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If any of the rules / norms specified herein, or meanings associated with terms / phrases herein are at variance with those specified in the Information Bulletin of JEE (Main) 2025, then rules / norms / meanings as described in **this document shall supersede** those given in the Information Bulletin of JEE (Main) 2025.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

CRL	Common Rank List
CSAB	Central Seat Allocation Board
DASA	Direct Admission of Students Abroad
EWS	Economically Weaker Section
GEN	General Category
HC	Help Center
IAF-I	Institute Admission Fee-I
IAF-II	Institute Admission Fee-II
IEST	Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology
IIIT	Indian Institute of Information Technology
JAB	Joint Admission Board
JEE	Joint Entrance Examination
JoSAA	Joint Seat Allocation Authority
NEUT	North East and Union Territories
NIT	National Institute of Technology
NIT+ System	NITs, IEST, IIITs, SPAs, and Other-GFTIs
OBC-NCL	Other Backward Classes – Non-Creamy Layer
OCI/PIO	Overseas Citizen of India Certificate Holder or Person of Indian Origin Card Holder
Other-GFTI	Other Technical Institutes Funded Fully or Partially by Central or a State government
PAF	Partial Admission Fee
PI	Participating Institute
PwD	Person with Benchmark Disability
SAF	Seat Acceptance Fee
SC	Scheduled Caste
SPA	School of Planning and Architecture
SREF	Special Round Enrolment Fee
SRPF	Special Round Processing Fee
ST	Scheduled Tribe
VC	Verification Center

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I. Introduction

1. The Central Seat Allocation Board (CSAB), erstwhile Central Counselling Board (CCB), has been constituted by the Ministry of Education, Government of India, for coordinated admissions to various undergraduate degree programs in engineering, technology, and architecture in NITs, IIST, IITs, SPAs, and other-GFTIs (called, the NIT+ System) based on Joint Entrance Examination (JEE Main) rank. In the academic year 2015-16, the CSAB of NIT+ System and Joint Admission Board (JAB) of IITs have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding to facilitate the joint seat allocation through Joint Seat Allocation Authority (JoSAA).

JoSAA-2025 jointly admit candidates for the first year of Engineering/ Technology and Architecture/Planning Programs of IITs and NIT+ System (list displayed on the website: <https://josaa.nic.in>) for the academic session 2025-26. Admission to IITs through JoSAA 2025 is based on the JEE (Advanced) ranks whereas admission to the NIT+ System is based on JEE (Main) ranks of the candidates. There are six rounds of JoSAA 2025.

2. Apart from JoSAA 2025 rounds, CSAB 2025 is also responsible for the following centralized seat allocation processes.
 - (i) **CSAB-Special Rounds:** Upon completion of JoSAA 2025 rounds, if any seats remain vacant in the NIT+ System (excluding seats of IITs), three Special Rounds called CSAB-Special Rounds are conducted by the CSAB 2025 through its own online portal (<https://csab.nic.in>).
 - (ii) **CSAB Supernumerary Round:** The CSAB Supernumerary round of seat allocation is conducted by CSAB 2025 through its online portal (<https://csab.nic.in>) for admission to supernumerary seats in selected NITs (NIT Durgapur, NIT Calicut, SVNIT Surat) for candidates with state of eligibility as Union Territories of Dadra & Nagar Haveli,

Daman & Diu, Lakshadweep, and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

- (iii) **CSAB NEUT Rounds:** CSAB 2025 also conducts CSAB NEUT rounds through its online portal (<https://csab.nic.in>) to allocate seats of AICTE approved institutes under the scheme of “Reservation of seats in Degree Level Technical Courses for States / UTs lacking such facilities in the AICTE-approved institutions” to candidates of the North-Eastern states and Union Territories.
3. The Central Seat Allocation Board (CSAB 2025) has been constituted with the Director, National Institute of Technology Rourkela, as its chairperson vide Office Memorandum F. No. 37-1/2023 - TS.III, dated 11 Oct 2024, issued by the Ministry of Education, Govt. of India.
4. This document lays down the procedure/rules for **CSAB-2025 Special Rounds** for the NIT+ System which will start after the completion of the 6th round of JoSAA-2025. Candidates are advised to read this **Information Brochure** carefully and visit CSAB-2025 website (<https://csab.nic.in>) regularly for updates. The entire counselling process will be conducted ONLINE ONLY. The names of the institutes participating in CSAB-Special 2025 rounds of seat allocation are listed in Annexure-10. The qualifying examination to participate in CSAB-Special 2025 is mentioned below.

Eligibility Table
Qualifying Examination
JEE (Main) 2025 B.E. / B. Tech. Paper
JEE (Main) 2025 B. Arch. Paper
JEE (Main) 2025 B. Plan. Paper
Qualifying in the examinations mentioned above does not guarantee admission in any of the institutes. Each institute / academic program may have additional eligibility requirements. Candidates have to meet all the eligibility requirements to obtain admission.

5. There are various provisions contained in this Information Brochure which may not be reversible. The candidates are strongly advised to exercise their options carefully within the stipulated timeframe and may seek guidance through the grievance redressal mechanism (see Section XXII) provided in this Information Brochure.

The seat allocation process follows a strict timeline. The entire process is on-line and computer operated. No exceptions are possible and therefore, candidates are strongly advised to thoroughly acquaint themselves with these rules laid in this Information Brochure, be vigilant, keep their documents handy and make arrangements for making the requisite payments and completing the requisite formalities, well in advance. It will not be possible to entertain requests for extension of time for completing any activity.

II. Entities

6. The JEE Apex Board (JAB) conducts JEE (Main) 2025 through National Testing Agency (NTA) and the Central Seat Allocation Board [CSAB] 2025 frames the policies and norms for seat allocation to NITs, IEST, IITs, and Other-GFTIs. CSAB 2025 also frames the rules and policies for seat allocation for CSAB-Special, CSAB Supernumerary, and CSAB NEUT.
7. Joint Seat Allocation Authority [JoSAA] 2025 consists of representatives from the JAB 2025 and CSAB 2025.
8. National Informatics Center (NIC) will extend its technical support and expertise for providing the services of e-Counselling and Admission for the above said activities carried out by CSAB 2025.
9. No agency other than CSAB 2025 is responsible for seat allocation to the remaining vacant seats after the completion of JoSAA 2025 at the NIT+ System. Candidates seeking information / assistance from any agency / agent

other than CSAB 2025 shall be doing so at their own risk and cost. There is only ONE official CSAB 2025 website, i.e., <https://csab.nic.in>.

III. General Information

10. CSAB 2025 will be conducting three Special Rounds of seat allotment for which a FRESH REGISTRATION IS MANDATORY as per the schedule given in Annexure-3 of this document.
11. Candidates who are not Indian Nationals (by birth or naturalized) and are not OCI/PIO card holders [Refer to Annexure 7], whether or not they have studied Class XII or equivalent in India or abroad, are not eligible for seat allocation through CSAB-Special 2025 to NITs, IIST, IITs, SPAs, and other-GFTIs.
12. Candidates are strongly advised to keep their login credentials such as login ID and password completely confidential to avoid any misuse. CSAB 2025 will not be responsible for misuse of the login credentials by anyone, and losses/damages consequently, if any.
13. During CSAB-Special rounds or at the time of admission at the admitting institute or later, if any of the information submitted by a candidate is found to be incorrect, invalid, false, or fraudulent, the seat allocated (if any) and the candidature will be cancelled. Moreover, such candidates will no longer be considered eligible for admission and will also be liable for legal action.
14. The final confirmation pertaining to the admission is subject to production of valid and original eligibility documents and their physical verification at the admitting institute. At any stage, if any of the documents is found to be invalid, the allotted seat along with the candidature will be cancelled.
15. Rules related to reservation are as per the norms of the Government of India.
16. Candidates other than those whose documents have been verified successfully in NIT+ System during JoSAA 2025 can update their State of Eligibility,

Nationality, Gender data, and Category (only from Beneficiary to non-Beneficiary Category as per Annexure-5) at the time of CSAB-Special 2025 Registration.

17. Candidates whose documents are verified during JoSAA rounds and their category was changed from OBC-NCL/GEN-EWS/SC/ST to GEN may request to restore their category they had registered with, if they have subsequently acquired valid certificates. Please refer to the schedule given in Annexure-3 of this document. Please visit <https://csab.nic.in> for the web link to request for category restoration.
18. Candidates are advised to visit the websites of respective Institutes for details about the fee structure, fee waiver related rules, campus life, internship, placement opportunities, and infrastructure such as department laboratories, libraries, hostels, sports facilities, etc., to have first-hand information on them before choice filling. CSAB 2025 shall not be responsible for the same.
19. Even though the CSAB-Special verifying officers have verified all the uploaded documents and the PwD status (if applicable), the admitting institute will also verify all the documents at the time physical reporting. The admitting institute may verify the PwD status of the candidates. If the admitting institute finds non-compliance to any eligibility criteria, at the time of physical reporting, the institute has the right to cancel the allocated seat.
20. CSAB 2025 has not appointed any other external agencies/agents for carrying out any activities, except those stated in the information brochure. Any candidate seeking assistance from such unauthorized agencies/agents shall be doing so at their own risk and cost. CSAB 2025 shall neither entertain queries in this regard, nor will it be held responsible regarding the same.
21. CSAB 2025 Special Rounds counselling will be conducted ONLINE through its website <https://csab.nic.in> ONLY. Candidates are cautioned

against similar looking websites, having look-alike abbreviations/domains/websites/URLs and other phishing websites.

22. In case of any doubt or confusion about interpretation of any of the rules/content in this document, the decision/interpretation of CSAB 2025 shall be final and binding.
23. In case of any dispute arising out of the seat allocation process at any stage up to the final allocation of institute and/or program, the decision of Chairman, CSAB 2025 shall be final and binding.
24. All legal cases arising from the CSAB 2025 will be subjected to the courts having jurisdiction over Rourkela.
25. All the candidates who have accepted and paid the Partial Admission Fee (PAF) against the JoSAA 2025 allotted seats and do not want to participate in CSAB-Special 2025 Rounds, need to complete the admission formalities as instructed by the allotted institute (refer to the website of the allotted institute and follow its instructions) as per the schedule in Annexure 3.

IV. Eligible Candidates for CSAB-Special 2025 Rounds

26. All candidates who were eligible in JoSAA for NIT+ System as per JEE (Main) 2025 Ranks and as per eligibility criteria given in Annexure-2, Annexure-6, and Annexure 7 are eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025 Rounds. The details of specific TYPES of eligible candidates are mentioned below.
 - (i) **Type-1.** Candidates who did not register in JoSAA-2025 rounds but are eligible as per the eligibility criteria.
 - (ii) **Type-2.** Candidates who have participated in JoSAA-2025 but have not been allotted any seat.
 - (iii) **Type-3.** Candidates who have participated in JoSAA-2025 and have

been allotted seats but cancelled due to non-payment of Seat Acceptance Fee.

- (iv) **Type-4.** Candidates who have exercised the EXIT option during JoSAA 2025.
- (v) **Type-5.** Candidates who have participated in JoSAA-2025 and have been allotted seats in any IIT and later
 - (a) their seats have been CANCELLED after document verification, OR
 - (b) they have validly WITHDRAWN from their allotted seats, OR
 - (c) they have taken admission therein.
- (vi) **Type-6.** Candidates who have participated in JoSAA-2025 and have been allotted seats in NIT+ System and have already SECURED ADMISSION at the allotted institute by paying the Seat Acceptance Fee (SAF) and Partial Admission Fee (PAF).
- (vii) **Type-7.** Candidates who have participated in JoSAA-2025 and have been allotted seats in NIT+ System and later they have validly WITHDRAWN from their allotted seats.
- (viii) **Type-8.** Candidates who have participated in JoSAA-2025 and have been allotted seats in NIT+ System but later their seats have been CANCELLED after document verification and have not been allotted any seat in any of the subsequent JoSAA-2025 rounds (with their updated credentials provided they fulfill the eligibility).
- (ix) **Type-9.** Candidates who have participated in JoSAA-2025 and have been allotted seats in NIT+ System and have paid Seat Acceptance Fee (SAF) and successfully completed document verification but their seats have been CANCELLED due to non-payment of Partial Admission Fee.

27. Type-6 candidates will be participating in CSAB-Special Rounds while retaining their seats for which they have paid PAF during JoSAA 2025 rounds. In case, a new seat is allotted in CSAB-Special Rounds, then their retained seats will **AUTOMATICALLY GET CANCELLED**, and candidates **will not have any claim** on the previously secured/retained seats. The declaration regarding the same is to be submitted at the time registration for CSAB-Special 2025. The format of the declaration/agreement is mentioned in Annexure-1 of this document.
28. If a candidate fails to register for the CSAB-Special Rounds as per the schedule given in Annexure-3, she/he will not be considered in any of CSAB-Special Rounds of seat allocation.

V. Category Restoration

29. Candidates whose documents are verified during JoSAA rounds and their category was changed from OBC-NCL/GEN-EWS/SC/ST to GEN due to non-submission of valid category certificates, may request to restore their category they had registered with, if they have now acquired valid certificates. Please refer to the schedule in Annexure-3 of this document. Please visit <https://csab.nic.in> for the web link to request for category restoration. The candidates are required to send their category restoration request and upload their valid certificates through this link. The request will be verified by the CSAB-2025 officials and necessary action will be taken as applicable.

VI. CSAB-Special Rounds Seat Allocation Process

30. The CSAB-Special 2025 Seat allocation process involves the following stages:
- (i) Online Registration
 - (ii) Payment of Special Round Enrolment Fee SREF
 - (iii) Online Choice Filling and Locking

- (iv) Special Round-I
 - (a) Seat Allotment
 - (b) Online Reporting
 - Exercise Willingness
 - Upload Documents
 - Pay IAF-II
 - Respond to queries (if any) during document verification
- (v) Special Round-II
 - (a) Seat Allotment
 - (b) Online Reporting
 - Exercise Willingness
 - Upload Documents
 - Pay IAF-II
 - Respond to queries (if any) during document verification
- (vi) Special Round-III
 - (a) Seat Allotment
 - (b) Online Reporting
 - Upload Documents
 - Pay IAF-II
 - Respond to queries (if any) during document verification
- (vii) Physical Reporting at the Allotted Institute

Each of the above stages are described in-detail in the following sections and clauses.

VII. Online Registration

31. Candidates are strongly advised to ensure that they fulfil the eligibility criteria as per Annexure-2, Annexure-6, and Annexure 7 before registration for participation in CSAB-Special 2025.

32. All eligible candidates are required to do a fresh registration online in order to participate in **Special Rounds** through CSAB portal (<https://csab.nic.in>) as per the schedule. **Earlier registration done on JoSAA portal is NOT valid for CSAB-Special Rounds.**
33. Candidates whose documents were not verified by NIT+ System or IIT System during JoSAA rounds can update their State of Eligibility, Nationality, Gender, and Category (only from Beneficiary to non-Beneficiary Category as per Annexure-5) at the time of CSAB-Special 2025 Registration.
34. Candidates whose documents were verified during JoSAA rounds and their category was changed from OBC-NCL/GEN-EWS/SC/ST to GEN may request to restore their category they had registered with, if they have now acquired valid certificates. Please refer to the schedule in Annexure-3 of this document. Please visit <https://csab.nic.in> for the web link to request for category restoration.

VIII. Payment of Special Round Enrolment Fee (IAF-I and SRPF)

35. After registration, all the candidates are required to pay the Special Round Enrolment Fee using Debit card / UPI / Credit card / Net Banking / E-Challan / CSC. Please refer to Section XXII of JoSAA 2025 Business Rule for details on the mode of payments.
36. The CSAB Special Round Enrolment Fee (SREF) is ₹ 40,000/- for GEN/GEN-EWS/OBC-NCL candidates and ₹ 19,000/- for SC/ST/PwD candidates. It includes Institute Admission Fee- I (IAF-I) and a non-refundable Special Round Processing Fee (SRPF) of ₹ 5,000/-. Since Type-6, 7, 8, and 9 eligible candidates have already paid SAF in JoSAA 2025, the balance SAF (excluding the JoSAA processing charges, as applicable) of such candidates will be adjusted as part of SREF. Such candidates are required to pay only the difference amount at the time of registration. In addition to this fee, candidates whose categories were changed (as mentioned in Table 1) during Online

Document Verification in JoSAA 2025 and have not confirmed their seats by paying PAF, are required to pay ₹ 15,000/- which is the difference of SAF in JoSAA for GEN/GEN-EWS/OBC-NCL and SC/ST/PwD candidates. This amount is to be paid along with the Special Round Enrolment Fee.

Table 1: Change of Category during JoSAA-2025 Document Verification

Candidate's Category BEFORE JoSAA-2025 Document Verification	Candidate's CHANGED Category AFTER JoSAA-2025 Document Verification
GEN-PwD	GEN
GEN-EWS-PwD	GEN-EWS
GEN-EWS-PwD	GEN
OBC-NCL-PwD	OBC-NCL
OBC-NCL-PwD	GEN
SC-PwD	GEN
ST-PwD	GEN
SC	GEN
ST	GEN

37. At the time of payment of SREF, candidates are required to enter details of their bank account (Name of Account Holder, Account Number, IFSC, Name of the Bank) **in which they wish to receive their refund amount**, if any, from CSAB 2025. They are also required to upload scanned copy of a cancelled cheque/stamped front page of passbook, of the same bank account.
38. Candidates whose categories were changed (as mentioned in Table 1) during Online Document Verification in JoSAA 2025 and have confirmed their seats by paying PAF, must have paid this difference amount of ₹ 15,000/- at the time of PAF payment.

IX. Online Choice Filling and Locking

39. After the completion of fee payment, all the candidates are required to fill in their **FRESH CHOICES**. The previously filled Choices during JoSAA 2025

rounds (if any) stand **NULL AND VOID** and hence will **NOT** be considered for allotment in CSAB-Special 2025. Candidates are advised to carefully fill their FRESH CHOICES and save them frequently during the process.

In case choices filled in are not saved by the candidate, these will NOT be auto-saved by the system at the end of the choice filling stage and the candidate will NOT be considered for any seat.

40. Registered candidates will be able to fill in their choices. All the programs of the NIT+ System for which they are eligible will be displayed to them, irrespective of vacancy status.
41. Some of the academic programs in various institutes have special eligibility/restrictions for admission based on the criteria laid by the participating institutes, which is available in the website <https://csab.nic.in>. It is the candidates' responsibility to ensure that they fulfill/satisfy special eligibility/restrictions of the academic program before they include the same in the list of choices. The special eligibility/restrictions of allotted academic program shall be verified at the time of online document verification and admission, and in case a candidate fails to fulfill/satisfy, the allocated seat is liable to be canceled.
42. The vacant seat matrix displayed to the candidates is tentative. Some additional vacant seats may become available at a later stage of counselling. Therefore, candidates are advised to fill in their choices of seats irrespective of the vacancy status.
43. The candidates who have **SECURED** seats in JoSAA-2025 rounds after paying PAF are also eligible to participate in **CSAB-Special ROUNDS**. Such candidates, while retaining currently allotted seats, are also required to fill their choices of seats afresh. All valid choices will be shown to the candidates except the last **SECURED** seat at NIT+ System after JoSAA rounds. The last **SECURED** JoSAA seat will automatically be considered as

the last choice for seat allotment. The willingness option (**Float/Slide/Freeze**) exercised by the candidates during JoSAA rounds stand **NULL AND VOID** for CSAB Special Rounds and all the freshly filled in choices in the CSAB Special Rounds will be considered for allotment.

44. Candidates **MUST “lock”** their choices on or before the last day of choice filling. If the candidates **DO NOT** lock their choices, their last saved choices will be locked automatically upon reaching the deadline for choice filling (as per the CSAB-2025 Special Rounds schedule). If no choices are saved, the candidate will not be considered for allotment of any seat. Once locked, the choices filled by the candidates cannot be edited. Candidates willing to edit their locked choices may do so by submitting an online request in the CSAB portal well before the choice filling deadline. An OTP will be sent to the registered mobile number and email, which can be used to validate the unlock request. Once validated, candidate’s choices will be unlocked. Candidates will **NOT** be allowed to edit their choice-list after the deadline for choice filling, i.e., candidates **CANNOT** change the order of their choices **OR** add any more choices **OR** delete any choices from their choice-list after the deadline for choice filling. Candidates are strongly discouraged from sharing their login information/credentials with others.
45. Candidates must fill and save at least one choice of seat to be considered for seat allotment. Candidates who failed to fill and save at least one choice will **NOT** be considered for seat allotment and admission in CSAB-Special Rounds.
46. Candidates must **download and take a printout** of their locked choices. This printout consists of the terms and conditions as agreed by the candidates during choice filling.

X. Provisional offer of seat

47. Seat Allotment result will be published ONLINE only. Candidates can view their allotment status after logging in the CSAB 2025 Portal by using their login credentials.
48. Seat allotment will be carried out according to JEE (Main) - 2025 ranks (CRL) for the vacant seats.
49. It is the candidate's responsibility to login to the portal and check if a seat is allocated in a given round of seat allocation. No separate intimation of seat allocation will be given to the candidate. Schedule of CSAB-Special 2025 activities is available in Annexure-3 of this document.
50. Candidates who have SECURED seats by the last round (6th round) of JoSAA 2025 and are not participating in CSAB 2025 Special Rounds, may undergo category upgradation against their SECURED seats. This means that their earlier allotted seats will be retained in the same program and in the same institute, but the seat category may be upgraded. For example, if a candidate has been allotted a seat in Computer Science and Engineering at NIT Rourkela under OBC-NCL seat category, the candidate's allotted seat category may be upgraded to OPEN seat category while retaining the seat to Computer Science and Engineering at NIT Rourkela, even if the candidate has not participated in CSAB Special Rounds.

XI. Online Reporting

51. A candidate who has been allocated a seat needs to download the "Initial Seat Allotment Intimation Slip" which has information regarding the Seat Allotment and steps to be followed for seat confirmation by the candidate. The candidate MUST proceed for online reporting which comprises of the following mandatory steps:

(i) Exercise willingness

The candidate needs to exercise the willingness against the allocated seat by opting any one of the willingness 'Freeze', 'Slide', 'Float', 'Surrender', or, 'Withdraw' (Details in Section XV).

(ii) Upload Documents

Candidates with willingness option Freeze/Slide/Float are required to upload the necessary documents on their CSAB-2025 portal. This step is NOT applicable for the candidates whose documents have been already verified in NIT+ System successfully during JoSAA-2025 Rounds 1–6. This is also not applicable for the candidates who have exercised the willingness option SURRENDER or WITHDRAW. Candidates are required to upload the documents as mentioned in Annexure-4 of this document.

(iii) Pay IAF-II

The candidate MUST pay the IAF-II for continuing with the CSAB-Special seat allocation process to avail the seat in NIT+ System. The documents uploaded by the candidate will not be verified unless the candidate pays the IAF-II. At the time of online reporting, the candidates have to remit the IAF-II only in the round in which the seat is allotted for the first time.

Non-payment of the IAF-II is one of the ways to reject the offered / allocated seat and will be treated as a rejection of the allocated seat by the candidate. In such a situation, the candidate will no longer be able to participate in the seat allocation process in the subsequent rounds, if any. Please refer to Section XVI for details on IAF-II payment.

(iv) Respond to queries (if any)

After a candidate is allocated a seat, she/he needs to exercise the willingness option, upload all the required documents, and pay the IAF-II. The verifying officials will then verify all the uploaded documents to ensure that the candidates meet all the eligibility criteria. Please see Section XII for details on document verification.

If all the documents are found to be valid and all the eligibility criteria are met by the candidate, the allocated seat will be provisionally confirmed and the candidate will be notified on the online CSAB-Special 2025 portal. However, the final acceptance is contingent on joining and successful verification of certificates in physical mode by the provisionally allotted institute and completing the payment of the balance institute fee, if any.

At the time of document verification, if the document verifying officer raises any query, the candidate must respond in online mode (through candidate portal) within the stipulated time. Failure to respond to the query(ies) on time will lead to cancellation of the allotted seat and the candidate will no longer be able to participate in the subsequent rounds of CSAB-Special 2025, if any. It is the responsibility of the candidate to check the online portal at regular intervals of time and respond to queries (if any) without fail within the stipulated time. No separate intimation will be given to the candidates.

Failure to successfully reply to the query(ies) raised would lead to seat cancellation and will be considered as rejection of the offer and the candidate would have forfeited the eligibility for admissions to any of the institutes through CSAB-Special 2025

NOTE: Failure to complete all the steps of “Online Reporting” for seat acceptance, within the time given, will be considered as rejection of the offer and the candidate would have forfeited the eligibility for admissions to any of the institutes through CSAB-Special 2025 and will not be able to participate in the seat allocation process in the subsequent rounds, if any.

XII. Document Verification

52. After seat allotment, if the candidate opts for **Freeze/Slide/Float** and pays **IAF-II**, her/his uploaded documents will be verified **ONLINE** by the officials

of the Verification Centers, as per the CSAB-2025 schedule given in Annexure-3, and the final status (Seat Confirmation/Seat Cancellation) will be reflected in the candidates' login portal on CSAB-Special 2025.

53. Document verification is applicable for the candidates whose documents have not been verified in NIT+ System during JoSAA-2025 Rounds 1–6.
54. During document verification process, there may be **queries raised** by the Verifying Officers. The candidates must resolve the queries **by responding in time through their CSAB-Special 2025 login portal** strictly as per the schedule given on CSAB-Special 2025 website.
55. It is the sole responsibility of the candidate to keep checking her/his document verification status and provide necessary documents/information to the Verification Center official through candidate's portal, if required, as per the schedule given in Annexure-3.
56. After successful document verification by CSAB-Special document verifying officials, ensuring that the candidate meets all the eligibility criteria, the allotted seat will be provisionally confirmed. But the final acceptance is contingent on joining and successful verification of certificates in physical mode by the provisionally allotted institute and completing the payment of the balance institute fee, if any.
57. The candidate is not required to visit the Allotted Institute after Special Round-I or Special Round-II, even if a candidate has chosen "**Freeze**" option and her/his status of Online Reporting/Document Verification is successful. Physical reporting at the admitting institute shall be done after Special Round-III, details of which will be available on respective websites of the admitting Institutes.
58. When a candidate is allocated a seat for the first time in any round, steps of "Online Reporting" mentioned in Clause 51 MUST be completed in order to

accept the allocated seat before deadline specified for the same round, which is the round in which seat is allocated. **Failing to complete the “Online Reporting”, within the specified timeline of the same round of CSAB-Special [see Annexure-3 for the round-wise timelines], will lead to cancellation of allocated seat and the candidate will NOT be able to participate in the subsequent rounds, if any.**

59. **Physical Verification for PwD Candidates**

PwD candidates, whose PwD status have not been verified in JoSAA Rounds, are required to be verified for their PwD status as per the following procedure:

(i) For PwD candidates possessing valid UDID card indicating disability:

- Upload the UDID card to the CSAB-Special 2025 portal and select a convenient verification center.
- The chosen verification center will conduct an online verification of the uploaded UDID card.
- The status of UDID card verification will be updated, once the verification is completed by the verifying officer. The candidate can check the status from her/his CSAB-Special portal.
- If the uploaded UDID card is unreadable or defective and is not accepted during online verification, candidates **must visit the same verification center for physical verification** before the end of the counseling round in which they are allotted seats.

(ii) For candidates possessing only PwD certificates:

The candidates possessing PwD certificates are required to approach a convenient verification centre for physical verification after enrolling in the CSAB- 2025 portal by choosing a verification centre and booking the slot of visit.

Physical/Online verification process starts from Jul 30, 2025 and continues through the counseling rounds of CSAB-2025 Special Rounds.

The verification can be done in one of the following two intervals:

Interval 1: Jul 30 (Wednesday) – 03 Aug (Sunday) 2025

Interval 2: During the document verification phase of Special Rounds:

- Aug 5 (Tuesday) – Aug 7 (Thursday), 2025 (during Special Round – I)
- Aug 10 (Sunday) – Aug 12 (Tuesday), 2025 (during Special Round – II)
- Aug 14 (Thursday) – Aug 18 (Monday), 2025 (during Special Round – III)

- ✓ Before candidates come for physical verification, they are required to register on the CSAB-Special 2025 portal.
- ✓ Candidates are required to choose a verification centre in NIT+ System, date, as well as time (FN/AN).
- ✓ It is the candidate's responsibility to plan her/his travel in such a way that the physical verification is completed by the last day of the counseling round in which they are allotted seats (if any) [Please refer to the schedule of CSAB-2025 Special Rounds as mentioned in Annexure-3 of this document]. No exceptions shall be made in this regard.
- ✓ At the time of physical reporting, the admitting institute may verify the PwD status of the candidates.

XIII. Requirement of independent re-verification/online reporting

60. The various cases of independent re-verification/online reporting for the candidates who have filled in choices in both DASA 2025 and CSAB-Special 2025 are delineated in the document titled ***Important information for candidates registering for both DASA 2025 and CSAB-Special 2025***, which

is available in the website <https://csab.nic.in> and <https://dasanit.org>.

XIV. Physical Reporting at the Allotted Institute

61. After completion of CSAB Special Rounds (I, II and III), candidates who have confirmed allotted seats are required to report physically at the Allotted Institute for admission (as per the schedule given in Annexure-3 of this document). They are required to check the instructions available on the websites of the Allotted Institutes and complete all the admission modalities/formalities. **They are also required to pay the balance Institute Fee (as applicable), failing which their allotment may be cancelled and no refund will be admissible.**

XV. Willingness options during the rounds

62. When a candidate is allocated a seat for the first time, during online reporting she/he has to opt for any one of the willingness options, i.e., ‘Freeze’, ‘Float’, ‘Slide’, ‘Surrender’, ‘Withdraw’, which will be applicable for the next round (if any) of seat allocation. The definition of each of these willingness terms is given in this clause. **Not exercising any willingness option signifies rejection of the offered seat and the candidate will not be considered for seat allocation in the further rounds (if any).**

(i) Freeze:

Choosing the option “*Freeze*” means that the candidate accepts the offered seat and indicates that the candidate is content with the allocated academic program and that the candidate **does not want to participate in further rounds of seat allocation while retaining the same seat.** Such candidates will NOT be considered in subsequent rounds of seat allocation, if any. Their chosen seat shall remain allocated to them and shall be provisionally confirmed.

(ii) Float:

Choosing the option “Float” means that the candidate accepts the offered seat and indicates that, if an academic program of higher preference in **any Institute** is offered in subsequent rounds of seat allocation, the candidate will accept it. Else, the candidate will continue with the currently accepted academic program. Such candidates will be considered in subsequent rounds of seat allocation, if any.

(iii) Slide:

Choosing the option “Slide” means that the candidate accepts the offered seat and indicates that, if an academic program of higher preference is offered **within the same Institute** in subsequent rounds of seat allocation, the candidate will accept it. Such candidates will be considered in subsequent rounds of seat allocation, if any.

(iv) Surrender:

Candidate REJECTS the allotted seat and wishes to participate in next Round of seat allotment. Hence the allotted seat will be cancelled. Allotment in the next round will be considered from the choices higher than the surrendered seat. The candidates who have already secured a seat by paying PAF at the end of JoSAA 2025 rounds and have participated in CSAB-Special seat allocation process 2025 can also exercise ‘surrender’ option. **In such case, the candidate will lose the seat irrespective of whether she/he had secured the seat in JoSAA rounds or CSAB-Special rounds.** ‘Surrender’ option will not be available in the last round of seat allocation.

(v) Withdraw:

Candidate REJECTS the allotted/accepted seat and does not wish to participate in subsequent rounds of seat allotment. Hence the allotted/accepted seat will be cancelled irrespective whether the seat was accepted during JoSAA rounds or it is allotted/accepted in CSAB-Special rounds. The candidate will be out of seat allocation process, i.e., she/he shall not be

considered for subsequent round of seat allocation, if any. Further details on 'Withdraw' option are elaborated in Section XVII of this document.

63. In case the candidate has been allocated a seat as per the candidate's first choice, the candidate will not be shown 'Float', 'Slide', and 'Surrender' willingness options. In other words, the candidate has been allocated the best choice as per her/his choice list and therefore, she/he must exercise the willingness option of 'Freeze' in order to retain the seat. **Not exercising the available willingness option in this case will be considered as rejection of the offered seat and the candidate will not be considered for seat allocation in the further rounds (if any).**
64. In case the candidate has been allocated a seat which is other than the candidate's first choice and the candidate wants to retain the seat then she/he MUST choose 'Freeze' option. In case the candidate wants to be considered for a higher choice in her/his list of choices by RETAINING the allocated seat, in subsequent rounds, the candidate **MUST** choose one of the available options (i.e., 'Float', 'Slide'). If the candidate wishes to be considered for a higher choice in her/his list of choices by REJECTING the currently allocated seat, the candidate can choose 'Surrender' option. **Not choosing any of the options in this case will be considered as rejection of the offered seat and the candidate will not be considered for seat allocation in the further rounds (if any).**
65. For candidates who choose the 'Float' or 'Slide' option, allocation of a seat in an academic program of the candidate's higher preference would automatically result in the replacement of the seat accepted by the candidate in the earlier round. Candidates will not have any claims on the previously allocated seats.

(Candidates are thus advised to fill in their list of choices carefully and exercise the options of Freeze, Float, Slide, Surrender, and Withdraw even more carefully).

66. In the last round, all allotments are presumed to be accepted with 'Freeze' option.
67. If a candidate opts 'Freeze' against a seat, the option cannot be changed to 'Float', 'Slide', or 'Surrender' in the subsequent rounds under any circumstances. No communication on this matter shall be entertained.
68. Willingness once exercised, continues to remain the same in case the candidate does not change the willingness in the subsequent rounds (if any). Candidates who exercised 'Freeze' option cannot change to 'Float', 'Slide' or 'Surrender' options. Similarly, candidates who exercised 'Slide' option cannot change to 'Float' or 'Surrender' option.
69. Candidates who have SECURED their seats successfully during JoSAA-2025 by paying PAF and participate in CSAB-Special Rounds, but DO NOT choose any of the options **Freeze/Slide/Float/Surrender/Withdraw**, will be AUTOMATICALLY MOVED to the next special round with '**Float**' as their DEFAULT willingness option. However, if s/he is allocated the seat of first choice then the default willingness option will be '**Freeze**'.
70. The following willingness is applicable only for those candidates who have NOT BEEN ALLOTTED any seat.
 - (i) **Exit:** Those candidates who neither have a SECURED seat in JoSAA 2025 in NIT+ System nor have seat allocated till this round of CSAB-Special Seat Allocation Process 2025 can exercise the option of "EXIT", if they desire. This implies that the candidate is not willing to participate in subsequent rounds of seat allocation (if any). Further details on 'Exit' option are elaborated in Section XVIII.

XVI. Remittance of IAF-II

71. After seat allotment, if the candidate exercises the willingness option **Freeze/Slide/Float and has uploaded all the required documents**, she/he **MUST** pay the **IAF-II** using Debit card / UPI / Credit card / Net Banking / E-Challan / CSC. Please refer to Section XXII of JoSAA 2025 Business Rule for details on the mode of payments. The IAF-II is ₹ 35,000/- for GEN/GEN-EWS/OBC-NCL candidates and ₹ 16,000/- for SC/ST/PwD candidates. However, Type-6 eligible candidates (refer Section IV) are not required to pay IAF-II as they have already paid the PAF during JoSAA rounds.
72. Payment of IAF-II is mandatory irrespective of whether the candidate has chosen 'Float' or 'Slide' or 'Freeze' option.
73. After payment of IAF-II, candidates are required to ensure Successful Online Reporting and Document Verification to provisionally confirm their seats otherwise the allotted seats will get cancelled.

XVII. Exercising 'Withdraw' option

74. A candidate, who has already accepted a seat in any of the institutes allotted through CSAB-Special Seat Allocation Process 2025, can withdraw the seat by reporting online and following the steps contained in Clause 77 below. This option is available till the 2nd round of seat allocation, i.e., before the last round of seat allocation [i.e. if CSAB-Special conducts a total of three rounds of seat allocation, candidates can withdraw up until second round of seat acceptance period end, i.e. till Aug 16, 2025 (17:00 Hrs. IST), but not thereafter. Please see Annexure-3 for the timeline]
75. If a candidate withdraws a seat, the candidate's allotted seat will be cancelled and offered to another candidate in a subsequent round of allotment. The candidate withdrawing the seat shall be excluded from the CSAB-Special seat allocation process, which means the candidate shall not be considered for

subsequent rounds of seat allocation (if any). Such candidates will be refunded a part of SREF after deducting applicable processing charges. Thus, the candidate will forfeit the eligibility for admissions to any of the institutes through CSAB-Special 2025.

76. There is no option of withdrawing an accepted/allotted seat after the commencement of last round of seat allocation.

77. The following is the process for withdrawal of a seat:

Step 1: The candidate must login to her/his seat allocation portal and submit a request for withdrawal by submitting a duly signed declaration form Annexure-9 within the timelines given in Annexure-3.

Step 2: An OTP will be sent to the candidate's mobile number and email ID. The candidate shall use this OTP to confirm that the candidate wants to withdraw from seat allocation process. The candidate also confirms that this would result in cancellation of allocated seat and will not be considered for subsequent rounds of seat allocation (if any).

Step 3: The uploaded document in Step 1 will be verified by the reporting officer. Based on the verification, one of the following scenarios will happen:

1. Reporting officer will accept the request. The candidate's withdrawal request is accepted.
2. Reporting officer will reject the request based on the uploaded documentation and/or query response (see below). The candidate's withdrawal request is rejected.
3. Reporting officer raises a query to obtain additional documentation and/or to re-confirm that the candidate is interested to withdraw. The candidate will be required to respond to the query before the end of the query response period (see Annexure-3). Reporting officer will either accept or reject based

on the query response, or raise another query, and the above process will be repeated.

78. The candidate can see the approved/rejected status of the withdrawal request on her/his seat allocation portal and download the approval/rejection letter. If the withdrawal application is rejected, the candidate can submit the request again before the end of the second round of counselling with proper documentation.
79. The candidate will have the option to cancel a submitted withdrawal request through her/his seat allocation portal, if she/he wishes to do so, but only BEFORE the request is accepted by the reporting officer. An OTP will be sent to the candidate's mobile number and email ID, for cancelling the withdrawal request. The candidate shall use this OTP to confirm that she/he wants to cancel the withdrawal request from seat allocation process.

XVIII. Exercising 'Exit' option

80. A candidate, who has NOT been allotted a seat in CSAB-Special Rounds, can EXIT from the seat allocation process through the seat allocation portal only during Round-I and Round-II of seat allocation, i.e. before the last round of seat allocation. Please see Annexure-3 for the timeline. Thus, the candidate will forfeit the eligibility for admission to any of the institutes through CSAB-Special 2025.
81. Candidates who have exercised Exit option will NOT be considered for subsequent rounds of seat allotment (if any). Thus, the candidate will forfeit the eligibility for admissions to any of the participating institute.
82. There is no option of exit from seat allocation process after the commencement of last round of seat allocation.
83. The following is the process for Exit option from the seat allocation process of DASA 2025:

Step 1: The candidate must login to her/his seat allocation portal and submit a request for EXIT.

Step 2: An OTP will be sent to the candidate's mobile number and email ID. The candidate will have to enter this OTP to confirm that the candidate wants to EXIT from the seat allocation process. The candidate will be shown a warning message on the consequence of exit.

Step3: Upon confirming the EXIT, the request shall be processed online and the candidate will not be considered for subsequent rounds of seat allocation.

XIX. Change of Class XII (or equivalent) Passing Status

84. Candidates whose Class XII Passing status have been revised by their respective examination board [due to re-totaling, re-evaluation, *etc.*] may approach the organizing institute (NIT Rourkela) through email attaching the pre-revised certificate/mark- sheet and revised passing certificate/mark-sheet by **15:00hrs, 16th Aug 2025**. The candidature for subsequent rounds of seat allocation, if any, will be established after due verification. The seat allocation in subsequent round is performed based on the available seats only.

XX. Change of Nationality

85. **At the Time of Registration for CSAB 2025:** This section describes the application of specific rules when a candidate changes her/his nationality status at the time of CSAB 2025 registration. It may be noted that all such candidates whose documents have been verified during JoSAA rounds cannot change their nationality. Please see Annexure 7 for the definition of OCI/PIO (I) and OCI /PIO (F) nationality status.

Table 2 summarizes the possible change of nationality status at the time of CSAB 2025 registration for the candidates who have registered for JEE (Advanced) 2025 and/or document verification not done during JoSAA 2025

rounds. The entries in the table refer to the clauses that are applicable for the respective change.

Table 2: Change of Nationality at the Time of Registration for CSAB for the Candidates who have registered for JEE (Advanced) 2025 and/or document verification not done during JoSAA 2025 rounds.

		Change of Nationality To			
		Indian	OCI/PIO (I)	OCI/PIO (F)	Foreign
Change of Nationality From	Indian		85B	85A	85A
	OCI/PIO (I)	85E		85A	85A
	OCI/PIO (F)	85C	85D		85F
	Foreign	85C	85D	85G	

Table 3 summarizes the possible change of nationality status at the time of CSAB 2025 registration for the JEE (Main) 2025 candidates who neither registered for JEE (Advanced) 2025 nor for JoSAA 2025. The entries in the table refer to the clauses that are applicable for the respective change.

Table 3: Change of Nationality at the Time of Registration for CSAB 2025 by JEE (Main) 2025 candidates who neither registered for JEE (Advanced) 2025 nor for JoSAA 2025.

		Change of Nationality To			
		Indian	OCI/PIO (I)	OCI/PIO (F)	Foreign
Change of Nationality From	Indian		85B	85A	85A
	OCI	85E	85B	85A	85A
	Foreign	85C	85D	85G	

85A. The following rules will apply for the indicated nationality status change outlined in Table 2 and Table 3:

- The candidate will not be eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025.

85B. The following rules will apply for the indicated nationality status change outlined in Table 2 and Table 3:

- The candidate has to produce proof of valid OCI/PIO card (issued before 04.03.2021) at the time of online reporting, failing which, the allotted seat will be cancelled.

- b. The candidate will be eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025 under GEN or GEN-PwD category only if the candidate has qualified in JEE (Main) 2025.
- c. The candidate shall be considered as per CRL, and/or CRL-PwD, and/or Female Supernumerary seats, as applicable, subject to qualifying JEE (Main) 2025, as applicable.

85C. The following rules will apply for the indicated nationality status change outlined in Table 2 and Table 3:

- a. The candidate will have to submit a valid Indian passport or Voter ID to prove her/his claim.
- b. The candidate will be eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025 if the candidate meets all other eligibility criteria (for admissions) for Indian Nationals under GEN category only, including qualifying the JEE (Main) 2025.
- c. The female candidate will get the benefit of female supernumerary seats.

85D. The following rules will apply for the indicated nationality status change outlined in Table 2 and Table 3:

- a. The candidate has to produce proof of valid OCI/PIO card (issued before 04.03.2021) at the time of online reporting failing which the allotted seat will be cancelled.
- b. The candidate will be eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025 if the candidate meets all other eligibility criteria (for admissions) for OCI/PIO (I) (see **Annexure 7**) under GEN category only, including qualifying the JEE (Main) 2025.
- c. The female candidate will get the benefit of female supernumerary seats.

85E. The following rules will apply for the indicated nationality status change outlined in Table 2 and Table 3:

- a. The candidate will have to submit a valid Indian passport or Voter ID to prove her/his claim.
- b. The candidate will be eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025 if the candidate meets all other eligibility criteria (for admissions) for Indian Nationals under GEN or GEN-PwD category only, including qualifying the JEE (Main) 2025.
- c. The female candidate will get the benefit of female supernumerary seats.

85F. The following rules will apply for the indicated nationality status change outlined in Table 2:

- a. The candidate will not be eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025.

85G. The following rules will apply for the indicated nationality status change outlined in Table 2 and Table 3:

- a. The candidate will not be eligible to participate in CSAB-Special 2025.

86. At the Time of Online Reporting

Please refer to the part of Clause 84 of JoSAA 2025 Business Rule, relevant to NIT+ System.

XXI. Fee Adjustment and Refund

87. The Special Round Enrolment Fee includes Special Round Processing Fee of ₹ 5,000/- and the Institute Admission Fee-I. The Special Round Processing Fee is **NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-ADJUSTABLE** towards the admission fee of allotted Institute.

88. If the candidates who have deposited Fees against the allotted seats in any of the IITs during JoSAA Rounds are allotted seats in the CSAB Special Rounds, the fee deposited during JoSAA rounds will NOT be adjusted in the fee of the newly Allotted Institute in CSAB-Special Rounds. In such cases candidates have to go through the refund process and refund rules of IITs, if any.
89. If refund is admissible, the fee paid by the candidates during JoSAA-2025 (for NIT+ System) and CSAB-2025 Special Rounds (except the Special Round Processing Fee) will be refunded after the following deductions, as applicable.
- (i) JoSAA Processing Fee (₹ 5,000/-): Upon acceptance of the offered seat as indicated by successful payment of Seat Acceptance Fee in JoSAA Rounds (for NIT+ System), the JoSAA processing fee of ₹ 5,000/- will be deducted from the fee paid.
 - (ii) Withdrawal Fee (₹ 2,000/-): After the payment of Seat Acceptance Fee in JoSAA Rounds (for NIT+ System), if the candidate withdraws the allotted seat OR fails to pay the Partial Admission Fee after successful document verification, additional ₹ 2,000/- will be deducted from the fee paid.
 - (iii) In addition, if a candidate has been allotted a seat in CSAB Special Round-I/II OR retained the JoSAA seat in NIT+ System but,
 - did not complete online reporting, OR
 - document verification during Special Round-I/II is unsuccessful, OR
 - the candidate exercises the willingness option WITHDRAW, OR
 - the candidate exercises the willingness option SURRENDER and NO seat is allotted to the candidate in the subsequent round of seat allotment,then additional ₹ 2,000/- will be deducted from the fee paid.
90. There shall be NO refund from CSAB-2025 for those candidates who,

- who did not complete online reporting in Special Round-III **OR**
- who have been allotted seats in Special Round-III and fail to pay the Institute Admission Fee-II **OR**
- the seat is cancelled due to ineligibility or invalid documents or not responding to queries of the verifying officials timely, during Document Verification of Special Round-III **OR**
- who fail to join the allotted institute after the completion of CSAB Special Round-III

The deposited fees, for such candidates, will be transferred to the allotted institutes after deducting the processing charges of ₹ 5,000/- each for JoSAA 2025 seat allocation and CSAB-Special 2025 seat allocation. The refund, if any, for such candidates shall be governed by the rules of the participating/admitting institutes.

XXII. Grievance Redressal / Queries

- In case of any query / grievance with respect to the CSAB-Special Rounds of seat allocation process 2025, please contact us at csab.dasa@nitrrkl.ac.in or Multilingual help desk number: +91-9124121003.
- The decision(s) by the Chairman, CSAB/DASA 2025 with regard to such grievances shall be final.
- Candidates may also refer to the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) on the official website: <https://csab.nic.in>.

Multilingual help desk number: +91-9124121003 (*Assamese, Bengali, English, Hindi, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Odia, Tamil, and Telugu*)

Timings: 09:00 hrs – 13:00 hrs and 14:00 hrs – 18:00 hrs

Agreement to be executed by candidates for participating in DASA / CSAB-Special Rounds

I,(Name of the candidate), JEE (Main)
2025 Application NumberS/D/o
..... resident of

do hereby solemnly affirm and state as follows:

1. That, I have secured admission in
(Program)
of (Institute)
2. That, I have opted to go for DASA and/or CSAB-Special Rounds 2025 for admission in participating institutes.
3. That, I have read the DASA and/or CSAB–Special 2025 Information Brochure thoroughly and shall be bound by the rules mentioned therein.
4. That, I am doing registration and will pay the applicable fee, fill and lock the fresh choices **as per the schedule** given on “DASA and CSAB-Special 2025” Seat Allocation website.
5. That, I shall upload the required documents and respond to query(ies), if any, raised by verifying officer during online document verification process.
6. **That, if a new seat is allotted in DASA/ CSAB-Special Rounds then, I SHALL HAVE NO CLAIM on the previously SECURED seat in JoSAA rounds. I understand that the seat previously secured through JoSAA will stand cancelled if I am allotted a new seat in DASA/CSAB – Special Round, irrespective of whether I accept the newly allotted seat or not.**
7. That, I am well aware of the Fee Structure and waiver applicable at the Institutes which I have opted as my choices for seat allocation.
8. That, I am fully aware of DASA and/or CSAB-Special 2025 refund rules.

Candidate's Signature

Performance in Class XII (or equivalent) examination (Applicable only for candidates seeking admission to NIT+ System)

- The candidates should have appeared for the class XII (or equivalent) examination for the first time in 2023 or 2024 or 2025 and must satisfy **at least one of the following two criteria**:
 1. Must have passed class XII (or equivalent) Board examination with a minimum of five subjects and secured at least 75% aggregate marks. The aggregate marks for SC, ST, and PwD candidates should be at least 65%.
 2. Must have passed class XII (or equivalent) Board examination with a minimum of five subjects and be within the category-wise (category as per the central list <https://www.ncbc.nic.in>, <https://socialjustice.gov.in>, and <https://ncst.nic.in>) top 20 percentile of successful candidates in their respective Class XII (or equivalent) board examination.

The percentile calculation will be done for all the required subjects in a single academic year only. Therefore, candidates appearing for improvement in Board examinations can EITHER appear in one or more subjects and secure 75% aggregate marks (65% for SC, ST and PwD) after improvement, OR, appear for improvement in ALL subjects to be in top 20 percentile (see Section titled “Regarding the cut-off marks for the top 20 percentile”) of the corresponding academic year.

In all cases, the marksheet is required to have been issued by the same examination board and marksheets from separate boards are not permitted.

- The marks scored in the following five subjects will be considered for calculating the aggregate marks and the cut-off marks for fulfilling the top 20 percentile criterion. Candidates must also pass each of the following subjects in Class XII (or equivalent) to qualify for admission to the NIT+ System:
 - For B.E./B.Tech. programmes
 - i. Physics
 - ii. Any one of Chemistry, Biology, Biotechnology, Technical Vocation subject
 - iii. Mathematics
 - iv. A language (if the candidate has taken more than one language, then the language with the higher marks will be considered)
 - v. Any subject other than the above four (the subject with the highest marks will be considered).
 - For B. Plan. programme:
 - i. Mathematics
 - ii. Other four subjects (the subject with the highest marks will be considered).
 - For B. Arch. programme:

- i. Physics
 - ii. Chemistry
 - iii. Mathematics
 - iv. Other two subjects (the subject with the highest marks will be considered).
- For calculation of the total marks for five subjects, if the marks awarded in a subject is NOT out of 100, then the marks will be scaled (up or down) to 100 so that the total aggregate mark is out of 500.
 - If a Board awards only letter grades without providing an equivalent percentage of marks on the grade sheet, the candidate should obtain a certificate from the Board specifying the equivalent marks and submit it at the time of acceptance of the allocated seat. In case such a certificate is not provided, the decision taken by the Central Seat Allocation Board (CSAB) 2025 will be final.
 - For candidates who appeared in the Class XII (or equivalent) Board examination for the first time in 2023 and reappeared in ALL subjects (for whatsoever reason) in 2024 or 2025, the best of the three performances will be considered. Similarly, for candidates who appeared in the Class XII (or equivalent) Board examination for the first time in 2024 and reappeared in ALL subjects (for whatsoever reason) in 2025, the best of the two performances will be considered.
 - If a Board gives aggregate marks considering both Class XI and Class XII examinations (in the 10+2 system), then only Class XII marks will be considered.
 - If a Board gives aggregate marks considering the results of both years of a 2-year Intermediate or equivalent course, then the marks scored only in the final year will be considered. In case such a Board gives marks of both years separately, then also the marks scored only in the final year will be considered.
 - If a Board gives aggregate marks considering the results of all three years of a 3-year diploma or courses of equivalent duration, then the marks scored only in the final year will be considered.
 - If a Board follows a semester system, the marks scored in the final two semesters will be considered.
 - In case any of the subjects (e.g., Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics or Language) are not evaluated in the final year (e.g., in a 3-year diploma course), then the marks for the same subject from the previous year/s will be used for calculating percentage of aggregate marks.
 - If a Board does not give marks scored in individual subjects but gives only the aggregate marks, then the aggregate marks given by the Board will be considered as such.
 - The above will also apply correspondingly to those candidates who first appeared for their Class XII examination in 2022 but the examination Board of Class XII (or equivalent) declared the results for the academic year 2021-22 on or after September 21, 2022.

1.1. Regarding the cut-off marks for the top 20 percentile

- The category-wise cut-off marks for the top 20 percentile are calculated based on the marks scored by the successful candidates who appeared in their respective boards, in the particular year.

- The cut-off marks for PwD candidates will be the same as the lowest of the cut-off marks for GEN, OBC-NCL, SC and ST categories.
- It is clarified that top 20 percentile cut-off for the academic year 2024–25 will be considered against the successful candidates who appeared in the Class XII (or equivalent) examination in 2025.
- Similarly, top 20 percentile cut-off for the academic year 2022–23 and 2023–24 will be considered against the successful candidates who appeared in the Class XII (or equivalent) examination in 2023 or 2024, respectively.
- Candidates who appeared in Class XII (or equivalent) examination for the first time in 2023 or 2024 and wish to (or have to) reappear in 2024 or 2025 with the objective to qualify through top 20 percentile cut-off criteria, must reappear in all the subjects. For such candidates, top 20 percentile cut-off will be considered as per the year of reappearance.
- In case a Board does not provide information about the cut-off for the top 20 percentile, the candidate will have to produce a certificate from the respective Board (in the format given in Annexure 11 of JoSAA-2025 Business Rule) stating that he/she falls within the top 20 percentile of successful candidates. If the candidate fails to do so, then the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) cut-off marks, in the respective categories, will be used.
- The above will also apply correspondingly to those candidates who had first appeared for their Class XII examination in 2022 but the examination Board of Class XII (or equivalent) declared the results for the academic year 2021-22 on or after September 21, 2022.

1.2.Regarding the aggregate marks of 75% (or 65% for SC, ST and PwD)

- The aggregate marks scored by the candidate in the 2025 Class XII (or equivalent) Board examination will be considered for candidates who will appear in the Class XII examination in 2025.
- The aggregate marks scored by the candidate in the 2024 Class XII (or equivalent) Board examination will be considered provided the candidate does not reappear in the Class XII (or equivalent) examination in 2025 in any of the subjects. Similarly, the aggregate marks scored by the candidate in the 2023 Class XII (or equivalent) Board examination will be considered provided the candidate does not reappear in the Class XII (or equivalent) examination in 2024 or 2025 in any of the subjects.
- If a candidate had appeared in his/her Class XII (or equivalent) in 2024 and wishes to improve his/her aggregate marks to meet the “aggregate marks of 75% (or 65% for SC, ST and PwD) criterion”, he/she can reappear for any number of subjects he/she wishes for improvement. The percentage marks in this situation will be calculated by considering the marks obtained in 2024 or 2025, whichever is higher, in the respective subjects, in his/her two attempts in 2024 and 2025.
- If a candidate had appeared in his/her Class XII (or equivalent) in 2023 and appeared in

improvement examination to improve his/her aggregate marks to meet the “aggregate marks of 75% (or 65% for SC, ST and PwD) criterion”, he/she can reappear for any number of subjects he/she wishes for improvement. The percentage marks in this situation will be calculated by considering the marks obtained in 2023 or 2024, whichever is higher, in the respective subjects, in his/her two attempts in 2023 and 2024.

- The above will also apply correspondingly to those candidates who first appeared for their Class XII examination in 2022 but the examination Board of Class XII (or equivalent) declared the results for the academic year 2021-22 on or after September 21, 2022.
- The marksheet submitted by the candidates for their Class XII (or equivalent) examination must be issued by a single examination Board.

Schedule for “CSAB-Special 2025” Activities

	Event	Date/Time in IST
For CSAB-Special Only	Online Request for category restoration START*	Thu, 24 Jul 2025, 10:00 hrs
	Online Request for category restoration END	Fri, 25 Jul 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Last day to respond to queries regarding category restoration	Sat, 26 Jul 2025, 12:00 hrs
	Display of Vacancies after JoSAA Rounds	Wed, 30 July 2025, 10:00 hrs
Registration	Registration, Payment of Special Round Enrolment Fee (SREF), Choice Filling START	Wed, 30 July 2025, 10:00 hrs
	Display of Mock Seat Allocation based on the choices filled in by candidates as on Sat, 02 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs	Sun, 03 Aug 2025, 10:00 hrs
	Registration, Payment of SREF END .	Sun, 03 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Resolution of Payment Issues for Candidates who have made Payment Attempts [#] before the payment deadline.	Mon, 04 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Choice Filling and Choice Locking (Auto/System Locking of last saved choices) END	Thu, 07 Aug 2025, 20:00 hrs
	Data Reconciliation for eligible candidates	Fri, 08 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
Round - I	Display of CSAB Special Round-I Seat Allotment Result	Sat, 09 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	a. Exercising Willingness: Candidates can exercise any one of the following willingness options: FREEZE, SLIDE, FLOAT, SURRENDER, WITHDRAW, EXIT. b. Online Reporting: Payment of Institute Admission Fee-II (IAF-II), Document Upload, and Responding to queries (if any) of Document Verifying Officer.	Sat, 09 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs to Tue, 12 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Last day to respond to the queries of Document Verifying Officer.	Wed, 13 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Resolution of IAF-II Payment Issues for Candidates who have made IAF-II Payment Attempts [#] in Round-I before the payment deadline.	Wed, 13 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
Round - II	Display of CSAB Special Round-II Seat Allotment Result	Thu, 14 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	a. Exercising Willingness: Candidates can exercise any one of the following willingness options: FREEZE, SLIDE, FLOAT, SURRENDER, WITHDRAW, EXIT b. Online Reporting: Payment of Institute Admission Fee-II (IAF-II), Document Upload, and Responding to queries (if any) of Document Verifying Officer.	Thu, 14 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs to Sat, 16 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Last day to respond to the queries of Document Verifying Officer.	Sun, 17 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Resolution of IAF-II Payment Issues for Candidates who have made IAF-II Payment Attempts [#] in Round-II before the payment deadline.	Mon, 18 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
Round - III	Display of CSAB Special Round-III Seat Allotment Result	Tue, 19 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Online Reporting: Payment of Institute Admission Fee-II (IAF-II), Document Upload, and Responding to queries (if any) of Document Verifying Officer.	Tue, 19 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs to Thu, 21 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
	Last day to respond to the queries of Document Verifying Officer.	Fri, 22 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs

	Resolution of IAF-II Payment Issues for Candidates who have made IAF-II Payment Attempts [#] in Round-III before the payment deadline.	Fri, 22 Aug 2025, 17:00 hrs
PI Reporting	a. Physical Reporting* at Allotted Institutes by all candidates who have confirmed their seats through DASA/CSAB-Special. b. Balance Fee Payment by the candidates at the allotted institute.	Tentative dates: Wed, 20 Aug 2025 to Sat, 23 Aug 2025**
*Please visit https://csab.nic.in for the web link to request for category restoration. **Please visit the website of allotted institute for actual dates of physical reporting, commencement of classes, etc. [#]Payment Attempt means that a candidate has uploaded the required documents AND clicked on the payment button on the “DASA and CSAB-Special” Seat Allocation portal but could not complete the payment.		

Annexure-4

List of documents to be uploaded by candidates for registration/online reporting (for admission to NIT+ System)

1. Class X Mark Sheet/Certificate or Aadhaar Card or Birth Certificate (for Date of Birth)
2. Class XII Mark Sheet and Certificate (Qualifying Examination)
3. Admit card of JEE (Main) 2025
4. Certificate of category (SC/ST/OBC-NCL/GEN-EWS), if applicable, as per Government of India format, available on the JoSAA 2025/CSAB 2025 website, issued by the competent authority.

In case of OBC-NCL/GEN-EWS category, the certificate must be either

a) issued on or after April 01, 2025,

OR

b) a Government issued, online verifiable certificate which must be valid till August 31, 2025 or the day of physical reporting at the admitting institute, whichever is later.

Please note that

- i. Caste certificate (SC/ST/OBC-NCL) issued by Maharashtra State must be validated by Social Welfare department (in case of SC and OBC-NCL category) and Tribal Welfare department (in case of ST category) of Maharashtra Government. The SC/ST/OBC-NCL candidates of Maharashtra State have to produce their caste validity certificate in the format available on JoSAA 2025/CSAB 2025 website.
 - ii. ST certificates from Tamil Nadu state must be issued by the concerned Revenue Divisional Officer.
5. Original Certificate for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwD), if applicable, issued by the competent authority. Refer JoSAA 2025/CSAB 2025 website for format.
 6. Original Certificate for persons having less than 40% disability and having difficulty in writing, if applicable [in the format provided in the Information Bulletin of JEE (Main) 2025, issued by the competent authorities listed in the Information Bulletin of JEE (Main) 2025.
 7. Crossed Bank Cheque copy / Image of Passbook with bank account details
 8. Medical Certificate (in specified Format available on CSAB-Special 2025 information brochure, Annexure-8)
 9. OCI certificate/ PIO card, if applicable
 10. Passport/Citizenship certificate, if applicable

In addition to the above documents, the verifying officials will also check the special eligibility conditions, if any, for all the choices including and above the seat allotted to the candidate.

Note: If the original certificates are not in English/Hindi, English/Hindi version/translation of such certificates, duly certified by the Principal/Director or other competent authority of the graduating Institute, will be required during the verification of documents.

Category Conversion from Beneficiary to Non-Beneficiary

For candidates whose category document is found to be invalid OR who do not produce a valid category document [as per the format given on CSAB-2025 web portal], the category tag will be changed (for the purpose of seat allocation) as shown below:

Category tag		Reason
Assigned	Changed to	
GEN-PwD	GEN	Invalid PwD certificate
GEN-EWS	GEN	Invalid EWS certificate
GEN-EWS-PwD	GEN-PwD	Invalid EWS certificate but valid PwD certificate
GEN-EWS-PwD	GEN-EWS	Invalid PwD certificate but valid GEN-EWS certificate
GEN-EWS-PwD	GEN	Both PwD and GEN-EWS certificates are invalid
OBC-NCL-PwD	OBC-NCL	Invalid PwD certificate but valid OBC-NCL certificate
OBC-NCL-PwD	GEN-PwD	Valid PwD certificate but invalid OBC-NCL certificate
OBC-NCL-PwD	GEN	Both PwD and OBC-NCL certificates are invalid
SC-PwD	SC	Invalid PwD certificate but valid SC certificate
SC-PwD	GEN-PwD	Valid PwD certificate but invalid SC certificate
SC-PwD	GEN	Both PwD and SC certificates are invalid
ST-PwD	ST	Invalid PwD certificate but valid ST certificate
ST-PwD	GEN-PwD	Valid PwD certificate but invalid ST certificate
ST-PwD	GEN	Both PwD and ST certificates are invalid
OBC-NCL	GEN	Invalid OBC-NCL certificate
SC	GEN	Invalid SC certificate
ST	GEN	Invalid ST certificate

Note: Change of category tag from PwD to non-PwD may be permitted only if the candidate has not availed the benefit of Compensatory time and/or the Services of Scribe in JEE (Main) 2025. If the candidate had availed the benefit of Compensatory time and/or the Services of Scribe in JEE (Main) 2025, then the candidature shall be canceled.

Class XII and equivalent examinations

1. The final examination of the 10+2 system, conducted by a Central or State Board recognized by the Association of Indian Universities (<https://aiu.ac.in>).
2. Intermediate or two-year Pre-University examination conducted by a Board or University recognized by the Association of Indian Universities.
3. Final examination of the two-year course of the Joint Services Wing of the National Defence Academy.
4. Senior Secondary School Examination conducted by the National Institute of Open Schooling with a minimum of five subjects.
5. Any Public School, Board or University examination in India or in a foreign country recognized as equivalent to the 10+2 system by the Association of Indian Universities.
6. Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) vocational examination.
7. A Diploma recognized by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE <https://www.aicte-india.org>) or a State Board of Technical Education of at least 3 years duration.
8. General Certificate Education (GCE) examination (London, Cambridge, or Sri Lanka) at the Advanced (A) level.
9. High School Certificate Examination of the Cambridge University or International Baccalaureate Diploma of the International Baccalaureate Office, Geneva.
10. Candidates who have completed Class XII (or equivalent) examination outside India or from a Board not specified above should produce a certificate from the Association of Indian Universities to the effect that the examination they have passed is equivalent to the Class XII examination.
11. In case the Class XII examination is not a public examination, the candidate must have passed at least one public (Board or Pre-University) examination earlier.

Foreign Nationals and OCI/PIO Candidates**A. Foreign Nationals**

Candidates who are NOT citizens of India (by birth or naturalized) shall be considered as foreign nationals. Such candidates are also eligible for seat allocation through DASA 2025 Seat Allocation Process.

B. OCI/PIO Candidates

In light of the recent judicial pronouncement¹ concerning OCI/PIO candidates, the following provisions are made for such candidates.

OCI/PIO candidates who have obtained their OCI/PIO cards before 04.03.2021 have the option of registration for JoSAA 2025 EITHER as (a) foreign nationals OR (b) at par with Indian nationals. Accordingly, OCI/PIO candidates are divided into three categories as follows:

- (i) Those OCI/PIO candidates who have obtained their OCI/PIO cards subsequent to 04.03.2021² will be considered as foreign national candidates and will be governed by the eligibility conditions contained herein for the foreign national candidates. For ease of convenience, these candidates are referred to as OCI/PIO (F). The OCI/PIO (F) candidates are also eligible for seat allocation through DASA.
- (ii) Those OCI/PIO candidates who have obtained their OCI/PIO cards before 04.03.2021 AND choose to be considered as foreign nationals, will be governed by the eligibility conditions contained in the DASA Brochure for the foreign national candidates and are also referred to as OCI/PIO (F). The OCI/PIO (F) candidates will also be eligible for seat allocation through DASA.
- (iii) Those OCI/PIO candidates who have obtained their OCI/PIO cards before 04.03.2021 AND choose to be treated at par with Indian nationals, will be governed by the eligibility conditions contained herein for the Indian national candidates and are referred to as OCI/PIO (I).

OCI/PIO candidates who neither registered for JEE (Advanced) 2025 nor for JoSAA 2025 and have obtained their OCI/PIO cards before 04.03.2021 are advised to choose their option (OCI/PIO (I) or OCI/PIO (F)) carefully. These candidates have to exercise their options while registering for “DASA and CSAB-Special” Seat Allocation 2025.

OCI/PIO candidates who have registered for JEE (Advanced) 2025 and/or document verification not done during JoSAA 2025 rounds and have obtained their OCI/PIO cards before 04.03.2021 will be asked to confirm their choice of OCI/PIO(I) or OCI/PIO(F) while registering for “DASA and CSAB-Special” Seat Allocation 2025.

OCI/PIO candidates whose documents have been verified during JoSAA 2025 rounds are NOT allowed to change their nationality for the purposes of the DASA/CSAB-Special Rounds.

The options once exercised by the candidate cannot be changed and shall remain the same for all further seat allocation processes.

¹ Reference: Decision dated October 16, 2024 passed by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 12263/2024.

² Reference: Decision dated February 03, 2023 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 891/2021.

Annexure-8

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE (to be issued by a Registered Medical Practitioner)					
<u>GENERAL EXPECTATIONS</u>					
Candidates should have good general physique. In particular, ✓ Chest measurement should not be less than 70 cm, with satisfactory limits of expansion and contraction. ✓ Vision should be normal. In case of defective vision, it should be corrected to 6/9 in both eyes or 6/6 in the better eye. Colour blind and uni-ocular (having vision in only one eye) persons are restricted from admission to certain courses. ✓ Hearing should be normal. Defective hearing should be corrected. ✓ Heart and lungs should not have any abnormality and there should be no history of mental illness and epileptic fits.					
1.	(a)	Name of the candidate:	(b)	Gender:	
2.	Identification Mark (a mole, scar or birthmark), if any				
3.	Major illness/operation, if any (specify nature of illness/operation)				
4.	Height in cm:		Weight in kg:		Blood group:
5.	Past History		(a) Mental illness (b) Epileptic Fit		
6.	Chest cm	(a) Inspiration in		(b) Expiration in cm	
7.	Hearing				
8.	(Vision with or without glasses:)	(Right Eye)	(Left Eye)	(Colour Blindness)	Uniocular vision (having vision in only one eye)
9.	Respiratory System				
10.	Nervous System				
11.	Heart (a) Sounds		(b) Murmur		
12.	Abdomen (a) Liver (b) Spleen		Hernia		Hydrocele
13.	Any other defects:				
Certificate of Medical Fitness					
☐ The candidate fulfils the prescribed standard physical fitness, medical fitness and is FIT for admission to Engineering/Architecture/ Pharmaceuticals/ Science Course					
☐ The candidate does not fulfil the prescribed standard of physical fitness/medical fitness and is unfit/temporarily unfit for admission due to following defects:					
_____ Doctor's Name		_____ Signature		_____ Date	_____ Registration No.
					_____ Seal

DASA/CSAB 2025**Form for Withdrawal of Allotted Seat from DASA/CSAB Seat Allotment Process**

(To be printed out, signed, scanned and uploaded on “DASA and CSAB-Special” Seat Allocation portal by the candidate while applying for withdrawal. This form will not be accepted or processed unless it contains the signature of the parent / guardian)

I, _____ (Candidate's Name), JEE (Main) Application number _____ have been allotted a seat _____ (Branch Name) in the Institute _____ through DASA/CSAB 2025 process. My mother's name is _____.

I would like to withdraw my allotted seat (by not accepting the same) and I do not want to be considered for seat allocation/allotment in all the subsequent rounds (if any) of DASA/CSAB 2025 due to the following reason:

I understand that any seat allocated to me shall stand cancelled and rejected; I will be out of the DASA/CSAB 2025 process entirely and I will not be considered in any further rounds of DASA/CSAB 2025 seat allocation process. Thus, I will forfeit the eligibility for admission to any of the institutes through DASA/CSAB 2025.

(Signature of applicant)
Name:
Date & Place:

(Signature of parent/guardian)
Name:
Relationship:

Institutes Admitting Candidates Through CSAB-2025 Special Rounds (Academic Year 2025–26)

National Institute of Technology (NITs)

1	Dr. B. R. Ambedkar National Institute of Technology Jalandhar
2	Malaviya National Institute of Technology Jaipur
3	Maulana Azad National Institute of Technology Bhopal
4	Motilal Nehru National Institute of Technology Allahabad
5	National Institute of Technology Agartala
6	National Institute of Technology Calicut
7	National Institute of Technology Delhi
8	National Institute of Technology Durgapur
9	National Institute of Technology Goa
10	National Institute of Technology Hamirpur
11	National Institute of Technology Karnataka, Surathkal
12	National Institute of Technology Meghalaya
13	National Institute of Technology Nagaland
14	National Institute of Technology Patna
15	National Institute of Technology Puducherry
16	National Institute of Technology Raipur
17	National Institute of Technology Sikkim
18	National Institute of Technology Arunachal Pradesh
19	National Institute of Technology Jamshedpur
20	National Institute of Technology Kurukshetra
21	National Institute of Technology Manipur
22	National Institute of Technology Mizoram
23	National Institute of Technology Rourkela
24	National Institute of Technology Silchar
25	National Institute of Technology Srinagar
26	National Institute of Technology Tiruchirappalli
27	National Institute of Technology Uttarakhand
28	National Institute of Technology Warangal
29	Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology Surat
30	Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology Nagpur
31	National Institute of Technology Andhra Pradesh
32	Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur

Indian Institute of Information Technology (IIITs)

1	Atal Bihari Vajpayee Indian Institute of Information Technology & Management, Gwalior
2	Indian Institute of Information Technology Kota
3	Indian Institute of Information Technology Guwahati
4	Indian Institute of Information Technology Kalyani
5	Indian Institute of Information Technology Kilohrad, Sonapat
6	Indian Institute of Information Technology Una
7	Indian Institute of Information Technology Sri City, Chittoor
8	Indian Institute of Information Technology Vadodara
9	Indian Institute of Information Technology Allahabad
10	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Design & Manufacturing Kancheepuram
11	Pandit Dwarka Prasad Mishra Indian Institute of Information Technology, Design & Manufacturing Jabalpur
12	Indian Institute of Information Technology Manipur
13	Indian Institute of Information Technology Tiruchirappalli
14	Indian Institute of Information Technology Lucknow
15	Indian Institute of Information Technology Dharwad
16	Indian Institute of Information Technology Design & Manufacturing Kurnool
17	Indian Institute of Information Technology Kottayam
18	Indian Institute of Information Technology Ranchi
19	Indian Institute of Information Technology Nagpur
20	Indian Institute of Information Technology Pune
21	Indian Institute of Information Technology Bhagalpur
22	Indian Institute of Information Technology Bhopal
23	Indian Institute of Information Technology Surat
24	Indian Institute of Information Technology Agartala
25	Indian institute of information technology Raichur
26	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Vadodara International Campus Diu

School of Planning & Architecture (SPAs)

1	School of Planning & Architecture, Bhopal
2	School of Planning & Architecture, New Delhi
3	School of Planning & Architecture, Vijayawada

Other Technical Institutes Funded Fully or Partially by Central or State Governments (other-GFTIs)

1.	Assam University, Silchar
2.	Birla Institute of Technology Deoghar Off-Campus
3.	Birla Institute of Technology Patna Off-Campus
4.	Birla Institute of Technology Mesra, Ranchi
5.	Gurukula Kangri Vishwavidyalaya, Haridwar
6.	Indian Institute of Carpet Technology, Bhadohi
7.	Indian Institute of Handloom Technology, Salem
8.	Institute of Engineering and Technology, Dr. H. S. Gour University. Sagar (A Central University)
9.	Institute of Infrastructure, Technology, Research and Management- Ahmedabad
10.	School of Studies of Engineering & Technology, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur
11.	J.K. Institute of Applied Physics & Technology, Department of Electronics & Communication, University of Allahabad- Allahabad
12.	National Institute of Advanced Manufacturing Technology, Ranchi
13.	National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Ajmer (Rajasthan)
14.	National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Aurangabad (Maharashtra)
15.	National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Gorakhpur (UP)
16.	National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Patna (Bihar)
17.	National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Ropar (Punjab)
18.	Rajiv Gandhi National Aviation University, Fursatganj, Amethi (UP)
19.	Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Punjab
20.	School of Engineering & Technology, Mizoram University, Aizawl
21.	School of Engineering, Tezpur University, Napaam, Tezpur
22.	Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University, Katra, Jammu & Kashmir
23.	Central University of Haryana
24.	Central University of Jammu, Jammu
25.	University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad
26.	International Institute of Information Technology, Naya Raipur
27.	Punjab Engineering College, Chandigarh
28.	Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi
29.	International Institute of Information Technology, Bhubaneswar
30.	Central Institute of Technology Kokrajhar, Assam
31.	Puducherry Technological University, Puducherry
32.	Ghani Khan Choudhary Institute of Engineering and Technology, Malda, West Bengal
33.	Central University of Rajasthan, Rajasthan
34.	National Institute of Food Technology Entrepreneurship and Management Sonapat, Haryana
35.	National Institute of Food Technology, Entrepreneurship and Management (NIFTEM) – Thanjavur
36.	North Eastern Regional Institute of Science and Technology, Nirjuli (Itanagar), Arunachal Pradesh
37.	Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai-IOC Odisha Campus, Bhubaneswar, Odisha
38.	Indian Institute of Handloom Technology, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh

39.	Chhattisgarh Swami Vivekanand Technical University, Bhilai, Chhattisgarh
40.	North Eastern Hill University, Shillong
41.	Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi
42.	Gati Shakti Vishwavidyalaya, Vadodara, Gujarat
43.	Islamic University of Science and Technology, Awantipora, Jammu and Kashmir
44.	Shri G. S. Institute of Technology & Science, Indore, MP

Note: refer to the CSAB 2025 website for the final list of participating institutes.