MS Eligibility Criterion

Degree Requirement (any one of the following):

- 1. A 4-year B.E/B.Tech (or in the final year) in any area of engineering.
- 2. A 4-year B.Sc./BS (or in their final year) Computer Science, Computer Applications, Data Science, Mathematics, Statistics (or other such related areas).
- 3. MCA or M.Sc./MS in Computer Science, Computer Applications, Data Science, Mathematics, Statistics (or other such related areas).

Additional Requirement:

1. Valid GATE (CS/MA/DA/EC) score.

OR

2. For candidates with BSc (CS/Maths/Stats) +MSc (CS/Maths/Stats), valid JEST/UGC-NET (JRF/Lectureship)/CSIR-NET (JRF/Lectureship)/NBHM/Inspire.

The above requirement(s) is waived for applicants with a 4-yr B.E./B.Tech. in CSE/EE/ECE/IT/DS/AI or 4-yr B.S./B.Sc. in CS/Math/DS/AI (or closely related areas) from a Centrally Funded Technical Institute (CFTI) with CGPA ≥ 8.

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

Direct Ph.D. Eligibility Criterion

Areas: Computer Science & Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronics & Communication Engineering, Information Technology, Computer Science, Computer Applications, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Mathematics, Statistics, or other such related areas.

One of the following degrees in the areas listed above (and stated requirement):

Requirements (any ONE of the following):

- 1. B.S/B.E/B.Tech in the above listed areas from a Centrally Funded Technical Institute (CFTI) with CGPA ≥ 8.
- 2. B.S/B.E/B.Tech in the above listed areas from a CFTI (with CGPA < 8) with a valid GATE (CS/DA/MA/EC) score.
- 3. BE/BTech in the above listed areas from any other institute/university with CGPA ≥ 8 (or equivalent) and a valid GATE (CS/DA/MA/EC) score.
- 4. M.Sc.(CS/Maths) from a CFTI, or a highly-recognized institute such as the Indian Statistical Institute or the Chennai Mathematical Institute with CGPA ≥ 8 and a valid GATE (CS/DA/MA) score.

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

Ph.D. Eligibility Criterion

Engineering Areas: Computer Science & Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronics & Communication Engineering, Information Technology, Computer Applications, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, or other such related areas.

Sciences Areas: Computer Science, Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, Machine Learning, Mathematics, Statistics, or other such related areas.

Requirement (any one of the following):

- 1. M.E/M.Tech/M.S. by Research or /5-year integrated Masters/Dual degree in any of the above listed areas of engineering.
- 2. 2 year M.Sc (in the above listed areas of sciences) from IITs (entry through JAM) with IIT CGPA ≥ 8.
- 3. B.S+M.S (5-year integrated) in the above listed areas of engineering or sciences from CFTI with CGPA ≥ 8.
- BSc (CS/Maths/Stats) + MSc (CS/Maths/Stats) holders with a valid score in GATE (CS/DA/MA) or JEST/UGCNET (JRF/Lectureship)/CSIR NET (JRF/Lectureship)/NBHM/Inspire.

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