NTA CUET

SECTION II

HUMANITIES DOMAIN PREVIOUS YEAR PAPERS

(HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY, POLITICAL SCIENCE & ECONOMICS)

PREFACE

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About CUET Examination

Common University Entrance Test CUET (UG) will be conducted in 13 mediums across India for admission into the Undergraduate Programmes in Computer Based Test (CBT) mode for all the Central Universities (CUs) like **DU, JNU, JMI, BHU, AMU**, etc. in India for the academic Year.

TESTS DESIGN There are three Sections in the design of the test:

Section IA 13 Languages (As a medium and "Language")	Section IB 20 Languages
Section II 27 Domain Specific Subjects	Section III General Test

MERIT LIST

Merit list will be prepared by participating Universities/ organisations. Universities may conduct their individual counselling on the basis of the score card of CUET (UG) provided by NTA.

Broad features of CUET (UG) are as follows:

Section	Subjects/Tests	Questions to be Attempted	Question Type	Duration
Section IA- Languages Section IB- Languages	There are 13 different languages. Any of these languages may be chosen. There are 20** languages. Any other language apart from those offered in Section IA may be chosen.	40 questions to be attempted out of 50 in each language	Language to be tested through Reading Comprehension (based on different types of passages - Factual, Literary and Narrative, [Literary Aptitude and Vocabulary)	45 minutes for each language
Section II- Domain	There are 27*** Domains specific subjects being offered under this Section. A candidate may choose a maximum of Six (06) Domains as desired by the applicable University/Universities.	40 questions to be attempted out of 50	 Input text can be used for MCQ based questions MCQs based on NCERT Class XII syllabus only 	45 /60**** minutes for each Domain Specific Subjects
Section III- General Test	For any such undergraduate programme/programmes being offered by the Universities where a General Test is being used for admission.	50 questions to be attempted out of 60	 Input text can be used for MCQ based questions General Knowledge, Current Affairs, General Mental Ability, Numerical Ability, Quantitative Reasoning (Simple application of basic mathematical concepts arithmetic/algebra geometry / mensuration/stat taught till Grade 8) 	60 minutes

	Logical and	<u> </u>
	Analytical Reasoning	

- * Languages (13): Tamil, Telugu, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Gujarati, Odiya, Bengali, Assamese, Punjabi, English, Hindi and Urdu
- ** Languages (20): French, Spanish, German, Nepali, Persian, Italian, Arabic, Sanskrit, Sindhi, Kashmiri, Konkani, Bodo, Dogri, Maithili, Manipuri, Santhali, Tibetan, Japanese, Russian, Chinese.
- *** Domain Specific Subjects (27): 1. Accountancy/ Book Keeping, 2. Biology/ Biological Studies/Biotechnology /Biochemistry, 3. Business Studies, 4. Chemistry 5. Computer Science/ Informatics Practices 6. Economics/ Business Economics 7. Engineering Graphics 8. Entrepreneurship 9. Geography/Geology 10. History 11. Home Science 12. Knowledge Tradition and Practices of India 13. Legal Studies 14. Environmental Science 15. Mathematics 16. Physical Education/ NCC /Yoga 17. Physics 18. Political Science 19, Psychology 20. Sociology 21. Teaching Aptitude 22. Agriculture 23. Mass Media/ Mass Communication 24. Anthropology 25. Fine Arts/Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting)/Commercial Arts, 26. Performing Arts (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Oddisi/ Kathakali/Kuchipudi/Manipuri (ii) Drama- Theatre (iii) Music General (Hindustani/ Carnatic/ Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion).
- **** In subjects i.e., Accountancy, Economics, Physics. Computer Science/Informatics Practices and Mathematics and/Applied Mathematics and General Test, duration of the test will be 60 minutes. For all other subjects, the duration of the test will of 45 minutes.
- 27. Sanskrit/For all Shastri (Shastri 3 years/ 4 years Honours) Equivalent to B.A./B.A. Honours courses i.e., Shastri in Veda, Paurohitva (Karmakand), Dharamshastra, Prachin Vyakarana, Navya Vyakarana, Phalit Jyotish, Siddhant Jyotish, Vastushastra, Sahitya, Puranetihas, Prakrit Bhasha, Prachin Nyaya Vaisheshik, Sankhya Yoga, Jain Darshan, Mimansa, Advaita Vedanta. Vishihstadvaita Vedanta, Sarva Darshan, a candidate may choose Sanskrit as the Domain.
 - A candidate can choose a maximum of any 3 languages from Section IA and Section IB taken together. However, the (one of the languages chosen needs to be in lieu of 6th domain specific Subjects).
 - Section II offers 27 Subjects, out of which a candidate may choose a maximum of 6 Subjects.
 - Section III comprises General Test.
 - For choosing Languages (upto 3) from Section IA and IB and a maximum of 6 Subjects from Section II and General Test under Section III, the candidate must refer to the requirements of his/her intended University.

Broad features of CUET (UG) are as follows:

Mode of the Test	Computer Based Test-CBT		
Test Pattern	Objective type with Multiple Choice Questions		
Medium	13 languages (Tamil, Telugu, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Gujarati, Odiya,		
Medium	Bengali, Assamese, Punjabi, English, Hindi and Urdu)		
	Section IA & IB: Language to be tested through Reading Comprehension		
	(based on different types of passages- Factual, Literary and Narrative		
	(Literary Aptitude & Vocabulary)		
Syllabus	Section II: As per NCERT model syllabus as applicable to Class XII only		
Synabus	Section III: General Knowledge, Current Affairs, General Mental Ability,		
	Numerical Ability, Quantitative Reasoning (Simple application of basic		
	mathematical concepts arithmetic/ algebra geometry/mensuration/stat		
	taught till Grade 8), Logical and Analytical Reasoning		
Registration	Registration will be online at https://cuet.samarth.ac.in/.		

Level of questions for CUET (UG):

All questions in various testing areas will be benchmarked at the level of Class XII only. Students having studied Class XII Board syllabus would be able to do well in CUET (UG).

Number of attempts: If any University permits students of previous years of class XII to take admission in the current year also, such students would also be eligible to appear in CUET (UG).

Choice of Languages and Subjects: Generally, the languages/subjects chosen should be the ones that a student has opted in his latest Class XII Board examination. However, if any University permits any flexibility in this regard, the same can be exercised under CUET (UG) also. Candidates must carefully refer to the eligibility requirements of various Central Universities in this regard. Moreover, if the subject to be studied in the Undergraduate course is not available in the list of 27 Domain Specific Subject being offered, the candidate may choose the Subject closest to his/her choice for e.g. For Biochemistry the candidate may choose Biology.



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