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1. Introduction

The Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research (MCAER), Pune is a statutory body which has been constituted under Section 12 of the Maharashtra Agricultural Universities (Krishi Vidyapeeths) Act, 1983. In exercise of the powers conferred upon MCAER vide provision in the Proviso (g) of Sub-section 3 of Section 12 of the Act, common regulations for admissions to various degree programmes in State Agricultural Universities have been formulated.

Directions have been given by the MCAER vide its Resolution No. 23 of its 92nd meeting dated 14/03/2016 to conduct the Common Entrance Test (CET) through the Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board (MAUEB), Pune for admission to various Doctoral Degree Programmes in the State Agricultural Universities (SAUs) in Maharashtra.

Ph.D. Admissions are strictly on the merit basis of marks obtained in the Common Entrance Test (CET) of respective faculty-subject (stream) for the current year conducted by Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board (MAUEB) and CGPA of the qualifying PG degree examination in the proportion of **70 : 30**. Accordingly, **minimum 65 %** (6.5 out of 10 point scale) are compulsory for Open category and **minimum 60 %** (6.0 out of 10 point scale) for Scheduled Caste (SC), Scheduled Tribe (ST), VJ(a), NT(b), NT(c), NT(d), Other Backward Class (OBC), Special Backward Category (SBC), Economically Weaker Section (EWS), Orphan candidate and Persons with Disability (PwD). Also, the candidate should have passed the postgraduate degree examination with a **minimum of 6.5 CGPA**.

Other weightages, if any and the reservations as per prevailing guidelines of the State Government will also be considered. The details regarding these are to be referred in the “**Ph.D. Admission Prospectus, 2023-24**” to be published by the Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune (MCAER) in due course of time. The eligibility criteria to appear for the Ph.D.-CET-2023 examination has been given in the subsequent section.

2. Eligibility for Ph.D.-CET-2023

The subjects (streams) under various faculties pertaining to Common Entrance Test-2023 for Admission to Doctoral Degree Programmes in the Maharashtra State Agricultural Universities (SAUs), along with their eligibility for CET are furnished in the Table-1 below. **However, for detailed and final information regarding eligibility criteria applicable at the time of admission, availability of University/ Institute-wise courses, number of seats and degree nomenclature at a particular PG Centre/ University; kindly refer to the respective “Ph.D. Admission Prospectus-2023-24” being published by the MCAER, Pune on official portal (www.mcaer.org).**

Table 1: CET-Subject wise Eligibility for Ph.D.-CET-2023

Subject Code	Ph.D.-CET-Subject (Stream)	Eligibility for Ph.D.-CET-2023*
Agriculture: (Minimum Duration: 3 Years – 6 Semesters)		
01	Agromony	Master's degree in Agromony
02	Agricultural Meteorology	Master's degree in Agricultural Meteorology
03	Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry	Master's degree in Soil Sciences and Agricultural Chemistry/ Soil Science/ Agricultural Chemistry/ Land Resource Management
04	Biochemistry	Master's degree in Agricultural Biochemistry/ Biochemistry
05	Plant Physiology	Master's degree in Plant Physiology
06	Genetics and Plant Breeding	Master's degree in Genetics and Plant Breeding
07	Seed Technology	Master's degree in Seed Technology
08	Agricultural Extension and Communication	Master's degree in Agricultural Extension and Communication/ Agricultural Extension Education
09	Agricultural Economics	Master's degree in Agricultural Economics
10	Agricultural Entomology	Master's degree in Agricultural Entomology
11	Plant Pathology	Master's degree in Plant Pathology
12	Agricultural Microbiology	Master's degree in Agricultural Microbiology
13	Animal Husbandry	Master's degree in Animal Husbandry/ Animal Science
14	Dairy Science	Master's degree in Dairy Science
15	Fruit Sciences	Master's degree in Horticulture/ Fruit Sciences
16	Vegetable Science	Master's degree in Horticulture/ Vegetable Sciences
17	Floriculture and Landscaping	Master's degree in Horticulture/ Floriculture and Landscaping
18	Plantation Spices, Medicinal and Aromatic Crops	Master's degree in Horticulture/ Plantation Spices Medicinal and Aromatic Crops
19	Irrigation Water Management	Master's degree in Irrigation Water Management

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Subject Code	Ph.D.-CET-Subject (Stream)	Eligibility for Ph.D.-CET-2023*
Fisheries Sciences: (Minimum Duration: 3 Years – 6 Semesters)		
20	Aquaculture	Master's degree in Aquaculture
21	Fish Processing Technology	Master's degree in Fish Processing Technology
22	Aquatic Environment Management	Master's degree in Aquatic Environment Management
23	Fisheries Resource Management	Master's degree in Fisheries Resource Management
24	Fish Nutrition and Feed Technology	Master's degree in Fish Nutrition and Feed Technology
25	Fisheries Extension	Master's degree in Fisheries Extension
Food Technology** : (Minimum Duration: 3 Years – 6 Semesters)		
26	Food Technology	M.Tech. (Food Technology)
Agricultural Biotechnology: (Minimum Duration: 3 Years – 6 Semesters)		
27	Agricultural Biotechnology	Master's degree in Agricultural Biotechnology
Agricultural Engineering: (Minimum Duration: 3 Years – 6 Semesters)		
28	Irrigation and Drainage Engineering	M.Tech.(Agril. Engg.) in Irrigation and Drainage Engineering
29	Soil and Water Conservation	M.Tech.(Agril. Engg.) in Soil and Water Conservation
30	Process and Food Engineering	M.Tech.(Agril. Engg.) in Process and Food Engineering
31	Farm Power and Machinery	M.Tech.(Agril. Engg.) in Farm Power and Machinery
32	Renewable Energy Sources	M.Tech.(Agril. Engg.) in Renewable Energy Sources/ M.Tech.(EOES)
Forestry: (Minimum Duration: 3 Years – 6 Semesters)		
33	Silviculture and Agroforestry	M.Sc. Forestry in Silviculture/ Agroforestry/ Plantation Technology/ Agroforestry & Ecology/ Silviculture & Agroforestry
34	Forest Resource Management	M.Sc. Forestry in Natural Resource Management/ Forest Resource Management/ Forest Business Management/ Ecotourism

Note:

- (i) *All the Master's degrees mentioned in above eligibility should be from Agriculture University only.
- (ii) The post graduate degree of the other state candidates should be from ICAR-accredited Agriculture University.

- (iii) The Ph.D. degree nomenclatures are subject to change in accordance with the ICAR-National Core Group-Broad Subject Matter Area (ICAR-NCG-BSMA) Committees' recommendations and its implementation in the respective University.
- (iv) **Ph.D. Programme in Food and Nutrition** under Community Science faculty at **Vasantrao Naik Marathwada Krishi Vidyapeeth, Parbhani** has been temporarily suspended since the academic year, 2021-22 (vide Ref.: VNMKV Registrar's Ltr. No.2020/Admission/Acad-1; Dated: 07/10/2021).
- (v) ***Ph.D. Programme in Food Technology** at **Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri** has been suspended since the academic year, 2020-21 (vide Ref.: D.I. & Dean (F/A), Ltr. No. EDN/DNS/FST/14/2020, Dated: 05/05/2020).

3. General Guidelines towards applying for CET and Eligibility:

- ✓ Candidate must fulfil the eligibility conditions as indicated above. However, eligibility requirements/ criteria applicable at the time of admission will be applicable as to be declared by **MCAER, Pune** in detail in its respective **Ph.D. Admission Prospectus, 2023-24**.
- ✓ The students possessing the required qualifying degree as per the eligibility as laid down in the above Tables and those students, who are appearing/ have appeared for the final year Master's degree examination during the academic year, 2022-23 are eligible to appear for the PhD-CET-2023.
- ✓ Candidate should fill-up the Online Application Form with due care and must ensure that he/she fulfils the eligibility requirements for the CET-examination as well as admission as detailed therein.
- ✓ No certificates/ credentials are required to be attached at the time of submission of online CET-application.
- ✓ The eligibility of the candidate for the CET-examination and admission is not verified until the date of counselling/ reporting/ personal appearance of the candidate during admission rounds, wherein the related documents will be checked and verified accordingly.
- ✓ In case of admission through waiting-list, the documents will be checked and verified by the concerned University at the time of admission.
- ✓ In case the candidate is found Non-eligible at any stage during the admission process, his/ her candidature would be summarily rejected.
- ✓ The candidate is eligible for the respective discipline only. Therefore, the candidate can apply for only one Ph.D. discipline/ stream for this CET.
- ✓ This PG-CET is compulsory for all the aspirants for seeking admission in the said Ph.D. degrees being offered in MH-SAUs (including in-service candidates with same merit criteria as applicable for other applicants).
- ✓ The Use of Scribe (Reader/Writer) and/or Compensatory Time may be allowed to the person with benchmark disability/ies (PwD) and has limitation(s) in reading/writing including that of speed, if so desired by him/her (*Kindly refer Annexure-I*).

4. Examination Fees

A candidate will have to pay the examination fees by using **e-Payment Gateway Link** through various online options, which will be availed in the given **“Ph.D.-CET-2023 Online Application Form”** on portal www.mcaer.org. The said fees shall be paid only through **Net Banking, Debit Card or Credit Card**. Once the online application form is filled-up with candidate’s registration, the facility of paying the Examination Fees will be available by logging-in again through **Candidate’s Login**. The said fees are non-refundable.

The examination fees for Ph.D.-CET to be paid will be as follows:

1. Students belonging to Open (Unreserved) category	:	Rs. 1500/-
2. ^{\$}Students belonging to Reserved category & PwD	:	Rs. 750/-
3. Students belonging to Other States	:	Rs. 1500/-

The CET Examination Fees for the candidates belonging to the Open/ Unreserved category and Other States (OS) i.e. Out of Maharashtra shall be Rs.1500/-; whereas for candidates belonging to the Reserved categories of Maharashtra [Schedule Caste (SC), Schedule Tribe (ST), VJ(a), NT(b), NT(c), NT(d), Other Backward Class (OBC), Special Backward Category (SBC), Economically Weaker Section (EWS), Persons with Disability/ Divyaang (PwD) and Orphan of Maharashtra] shall be Rs.750/-. The extra charges (including MDR/rates and taxes as per the RBI norms) levied on the said fees as applicable therein, are to be borne by the applicant during online payment.

^{\$}For claiming concession in examination fees under reserved category, the candidate must mention his/her category. In absence of reserved category credentials, the candidate belonging to reserved category will be treated as ‘Open category’ for the purpose of CET and should pay the fees of Rs. 1500/- per CET.

The candidate should Register with “Password” in Online Application Form with all his/her biographical and academic credential details followed by the online payment of the applicable examination fees successfully. Thus, when a candidate’s both Online Application Status and Payment Status gets **“Successful”** remarks, then only the said application will be considered as **“Successfully Submitted”**. After submitting the online application form, student should save/ take print of **Application Report (Acknowledgment)**.

The candidate should not send hard copy of CET application form, acknowledgement and supporting documents to the MAUEB, Pune office.

5. Important Dates of Ph.D.-CET-2023[#]

a) Display of Notification with Online Application	: 08/08/2023
b) Last Date of Submission of Online Application	: 23/08/2023 (11:59 pm)
c) Last Date of Online Payment of Exam. Fees	: 24/08/2023 (03:00 pm)
d) Display of Eligible and Non-eligible Candidates' Provisional List	: 31/08/2023
e) Duration for Grievances by Candidate	: 31/08/2023 to 04/09/2023
f) Display of Eligible Candidates' Final List	: 06/09/2023
g) Date of Issuance of Online Admit Cards [@]	: 17/10/2023

[@] To be issued to those candidates, whose online applications have been accepted.

Admit Cards will be available online on www.mcaer.org through Candidate's Login. Candidate should download and print the Admit Card.

h) Examination Date:[#]

Particulars	Day & Date	Time (hrs.)
All CET-Subjects (Streams)	Sunday, 29/10/2023	10:00 to 12:00

i) Display of Answer-Keys of all CET-Subjects (on MCAER website): 06 /11/2023

j) Declaration of Result (on MCAER website): 08/11/2023

[#] Under any unavoidable circumstances, the above-mentioned Dates regarding CET and Result Declaration are subject to change and will be notified on the website (if any).

6. Scheme of Examination

- 1) The Examination will be conducted for **total 200 marks**. The question booklet will contain 200 multiple-choice questions of objective nature along with 4 answer-options. There will not be any choice or option for questions.
- 2) The candidate has to mark the correct answer by darkening the corresponding Circle against the Serial Number of the question in the **OMR answer-sheet** with **black ink ballpoint pen only**. Out of four circles provided for selection of an answer against a question, the candidate should fill up only one circle completely. **CHANGING AN ANSWER IS NOT ALLOWED**. The candidate must fully satisfy himself about the accuracy of the answer before darkening the appropriate circle. The answer once marked is final; any change in the option once marked, done by any method, will amount to an invalid/incorrect response. Each correct answer will be given one mark. **There shall be no negative marking for wrong answers.**
- 3) Scratching, overwriting, tick marking and multiple answers will be considered as wrong answers and no marks will be allotted to them.

- 4) Verification of marks obtained is permitted on applying for the same by emailing from the registered e-mail ID only and mentioning all the application-details of the candidate to: **mauebpune@yahoo.co.in** within three days from the date of declaration of result along with the online payment of **Rs.1000/- per CET-Subject** via IPG link as provided by this Office in reply e-mail.
- 5) The Carbon Copy of OMR sheet will be provided to appeared candidate at the time of CET Examination conclusion.

7. Syllabus of Examination

The syllabus for the CET in each stream/ subject is as per the **National Core Group for PG syllabus**, which was being implemented up to Academic Year, 2022-23 in all the four Maharashtra SAUs.

8. Examination Centers

- The examination centers for conduct of the said Ph.D.-CET are given in the Table below.
- **The candidate should choose carefully any one Examination Centre convenient to him/ her and as per the availability of Ph.D.-CET of Subject(s) to which he/she is to appear.**
- However, the right of allotment or change in the Examination Centre is reserved by the Examination Board.
- Requests for change in opted Examination Centre will not be entertained.

Sr. No.	Name of the Examination Centre	CET-Subjects (Streams)	Exam. Centre Code
1.	Post Graduate Institute, MPKV, Rahuri - 413 722	All Streams	01
2.	College of Agriculture, Dr.PDKV, Akola - 444 104	All Streams	02
3.	College of Agriculture, VNMKV, Parbhani - 431 402	All Streams	03
4.	College of Agriculture, Dr.BSKKV, Dapoli - 415 712	All Streams	04
5.	College of Agriculture, Pune - 411 005	All Streams	05
6.	College of Agriculture, Nagpur - 440 001	All Streams	06

9. Conduct and Discipline

1. Failure of the candidate in making full and correct statements/ details in the application form and/ or suppression of any information would lead to disqualification of the candidate. Such candidate will be debarred from the examination/ entire admission process at any stage.
2. The candidate has to scrupulously follow the instructions given by the Supervisors/ Invigilators at all the stages of examination. Violation of such instructions may lead to cancellation of candidature.
3. Calculators, books, notebooks, written notes, pagers, mobile phones and any other electronic gadgets are not allowed inside the examination hall. Candidate found possessing such material, whether in use or otherwise will be deemed to have been using unfair means and would be liable to disciplinary action.

4. Adopting unfair means or engaging in malpractice in the examination shall render a candidate liable for punishment under “Maharashtra Prevention of Malpractices Act, Universities, Board and Other Specified Examination Act, 1982” and disqualify him/her.
5. Any issue not dealt with herein above will be dealt with, when arising, fully and finally by the competent authority.

10. Filling and Submitting the Application Form

Please note that if applicant commits any mistake in filling-up the online Application Form, it cannot be corrected by this Office. The Board will have no responsibility of any kind for such forms. The erroneous and incomplete applications will not be considered for CET-examination. In such cases, the candidate will not have any right to claim the refund of examination fees.

Candidate should keep a photocopy/ print-out of the online application form (Acknowledgement) applied and examination fees paid details for future correspondence, if required any.

Go to www.mcaer.org → MAUEB (Examination Board) link



The screenshot displays the website for the Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board, Pune. The header includes the board's logo and the text "Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board, Pune. Common Entrance Test 2023 for Admission to Ph.D Programme 2023 - 24".

The main content area features a "Candidate's Login" form with the following fields and options:

- Application No. / Username:
- Password:
- Login button
- [Forgot password?](#)

Instructions for candidates are listed above the form:

- Candidate has to first register by filling the Application Form.
- Candidate can then login using Application No./Username and Password.

The right sidebar contains a "News Update" section with two items:

- NEW** [Download: Ph.D-CET-2023 Information Bulletin](#)
- NEW** [PhD-CET_ Annexure-I \(PH-Using Scribe & Compensatory Time for Divyaang\)](#)

Below the news is a "Contact us" section with the following information:

- For online technical help: 8929207668 (Time 10 AM To 06 PM)
- About payment related query : 02025528519, 02025528119
- Email Address : maueb pune@yahoo.co.in





1. Name of the Candidate : (In Capital Letters)	Surname	Candidate First Name	Father Name
2. Date of Birth : (dd/mm/yyyy)	(Surname)	(First Name)	(Father's Name)
4. Nationality :	DD/MM/YYYY		3. Gender : <input type="radio"/> Male <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/> Transgender
5. Category :	[SELECT] v		
5.1 Economically Weaker Section (EWS) :	[SELECT] v		
5.2 Orphan of Maharashtra :	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No		
5.3 Persons with Disability/Divyaang (PWD):	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No		
6. Address for Communication :	Address line 1		
	Address line 2		
	Address line 3		
City/Village :	City/Village	Pin Code :	Pin
7. District :	District	State :	[SELECT] v
8. Mobile Number :	Mobile Number	9. Alternate Mobile No. :	Alternate Mobile No.
10. E-Mail :	E-mail		
11. Name of the University during Post Graduate Program :	[SELECT] v		
12. Name of Post Graduate Institute :	Write Name & Place of Post Graduate Institute		
13. Write name of the Subject at Post Graduate Degree :	Write name of the Master's Subject (Post Graduate Degree)		
14. Subject (Stream) in which Ph.D-CET is to be given :	[SELECT] v		
15. Examination Centers :	[SELECT] v		
16. Upload Photograph and Signature.			

Instruction for uploading Photograph:
=> Size of photograph must be less than 35kb in .jpg format
=> Height of photograph must be 300 pixel.
=> Width of photograph must be 200 pixel.



Instruction for uploading Signature:
=> Size of Signature must be less than 30kb in .jpg format
=> Height of Signature must be 150 pixel.
=> Width of Signature must be 200 pixel.



17. Choose your password (Kindly remember this password for further Student's Login)

Password :

Re-Enter Password :

Important Notes :-

1. Applicant does not need to submit any hard copy / documents to this Office.
2. This Application will be considered as valid for the Examination, only after successful Online Payment.

Declaration

1. I hereby declare that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that if any information herein is found to be incorrect or incomplete, my application form is liable to be rejected / admission may be cancelled.
2. I have read and understood all the provisions contained in the said information bulletin and hereby agree to abide by these provisions.

** Please recheck the Application form before Submitting*

I have checked all the entries in this part of application and found correct.

Submit





Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board, Pune.
Common Entrance Test ~~2022~~ for Admission to Ph.D Programme 202³

Details for Payment

Username (Application No.) :	222000001
Applicant's Name :	DRAVID RAHUL SHARD DRAVID SHARAD
Date of Birth :	01/07/1994
Category :	01-Open
Subject (Stream) in which Ph.D-CET is to be given :	01 - Agronomy
Examination Centre :	Post Graduate Institute, MPKV, Rahuri - 413722
Exam. Fees to be paid online :	Rs.1

Please Note down your Application No. as User ID for further procedure.

Payment Procedure:

1. Exam fees payment can be done through various options like **Online/ Net Banking, Bank ATM-cum-Debit Card, Bank Debit Card and Credit Card**
2. Banks charges/taxes, if applicable will be recovered by the bank at the time of payment from the Applicant.
3. After online payment, please Login and check the Payment Status, if **Successful/ Pending/ Failed**. If your payment status is Pending/Failed or in case of any problem, please contact on the helpline number available on application link with Bank Reference ID or contact to landline number of MAUEB, Pune (020-25528519/020-25528119) or email on maueb pune@yahoo.co.in
4. Overpayment will not be refunded on any grounds.
5. Student should preferably pay this exam fees using his/her own bank account.

Make Online Payment



(In case of Pending or Failed Online Payment status, following message will be seen)

The screenshot shows the user interface of the Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board. The header includes the board's logo and the text "Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board, Pune" and "Common Entrance Test 2023 for Admission to PhD Degree Programme for A.Y. 2023". The user's profile is visible on the left, with a navigation menu containing "Home", "My Profile", "Online Payment", "Application Print/Acknowledgment", and "Logout". The main content area displays the user's name "Hi RAHUL," and their details: "Username (Application No.): 221000023", "Name: DRAVID RAHUL SHARAD", "Date of Birth: 01/03/1989", "Mobile no: 1234567890", and "Email id: rahul123@yahoo.co.in". A highlighted box shows the payment status as "Payment Status : ⚠ Pending" and "Application Status : ⚠ Pending". A note below states: "Note* : After Online Payment, Candidate should check Payment Status. If amount is debited from your account, then click Online Payment link for verification Payment Status." The footer contains the copyright information: "Copyright Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board, Pune".

OR

(In case of 'Successful' Online Payment, following message will be seen)

The screenshot shows the user interface of the Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board. The header includes the board's logo and the text "Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board, Pune" and "Common Entrance Test 2023". The user's profile is visible on the left, with a navigation menu containing "Home", "My Profile", "Application Print/Report", and "Logout". The main content area displays the user's name "Hi RAHUL," and their details: "Username (Application No.): 221000023", "Name: DRAVID RAHUL SHARAD", "Date of Birth: 01/03/1989", "Mobile no: 1234567890", and "Email id: rahul123@yahoo.co.in". A highlighted box shows the payment status as "Payment Status : ✓ Successful" and "Application Status : ✓ Successful".





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Payment Receipt

Username (Application No.):	222000001
Transaction ID	15718815331
Amount (Rs.):	1500.00
First Name:	RAHUL SHARD DRAVID
Email ID:	abhibhapkar@yahoo.co.in
Transaction Status:	Successful
Transaction Date and Time: (YYYY/MM/DD H:M:S)	2022-08-22 16:21:24

Note:

If your payment status is "Successful", then Login below and save/take the **Application Report /Acknowledgment**.

If your payment status is "Failed", then Login below and make payment.

[Click here for Login](#)




Activate Windows
Go to Settings to activate Windows



After 'Successful' Online Payment Status and Application Status, Candidate should go to "APPLICATION REPORT (ACKNOWLEDGEMENT)" link provided in left side as shown in above image.



Application Report (Acknowledgement)

Maharashtra Agricultural Universities Examination Board, Pune. Common Entrance Test 2022 for Admission to Ph.D Programme 2022 - 23		
Application Print (Acknowledgement)		
Application No. :	22200001	
Name of the Candidate :	DRAVID RAHUL SHARD DRAVID SHARAD	
Date of Birth :	01/07/1994	
Gender :	Male	
Nationality :	INDIAN	
Category :	01-Open	
Economically Weaker Section (EWS) :		
Orphan of Maharashtra :		
Persons with Disability(Divyang) (PWD) :		
Address :	A	
	A	
	A	
City/Village :	A	
Pin Code :	418002	
District :	A	
State :	21-MAHARASHTRA	
Mobile Number :	9595297369	
Alternate Mobile No. :	9595297369	
E-Mail :	abhishapian@yahoo.co.in	
Name of the University during Post Graduate Program :	01 MPKV RAHURI	
Name of Post Graduate Institute :	Name of Post Graduate Institute	
Name of the Subject at Post Graduate Degree :	Write name of the Subject at Post Graduate Degree	
Subject (Stream) in which Ph.D.-CET is to be given :	01 - Agronomy	
Examination Centre :	Post Graduate Institute, MPKV, Rahuri - 413722	
Transaction ID (Bank Reference No.) :	15718028539	
Transaction Date and Time (YYYYMMDD H.M.S) :	2022-08-22 13:44:03	
Amount (Rs.) :	1.00	
		 Signature of the Candidate

11. Disclaimer:

The Common Entrance Tests (CET) for various faculties/ streams are planned for the students towards admission to various Doctoral Degree Programmes in the State Agricultural Universities (SAUs) in Maharashtra. As some changes are likely to occur during every academic year viz., curriculum, eligibility criteria for admission, degree nomenclature etc.; students should refer to the Ph.D. Admission Prospectus-2023-2024. Therefore, the final prescribed eligibility for admission to various Doctoral Degree programmes would be as mentioned in the Admission Prospectus being published by MCAER, Pune.

The applicant cannot claim admission to any faculty without prescribed eligibility to the respective faculty/ stream merely by appearing for the said CET. The admission will be given on verification of original documents as per the eligibility criteria of respective degree programme(s) by the MCAER, Pune and admitting University.

महाराष्ट्र कृषि विद्यापीठे परीक्षा मंडळ, पुणे

**असक्षम लक्षणीय दिव्यांग उमेदवारांकरीता सामाईक प्रवेश परीक्षेदरम्यान लेखनिकाच्या
आणि/अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधी वापरासंबंधी मार्गदर्शक सुचना
Guidelines regarding use of Scribe (Reader/Writer) and/or Compensatory Time
by the Candidates with limitations/ benchmark disabilities to read/write during
CET Examination**

केंद्र शासनातर्फे दिव्यांग व्यक्ती हक्क अधिनियम, २०१६ अंतर्गत तरतुदी व कार्यालयीन ज्ञापन क्र.३४-०२/२०१५/डीडी-तीन, दि.२९ ऑगस्ट,२०१८ नुसार लक्षणीय (benchmark) दिव्यांगत्व असलेल्या व्यक्तीची परीक्षा आयोजित करण्याकरीता व लिहण्यास असक्षम असलेल्या लक्षणीय दिव्यांग उमेदवारांकरीता परीक्षेच्या वेळी उपलब्ध लेखनिक आणि/अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधी वापर करण्याच्या अनुषंगाने खालील मार्गदर्शक सुचना विहित करण्यात येत आहेत:

१. दिव्यांग व्यक्ती हक्क अधिनियम, २०१६ नुसार किमान ४० टक्के लक्षणीय (benchmark) दिव्यांगत्व असलेल्या उमेदवाराने मागणी केल्यास, त्यास परीक्षा मंडळाने विहित केलेल्या अटीच्या अधीन राहून लेखनिक (Scribe) व अनुग्रह कालावधी (Compensatory/ Extra time) अनुज्ञेय राहिल.
२. लेखनिक आणि/अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधीची सुविधा घेण्याकरिता लक्षणीय (benchmark) दिव्यांगत्व असलेल्या उमेदवाराने शासनाकडून वेळोवेळी विहित करण्यात आलेल्या नमुन्यातील वैध **दिव्यांगत्वाबाबतचे प्रमाणपत्र (Certificate of disabilities)** धारण करणे व ते विनंती अर्जासोबत (प्रपत्र-१), तसेच परीक्षेच्या वेळी सादर करणे आवश्यक आहे.
३. लेखनिकाची आणि/अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधीची आवश्यकता असलेल्या दिव्यांग उमेदवाराने केंद्र शासनाच्या दिनांक २९ ऑगस्ट,२०१८ रोजीच्या मार्गदर्शक सुचनांद्वारे विहित करण्यात आलेले दिव्यांगत्वमुळे उमेदवार स्वतः उत्तरे लिहण्यासाठी सक्षम नसल्याबाबतचे विहित प्राधिका-याने प्रमाणित केलेले **प्रमाणपत्र (Certificate regarding physical limitation in an examinee to read/write)** धारण करणे व ते परीक्षेच्या वेळी सादर करणे आवश्यक आहे (प्रमाणपत्राचा नमुना **प्रपत्र-२** सोबत जोडण्यात आला आहे).
४. खालील दिव्यांगत्व प्रकारातील उमेदवारांनी उत्तरे लिहण्यासाठी सक्षम नसल्याबाबतचे प्रमाणपत्र (Certificate regarding physical limitation in an examinee to read/write) सादर करणे, अनिवार्य नाही.
 - १) अंधत्व (Blindness)
 - २) अस्थीव्यंग (दोन हात प्रभावीत) (Locomotor disability -both arm affected -BA)
 - ३) मेंदूचा पक्षाघात (Cerebral Palsy)
५. अशा उमेदवाराने स्वतः लेखनिकाची व्यवस्था करावी व खालील महत्वाच्या बाबींचे पालन करावे:
 - ५.१. लेखनिकाची शैक्षणिक अर्हता उमेदवाराच्या शैक्षणिक अर्हतेपेक्षा किमान एक टप्पा कमी असणे आवश्यक आहे.
 - ५.२. लेखनिक हा, कृषि किंवा संलग्न पदवी अथवा पदविका परीक्षा देत/ दिलेला नसावा.
 - ५.३. दिव्यांग उमेदवारास ज्या परीक्षेकरिता लेखनिकाची मदत घ्यावयाची आहे, त्या परीक्षेकरिता संबंधीत लेखनिक त्याच वर्षी किंवा त्यापूर्वी कोणत्याही वर्षी उमेदवार असल्यास, उमेदवारास अशा लेखनिकाची निवड करता येणार नाही.

- ५.४ एखाद्या व्यक्तीने एका उमेदवारास लेखनिक म्हणून मदत केल्यास सदर व्यक्ती त्याच उमेदवारास पुन्हा पुढील परीक्षांमध्ये लेखनिक म्हणून मदत करू शकेल. परंतु, लेखनिक म्हणून एखाद्या उमेदवाराला मदत केलेली व्यक्ती दुस-या उमेदवाराला लेखनिक म्हणून काम पाहू शकणार नाही.
- ५.५ कृषि विद्यापीठांमार्फत एखाद्या पदावर निवड झालेली व्यक्ती दिव्यांग उमेदवारास लेखनिक म्हणून काम पाहू शकणार नाही.
- ५.६ वेगवेगळ्या विषयांच्या पेपरसाठी वेगवेगळे लेखनिक घेण्याची दिव्यांगास परवानगी राहिल. तथापि, एका विषयाकरिता एकच लेखनिक घेता येईल. उमेदवाराने त्याच्या विनंती अर्जांमध्ये त्याप्रमाणे स्पष्ट उल्लेख करणे आवश्यक आहे.
- ५.७ **लेखनिकाच्या मदतीची आवश्यकता असलेल्या उमेदवाराने खालील कागदपत्रे सोबत जोडलेल्या प्रपत्र नमुन्यामध्ये सादर करणे आवश्यक आहे.**

(१) **विनंती अर्ज (प्रपत्र-१)**

(२) **उमेदवाराच्या ऑनलाईन अर्ज छायांकित प्रत (Application Print/Acknowledgment of PG/Ph.D-CET-2023 Online Application Form)**

(३) शासननिर्णय, सार्वजनिक आरोग्य विभाग, क्रमांक अप्रकि-२०१२/प्र.क्र.२९७/आरोग्य-६, दिनांक ६ ऑक्टोबर, २०१२ अथवा शासन निर्णय, सार्वजनिक आरोग्य विभाग, क्रमांक अप्रवि-२०१८/सीआर-४६/आरोग्य-६, दिनांक १४ सप्टेंबर, २०१८ नुसार संगणक प्रणालीद्वारे वितरीत करण्यात आलेले **विहित नमुन्यातील व कायमस्वरूपी किमान ४० टक्के दिव्यांगत्व असल्याबाबतच्या प्रमाणपत्राची छायांकित प्रत.**

(४) **दिव्यांगत्वामुळे उमेदवार स्वतः उत्तरे लिहिण्यासाठी सक्षम नसल्याबाबत विहित प्राधिकारा-याने प्रमाणित केलेल्या प्रमाणपत्राची छायांकित प्रत (Certificate regarding physical limitation in an examinee to read/write)**
(सोबत जोडलेल्या नमुन्यामध्ये प्रपत्र-२)

(५) **लेखनिकाच्या आधार कार्डची छायांकित प्रत**

(६) **स्वतःचा लेखनिक वापरण्यासंदर्भात मुळ वचनपत्र (Undertaking) (प्रपत्र-३)**

६. **केवळ अनुग्रह कालावधीची (Compensatory/ Extra time) मागणी करणा-या उमेदवाराने वरील नमुद ५.७ मधील केवळ (१),(२),(३) व (४) प्रमाणे कागदपत्रे सादर करणे अनिवार्य आहे.**

७. लेखनिकाची मदत घेणारे केवळ अनुग्रह कालावधीची मागणी केलेल्या दिव्यांग उमेदवारांना परीक्षेच्या प्रत्येक तासांसाठी वीस मिनिटे याप्रमाणे एकूण ४० मिनिटे अनुग्रह कालावधी (Compensatory/ Extra time) अनुज्ञेय राहिल.

८. लेखनिक आणि/अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधीकरीता केलेला विनंती अर्जातील तपशील संपूर्णपणे भरलेला असणे व त्या उमेदवाराची स्वाक्षरी/अंगठा तसेच, लेखनिकाची स्वाक्षरी (लागू असल्यास) असणे आवश्यक आहे.

९. **दिव्यांग उमेदवारांनी आवश्यक कागदपत्रासह केलेल्या विनंती अर्जाची सॉफ्टकॉपी संबंधित मा. परीक्षा केंद्र प्रमुख व मा. नियंत्रक, महाराष्ट्र कृषि विद्यापीठे परीक्षा मंडळ, पुणे mauebpune@yahoo.co.in यांना दि. .२०२३ अथवा परीक्षेपूर्वी सादर करावी.**

१०. दिव्यांग उमेदवारांनी आवश्यक कागदपत्रासह केलेल्या विनंती अर्जाची व त्यांच्या प्रमाणपत्रांची तपासणी करून परीक्षेच्या वेळी मूळ प्रमाणपत्रांची पडताळणी करण्याचे अधीन राहून त्यांना मागणीप्रमाणे लेखनिकाची अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधीची परवानगी देण्यात येईल.

११. लेखनिकाची आणि/अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधीची मागणी केलेल्या दिव्यांग उमेदवारांनी परीक्षा सुरु होण्याच्या पूर्वी संबंधित केंद्र प्रमुख/ समवेक्षक यांचेकडे सर्व संबंधित मुळ प्रमाणपत्रे तपासणीकरिता सादर करणे आवश्यक आहे.

१२. काही अपवादात्मक परिस्थितीत परीक्षा सुरु होण्यापूर्वी ऐनवेळी लेखनिक बदलास मान्यता देण्याचे अधिकार संबंधीत परीक्षा केंद्र प्रमुखांना राहतील.
१३. उमेदवाराने स्वतः लेखनिकाची व्यवस्था केल्यास त्याच्या मानधनाची व्यवस्था उमेदवारास करावी लागेल.
१४. लेखनिकाने प्रश्न वाचून दाखवल्यानंतर उमेदवाराने सांगितलेले उत्तरच विहित ठिकाणी छायांकित करणे/लिहिणे अपेक्षित आहे. उत्तराच्या निवडीबाबत अथवा लेखनिकाने कोणत्याही प्रकारे हस्तक्षेप/मार्गदर्शन/सुचना करू नये. लेखनिकाने परीक्षा कालावधीत प्रश्नोत्तराबाबत अथवा इतर कोणत्याही विषयी उमेदवारांशी चर्चा/गप्पा करू नयेत, तसेच, इतर लेखनिक/उमेदवार यांच्याशी बोलू नये. परीक्षा मंडळ कार्यालयाकडून अथवा परीक्षेच्या व लेखनिकावरील इतर कायदेशीर कारवाईसह संबंधित उमेदवाराची उमेदवारी रद्द करण्यात येईल अथवा परीक्षा मंडळ/कृषि विद्यापीठांच्या स्वेच्छाधिकारानुसार पुढील प्रक्रियेकरीता प्रतिरोधित (Debar) करण्यात येईल.
१५. लेखनिक उपलब्ध करून देण्यात आलेल्या दिव्यांग विद्यार्थ्यांस परीक्षा केंद्र प्रमुखांनी उपलब्ध करून दिलेली बैठक व्यवस्था अनुज्ञेय राहिल.



नियंत्रक

महाराष्ट्र कृषि विद्यापीठे परीक्षा मंडळ, पुणे

Maharashtra Agricultural University Examination Board, Pune

Guidelines regarding use of Scribe /Reader and/or Compensatory Time by the Candidates with limitation/benchmark disabilities to read/write during CET examination

- 1) The facility of Scribe/Reader/Writer should be allowed to any person with benchmark disability as defined under section 2(r) of the RPWD Act, 2016 and O.M. No.3402/2015/DD-III, dtd. 29.08.2018 and has limitation in reading/writing including that of speed if so desired by him/her.
- 2) The candidate should have the discretion of opting for his own Scribe/Reader/Writer.
- 3) It shall be ensured that qualification of the Scribe should not be more than the minimum qualification criteria of the examination. However, the qualification of the Scribe should always be matriculate or above from non-agriculture courses.
- 4) In case the candidate is allowed to bring his own Scribe/Reader, the qualification of the Scribe/Reader should be one step below the qualification of the candidate taking examination. The persons with benchmark disabilities opting for own Scribe/Reader should submit details of the own Scribe as per proforma provided herewith at **Annexure-I or -XI**.
- 5) There should be flexibility in accommodating any change in Scribe/Reader in case of emergency as to be decided by respective Exam. Centre Incharge.
- 6) The 'Disability Certificate' and 'Certificate regarding physical limitation in an Examinee to read/write' issued by the Competent Govt. Medical Authority at any place should be accepted from across the country.
- 7) The "Extra time or Compensatory time" should not be less than **20 minutes per hour of examination** for persons who are allowed the use of own Scribe. All such candidates with benchmark disability not availing the facility of Scribe also be allowed additional time of **maximum 40 minutes** for this CET-Examination.
- 8) Proper seating arrangement (preferably on the ground floor) should be made prior to the commencement of examination to avoid confusion or discussion during the day of the exam. However, the seating arrangement made by respective Exam. Centre Incharge will be mandatory for such candidate.
- 9) It is to ensure that the above guidelines are scrupulously followed, while appearing for and conducting the CET examination for persons with benchmark disabilities to use their own Scribe with compensatory time or only to use compensatory time without Scribe.
- 10) Such candidate should apply to the respective **Exam. Centre Incharge and the Controller, MAUEB, Pune (mauebpune@gamil.com)** by e-mailing their application with relevant given proforma **on or before Exam. Day**.

Sd/-

**Controller
MAUEB, Pune**

प्रपत्र-१
(विनंती अर्ज)

दिव्यांग व्यक्तीसाठी लेखनिक व/किंवा अनुग्रह कालावधी मिळण्याबाबत
दिनांक -----२०२३ अथवा परीक्षेपूर्वी पुर्वी सादर करावयाचा विनंती अर्ज

प्रति,

मा. परीक्षा केंद्र प्रमुख,
(PG-CET-2022/ Ph.D.-CET-2023)
परीक्षा केंद्र: -----

विषय :- दिव्यांग उमेदवारास परीक्षेच्या वेळी लेखनिक (Scribe) व/किंवा अनुग्रह कालावधीचा
(Compensatory/ Extra time) वापर करणेबाबत...

महोदय,

मी दिव्यांग उमेदवार असून महाराष्ट्र कृषि विद्यापीठे परीक्षा मंडळातर्फे आयोजित PG/PhD-CET-2023 या सामाईक प्रवेश प्रक्रियेसंदर्भात प्रसिध्द करण्यात आलेल्या जाहिरातीस अनुसरून परीक्षा मंडळास अर्ज सादर केला आहे.

१. सादर परीक्षेच्या उमेदवारी संदर्भातील माझी माहिती खालीलप्रमाणे आहे:

- १) उमेदवाराचे नाव
- २) Application No. (अर्ज क्रमांक).....
- ३) परीक्षेचा प्रस्तावित दिनांक
- ४) प्रोफाईलमधील नोंदणीकृत भ्रमणध्वनी क्रमांक:
- ५) प्रोफाईलमधील नोंदणीकृत ई-मेल आयडी :

२. मी **Blindness/ Locomotor disability-both arm affected-BA/ Cerebral palsy** [अंधत्व, अस्थीव्यंग (दोन हात प्रभावीत), मेंदूचा पक्षाघात किंवा इतर दिव्यांगत्व] या दिव्यांगत्व प्रकारातील व्यक्ती असून परीक्षेच्या वेळी स्वतः उत्तरे लिहिण्यासाठी मी सक्षम नाही. दिव्यांग उमेदवारांना लेखनिक पुरविण्या संदर्भातील शासनाच्या तसेच परीक्षा मंडळाच्या नियम/सुचनांनुसार मला **लेखनिकाची/ अनुग्रह कालावधीची** आवश्यकता आहे.

३. विहित दिव्यांगत्वाबाबतच्या सक्षम प्राधिका-याने प्रदान केलेल्या वैध प्रमाणपत्राची प्रत सोबत जोडली आहे.

४. प्रस्तुत परीक्षेकरिता लेखनिकाची व्यवस्थ मी स्वतः करणार असून लेखनिक म्हणून मी निवडलेल्या व्यक्तीचा तपशील खालीलप्रमाणे आहे (लागू असल्यास, खालील तपशील भरावा):

- ४.१ लेखनिकाचे नाव :
- ४.२ लेखनिकाचा जन्मदिनांक :
- ४.३ लेखनिकाचे जन्मठिकाण :
- ४.४ लेखनिकाचा कायम रहिवासाचा पत्ता :
- ४.५ लेखनिकाचा ओळखपत्र क्रमांक:
- (आधार कार्ड, पॅन कार्ड, स्मार्ट कार्ड प्रकारचे ड्रायव्हिंग लायन्सस, मतदान ओळख पत्र, पासपोर्ट यापैकी एक)
- ४.६ लेखनिकाचा आधार क्रमांक:
- ४.७ मोबाईल नंबर: १. उमेदवार २. लेखनिक
- ४.८ लेखनिकाची शैक्षणिक अर्हता:
- ४.९ उमेदवाराचे लेखनिकाशी नाते (असल्यास) :
- ४.१० लेखनिकानाची कृषि विद्यापीठांमार्फत कोणत्याही पदावर निवड झाली आहे काय? होय/ नाही
- ४.११ कृषि किंवा संलग्न पदवी/पदविका परीक्षा देत/ दिली आहे काय? होय/ नाही
- ४.१२ लेखनिकाने यापूर्वी एखाद्या उमेदवारास मदत आहे काय? होय/ नाही (केली असल्यास)
- १) उमेदवाराचे नाव :
- २) परीक्षेचे नाव : **PG-CET-2023 / PhD-CET-2023**
- ३) उमेदवाराचा बैठक क्रमांक: (Exam. Seat No.)

५. दिव्यांग उमेदवारांना लेखनिक पुरविण्यासंदर्भातील सर्व सुचना आम्ही वाचल्या असून त्यांचे काटेकारेपणे पालन करण्याबाबत हमी देतो.
६. लेखनिकाची मदत घेण्याबाबत अथवा अनुग्रह कालावधी घेण्याबाबत विहित निकषाची उमेदवारांकडून पूर्तता होत नाही अथवा उमेदवाराने स्वतःबद्दल तसेच लेखनिकाबद्दल दिलेली माहिती चुकीची/खोटी असल्याचे अथवा उमेदवारांकडून अथवा लेखनिकाकडून कोणतीही माहिती दडवून ठेवल्याचे कोणत्याही टप्प्यावर निदर्शनास आल्यास उमेदवाराची तसेच लेखनिकाची संबंधित परीक्षेची उमेवारी रद्द करून उमेदवारास व लेखनिकास परीक्षा मंडळ/ कृषि परिषदेच्या स्वेच्छाधिकारानुसार प्रतिरोधित करण्यात येईल, अथवा इतरही कायदेशीर, कार्यवाही करण्यात येईल. अशा प्रकरणी संबंधीताची प्रवेश प्रक्रिया झाली असेल तर, त्याची समाप्ती योग्य ठरेल, याची आम्हास जाणीव आहे.

उमेदवाराची स्वाक्षरी/अंगठा.....	लेखनिकाची स्वाक्षरी.....
उमेदवाराचे नाव.....	लेखनिकाचे नाव
दिनांक	दिनांक
	(लागू असल्यास)

सोबत:

- १) दिव्यांगत्वाबाबतच्या विहित वैद्यकिय प्रमाणपत्रांची छायांकित प्रत,
- २) उमेदवाराच्या ऑनलाईन अर्ज **छायांकित प्रत (Application Print/Acknowledgment Report)**,
- ३) दिव्यांग उमेदवार स्वतः उत्तरे लिहीण्यास सक्षम नसल्याचे प्रमाणपत्र (प्रपत्र-२) (Certificate regarding physical limitation in an examinee to read/write),
- ४) लेखनिक वापरासंबंधीचे वचन-पत्र (प्रपत्र-३)(Undertaking for using own scribe) (लागू असल्यास),
- ५) लेखनिकाच्या आधार कार्डची/ओळखपत्राची उमेदवाराने व लेखनिकाने स्वसाक्षात्कृत केलेली प्रत (लागू असल्यास).

प्रत: मा. नियंत्रक, महाराष्ट्र कृषि विद्यापीठे परीक्षा मंडळ, पुणे यांना माहितीस्तव ई-मेल व्दारे **maueb pune@yahoo.co.in** सविनय सादर.

प्रपत्र-२

Certificate regarding physical limitation in an Examinee to read/write
(दिव्यांग उमेदवार स्वतः उत्तरे लिहिण्यास सक्षम नसल्याचे प्रमाणपत्र)

This is to certify that, I have examined Mr./Ms./Mrs.
..... (Full name of the Candidate with disability), a person
with (Nature and percentage
of disability as mentioned in the certificate of disability),
S/o/D/o....., a resident of
..... (Village/ District/ State) and to state
that he/she has physical limitation, which hampers his/her reading/writing capabilities owing to
his/her disability.

Signature

**Chief Medical Officer/ Civil Surgeon/ Medical Superintendent
of a Government Healthcare Institution**

Name and Designation:

Name of Government Hospital/ Health /Care Centre with Seal:

Place:

Date :

*Note: Certificate should be given by a Specialist of the relevant stream/ disability
(e.g. Visual impairment-Ophthalmologist, Locomotor disability- Orthopaedic Specialist/PMR,
Cerebral Palsy, etc.)*

प्रपत्र-३

Letter of Undertaking for Using Own Scribe
(लेखनिक वापरासंबंधीचे वचन-पत्र)

I (Full Name) a candidate with (Name of the disability) appearing for the ~~PG-CET-2023~~/Ph.D-CET-2023 Examination bearing Application No./ Exam. Seat No. at.....(Name of the Exam Centre) in the District of Maharashtra.

My qualification is

I do hereby state that Mr./Ms./Mrs. (Name of the Scribe) will provide the service of Scribe/Reader for the undersigned for taking the aforesaid examination.

I do hereby undertake that his/her qualification is
In case, subsequently, if it is found that his/her qualification is not as declared by the undersigned and is higher than my qualification, I shall forfeit my right to the admission and claims relating thereto.

Signature /Thumb impression of the Candidate with Disability

Place:

Date :