

Eligibility criteria + Cut-Offs

MS

The candidates should **satisfy one of the following criteria**. These are the eligibility criteria only; the individual UG/PG cutoff scores are given below.

- Candidate should have a BE/BTech in any branch of engineering and have a valid GATE (CS/DA/EC) score.
- Candidate should have a 4-year BS (Bachelor of Science) degree in any branch of engineering and have a valid GATE (CS/DA/EC) score.
- Candidate should have BCA/BSc + MCA with a valid GATE(CS/DA) score.
- Candidate should have BSc (CS/Math/Stat) + MSc (CS/Math/Stat) with a valid GATE (CS/MA/DA) score.
- Candidate should have a BE/BTech (CS or EE) from IITs with CGPA ≥ 8 (GATE not required).

For other degrees, the admissions committee decide on a case-by-case basis.

Cut-offs

- UG marks refers to marks scored in the eligible UG degree (Engineering)
 - CGPA of $x/10$ is converted to $(x*10 - 5)\%$ (according to IITM policy).
 - In case of BSc+MSc/BCA+MCA applicants we will consider $0.6*(BSc/BCA) + 0.4*(MSc/MCA)$ as the UG marks.
- For Integrated Dual-degree programmes, the final score will be considered.

	IIT BTech Candidates	Candidates from institutes other than IIT with valid GATE score	
Category	UG Marks	UG Marks	GATE (CS/MA/EC)
General	75	70	600
OBC-NCL/EWS	75	63	540
SC/ST/PwD	75	56	300

PhD

The candidates should **satisfy one of the following criteria**. These are the eligibility criteria only; the individual UG/PG cutoff scores are given below.

- BE/BTech/BS in CS/IT/EC or related areas + ME/MTech in CS/IT or related area
- BTech in EE from IIT + ME/MTech in CS/IT or related area
- BCA + MCA + ME/MTech in CS/IT or related areas
- BSc (CS/Math/Stat) (3 yr) + MSc (CS/Math/Stat) + ME/MTech in CS/IT or related areas
- BSc(Math/Stat) + MSc(Math/Stat/CS) from IIT with CGPA ≥ 8 (during MSc) and GATE(CS/MA)

For other degrees, the admissions committee decide on a case-by-case basis.

Cut-offs

- Cut-off score is calculated as follows: $0.6 \text{ UG-Marks} + 0.4 \text{ PG-Marks}$ (if the UG is an Engineering degree)
- If the candidate has a BSc+MSc or BCA+MCA, then the UG-Marks is calculated as $0.6*(BSc/BCA) + 0.4*(MSc/MCA)$.

Category	Cut-off
General	67
OBC-NCL/EWS	60.3
SC/ST/PwD	53.6

Direct PhD

The candidates should **satisfy one of the following criteria**. These are the eligibility criteria only; the individual UG/PG cutoff scores will be decided every year separately.

- BE/BTech/BS in CS/IT or related areas from CFTI with CGPA ≥ 8 .
- BE/BTech/BS in CS/IT or related areas from CFTI with CGPA < 8 and valid GATE(CS/DA) score.
- BE/BTech/BS in CS/IT or related areas from any college with CGPA ≥ 8 and valid GATE(CS/DA) score.
- MSc(CS/Math) from CFTI/CMI/ISI/top school with CGPA ≥ 8 and valid GATE(CS/MA) score.

Cut-offs

	CFTI Candidates	Non-CFTI Candidates	
	UG Marks	UG Marks	GATE
General	70	75	600
OBC-NCL/EWS	70	75	540
SC/ST/PwD	70	75	480