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The Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Government of India (GOI), has established National Testing Agency (NTA) as an independent, autonomous and self-sustained organisation to conduct efficient, transparent and international standard tests in order to assess the competency of candidates.

University of Delhi (DU) has entrusted the responsibility of conduct of All India Entrance Examinations for admissions to UG, PG, M.Phil. and or Ph.D Courses to the NTA for the academic session 2019-20.

DUET-2019 shall be conducted by the NTA from 3rd July 2019 to 8th July 2019 in three shifts/sessions viz. Shift 1: 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., Shift 2 : 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m. and Shift 3 : 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. at more than 100 Examination Centres spread across 18 Cities. The examination would be conducted for various courses and programmes, based on the scheme of examinations and syllabi notified by the University of Delhi and defined in the Bulletin of Information available at the website of University of Delhi and National Testing Agency.

Number of the candidates enrolled for the examinations is the following:

Table 1: Candidates for DU Examinations, 2019

S.No.	DUET-2019 Examination	Number of Candidates
1	UG	81307
2	PG	128699
3	M.Phil. and or Ph.D.	12355
	Total	222361

Table 2: Shift-wise number of Candidates

Date of Exam	Shift 1	Shift 2	Shift 3	Total Candidates
3.7.2019	16547	8097	12356	52350
4.7.2019	8585	4333	6526	30023
5.7.2019	6426	11932	8278	42623
6.7.2019	3921	9632	10788	38490
7.7.2019	9273	8957	7271	47330
8.7.2019	1932	1787	2435	11545

Table 3: Gender wise Data

Date of Exam	Shift 1			Shift 2			Shift 3		
	Female	Male	Others	Female	Male	Others	Female	Male	Others
3.7.2019	7342	14308	1	3388	10160	0	12947	4202	2
4.7.2019	7520	6356	1	3675	2757	2	5385	4316	1
5.7.2019	6881	3394	3	11088	8539	3	8309	4405	1
6.7.2019	6126	852	0	5962	8950	0	7775	8823	2
7.7.2019	8377	10288	3	13299	1850	2	6844	6665	2
8.7.2019	2119	1798	1	1751	1562	0	2702	1612	0

Table 4: PwD/ Special Category Candidates

Date of Exam	Shift 1	Shift 2	Shift 3	Total Candidates
3.7.2019	182	55	286	523
4.7.2019	96	37	199	332
5.7.2019	77	269	109	455
6.7.2019	44	58	83	185
7.7.2019	120	91	74	285
8.7.2019	72	56	21	149
Total				1929

The Examination shall be conducted as Computer Based Test (CBT) only. The Test consists of Multiple-Choice Items only and is of Two (2) hours duration.

All the preparations for the fair and smooth conduct of exam have been completed.

- A Control Room has been setup at the headquarters of NTA. 15 City Coordinators and 150 Observers have been positioned.
- A third-party audit of most of examination centres has been completed.
- Live CCTV- as done earlier, CCTV Surveillance will be started in 101 examination centres to curb malpractices in the examinations. The NTA has made arrangements for live viewing at remote locations and recording of CCTVs Systems of all examination centres at control room situated in the NTA.
- A network of more than 4000 Test Practice Centres, especially for students of rural areas, has run free practice sessions. About 10 lakh candidates have used the facility.
- Jammers- In order to stop cheating using mobile networks, approximately 3600 Jammers have been installed in all the Centres.

While assuring the candidates of the highest professional conduct of the exam, NTA requests cooperation of all the candidates for an orderly conduct of the exam.

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