public Health & Epidemiology/ Vety. Public Health/ Vety. Epidemiology/ Vety. Epidemiology & Preventive Medicine
15	ANIMAL SCIENCES	15.1	Animal Husbandry/ Dairy Sci.
		15.2	Animal Genetics and Breeding
		15.3	Animal Nutrition
		15.4	Vety./Animal Physiology
		15.5	Livestock Production and Management
		15.6	Livestock Products Technology
		15.7	Poultry Science



Major Subject Code No.	Major Subject- Group	Sub- Subject Code	Sub-Subject
		15.8	Veterinary and Animal Husbandry Extension
		15.9	Livestock/ Veterinary/Animal Husbandry Economics
		15.10	Bio-Statistics
16	FISHERIES SCIENCE	16.1	Fisheries Sciences/ Fish Env. Mgmt.
		16.2	Fisheries Resource Management
		16.3	Aquaculture
		16.4	Fish Processing & Technology/ Fish PHT
		16.5	Fish Physiol. & Biochemistry
		16.6	Aquatic Animal Health Mgmt.
		16.7	Fisheries Extension
		16.8	Aquatic Env. Management
		16.9	Fish Genetics/Breeding/Biotechnology
		16.10	Fish Nutrition and Feed Tech.
		16.11	Fish. Economics
		16.12	Fish Engg. & Technology
17	DAIRY SCIENCE	17.1	Dairy Microbiology
		17.2	Dairy Chemistry
18	DAIRY TECHNOLOGY	18.1	Dairy Technology
		18.2	Dairy Engineering
19	FOOD SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY	19.1	Food Technology/Food Science & Technology(M.Sc.)
		19.2	Food Safety & Quality Assurance (M.Sc.)
20	AGRI BUSINESS MANAGEMENT	20.1	Agri Business Management (MBA)
		20.2	Agri. Marketing & Cooperation (M.Sc.)

**NOTE:**

1. The exact title/nomenclature of the degree programme might vary from one university to another. Candidates are advised to enquire the nomenclature of degree programme/degree to be awarded (M.Sc./M.Tech./M.V.Sc./MBA) from the Registrar of university concerned (for contact details, please refer **Annexure-XVII**) at the time of counseling/while seeking admission.
2. The admission would be granted under accredited programme(s) of an accredited college(s) under an accredited university except for Dr. RPCAU, Pusa, Bihar and RLBCAU, Jhansi where 100% seats will be filled up through ICAR.

**Stream in Graduation Degree**

<b>Stream</b>	<b>Code</b>
Agriculture	01
Agricultural Coop. & Marketing	02
Basic Sciences	03
Dairy Science/Dairy Technology	04
Engineering/Technology	05
Fisheries	06
Forestry	07
Community Science (Formerly Home Science)	08
Horticulture	09
Veterinary Science	10
Sericulture	11
Computer Science	12
Biotechnology	13
Food Science	14
Other subject streams	15

**List of Graduation College/Faculty Code**

<b>Name of College/Faculty</b>	<b>Code</b>
Agriculture	01
Horticulture	02
Community Science (Formerly Home Science)	03
Basic Sciences	04
Forestry/Agro Forestry	05
Dairy Science/Dairy Technology	06
Engineering/Agri.Engineering	07
Fisheries Science	08
Veterinary	09
Anyother	10

**Graduation Duration Code**

<b>Pattern</b>	<b>Code</b>
10+2+3 Years ( <i>Eligible for admission at IARI and NDRI only</i> )	3
10+2+4 Years	4
10+2+5 Years or 10+2+5½ Years	5
10+6 Years	6

**List of Government (Outside ICAR-AU system) and Private Agricultural Universities/Colleges (accredited by ICAR) whose candidates passed out in indicated Bachelor degree programmes are eligible for appearing in AIEEA (PG)-2021**

Sr. No.	Name of University & year of Establishment	Name of College	Bachelor Degree Programmes
<b>Govt.</b>			
1	College of Agriculture Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru College of Agriculture Research Institute, Karaikal, Pondicherry	College of Agriculture Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru College of Agriculture Research Institute, Karaikal, Pondicherry	B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture
2.	College of Agriculture, Lembucherra, Tripura	College of Agriculture, Lembucherra, Tripura	B.Sc (Hons) Agriculture
3.	Faculty of Agriculture, Annamalai University, Annamalai nagar, Tamil Nadu	Faculty of Agriculture, Annamalai University, Annamalai nagar, Tamil Nadu	B.Sc (Hons) Agriculture, B.Sc (Hons) Horticulture

Sr. No.	Name of University & year of Establishment	Name of College	Bachelor Degree Programmes
<b>Private</b>			
1.	Allahabad School of Agriculture (now Naini Agricultural Institute), Sam Higginbottom University of Agriculture, Technology and Sciences, Allahabad (Uttar Pradesh) (Established: 1910)	Allahabad School of Agriculture	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture
2.	Lovely Professional University (Established: 2005)	School of Agriculture	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture
3.	Guru Kashi University, Talwandi Sabo, Bathinda, Punjab (Established: 2011)		B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture
4.	M.S. Swaminathan School of Agriculture, CUTM, Odisha (Established: 2013)	M.S. Swaminathan School of Agriculture, CUTM	B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture
5.	College of Agriculture and Technology, Kullapuram, Theni (Affiliated to TNAU, University) (Established: 2010)	College of Agriculture and Technology, Theni	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture
6.	Siksha 'O' Anusandhan, (Deemed to be University), Bhubaneswar, Odisha (Established: 2007)	Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Siksha 'O' Anusandhan, Bhubaneswar	B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture
7.	School of Agriculture, ITM University, Gwalior, MP (Established: 2013)	School of Agriculture, ITM University, Gwalior	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture
8.	Agricultural Development Trust's College of Agriculture, Baramati (Affiliated to MPKV, Rahuri)	Agricultural Development Trust's College of Agriculture, Baramati (Affiliated to MPKV, Rahuri)	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture

**NOTE:**

For admission in Master degree courses under ICAR-AU system, candidate must have four years Bachelor degree in Agriculture, Horticulture, Forestry, Fisheries Science, Home Science etc., after 10+2 or equivalent or 10+6 examination or five/ 5½ years B.V.Sc.&A.H. Candidate should also note that for admission to Master's degree programmes through entrance examination conducted by ICAR, only the candidates having passed graduation from any public funded/Govt. institution accredited by ICAR will be eligible. Candidates passed out from public funded/Govt. institution or private Agricultural Universities/Colleges not accredited by ICAR, even though affiliated to public funded/Govt. institutions are not eligible for admission through this examination. For details please refer to the Public Notice No. 1(6)/2018-ExamCell-Pt-4 dated 24 June 2021 available on the ICAR website ([www.icar.org.in](http://www.icar.org.in))

Further, in case any degree from a particular college/university is not considered for admission by an Agricultural University or any particular college/university has been derecognized by VCI/UGC or due to any Court directives (present or future), ICAR will not be responsible for admitting students of that college/university in the Universities not willing to admit such candidates.

## List of ICAR accredited Master's Degree Programmes and Colleges of Dr. RPCAU, Pusa

Name of University & year of Establishment	Period of Accreditation	College	Period of Accreditation	Master Degree Programmes
<b>Rajendra Agricultural University, Pusa, Samastipur (Bihar) (1978)</b>	Five years w.e.f. 28.03.2016 to 27.03.2021  <b>(Extended for Academic Session 2021-22)</b>	College of Home Science, Pusa	Five years w.e.f. 28.03.2016 to 27.03.2021  <b>(Extended for Academic Session 2021-22)</b>	M.Sc. Home Science in - Extension Education and Communication Management, Food and Nutrition
		Faculty of Basic Sciences and Humanities, Pusa	Five years w.e.f. 28.03.2016 to 27.03.2021  <b>(Extended for Academic Session 2021-22)</b>	M.Sc. Ag. in - Agricultural Biotechnology, Agricultural Statistics, Plant Physiology
		P.G. Department of Agriculture, Pusa	Five years w.e.f. 28.03.2016 to 27.03.2021  <b>(Extended for Academic Session 2021-22)</b>	M.Sc. Ag. in - Agronomy, Agricultural Economics, Entomology, Extension Education, Plant Breeding and Genetics, Plant Pathology, Nematology, Soil Science, Horticulture

**Mode of Payment of Fee/ Service Provider and Bank Service Charges**

After completing Step-3 of Online Application Form, candidates may remit the examination fee (Step -4) by choosing the following options:

**Online Mode i.e. Debit/ Credit Card, Net Banking and Unified Payment Interface (UPI) in ICICI Bank or HDFC Bank or Canara Bank or SBI or Paytm:**

- 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/Processing charges per transaction& GST (applicable @ 18 %) to be paid by the candidate):**

S. No	Mode of Payment	ICICI BANK		HDFC BANK		CANARA BANK		STATE BANK OF INDIA		PAYTM	
1	Net Banking	ICICI	NIL Charge	HDFC	NIL Charge	Canara Bank	NIL Charge	SBI	Rs 5.00+GST	Rs 4 +GST	
		Other Banks	4.00 + GST	Other Banks	4.00 + GST	Other Banks	5.00 + GST	Other Banks			
2	All Debit Card	ICICI or Other Banks	Transaction upto Rs 2000/- 0 %	HDFC or Other Banks	Transaction upto Rs 2000/- 0 %	Canara Bank or Other Banks	Only Rupay Card, No charge	Only Rupay Card, No charge		Only Rupay Card, No charge.	
			Transaction above Rs 2000/- 0 %		Transaction above Rs 2000/- 0 %						
3	Credit Card	Domestic	0.40% of Transaction value	Domestic	0.40% of Fee + GST	Domestic	0.80% of Fee + GST	Domestic	0.80% of Fee+ GST (Minimum Rs 11/-)	Domestic (Minimum Rs. 12)	0.4%+ GST
		International	2.35% of Transaction value	International	Nil Charge	International	2.35% of Fee+ GST	International	3.50% of Fee+ GST (Minimum Rs 11/-)	International	3.5%+ GST
4	Unified Payment Interface (UPI)	ICICI or other banks	Transaction upto Rs 2000/- 0 %	Nil Charge						NIL	
			Transaction above Rs 2000/- 5.0 % + GST								
										PAYTM Wallet Charge	1.1%+ GST

**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):

Sl.	Name	Email ID	Contact Number
1	CMS Team	<a href="mailto:merchant@sbi.co.in">merchant@sbi.co.in</a>	
2	Helpdesk1	<a href="mailto:dgmcs.cc@sbi.co.in">dgmcs.cc@sbi.co.in</a>	18004253800
3	Customer Care	<a href="mailto:agmcustomer.lhodel@sbi.co.in">agmcustomer.lhodel@sbi.co.in</a>	1800112211
4	Helpdesk2	<a href="mailto:sbi.05222@sbi.co.in">sbi.05222@sbi.co.in</a>	08026599990/ 0120-2497771
5	Through SMS	UNHAPPY (add text)	8008202020

### (b) If Paying through Canara Bank:

Sl.	Name	Email ID	Contact Number
1	Helpdesk	<a href="mailto:pgsupport@billdesk.com">pgsupport@billdesk.com</a>	9984021340
2	Complaint Management Services	<a href="mailto:genadmnrnoida@canarabank.com">genadmnrnoida@canarabank.com</a>	
3	Customer Care	<a href="mailto:genadmnrnoida@canarabank.com">genadmnrnoida@canarabank.com</a>	
4	Through SMS	<a href="mailto:genadmnrnoida@canarabank.com">genadmnrnoida@canarabank.com</a>	

### (c) If Paying through HDFC Bank:

Sl.	Name	Email ID	Contact Number
1	Shri Vikram Singh	<a href="mailto:vikram.singh4@hdfcbank.com">vikram.singh4@hdfcbank.com</a>	9799810080
2.	Amit Singh	<a href="mailto:amit.singh26@hdfcbank.com">amit.singh26@hdfcbank.com</a>	7428869770
3	Shri Ripon Bhattacharjee	<a href="mailto:ripon.bhattacharjee@hdfcbank.com">ripon.bhattacharjee@hdfcbank.com</a>	9625031697

### (d) If Paying through ICICI Bank:

Sl.	Name	Email ID	Contact Number
1	Aiysha Khatun	<a href="mailto:support.nta@ingenico.com">support.nta@ingenico.com</a>	01204728426
2	Vishal Kumar	<a href="mailto:vishal.kumar5@icicibank.com">vishal.kumar5@icicibank.com</a>	7428928047

### (e) If Paying through PAYTM:

Sl.	Name	Email ID	Contact Number
1	Helpdesk	<a href="mailto:education.support@paytm.com">education.support@paytm.com</a>	0120 4789525
2	Ankush	<a href="mailto:education.support@paytm.com">education.support@paytm.com</a>	0120 4789526

### (f) NTA Helpdesk Contact details (incase the payment related issues are not resolved through the above mentioned Helplines of the concerned Bank/Payment Gateway Integrator):

Email: [icar@nta.ac.in](mailto:icar@nta.ac.in)

Phone No.: 011-40759000

## Replica of AIEEA (PG)-2021 Application Form

## Online Registration Process



## Steps to Apply online Registration Form

- Step1** Fill the online application with personal details.
- Step2** Fill the online application with Qualification Details.
- Step3** Upload scanned images of photograph and signature. The image should be in jpg/jpeg format only. Size of photo image must be between 10 kb to 200 kb. Size of signature image must be between 4 kb to 30 kb. Size of Thumb impression must be between 3 kb to 30 kb.
- Step4** Pay fee payment through online payment mode

If not registered, Please Click on the **NEW REGISTRATION**

**NEW REGISTRATION**

If already registered, Please click on the **SIGN IN**

**SIGN IN**

## Instructions and Procedure for Online Submission of Application Form



1. Please download and read carefully the Information Bulletin and instructions/ procedure given therein and below, before you start filling the Application Form online.

[Click Here to Download Information Bulletin](#)

2. You can apply for AIEEA (PG)-2021 'ON-LINE' only through the official website.

<https://icar.nta.ac.in>

3. Please ensure your eligibility as per the criteria laid down for AIEEA (PG)-2021
4. Examination Fee

The Fee (in Indian Rupees) for AIEEA (PG)-2021 is as follows :

Examination	Category	Fee (In Rs.)
AIEEA (PG)-2021	General	1120/-
	General-EWS/OBC(NCL)	1100/-
	SC/ST/PwD/THIRD GENDER	550/-

**Note:-** The fee can be submitted only online through Net Banking, Credit Card, Debit Card, UPI or Paytm Services. Processing charges and GST as applicable are chargeable to the candidate (in addition to the examination fee) by the concerned Bank/Payment Gateway Integrator.

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

**Step 1: Register for Online Application Form and note down system generated Application Number :** The candidate should supply the required details while filling the Online Application Form and is also required to create **PASSWORD** and choose **Security Question** and enter his/her Answer. After successful submission of the personal details, 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. Candidate will be able to login directly with the respective system generated **Application Number** and created **Password**.

**Step 2: Complete the Application Form:** Candidate can login with the system generated Application Number and created Password for completing the Application Form.

**Step 3: Upload Scanned Images of Candidate's Photograph, Signature and Thumb Impression(Males - Left, Females - Right) :**

- i. Scanned Photograph and Signature should be in JPG/JPEG format (clearly legible).
- ii. Size of scanned Photograph Should be between 10 kb to 200 kb (clearly legible).
- iii. Size of scanned Signature should be between 4 kb to 30 kb (clearly legible).
- iv. Size of the scanned thumb impression should be between 3 kb to 30 kb (clearly legible).
- v. Size of PwD document should be between 10KB to 200KB (clearly legible).
- vi. Color Photograph with white background.
- vii. Signature in blue/black ink on white paper.

**Note :**Upload the correct Photograph, Signature and Thumb Impression as the facility for correction in image will not be given.

6. **Important Instructions about PASSWORD**

- i. During online form filling, 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.
- ii. For subsequent logins, candidate will be able to login directly with their respective system generated Application Number and the chosen Password.
- iii. Candidate is advised not to disclose or share their password with anybody. NTA will not be responsible for violation or misuse of the password of a candidate.
- iv. Candidate can change his/her passwords after login, if desired.
- v. 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.

**The Password must be as per the following Password Policy.**

- i. Password must be 8 to 13 character long.
- ii. Password must have at least one Upper case alphabet.
- iii. Password must have at least one Lower case alphabet.
- iv. Password must have at least one numeric value.
- v. Password must have at least one special characters eg. !@#%&^\*~.-.

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

- i. Using Security Question & its Answer you chosen during Form filling .
- ii. Using a verification code sent via text message (SMS) to your Registered Mobile No.
- iii. Using a reset link sent via Email to your Registered Email address.

8. **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.**

- ☒ I have downloaded Information Bulletin, read and understood all the Instructions therein as well as those mentioned above, and filling up the Online Application Form for the ICAR AIEEA(PG)-2021 accordingly.

[Click here to PROCEED](#)

## Registration Form



### Personal Details

Candidate's Name	<input type="text" value="ABC"/>	
Father's Name	<input type="text" value="XYZ"/>	
Mother's Name	<input type="text" value="DEF"/>	
Date Of Birth	<input type="text" value="14/05/1994"/>	
	<small>DD/MM/YYYY</small>	
Identity Type	<input type="text" value="AADHAAR CARD (LAST 04 DIGITS ONLY)"/>	▼
Valid AADHAAR CARD (LAST 04 DIGITS ONLY) Number	<input type="text" value="1234"/>	
Gender	<input type="text" value="MALE"/>	▼
Email	<input type="text" value="abc@gmail.com"/>	Please fill up carefully, as all communications would be sent in this email ID
Confirm Email	<input type="text" value="abc@gmail.com"/>	
Mobile Number (+91)	<input type="text" value="9874563214"/>	Please fill up carefully as all SMS will be sent in this mobile No.
Alternate Mobile Number (+91) (Optional)	<input type="text" value=""/>	
Land Line Number (Optional) (do not prefix '0')	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value=""/> (STD Code)

#### Permanent Address

Address Details	KV
Locality (Optional)	Okhla
City / Town / Village	DELHI/NEW DELHI(DL01)
State / UT	DELHI
District	----Select----
Pin Code	110020

☒ Present Address (If the Present Address and Permanent Address are same, Please select the check box.)

Address Details	KV
Locality (Optional)	Okhla
City / Town / Village	DELHI/NEW DELHI(DL01)
State / UT	DELHI
District	SOUTH EAST DELHI
Pin Code	110020

#### Choose Password

Password	*****
Confirm Password	*****
Security Question	WHAT IS THE NAME OF YOUR FIRST SCHOOL ?
Security Answer	**

Security PIN

Enter security pin  
(Case Sensitive)

NWGUFV



Particulars checklist to be verified

- ☒ My Name
- ☒ Father's Name
- ☒ Mother's Name
- ☒ Date of Birth
- ☒ Gender

- ☒ Mobile Number
- ☒ Email Id
- ☒ Address

- ☒ I have read and understood the terms and conditions, instructions and procedures given in the Information Bulletin of ICAR - AIEEA(PG) - 2021 exam. I hereby declare that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that in case it is discovered at a later date at any stage that the information given above is not correct or it is false or contains mistakes, my candidature is liable to be cancelled and if already admitted, my admission is liable to be cancelled and that such other legal action as may be deemed fit may be taken against me.

SUBMIT

Particulars checklist to be verified

- ☐ My Name
- ☐ Father's Name
- ☐ Mother's Name
- ☐ Date of Birth
- ☐ Gender

- ☐ Mobile Number
- ☐ Email Id
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**Please check and validate your data. Once you [Confirm and Submit details](#), you cannot edit data. If you want to edit the data, Press on [Edit Details](#) button below**

EDIT DETAILS

CONFIRM DETAILS

## Online Registration Process



[Change Password](#)

### Application Progress Status

✓	<a href="#">Step 1: New Registration/Step</a>
✗	<a href="#">Step 2: Application Form</a>
✗	<a href="#">Step 3: Upload Images</a>
✗	<a href="#">Step 4: Pay Examination Fee</a>

### Verify Mobile No. & Email Id

✓	Verify Mobile Number
✓	Verify Email Id

edit Mobile No & Email id In case if you have entered wrong on Personal Details

[Update Email-ID](#)

[Update Mobile](#)

Mobile No. Updated Successfully!

Please verify Mobile No. & Email Id to receive Confirmation Page / Admit Card / Other important information from NTA.

[Download Confirmation Page](#)

Name : ABC  
 Application Number : 211110000004

Application Registration Details/Status	
Registration Details	COMPLETED
Application Details	PENDING
Images Upload	PENDING
Payment	PENDING

You have completed STEP 1 of Application form for Indian Council of Agricultural Research (AICAR) (PG)-2021 ICAR's All India Competitive Examination for Admission.

The processing of application form will be completed only after the payment of fee. After payment of fee, you will not be able to edit the filled application form data

Application Number : 211110000004

[Complete Application Form](#)



**REGISTRATION****APPLICATION****IMAGE UPLOAD****PAYMENT**Application Number : **211110000004****Personal Details**

Candidate's Name	ABC
Date Of Birth	14/05/1994
Age As on 31-08-2021	27 Year(s) 3 Month(s) 17 Day(s)
Gender	Male
Father's Name	XYZ
Mother's Name	DEF
Nationality	Indian
State of Domicile	Delhi
Category	General
Do you belong to Under Privileged States/UT (UPS)	No
Whether you are a PwD?	NO
If you are a PwD Candidate, do you have benchmark disability (40%ormore/ "Severe" where percentage is not defined)?	
Place of Residence	Urban
Name of College/Faculty	Bachelor Agriculture

### Examination Centres

Apply for	AIEEA (PG)-2021 ▼	
Subject to be attempted in exam	PLANT SCIENCES ▼	
Medium of Question Paper	English ▼	
Exam City 1st	ARUNACHAL PRADESH ▼	ITANAGAR/NAHARLAGUN(AI) ▼
Exam City 2nd	CHANDIGARH ▼	CHANDIGARH/MOHALI(CH0) ▼
Exam City 3rd	GUJARAT ▼	RAJKOT(GJ10) ▼
Exam City 4th	DELHI ▼	DELHI/NEW DELHI(DL01) ▼

### Educational Details

Class X or Equivalent

Pass Status	Course / Stream Name	Type of School / Institution
Passed ▼	Class X ▼	Urban ▼
Name of the University / Board	Year of Passing / Appearing	Result Mode
ASSAM HIGHER SECONDARY ▼	2000 ▼	Percentage ▼

### Marks Details

Obtained Marks	Total Marks	Percentage
400	600	66.67
RollNo	Institute Name & Address	
12345	KV	

### Class XII or Equivalent

Pass Status	Course / Stream Name	Type of School/Institution
Passed	Class XII	Urban
Name of the University / Board	Year of Passing / Appearing	Result Mode
CENTRAL BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION	2002	Percentage
Marks Details		
Obtained Marks	Total Marks	Percentage
500	800	62.5
RollNo	Institute Name & Address	
12345	KV	

### Graduate

Pass Status	Course / Stream Name	Duration(Years)
Appearing	Dairy Science/Dairy Technology	10+2+3
Type of School / Institution	Name of the University / Board	Year of Passing / Appearing
Urban	AAFT University of Media and Arts	Select
Result Mode		
Select		
Marks Details		
Obtained Marks	Total Marks	Percentage
Maximum Grade Point	Grade	Final CGPA
Select	Grade	Final CGPA
RollNo	Institute Name & Address	
	KV	

#### Details of Parents / Guardian

Father's / Guardian Qualification	Graduation
Father's / Guardian Occupation	Salaried job (Govt.)
Father's / Guardian Annual income	Between 1 and 5 Lakh
Mother's Qualification	12th / Diploma
Mother's Occupation	House Wife
Mother's Annual income	Not Applicable

#### Particulars checklist to be verified

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> My Name       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Category            |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Father's Name | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examination Cities  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mother's Name | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Educational Details |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Date of Birth | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PwD Category        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gender        |   |

#### Security PIN

Enter security pin  
(Case Sensitive)

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### Computer Based Test (CBT)

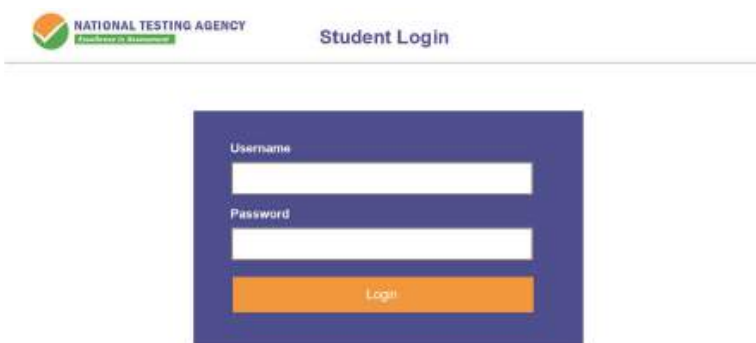
A CBT requires candidate to sit in front of a computer terminal (node) allocated to him/her by the Exam Centre against his/her Roll number and Admit card. After logging the candidate will get detailed instructions for the examination. At the designated time of start of examination, the candidate will be able to proceed and see the questions on the computer screen using the computer mouse. Candidate 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](http://www.nta.ac.in) for hands on practice)

- A computer terminal (node) indicating roll number will be allocated to each candidate. The Candidate has to sit before his /her allocated computer 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.
- 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 subject opted by the candidate.

#### Candidate Login Page



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Ministry of Education

Student Login

Username


Password

Login

#### Candidate Welcome Screen



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Ministry of Education



Welcome, Atul Singh








Proceed

- After login, the candidate shall be able to see the detailed instructions for the examination. Candidate is 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 candidate will be able to proceed and see the questions on the computer screen.

## General Instruction Page

Please read the Instructions carefully

### General Instructions:

1. Total duration of Examination is 60 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 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 taken to the first question of the next section.
12. You can shuffle between sections and questions anything during the Examination as per your convenience only during the time stipulated.
13. Candidate can view the corresponding section summery as part of the legend that appears in every section above the question palette.

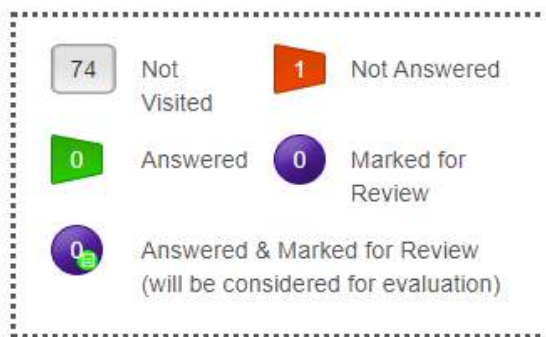
The keyboard attached to the computer, if any, will be disabled during the entire duration of the examination. Depending on the type of question, the answers to questions can either be entered by clicking on the virtual on-screen keyboard (numeric or otherwise) using the computer mouse or by clicking 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.

The screenshot displays the UGC-NET examination interface. At the top, a header bar shows the candidate's name as '[Your Name]', the exam name as 'UGC-NET', the subject name as 'English-Paper 2-Dec-2019', and the remaining time as '01:59:39'. A language dropdown menu is set to 'English'. Below the header, the main question area displays 'Question 1:' and the text: 'Which of the following combinations best describes the typical methodology of literary research?'. Four options are listed: (1) Direct, empirical and quantitative; (2) Phenomenological, speculative and abstract; (3) Textual, critical and historical; (4) Synoptic, conceptual and speculative. Below the options are four radio buttons labeled 1), 2), 3), and 4). At the bottom of the question area are four buttons: 'SAVE & NEXT', 'CLEAR', 'SAVE & MARK FOR REVIEW', and 'MARK FOR REVIEW & NEXT'. Below these are two buttons: '<< BACK' and 'NEXT >>'. To the right of the question area is a legend box titled 'Question Palette' showing the status of 55 questions. The legend uses symbols: a green circle with a white dot for 'Not Visited', a red flag for 'Not Answered', a green circle with a white checkmark for 'Answered', a purple circle with a white checkmark for 'Marked for Review', and a green circle with a white checkmark and a purple circle with a white checkmark for 'Answered & Marked for Review (will be considered for evaluation)'. Below the legend is a virtual keyboard with numbers 01 to 55 arranged in a grid. The number 01 is highlighted in red.

- (d) The Question Palette displayed on the right side of 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 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

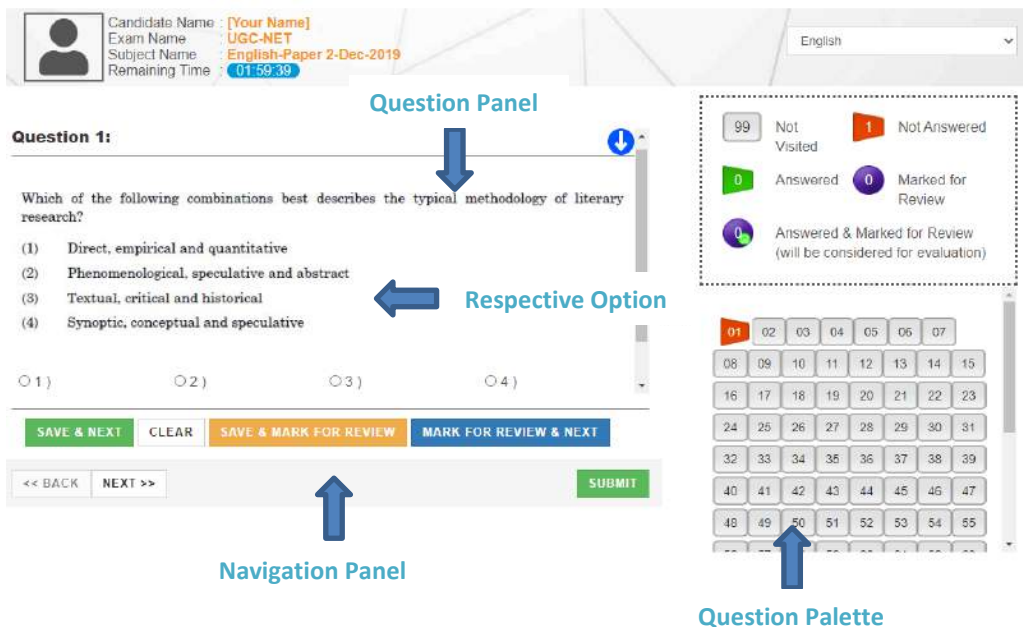
To navigate between questions within a Paper, candidate needs to do the following:

### (i) Procedure for answering a multiple-choice type question:

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

## (k) Navigating through sections:

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



## (l) Procedure for answering questions that require inputs from on-screen virtual key board (numeric or otherwise):

- 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 mouse to enter his/her answer in the space provided for answer.

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- (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.

## National Testing Agency (NTA)

**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 a situation, “**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:**

$$\frac{100 \times \text{Number of candidates appeared in the 'Session' with raw score EQUAL TO OR LESS than the candidate}}{\text{Total number of the candidates appeared in the 'Session'}}$$

**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	No of Candidates			Marks	
		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
<b>Total(Session-1 to Session-4)</b>		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 who scored EQUAL OR LESS THAN Highest Raw Score	Percentile Score	Remarks
Session-1	28012	335	28012	$100.0000000 \left[ \frac{28012}{28012} * 100 \right]$	i.e. <b>all the highest raw scores</b> would be <b>normalized</b> to 100 Percentile Score for their respective session.
Session -2	32541	346	32541	$100.0000000 \left[ \frac{32541}{32541} * 100 \right]$	
Session -3	41326	331	41326	$100.0000000 \left[ \frac{41326}{41326} * 100 \right]$	
Session -4	40603	332	40603	$100.0000000 \left[ \frac{40603}{40603} * 100 \right]$	

**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 Raw Score	Percentile Score	Remarks
Session -1	28012	-39	1	$0.0035699 \left[ \frac{1}{28012} * 100 \right]$	i.e. Percentile Score of <b>all the lowest raw scores are different</b> i.e. Percentile Score depend on the total number of candidates who have taken the examination for their respective session.
Session -2	32541	-38	1	$0.0030730 \left[ \frac{1}{32541} * 100 \right]$	
Session -3	41326	-49	1	$0.0024198 \left[ \frac{1}{41326} * 100 \right]$	
Session -4	40603	-44	1	$0.0024629 \left[ \frac{1}{40603} * 100 \right]$	

The following is a further explanation of the interpretation of the raw scores and Percentile Score in Session-3 (Day-2 and Shift-1) with 41326 candidates who have taken the examination.

Candidate	Percentile Score	No of Candidates	Raw Score	Remark
<b>A</b>	<b>100.0000000</b> $\left[ \frac{41326}{41326} * 100 \right]$	<b>1</b>	<b>331</b>	Indicates that amongst those appeared, 100% have scored either EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN the candidate A ( <b>331 raw score</b> ).
				It also indicates that no candidate has scored more than the candidate A ( <b>331 raw score</b> ).
<b>B</b>	<b>90.1224411</b> $\left[ \frac{37244}{41326} * 100 \right]$	<b>77</b>	<b>121</b>	Indicates that amongst those appeared, 90.1224411% have scored either EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN the candidate B ( <b>121 raw score</b> ).
				It also indicates that remaining candidates have scored more than candidate B ( <b>121 raw score</b> ).
<b>C</b>	<b>50.4549194</b> $\left[ \frac{20851}{41326} * 100 \right]$	<b>381</b>	<b>41</b>	Indicates that amongst those appeared, 50.4549194% have scored either EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN the candidate C ( <b>41 raw score</b> ).
				It also indicates that remaining those appeared have scored more than candidate C ( <b>41 raw score</b> ).
<b>D</b>	<b>31.7040120</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>25</b>	Indicates that amongst those appeared, 31.7040120% have



	$[(13102/41326) * 100]$			scored either EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN the candidate D ( <b>25 raw score</b> ) It also indicates that remaining candidates have scored more than candidate D ( <b>25 raw score</b> ).
E	$1.1034216 [(456/41326) * 100]$	100	-15	Indicates that amongst those appeared, 1.1034216% have scored either EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN the candidate E ( <b>-15 raw score</b> ) It also indicates that remaining candidates have scored more than candidate E ( <b>-15 raw score</b> )

#### 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 will be 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.

$$\text{Total Percentile (TP1) : } 100 \times \frac{\text{No. of candidates appeared from the session with raw score EQUAL TO OR LESS than T1 score}}{\text{Total No. of candidates appeared in the session}}$$

##### 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 result and 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.

**FORMAT OF THE CERTIFICATE FOR THE CANDIDATES UNDER PERSONS WITH BENCHMARK DISABILITY CATEGORY  
(PwBD)**

**NAME & ADDRESS OF THE INSTITUTE/HOSPITAL ISSUING THE CERTIFICATE**

Certificate No. :

Date:

Affix Recent  
Passport size  
Attested  
Photograph  
here

**CERTIFICATE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**

This is to certify that Shri/Smt/Kum\*) \_\_\_\_\_  
son/daughter\* of Shri \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ years, Registration No. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ is a case of Locomotor disability/Cerebral Palsy/Blindness/Low vision/Hearing  
impairment/Other disability\* and has been suffering from degree of disability not less than  
\_\_\_\_\_ % (\_\_\_\_\_). The details of  
his/her above mentioned disability is described below:

(IN CAPITAL LETTERS)

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Note:-

1. This condition is progressive/non-progressive/likely to improve/not likely to improve.\*
2. Re-assessment is not recommended/is recommended after a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months/years.
3. The certificate is issued as per PWBD Act, 1995.

\* Strike out whichever is not applicable.

**Sd/-**  
**(DOCTOR)**  
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**Signature/Thumb impression of the person**

**Countersigned by the  
Medical Superintendent/CMO/  
Head of Hospital (With Seal)**

## Certificate regarding physical limitation to write in an examination

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Aged \_\_\_\_\_ Years, Son/Daughter of Mr./Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_

R/o \_\_\_\_\_

Affix Passport size  
Photograph of the  
candidate (same as  
uploaded on the  
Online Application  
Form) duly attested by  
the issuing authority

with AIEEA 2021 Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ and AIEEA (PG) 2021 Roll No. \_\_\_\_\_, has the following Disability (name of the Specified Disability) \_\_\_\_\_ in (percentage) of \_\_\_\_\_ (in words) \_\_\_\_\_ (in Figures).

• 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)

S. No.	Category	Type of Disability	Specified Disability
1.	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 Disability	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

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

Signature

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Chief Medical Officer/ Civil Surgeon/ Medical Superintendent  
Government Health Care Institution with Seal

Letter of Undertaking for Using Own Scribe

I \_\_\_\_\_, a candidate with \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the disability) appearing for the \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the 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) will provide the service of scribe/reader/lab assistant for the undersigned for taking the aforesaid examination.

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 admission through the examination.

I further certify that the scribe whose photograph and particulars are mentioned below, is not COVID-19 + and a certificate to this effect from Competent Authority is enclosed to this letter.

(Signature of the candidate with Disability)

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Date:

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**UNIVERSITY FROM WHERE GRADUATED, SUBJECT STREAM, FACULTY AND DURATION**  
**Codes for University from Where Graduated**

<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Name of the University</b>	<b>Code Name (3 Letters)</b>
01	Acharya N. G. Ranga Agricultural University, Guntur (AP)	ANG
02	Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388110 (Gujarat)	AND
03	AP Horticultural University, Venkataramnagudem, West Godawari-534101 (AP)	AHU
04	Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat-785013, (Assam)	AAU
05	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya, Mohanpur, Nadia-741252 (West Bengal)	BCK
06	Bihar Animal Sciences University, Bihar Veterinary College Campus, Patna, Bihar-800014	BAP
07	Birsa Agricultural University, Kanke, Ranchi-834 006 (Jharkhand)	BAU
08	Ch. Sarwan Kumar KrishiVishva-Vidyalaya, Palampur-176 062 (HP)	HPK
09	C.S. Azad University Of Agri. & Technology, Kanpur-208 002 (UP)	CSA
10	Ch. Charan Singh Haryana Agril. University, Hisar-125 004 (Haryana)	HAU
11	Dau Shri Vasudev Chandrakar Kamdhenu Vishwavidyalaya, Anjora, Durg-491 001 (CG)	DSV
12	Dr. Balasaheb Sawant Konkan Krishi Vidyapeeth, Dapoli, Distt. Ratnagiri-415 712 (Maharashtra)	KKV
13	Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Krushinagar, Akola-444 104 (Maharashtra)	PDK
14	Dr. Yashwant Singh Parmar Univ. of Horticulture & Forestry, Solan, Nauni-173 230 (HP)	YSP
15	Guru Angad Dev Vety. & Animal Sciences University, Ludhiana-141004 (Punjab)	GAD
16	G.B. Pant University of Agri. & Technology, Pantnagar, Distt. Udham Singh Nagar-263145 (Uttarakhand)	GBP
17	Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Krishak Nagar, Raipur-492 012 (Chhattisgarh)	IGK
18	Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar, Bareilly, (U.P.)	IVR
19	Jawaharlal Nehru Krishi ViswaVidyalaya, Adhartal, Jabalpur-482 004 (MP)	JNK
20	Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh-362 001 (Gujarat)	JAU
21	Karnataka Veterinary Animal And Fisheries Sciences University, Nandinagar, Bidar-585 401. (Karnataka)	KVA
22	Kerala Agricultural University, Vellanikkara, Thrissur-680 656 (Kerala)	KAU
23	Kerala University of Fisheries & Ocean Studies, Panangad P.O., Kochi - 682506, (Kerala)	KUF
24	Kerala Veterinary & Animal Sciences University, PookotWayanad -673576 (Kerala)	KVS
25	LalaLajpatRai University of Veterinary and Animal Science Hisar (Haryana)	LLR
26	MaharanaPratap Horticultural University, Karnal, CCSHAU Campus, Hisar	MPH
27	Nanaji Deshmukh Veterinary Science University, Jabalpur (MP) , Jabalpur (MP)	NDV
28	Maharana Pratap University of Agriculture & Technology, Udaipur-313 001 (Rajasthan)	MPU
29	Maharashtra Animal Science & Fishery University, Seminary Hills, Nagpur-440 006 (Maharashtra)	MAS
30	Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri-413 722 (Maharashtra)	MPK
31	Marathwada Agricultural University, Parbhani-431 402 (Maharashtra)	MAU
32	Banda University of Agriculture and Technology, Banda-210001(Uttar Pradesh)	BUA
33	Narendra Deva University of Agri. and Technology, Kumarganj, Faizabad-224 229 (Uttar Pradesh)	NDU
34	Navsari Agricultural University, Dandi Road, Eruchar Rasta, Navsari-396 450 (Gujarat)	NAU
35	Orissa University of Agriculture & Technology, Bhubaneswar-751 003 (Odisha)	OUA

<b>Code No.</b>	<b>Name of the University</b>	<b>Code Name (3 Letters)</b>
36	Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana-141 004 (Punjab)	PAU
37	Dr.RP CAU, Pusa, Samastipur-848 125 (Bihar)	DRU
38	Rajasthan Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Bikaner (Rajasthan)	RVB
39	Rajmata Vijayaraje Scindia Krishi Vishwa Vidyalaya Race Course Road, Gwalior-474002. (MP)	RVG
40	Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel Univ. of Agriculture & Technology, Modipuram, Meerut-250 110 (UP)	SVB
41	Sardarkrushinagar-Dantiwada Agricultural University, Sardar Krushinagar, Distt. Banaskantha-385 506 (Gujarat)	SDA
42	Sher-E-Kashmir University of Agril. Sciences & Technology, Jammu-180 012 (J&K)	SKJ
43	Sher-E-Kashmir University of Agril. Sciences & Technology of Kashmir, Shalimar Cam pus, Srinagar-191 121 (J&K)	SKS
44	Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University, Tirupati, Chittoor-517 502 (Andhra Pradesh)	SVV
45	Swami Keshwanand Rajasthan Agricultural University, Bikaner-334 006 (Rajasthan)	RAB
46	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	TNA
47	Tamil Nadu Veterinary & Animal Sciences University, Chennai-600 051 (Tamil Nadu)	TNV
48	Tamil Nadu Fisheries University, First Line Beach Road Nagapattinam– 611 001, (Tamil Nadu)	TNF
49	University of Agricultural Sciences, Dharwad-580 005 (Karnataka)	UAD
50	University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK, Bengaluru-560 065 (Karnataka)	UAB
51	University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur-584102 (Karnataka)	UAR
52	University of Agricultural and Horticultural Sciences, Shimoga (Karnataka)	UAH
53	University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot-587102 (Karnataka)	UHB
54	UP Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhaya Pashu Chikitsa Vigyan Vishwa Vidyalaya Evam Anusandhan Sansthan, Mathura-281 001 (UP)	UPP Go
55	Uttar Banga Krishi Viswavidyalaya, P.O. Pundibari, Dist. Cooch Behar-736 165 (West Bengal)	UBK
56	sssVeer Chandra Singh Garhwali Uttarakhand University of Horticulture and Forestry, Bharsar-246123, Dist. PauriGarhwal, Uttarakhand	UUH
57	West Bengal University of Animal & Fishery Sciences, 68 Kb Sarani, Belgachia, Kolkata-700 037 (West Bengal)	WBU
58	Central Agricultural University, P.O. Box 23, Imphal-795 004 (Manipur)	CAU
59	Aligarh Muslim University, AnoopSahar Road, Aligarh-202 002 (UP)	AMU
60	Banaras Hindu University, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, Varanasi-221 005 (UP)	BHU
61	Nagaland University, School of Agricultural Sciences and Rural Development (SASARD), Medziphema-797 106 (Nagaland)	NAG
62	VisvaBharati, Palli Siksha Bhavana, P.O. Sriniketan-731 236 (West Bengal)	VIB
63	Allahabad School of Agriculture, Sam Higginbottom University of Agriculture, Technology & Sciences (Formerly Allahabad Agricultural Institute), Naini, Allahabad-211 007 (UP)	SHU
64	National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal-132 001 (Haryana)	NDR
65	Delhi University (Delhi)	DEL
66	SKN Agriculture University, Jobner, (Rajasthan)	SKN
67	Agriculture University, Kota (Rajasthan)	AUK
68	Agriculture University, Jodhpur (Rajasthan)	AUJ
69	Rani Lakshmi Bai Central Agricultural University, Jhansi (UP)	RLB
70	Prof. Jayashankar State Agricultural University, Hyderabad (Telangana)	PJT
71	Bihar Agriculture University, Sabour, Bhagalpur (Bihar)	BAS
72	Kamdheni University, Gandhinagar-382010 (Gujarat)	KUG

Code No.	Name of the University	Code Name (3 Letters)
73	Sri KondaLaxmanTelangana State Horticultural University Rajendranagar, Hyderabad (Telangana)	SKL
74	Sri P.V. NarsimhaRao Telangana State University for Veterinary, Animal and Fisheries Sciences, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad	SPV
75	School of Agriculture, Lovely Professional University	LPU
76	Guru Kashi University, Talwandi Sabo, Bathinda, Punjab	GPU
77	M.S. Swaminathan School of Agriculture, CUTM, Odisha	MSA
78	College of Agriculture and Technology, Theni (Affiliated to TNAU, University),	CAT
79	Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Siksha 'O' Anusandhan (Deemed to be University), Bhubaneswar, Odisha	SOA
80	School of Agriculture, ITM University, Gwalior, MP	SoA, ITM
81	Other Universities	OTH

**Note:** In case any degree from a particular college/university is not considered for admission by an Agricultural University or any particular college/university has been derecognized by VCI/UGC, ICAR will not be responsible for admitting students of that college/university in the Universities not willing to admit such candidates.

**Indicative and Tentative List \*of Universities for Admission in Master Degree Programmes in Agriculture and Allied Science Subjects through AIEEA (PG)-2021 along with Contact Details of Registrars**

Sl. No	Name of University	Registrars Contact Nos.	Registrars E-mail IDs
1.	Acharya N G Ranga Agricultural University, Administrative Office, Lam, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh - 522 034 (AP)	0863-2347101	registrarangrau@gmail.com
2.	Agriculture University, Borkhera, PB No. 20 GPO Nayapura, Kota-324001 (Rajasthan)	0744-2321205	aukota2013@gmail.com
3.	Agriculture University, Mandor, Jodhpur-342301 (Rajasthan)	0291-2570711	vcunivag@gmail.com
4.	Acharya Narendra Dev University of Agriculture & Technology, Faizabad	05270-262035	registrar.nd.15@gmail.com,
5.	Anand Agricultural University, Anand-388110 (Gujarat)	02692-261310	registrar@aaui.in
6.	Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat-785013 (Assam)	0376-2340008	registrar@aaui.ac.in
7.	Central Agricultural University, Iroisemba, Imphal-795004 (Manipur)	03852-410644	regcau@gmail.com, regcau@yahoo.com
8.	Chandra Shekhar University of Agriculture and Technology, Kanpur-208002 (Uttar Pradesh)	05122-533791	registrar@csau.ac.in, rsingh.csau@gmail.com
9.	Chaudhary Charan Singh Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar, Haryana	01662-234613	regi@hau.ernet.in
10.	Dau Shri Vasudev Chandrakar Kamdhenu Vishwavidyalaya, Durg (Chhattisgarh)	07882-623465	registrarckkv2012@gmail.com
11.	CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Palampur-176 062 Himachal Pradesh	01894-230383	registrar@hillagric.ac.in
12.	Dr. Balasaheb Sawant Konkan Krishi Vidyapeeth, Tal. Dapoli, Dist. Ratnagiri-415 712, (MS)	02358-282065	regdbskkv@rediffmail.com, reg. dbskkv@gov.in
13.	Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth Akola, P.O. Krishi Nagar, Akola-444104 (MS)	0724-2258372	registrar@pdkv.ac.in
14.	Dr. Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University, Pusa, Samastipur - 848 125, Bihar	06274-240239	registrar@rpcu.ac.in
15.	Dr. Y.S.R Horticultural University, Post Box # 7, Venkataramannagudem-534 101, West Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh	08818-284311	registrar@drysrhu.edu.in
16.	Faculty of Agricultural Science, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh-202 002 (UP)	0571-2700220, 2701727	registrar.amu@amu.ac.in, saghir63@gmail.com, dean.agr@amu.ac.in
17.	Faculty of Agriculture, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, BHU, Varanasi-221005 (UP)	0542-2307222, 2368558	director.ias.bhu@gmail.com
18.	G.B. Pant University of Agriculture and Technology, Pantnagar (Uttarakhand)	(05944) 233640	chawlahs15@gmail.com, registrar_pantvarsity@rediffmail.com,



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			admcoordinator_pnt@rediffmail.com,
19.	Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Ferozepur Road, Ludhiana-141 004 Punjab	0161-2553343	registrargadvasu@gmail.com,sp1962@yahoo.com
20.	ICAR- Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar, Bareilly -243122(Uttar Pradesh)	0581-2301462	universityivri@gmail.com, registrar@ivri.res.in, acadsec17@gmail.com, aktiwari63@yahoo.com,cao@ivri.res.in
21.	ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Education, PanchMarg, Off. Yari Road, Versova, Andheri (west), Mumbai-400 061 (Maharashtra)	022-26365198	jdadmin@cife.edu.in,sureshchandra@cife.edu.in,npsahu@cife.edu.in
22.	ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute, Pusa, New Delhi-110012	011-25842390, 25846536	manjaiah@iari.res.in, registrar_academic@iari.res.in, dean@iari.res.in,
23.	ICAR-National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal-132001 (Haryana)	0184-2259023/ 2252022	jda@ndri.res.in, jdadmin@ndri.res.in, susanta_saha_1@yahoo.co.in
24.	Indira Gandhi KrishiVishwavidyalaya, Krishak Nagar, Raipur-492 012 Chhattisgarh	0771-2442537	regigkv@gmail.com
25.	Junagadh Agricultural University, Near Motibaugh, Vanthali Road, Junagadh-362001 (Gujarat)	0285-2672346	registrar@jau.in
26.	Kamdhenu University, Karmayogi Bhavan, Block-1, B1-wing, 4th Floor, Sector-10-A, Di: Gandhinagar-382010, Gujarat (Non-accredited)	079-2322013	registrar@ku-guj.com, registrar.kamdhenuuniversity@gmail.com
27.	Karnataka Veterinary, Animal and Fisheries Sciences University, PB No 6, Nandinagar, Bidar-585 401 Karnataka	0848-2245241	regkvafsu@gmail.com
28.	Kerala Agricultural University, KAU P.O., Vellanikkara, Thrissur-680656 (Kerala)	0487-2438011	registrar@kau.in
29.	Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies, Panangad P.O., Kochi-682 506 (Kerala)	0484 2703782	registrar@kufos.ac.in
30.	Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Pookode, Wayanad -673 576 (Kerala)	04936 209215	pstovc@kvasu.ac.in, kishor@kvasu.ac.in
31.	LalaLajpatRai University of Veterinary & Animal Sciences, Hisar (Haryana)	01662289764, 01662200000	registrar@luvas.edu.in, asstt.registrar@luvas.edu.in
32.	MaharanaPratap University of Agriculture & Technology, Udaipur (Rajasthan)	0294-2471302	registrar@mpuat.ac.in
33.	Maharashtra Animal & Fishery Sciences University, Futala Lake Road, Nagpur - 440 001 (MS)	0712-2511784, 0712-2511785, 0712-2511787, 2053657	registrarmafsu@yahoo.com
34.	Mahatama Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri, Distt. Ahmednagar-413722 (MS)	02426-243226	registrar.mpkv@nic.in

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35.	SASARD, Nagaland University, Medziphema, Lumani, Zunheboto Dist. Nagaland-798627	0369-2268270	arsasrd@nagalanduniversity.ac.in, registrar@nagalanduniversity.ac.in, deansasrd@nagalanduniversity.ac.in,
36.	Nanaji Deshmukh Veterinary Science University, South Civil Lines, Jabalpur - 482001 (Madhya Pradesh)	0761-2620545	registrarndvsujbp@gmail.com
37.	Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari-396 450 (Gujarat)	(02637)282823	registrar@nau.in
38.	Orissa University of Agriculture and Technology, Bhubaneswar-751003 (Odisha)	06742-397424	registrarouat@gmail.com
39.	Palli Siksha Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, Birbhum, West Bengal	03463-261531	registrar@visva-bharati.ac.in,
40.	Professor Jayashankar Telangana State Agricultural University, Hyderabad-500 030 (Telangana)	0402-4002314	regrpjtsau@gmail.com
41.	Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana-141004 (Punjab)	01612-400955	registrar@pau.edu
42.	Rajasthan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Bijay Bhawan Palace Complex, Near Deen Dayal Upadhyay Circle, Bikaner-334001 (Rajasthan)	0151-2540028	regrajuvas@gmail.com
43.	Rani Lakshmi Bai Central Agricultural University, Jhansi, (UP) Camp Office: Room No 213, KAB-II, Pusa, New Delhi-12	0510-2730555	registrar.rlbcau@gmail.com, mukeshcsau@rediffmail.com
44.	Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel University of Agriculture & Technology, NH-58, Roorkee Road, Modipuram, Meerut-250110 (Uttar Pradesh)	01212-2888525	brsingh2000@gmail.com , registrarsvpmeerut@gmail.com
45.	Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences & Technology of Jammu, Main Campus Chatha, Jammu-180009, (J&K)	0191-2262012	registrar@skuast.org
46.	Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology of Kashmir, Shalimar Campus, Srinagar-190025, (J&K)	0194-2461271	registrar@skuastkashmir.ac.in
47.	Sri Karan Narendra Agriculture University Jobner-303329, Jaipur (Rajasthan)	01425-254980	registrar@sknau.ac.in
48.	Sri Konda Laxman Telangana State Horticultural University, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad-500 030 (Telangana)	040-24014301	registrar@skltshu.ac.in, registrarskltsu@gmail.com
49.	Sri PV Narsimha Rao Telangana State University for Veterinary, Animal and Fishery Sciences, Administrative Office, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad-500 030	040-24002114	virojiraosindhe@yahoo.co.in
50.	Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University, Dr. Y.S.R. Bhavan, Tirupati - 517 502 (AP)	0877 2248894	registrarsvvutpt@yahoo.in, registrar@svvu.edu.in
51.	Swami Keshwanand Rajasthan Agricultural	0151-2250025	reg@raubikaner.org

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	University, Bikaner-334006 (Rajasthan)		
52.	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	0422-6611201	registrar@tnau.ac.in,
53.	Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University, First Line Beach Road, Nagappatanam-611 001 (Tamil Nadu)	04365-240088	registrar@tnfu.ac.in
54.	University of Agricultural and Horticultural Sciences, Savalanga Road, Shivamogga-577 204 (Karnataka)	08182-267011	registrarsshimoga@gmail.com
55.	University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK, Bellary Road, Bangalore-560 065 (Karnataka)	080-23330984	registrar@uasbangalore.edu.in
56.	University of Agricultural Sciences, Krishi Nagar, Dharwad-580 005 (Karnataka)	0836-2214420	registrar@uasd.in
57.	University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur	08432-220157	registrar@uasraichur.edu.in
58.	University of Horticultural Sciences, Udyanagiri, Bagalkot-587104 Karnataka	08354-230276	registrar@uhsbagalkot.edu.in
59.	Uttar BangaKrishiViswavidyalaya, PO Pundbari, Cooch Behar-736 165 West Bengal	03582-270588	registrarubkvv@gmail.com
60.	VasandraoNaikMarathwadaKrishiVidyapeeth, Parbhani-431402 (MS)	02452-223801	reg_mau@rediffmail.com
61.	West Bengal University of Animal & Fishery Sciences, 37 & 68, KB Sarani, Kolkata-700037 (West Bengal)	03325-563123	danashyamsundar@gmail.com

\*The final list of universities for admission to Master's degree programmes will be available at the time of counselling.

## CASTE CERTIFICATE FOR SCHEDULED CASTE/TRIBE CANDIDATE

1. This is to certify that Shri/Smt.\*/Kumari\* ..... Son/daughter \* of ..... Of village/town\* ..... in District/Division\* ..... of the State/Union Territory\* ..... Belong to the .....Caste/Tribe\* which is recognized as a **Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe\*** under :

\*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950

\*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950

\*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (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 Tribes Orders (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 (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order, 1964;

\*The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1967;

\*The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968;

\*The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970

\*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978

\*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978

\*The Constitution (Jammu and Kashmir) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1989

\*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1990

\*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Amendment Act, 1991

\*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Second Amendment Act, 1991

2. This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes Certificate issued to Shri/Smt\* .....father/mother\* of Shri/Smt/Kumari ..... Of ..... Village/ town\* ..... in District/Division\* ..... of the State/Union Territory\* ..... who belongs to the .....Caste/Tribe\* which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe\* in the State/Union Territory\* ..... issued by the ..... Dated .....

3. Shri/Smt\*/Kumari\* ..... and/or\* his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in village/town\* ..... of ..... District/Division\* of the State/Union Territory of .....

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

**FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES-NON CREAMY LAYER (OBC-NCL) APPLYING  
FOR ADMISSION TO CENTRAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS (CEIs), UNDER THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kum.....Son/Daughter of Shri/Smt  
..... of Village / Town..... District/Division  
..... in the.....State belongs to  
the.....Community which is recognized as a backward class under:

- (i) Resolution No.12011/68/93-BCC(C)dated10/09/93 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No.186dated13/09/93.
- (ii) Resolution No.12011/9/94-BCCdated19/10/94 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No.163Dated20/10/94.
- (iii) Resolution No.12011/7/95-BCCdated24/05/95published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No.88Dated25/05/95.
- (iv) Resolution No.12011/96/94-BCCdated9/03/96.
- (v) Resolution No.12011/44/96-BCCdated6/12/96 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No.210Dated11/12/96.
- (vi) ResolutionNo.12011/13/97-BCCdated03/12/97.
- (vii) ResolutionNo.12011/99/94-BCCdated11/12/97.
- (viii) ResolutionNo.12011/68/98-BCCdated27/10/99.
- (ix) Resolutionno.12011/88/98-bccdated6/12/99 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No. 270dated06/12/99.
- (x) Resolution no.12011/36/99-bccdated04/04/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No..71dated04/04/2000.
- (xi) Resolutionno.12011/44/99-bccDated21/09/2000 published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary Part I Section I No.210dated21/09/2000.
- (xii) Resolutionno.12015/9/2000-bccdated06/09/2001.
- (xiii) Resolutionno.12011/1/2001-bccdated19/06/2003.
- (xiv) Resolutionno.12011/4/2002-bccdated13/01/2004.
- (xv) Resolution No. 12011/9/2004-BCC dated 16/01/2006.
- (xvi) Resolution No. 12011/14/2004-BCC dated 12/03/ 2007.
- (xvii) Resolution No.12011/16/2007-BCC dated 12/10/2007; Resolution No.12018/6/2005-BCC dated 30/07/2010; Resolution No. 12015/2/2007-BCC dated 18/08/2010; Resolution No. 12015/15/2008-BCC dated 16/06/2011; Resolution No.12015/13/2010-BC-II dated 08/12/2011; Resolution No.12015/5/2011-BC-II dated 17/02/2014; Resolution No. 20012/129/2009-BC-II dated 04/03/2014.

Shri/Smt./Kum.....and/or his family ordinarily reside(s) in  
the.....District/Divisionof.....State. This is also to  
certify tha the/she does not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column3 of the Schedule to the  
Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training O.M.No.36012/22/93-Estt.(SCT) Dated08/09/93 which Is modified vide OM  
No.36033/1/2013Estt.(Res.) dated 13 September, 2017.

Dated:.....

**Districtmagistrate/ Deputy commissioner,etc**  
**Seal**

**Note:**

- (a) Theterm'Ordinarily'usedherewillhavethesamemeaningasinSection20oftheRepresentationofthePeople Act,1950.
- (b) TheauthoritiescompetenttoissueCasteCertificatesareindicatedbelow:
  - (i) District Magistrate/Additional Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (Not Below The Rank of Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate).
  - (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate.
  - (iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar' and
  - (iv) Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family resides.

**Declaration/undertaking-for OBC candidates only**

I,.....son/daughter of Shri ..... resident of Village/Town/City ..... District ..... State here by declare that I belong to the ..... Community which is recognized as a Backward Class by the Government of India for the purpose of reservation in services as per orders contained in Department of Personnel and Training Office Memorandum No.36012/22/93-Estt.(SCT), dated 8/9/1993. It is also declared that I do not belong to persons/Sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in Column 3 of The Schedule to the above referred Office Memorandum, Dated 8/9/1993, which is Modified vide Department of Personnel and Training Office Memorandum No.36033/1/2013 Estt.(Res.) dated 13 September, 2017..

Place:.....Signature of the Candidate

Date:.....

- **Declaration/undertaking not signed by candidate will be rejected.**
- **False declaration will render the applicant liable for termination of registration at any time.**

**Creamy Layer Definition**

OBC Creamy layer is defined comprehensively at <http://ncbc.nic.in/html/creamyayer.html>

All candidates for the OBC reserved seats should make sure that they do not satisfy any of the creamy layer criteria as listed in the website. Some general exclusion for quick reference (no way comprehensive) are as follows.

1. Any of the parents holds a constitutional position in Govt. of India
2. Anyone of the parents is a class I officer.
3. Both the parents are class II officers.
4. Anyone of the parents is employed in an equivalent rank to class I officer or both parents equivalent to class II officer in a public sector, insurance companies, banks, universities or in other organizations.
5. Land holding on irrigated land are 85% or more of the statutory ceiling area.
6. Parents income is more than Rs.8 lakhs per year or Government of India directives applicable at the time of counseling.

Government of .....

(Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)

**INCOME & ASSEST CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS**

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**VALID FOR THE YEAR** \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari \_\_\_\_\_ son/daughter/wife of \_\_\_\_\_ permanent resident of \_\_\_\_\_ Village/Street \_\_\_\_\_ Post Office \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ in the State/Union Territory \_\_\_\_\_ Pin Code \_\_\_\_\_ whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual income\* of his/her 'family\*\*' is below Rs. 8 lakh (Rupees Eight Lakh only) for the financial year \_\_\_\_\_. His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets\*\*\* :

- I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
- II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
- III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
- IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.

2. Shri/Smt./Kumari \_\_\_\_\_ belongs to the \_\_\_\_\_ caste which is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Other Backward Classes (Central List)

Signature with seal of Office \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Designation \_\_\_\_\_

Recent Passport size  
attested photograph of  
the applicant

\*Note1: 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 while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.



## SPONSORSHIP CERTIFICATE

## DECLARATION BY THE EMPLOYER OF THE CANDIDATE (FOR IN-SERVICE CANDIDATES)

- (i) Certified that the particulars filled by Mr./Shri.....son/ daughter of.....in the application form have been verified and found correct.
- (ii) The candidate will be granted deputation leave/study leave/extraordinary leave or he/she will be given a scholarship or stipend of the value of Rs.....per month. On completion of the degree, he/she will be required to serve this department/institute/university for a period of.....years.
- (iii) If selected for admission, the candidate will be relieved to join the course on the date of start of session in the university when admitted.
- (iv) If selected for the award of or other fellowship, there will be no objection for his receiving the scholarship and contingency amounts attached there to subject to the following conditions:
- (a) .....
- (b) .....
- (c) .....
- (v) Certified that I am competent to take the decision to sponsor him/her on the terms and conditions mentioned above/the decision to sponsor him/her on the above terms and conditions has been taken by and is being communicated under the direction of who is the competent authority.
- (vi) This university/Institute/organization/department undertakes to pay dues outstanding against the candidate, if not paid by him.
- (vii) Any other relevant information:

SIGNATURE.....

DESIGNATION.....

ADDRESS .....

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## Employment status of in-service candidates

<b>Institutes/Agric. Universities/Other</b>	<b>Code Number</b>
ICAR Institutes and ICAR Institute based Deemed-to-be-Universities	01
State Agricultural Universities including Veterinary/Horticulture/Fisheries Universities, CAU and CUs having faculty of agriculture	02
Central Government Departments dealing in agriculture and allied sectors	03
State Government Departments dealing in agriculture and allied sectors	04
Public Sector Undertaking dealing in agriculture and allied sectors	05
Any other Govt. organization	06

## APPENDIX-I

**List of Agricultural Universities (AUs) which have expressed their willingness to utilize NTA scores for their PG admissions (2021-22)**

Sl. No.	Name of the AU
1	ANGRAU, Guntur
2	GADVASU, Ludhiana
3	KAU, Thrissur
4	PVNRTVU, Hyderabad
5	MPKV, Rahuri
6	TNVASU, Chennai
7	Dr. BSKKV, Dapoli
8	Dr. YSPUHF Solan

Note: The scores will be provided by NTA

**APPENDIX-II**

**Tentative date of registration in different AUs\* with Veterinary Faculty for admission (M.V.Sc. Programme) during the Academic Session 2021-22**

Sl. No.	Name of University	Date of registration for M.V.Sc. degree programme	
		From	To
1.	SVVU, Tirupati	01.03.2022	30.03.2022
2.	NDVASU, Jabalpur	21.02.2022	21.03.2022
3.	GADVASU, Ludhiana	01.04.2022	21.04.2022
4.	PVNRTVU, Hyderabad	10.02.2022	10.02.2022
5.	KU, Gandhinagar	06.09.2021	13.09.2021 (for 5 years degree programme)
6.	KU, Gandhinagar	15.11.2021	22.11.2021 (for 5½ years degree programme)
7.	GBPUAT, Pantnagar	01.08.2021	14.08.2021
8.	KVASU, Pookode, Wayanad	01.09.2021	18.09.2021
9.	DSVCKV, Anjora, Durg	07.03.2022	15.03.2022
10.	CAU, Imphal	02.08.2021	09.08.2021
11.	TNVASU, Chennai	Third week of November, 2021	First week of December, 2021
12.	SKUAST, Jammu	13.09.2021	15.09.2021

**\* For the remaining universities having Veterinary Faculty (M.V.Sc. Programme), the date of registration would be known at the time of counseling.**



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