

RECRUITMENT OF SCIENTIST/ENGINEER 'SC' - 2018

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

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| 1. | <p>I wish to apply for the Scientist/Engineer 'SC'. I am unable to find the Link. Can you please send the direct link?</p> <p>Answer: Link for applying online is available in the "CAREERS" portal of ISRO Website www.isro.gov.in. Please click on the corresponding advertisement (Heading) → click on "Visit Page" link and scroll down through the advertisement to see the link for applying online.</p> |
| 2. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer 'SC'. I did not get any email confirming my registration. Where do I find the Registration Number?</p> <p>Answer: Once application is successfully submitted the registration number will be displayed on the screen This registration number has to be noted down immediately and to be preserved for future correspondence. A separate email will also be sent to your e-mail id.</p> |
| 3. | <p>My College/Institute/University name does not appear in the list given? Which university should I select?</p> <p>Answer : You may select "other Universities" option available in the drop down menu</p> |
| 4. | <p>I am Male (General/OBC) candidate. I applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer 'SC'. But I am unable to get/see the "make payment" button/option.</p> <p>Answer: All Women candidates; and Scheduled Castes (SC)/ Scheduled Tribes (ST); Ex- servicemen [EX-SM] and Persons with Disabilities (PWD) candidates are exempted from payment of Application Fee. Please check if you have opted for any of these categories while submitting online application.</p> |
| 5. | <p>I am Woman/Female (General/SC/ST/OBC/PWD) candidate. I applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer 'SC'. But I am unable to get/see the "make payment" button/option. How do I pay application fee?</p> <p>Answer: All Women candidates (General/SC/ST/OBC/PWD) are exempted from payment of Application Fee. Female candidates need not pay application fee. Hence you will not get "Make Payment" button/option. You will get an email on successful submission of online application.</p> |

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| 6. | <p>I have applied/ registered successfully for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. What all documents I have to send to ISRO Headquarters? Whether Application Print out has to be sent? Whether I have to send my Photo? Where to upload my Photo?</p> <p>Answer: Those candidates who are already employed under Central/State Govt/PSU/Autonomous Bodies should send the “No objection certificate” from the employer concerned to ‘Administrative Officer (RMT), Antariksh Bhavan, ISRO Headquarters, New BEL Road, Bangalore-560094. All other candidates need not send any documents to ISRO HQ; however candidates have to produce the original documents, as and when required by the office.</p> |
| 7. | <p>I have successfully registered/applied for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. When will I get the Admit Card for written test?</p> <p>Answer: The call letters for the written test to the short-listed candidates will be sent only by e-mail during the period as mentioned in the Advertisement/Notification.</p> |
| 8. | <p>I am currently employed under Central/State Govt/PSU/ Autonomous Body and I have successfully registered/applied for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. How do I send the “No objection certificate” to the ISRO HQ? i.e. by Speed Post/Ordinary Post/Registered Post/Courier etc.</p> <p>Answer: You may send the “No Objection Certificate” by Ordinary Post or Speed Post.</p> |
| 9. | <p>I am working in a private sector/MNC. Am I supposed to submit No Objection Certificate?</p> <p>Answer: No.</p> |
| 10. | <p>I am employed Under Central/State Govt/PSU/ Autonomous Body. My employer cannot give me NOC for written test. Can I produce/submit the No Objection Certificate during Interview?</p> <p>Answer: No.</p> |
| 11. | <p>I have applied for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. If I am not shortlisted for the written test, whether my Application Fee can be refunded?</p> <p>Answer: No. The ‘Application Fee’ is Non-refundable and shall not be refunded in any case.</p> |
| 12. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. I have committed error while entering DOB/Name/Address/Marks etc? Can I rectify the details?</p> <p>Answer: No. There is no provision for editing the details already submitted online. Hence, you may reconfirm all the details entered before final submission. Candidates may, if required, submit a fresh application. However, the latest/last application submitted before the ‘last date of submitting application-i.e.20.02.2018’ shall be taken as final. Candidates may note that</p> |

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| | <p>after 20.02.2018 no details including category (SC/ST/OBC/UR) shall/can be edited on request. Hence candidates may reconfirm all the details entered before 'last date of submitting application-i.e.20.02.2018.</p> |
| 13. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. I am facing some technical issues with online payment. Whom do I contact for help?</p> <p>Answer: For any technical issues with online payment candidates may send an email to icrb@isro.gov.in, mentioning the required details like Name, Registration Number, Post Applied for, ISRO Reference number , and SBI Reference Number(if available). However, ISRO does not hold responsibility in case of non-payments of application fee, due to transactions which are either pending or failed. Candidates may if required contact their Banks and ensure that the payments are successful. An alternative method of payment of application fee i.e. by mode of challan, by personally visiting SBI is also provided to the candidates. <i>(Receiving of debit message on mobile phones of the candidates does not necessarily mean that the application fee is received by ISRO. Candidates may check the payment status link on ISRO website for re-confirming the payment status)</i></p> |
| 14. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. I have not made the payment the same day of submitting online application. Now, I wish to make payment. What is the procedure?</p> <p>Answer: Link for applying online is available in the “CAREERS” portal of ISRO Website www.isro.gov.in. Please click on the corresponding advertisement (Heading). Next click on “Visit Page” link. Scroll Down to see a link for making online payment. The candidate can pay the fee before the last day for payment of fee (21.02.2018) by accessing the link "Make Payment" link available in advertisement page. Candidate has to provide his registration number, Date of Birth and later click on the "Make Payment" button and follow the payment process.</p> |
| 15. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. But I do not have Online Payment Facility. How do I pay the Application Fee?</p> <p>Answer: The candidate can choose “Offline” payment option available after clicking on “Make Payment” link. A Challan/remittance form is generated which may be downloaded and printed. The candidate may now make offline payment by cash by visiting any of the nearest SBI Branches using the printed Challan/remittance form.</p> |
| 16. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’ and selected “Offline Payment” mode. But I could not print the Challan/Remittance Form. How do I get Challan/Remittance Form at later date?</p> <p>Answer: Link for downloading Challan/Remittance Form is available in the ONLINESBI Website (https://www.onlinesbi.com/prelogin/mopsremittanceform.htm)</p> |

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| | <p>Please click on the above mentioned link. Select Merchant Name “ISRO” from the drop down menu. Enter the other details required like, Bank Reference Number or Merchant Reference Number, Date of Birth or Mobile Number and Click on “Go” Button. A Challan/remittance form is generated which may be downloaded and printed. The candidate may now make offline payment by cash by visiting any of the nearest SBI Branches using the printed Challan/remittance form.</p> |
| 17. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. I have made online payment of application fee. I wish to check the payment status. What is the procedure? / Where can I check the payment status?</p> <p>Answer: Link for applying online is available in the “CAREERS” portal of ISRO Website www.isro.gov.in. Please click on the corresponding advertisement (Heading). Next click on “Visit Page” link. Scroll Down to see a link checking the payment status. The candidate can click on the "Payment Status" link to check the payment status, after 24 hours of having made the online payment. <i>(Status updates shall not be available on Saturdays, Sundays, and any public holidays. Receiving of debit message on mobile phones of the candidates does not necessarily mean that the application fee is received by ISRO. Candidates may check the payment status link on ISRO website for re-confirming the payment status)</i></p> |
| 18. | <p>I have applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. Can I change the Examination Centre?</p> <p>Answer: Yes. There is a provision for changing the Written Test Centre provided in the online application, up to the date of screening of the online applications. <u>However, after the initial screening of the online applications is completed, the requests of the candidates for change in the written test centre will not be entertained.</u></p> |
| 19. | <p>I am an ex-serviceman. I wish to apply for the post of Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. What is the age relaxation provided to Ex-servicemen?</p> <p>Answer: Age relaxation is as per the Government of India orders.</p> |
| 20. | <p>Please find attached herewith my CV/ Resume. Kindly let me know whether I am eligible for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. Please inform as to when can I attend the Interview?</p> <p>Answer: Only online applications are accepted. You may visit our website at www.isro.gov.in to apply.</p> |
| 21. | <p>I wish to apply for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. But I am unable to find my branch/division in the drop down menu. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: Candidates with qualifications mentioned under our drop down menu only are eligible to apply.</p> |
| 22. | <p>It is mentioned in the advt “Posts are Temporary, likely to continue”.</p> |

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| | <p>What does this mean? Whether the posts are contractual/permanent?</p> <p>Answer: The posts are permanent, but will remain Temporary until the incumbent completes prescribed period of probation.</p> |
| 23. | <p>I have successfully submitted the application for the post of Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. Can you allot me a different date for ‘written test’ due to personal reasons?</p> <p>Answer: No. The request for change in the date of written test shall not be considered. The written test shall be conducted on 22.04.2018 (Sunday) only, unless otherwise notified in the website.</p> |
| 24. | <p>I am Male (General/OBC) candidate. I applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. I have submitted two/more than two applications for the same post. Whether my candidature will be rejected?</p> <p>Answer: In case of submission of duplicate/multiple applications, the application against which the ‘application fee’ has been received within the last date for payment of application fee (21.02.2018) only will be considered. Applications are considered to be duplicate, only if all details entered in both applications are identical.</p> |
| 25. | <p>I am Woman/Female (General/SC/ST/OBC/PWD) candidate. I applied/registered for the Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’. I have submitted two/more than two applications for the same post. Whether my candidature will be rejected?</p> <p>Answer: In case of submission of duplicate/multiple applications by Women candidates/Scheduled Castes (SC)/ Scheduled Tribes (ST); Ex-serviceman [EX-SM] and Persons with Disabilities (PWD) candidates, the last application submitted before the last date for submission of application (20.02.2018) shall be considered for further processing. Applications are considered to be duplicate, only if all details entered in both applications are identical.</p> |
| 26. | <p>Whether the posts “Scientist/Engineer-SC” are meant for only Schedule Caste candidates?</p> <p>Answer: SCIENTIST/ENGINEER "SC" is only a designation and does not pertain to any specific caste/religion etc.</p> |
| 27. | <p>I wish to apply for the post of Sci/Engr ‘SC’. Is there any relaxation in Educational Qualification/Marks for SC/ST/OBC/PWD Candidates?</p> <p>Answer: No. There is no relaxation in Educational Qualification/ Marks for any categories.</p> |
| 28. | <p>I wish to apply for the said post. My seventh/eight semesters results are not declared. I am unable to proceed with the Application.</p> <p>Answer: In the seventh/eighth semester field you may enter ‘zero’ out of ‘zero’ and proceed further. Be sure that the aggregate marks in the</p> |

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| | <p>remaining semesters is 65% and above or CGPA/CPI is 6.84 and above. Please note that conversion from CGPA to percentage and vice-versa is not accepted.</p> |
| 29. | <p>I am candidate with Diploma+B.E/B.Tech (Lateral Entry). I had only 6 semesters. I do not have 7th & 8th Semesters in my curriculum. I am unable to proceed with online application.</p> <p>Answer: In the third step of the online application you may select Diploma+B.E/B.Tech (Lateral Entry) option. You shall see the fields for 6 semesters only.</p> |
| 30. | <p>I applied for the post of ‘Scientist/Engineer-SC’ (Electronics/Mechanical/ Computer Science) Please provide Syllabus and Exam pattern.</p> <p>Answer: Syllabus of the written test will be based on the curriculum taught in BE/B.Tech in Electronics/Mechanical/ Computer Science whichever is applicable and test will be objective type.</p> |
| 31. | <p>I have ME/M.Tech in First Class with an aggregate more than 65%. But my aggregate percentage (average of all semesters) in BE/Btech is less than 65%. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: No.</p> |
| 32. | <p>As per my University certificate my percentage is more than 65. However, my aggregate percentage (average of all semesters) is less than 65 with ‘Other than First Class’. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: No.</p> |
| 33. | <p>I have B.E/B.Tech with 6.5 CGPA/CPI. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: No. You should have minimum 6.84 CGPA/CPI(aggregate).</p> |
| 34. | <p>Upto 7th Semesters my aggregate percentage (average of all semesters)/ is more than 65%/. If subsequently my result is declared and my aggregate is less than 65%, whether my candidature will be considered for further selection process?</p> <p>Answer: No</p> |
| 35. | <p>Upto 7th Semesters my CGPA/CPI is more than 6.84. If subsequently my result is declared and CGPA/CPI is less than 6.84, whether my candidature will be considered for further selection process?</p> <p>Answer: No</p> |
| 36. | <p>I am an AMIE/Grad IETE candidate with aggregate percentage of more than 65%/ CGPA/CPI of 6.84 in both sections A & B put together. Am I</p> |

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| | <p>eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer:</p> <p>a) Firstly, eligibility of AMIE candidates will be regulated as per MHRD order No. 11-15-2011-AR (TS.II) dated 06.12.2012. i.e. Those students who are registered for pursuing studies leading to award of AMIE from Institution of Engineers (India) after 31.05.2013 shall not be considered for recruitment under this advertisement.</p> <p>b) Candidates applying with qualification of AMIE/Grad IETE should have 65% marks or CGPA 6.84 in Section 'B' alone.</p> |
| 37. | <p>I am MCA candidate with aggregate percentage more than 65%/CGPA/CPI of more than 6.84. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: No.</p> |
| 38. | <p>I am an M.E/M.Tech candidate/pursuing candidate. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: Eligible, subject to fulfillment of B.E/B.Tech in first class with an aggregate minimum of 65% marks or CGPA 6.84/10 (average of all semesters). However, the candidates are not permitted to claim extra weightage/benefits.</p> |
| 39. | <p>I am a candidate with Integrated course of B.E/B.Tech and M.E/M.Tech with aggregate percentage more than 65%/CGPA/CPI of more than 6.84. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: Eligible, subject to production of Graduation certificate for B.E/B.Tech separately in first class with an aggregate minimum of 65% marks or CGPA 6.84/10.</p> |
| 40. | <p>My CGPA/CPI is less than 6.84. However, after conversion according to my University Conversion Factor my percentage is more than 65%. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: No. Candidates with CGPA/CPI mentioned on the University certificate are not allowed to convert the CGPA/CPI into percentage.</p> |
| 41. | <p>My aggregate percentage (average of all semesters) is less than 65%. However, after conversion according to my University Conversion Factor my CGPA/CPI turns out to be more than 6.84 Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: No. Candidates with percentage mentioned on the University certificate are not allowed to convert the percentage into CGPA/CPI.</p> |
| 42. | <p>Where will I get the old Question Papers?</p> <p>Answer: Previous years question papers are available in the ISRO Website and</p> |

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| | published under the advertisement. |
| 43. | <p>I am pursuing B.E/B.Tech. I have my University exams on 22.4.2018. Can my written test date be changed?</p> <p>Answer: No</p> |
| 44. | <p>The eligibility criteria mentioned in the notification is BE/B.Tech or equivalent qualification in first class with an aggregate minimum of 65% marks or CGPA 6.84/10 (average of all semesters for which results are available). What is the meaning of Equivalent/ Equivalency?</p> <p>Answer: Following are the courses which are considered Degree or equivalent, in the relevant field of discipline</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. B.E 2. B.Tech 3. B.Sc.(Engineering) 4. Diploma+B.E/B.Tech(Lateral Entry) 5. BSc+ B.E/B.Tech(Lateral Entry) 6. AMIE* <p>Candidates who have undergone any of the above courses and fulfill all other terms and conditions mentioned in the advertisement are eligible to apply.</p> <p>*AMIE candidates are eligible to apply, subject to conditions.Please see Sl. No. 36, for conditions.</p> |
| 45. | <p>Whether candidates who have B.E/B.Tech in other Electronics disciplines apply for the post Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’ (Electronics) (BE-001)?</p> <p>Answer: As per ISRO’s requirement Engineering degree holders in the following specialized fields are eligible to apply for the post of Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’ Electronics (BE-001):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applied Electronics 2. Communication 3. Electrical Electronics 4. Electronics 5. Electronics & Communication 6. Electronics & power 7. Electronics & Telecommunication 8. Industrial Electronics 9. Power Electronics 10. Telecommunication 11. Instrumentation Technology |

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| | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 12. Instrumentation & Control 13. Electronics & Instrumentation 14. Avionics |
| 46. | <p>Whether candidates who have B.E/B.Tech in other Mechanical disciplines apply for the post Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’ (Mechanical) (BE-002)?</p> <p>Answer: As per ISRO’s requirement Engineering degree holders in the following specialized fields are eligible to apply for the post of Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’ (Mechanical) (BE-002):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Industrial Engineering 2. Industrial Management 3. Industrial Production 4. Manufacturing Sciences/Engineering 5. Mechanical Engineering 6. Metallurgy 7. Production Engineering 8. Production Management 9. Aeronautical Engineering 10. Aerospace Engineering 11. Mechatronics |
| 47. | <p>Whether candidates who have B.E/B.Tech in other Computer Science disciplines apply for the post Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’ (Computer Science) (BE-003)?</p> <p>Answer: As per ISRO’s requirement Engineering degree holders in the following specialized fields are eligible to apply for the post of Scientist/Engineer ‘SC’ (Computer Science) (BE-003):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Computer Science 2. Information Science 3. Information Technology |
| 48. | <p>I have completed my SSLC/10th standard before attaining age of 15 years; and completed B.E/B.Tech before attaining age of 21 years. I am getting an error message for entering the date of birth. How do I proceed?</p> <p>Answer: You may kindly contact ICRB Cell on the phone numbers mentioned below (at the end of the FAQs).</p> |
| 49. | <p>I have acquired B.E/B.Tech degree through correspondence course. Am I eligible to apply?</p> |

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| | Answer: No. |
| 50. | <p>I have acquired B.E/B.Tech degree through part-time. Am I eligible to apply?</p> <p>Answer: Yes, subject to fulfillment of all other terms and conditions mentioned in the advertisement.</p> |
| 51. | <p>I have registered under National Career Services (NCS) Portal. Do I still have to apply online?</p> <p>Answer: Yes. The candidates registered under National Career Services (NCS) portal and fulfilling the eligibility conditions may visit ISRO website @ www.isro.gov.in and follow the application procedure as stated in the advertisement/notification.</p> |
| 52. | <p>Please provide the postal address for sending No Objection Certificate.</p> <p>Answer: The ‘No Objection Certificate’ may be sent to the following address by ordinary post or speed post: Administrative Officer, ICRB Antariksh Bhavan ISRO Headquarters New BEL Road, Bangalore-560094</p> |
| <p>For any queries not included in the above table, candidates may send email at icrb@isro.gov.in with a subject line “Query- Scientist/Engineer-SC Recruitment – ICRB” or call at 080-22172465/22172264/22172260 only, anytime between 9.30 AM to 6.30 PM</p> | |
