



## **The Maharashtra State Reservation for Socially and Educationally Backward Classes Act, 2024**

Act No. 16 of 2024

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In pursuance of clause (3) of article 348 of the Constitution of India, the following translation in English of the Maharashtra State Reservation for Socially and Educationally Backward Classes Act, 2024 (Mah. Act No. XVI of 2024), is hereby published under the authority of the Governor.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

SATISH WAGHOLE,  
Secretary (Legislation) to Government,  
Law and Judiciary Department.

## MAHARASHTRA ACT No. XVI OF 2024

*(First published, after having received the assent of the Governor in the "Maharashtra Government Gazette", on the 26th February 2024).*

An Act to specify certain communities as the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes in relation to the State of Maharashtra and to provide for reservation of seats for admission in educational institutions in the State and for reservation of posts for appointments in public services and posts under the State to such Socially and Educationally Backward Classes in the State of Maharashtra for their advancement and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

WHEREAS it is expedient to specify certain communities as the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes in relation to the State of Maharashtra and to provide for reservation of seats for admission in educational institutions in the State and for reservation of posts for appointments in public services and posts under the State to such Socially

and Educationally Backward Classes in the State of Maharashtra for their advancement and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto; it is hereby enacted in the Seventy-fifth Year of the Republic of India, as follows :—

Short title and commencement.

**1.** (1) This Act may be called the Maharashtra State Reservation for Socially and Educationally Backward Classes Act, 2024.

(2) It shall come into force on the date of publication of this Act in the *Official Gazette*.

Definitions.

**2.** (1) In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) “admission authority”, in relation to admissions to educational institutions, means the authority having supervisory and controlling powers over the educational institutions responsible for admissions to particular educational institutions ;

(b) “appointing authority”, in relation to public services and posts, means the authority empowered to make appointments to such services and posts ;

(c) “Competent Authority” means the Competent Authority appointed under section 7 ;

(d) “educational institutions” includes the educational institutions in the State of Maharashtra owned and controlled by the Government, which receives grant-in-aid from the Government, universities established by or under the relevant Maharashtra Acts, private educational institutions, whether aided or un-aided by the State, other than the minority educational institutions referred to in clause (1) of article 30 of the Constitution of India.

*Explanation.*—For the purposes of this clause, the expression “private educational institutions” means institutions which have been given either prior to coming into force of this Act or thereafter, aid in the form of Government land at concessional rates or any other monetary concessions by the Government, or are recognized, permitted, supervised or controlled by the Government ;

(e) “establishment” means any office of the Government or of a local authority or statutory authority constituted under any Act of the State Legislature for the time being in force, or university or company or corporation or co-operative society in which share capital is held by the Government or any Government aided institutions.

*Explanation.*—For the purposes of this clause, the expression “Government aided institutions” shall also include institutions or industries which have been given, either prior to coming into force of this Act or thereafter, aid in the form of Government land at concessional rates or any other monetary concessions by the Government or is recognized, licensed, supervised or controlled by the Government ;

(f) “Government” or “State Government” means the Government of Maharashtra ;

(g) “prescribed” means prescribed by rules made under this Act ;

(h) “public services and posts” means the services and posts in connection with the affairs of the State and includes services and posts in,—

(i) a local authority ;

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(ii) a co-operative society registered under the Maharashtra Co-operative Societies Act, 1960, in which the Government is a share holder ;

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(iii) a board or a corporation or a statutory body established by or under a Central Act or a State Act which is owned and controlled by the Government, or a Government company as defined in the Companies Act, 2013 ;

(iv) an educational institution owned and controlled by the Government, which receives grant-in-aid from the Government including a university established by or under a Maharashtra Act; and

(v) any other establishment in respect of which reservation was applicable by Government orders on the date of commencement of this Act and which are not covered under sub-clauses (i) to (iv) ;

(i) “reservation” means the reservation of seats, for admission in educational institutions and reservation of posts for appointments in the public services and posts to the persons belonging to Socially and Educationally Backward Classes in the State ;

(j) “Socially and Educationally Backward Classes” means the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes as specified under this Act for the purposes of the State of Maharashtra in accordance with article 342A of the Constitution of India ;

(k) “State” means the State of Maharashtra.

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(2) The words and expressions used in this Act, but not defined, shall have the same meanings respectively assigned to them in the Maharashtra State Public Services (Reservation for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, De-notified Tribes (*Vimukta Jatis*), Nomadic Tribes, Special Backward Category and Other Backward Classes) Act, 2001.

**3.** The Maratha Community is hereby specified as the Socially and Educationally Backward Class for the purposes of the State.

Socially and  
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Class in  
State.

**4.** (1) This Act shall apply to all the direct recruitments and appointments made in the public services and posts in the State except,-

Applicability.

(a) the super specialized posts in medical, technical and educational field ;

(b) the posts to be filled by transfer or deputation ;

(c) the temporary appointments of less than forty-five days duration ; and

(d) the post which is single (isolated) in any cadre or grade.

(2) This Act shall also apply, for admissions in educational institutions including private educational institutions, whether aided or un-aided by the State, other than the minority educational institutions referred to in clause (1) of article 30 of the Constitution of India.

(3) The State Government shall, while entering into or renewing an agreement with any educational institution or any establishment for the grant of any aid as provided in the explanation to clauses (d) and (e) of section 2, respectively, incorporate a condition for compliance of the provisions of this Act, by such educational institution or establishment.

(4) For the removal of doubts, it is hereby declared that nothing in this Act shall affect the reservation provided to the Other Backward Classes under the Maharashtra State Public Services (Reservation for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, De-notified Tribes (*Vimukta Jatis*), Nomadic Tribes, Special Backward Category and Other Backward Classes) Act, 2001 and the Maharashtra Private Professional Educational Institutions (Reservation of seats for admission for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, De-notified Tribes (*Vimukta Jatis*), Nomadic Tribes and Other Backward Classes) Act, 2006.

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5. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in any judgment, decree or order of any court or other authority, and subject to the other provisions of this Act,—

(a) ten per cent. of the total seats in educational institutions including private educational institutions, whether aided or un-aided by the State, other than minority educational institutions referred to in clause (1) of article 30 of the Constitution of India ; and

(b) ten per cent. of the total appointments in direct recruitment in public services and posts under the State,

shall be separately reserved for the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes :

Provided that, the above reservation shall not be applicable to the posts reserved in favour of the Scheduled Tribes candidates in the Scheduled Areas of the State under the Fifth Schedule to the Constitution of India as per the notification issued, from time to time, by the Governor, in this behalf.

(2) The principle of Creamy Layer shall be applicable for the purposes of reservation to the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes under this Act and reservation under this Act shall be available only to the persons belonging to the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes who are not falling in Creamy Layer.

*Explanation.*—For the purposes of this sub-section, the expression “Creamy Layer” means the person falling in the category of Creamy Layer as declared by the Government by general or special orders issued in this behalf, from time to time.

Reservation  
not to be  
affected.

6. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 5, the claims of students or persons belonging to Socially and Educationally Backward Classes shall also be considered for the allotment on unreserved seats and appointments on public services and posts which shall be filled on the basis of merit, and where students or persons belonging to such classes is selected on the basis of merit, the number of seats and appointments reserved for the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes, shall not in any way be affected.

Competent  
Authority.

7. (1) The Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, appoint any officer not below the rank of the District Social Welfare Officer to be the Competent Authority for such area as may be specified in such

notification for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this Act and the rules made thereunder.

(2) The Competent Authority shall exercise such powers and perform such functions, as may be prescribed.

**8.** (1) If in respect of any recruitment year, any vacancy reserved for Socially and Educationally Backward Classes of persons remains unfilled, such vacancy shall be carried forward upto five years in case of direct recruitment :

Carrying forward of reserved vacancies.

Provided that, on the date of commencement of this Act, if any Government Order, Resolution, Circular and Office Memorandum regarding filling of posts is in force then, the same shall continue to be in force unless modified or revoked by the Government :

Provided further that, if the sanctioned posts are not adequate to allocate atleast one post for each reserved category, then the reserved post shall be filled in by applying the principle of rotation in accordance with the Government roster orders or rules as may be prescribed or modified in this behalf.

(2) When a vacancy is carried forward as provided in sub-section (1), it shall not be counted against the quota of the vacancies reserved for the concerned classes of persons for the recruitment year to which it is carried forward :

Provided that, the appointing authority may, at any time, undertake a special recruitment drive to fill up such unfilled vacancies and if such vacancies remain unfilled even after such special recruitment drive then, it shall be filled up in the manner prescribed by the Government.

**9.** (1) The Government may, by order in writing, entrust upon every admission authority or appointing authority or any officer under such authority, with the responsibility of ensuring the compliance with the provisions of this Act.

Responsibility and powers for compliance of Act.

(2) The Government may, in the like manner, invest the admission authority or appointing authority or officer with such powers or authority as may be necessary for such authority or officer, to effectively discharge such duty assigned to such authority or officer.

**10.** (1) Any admission authority or appointing authority or officer or employee entrusted with the duty or responsibility who willfully acts in a manner intended to contravene or defeat the purposes of this Act shall, on conviction, be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to ninety days or fine, which may extend to twenty-five thousand rupees, or with both.

Penalty.

(2) No court shall take cognizance of an offence punishable under this section except with the previous sanction of the Government or officer authorized in this behalf by the Government.

**11.** When it comes to the notice of the Government or is brought to its notice that any person belonging to Socially and Educationally Backward Classes is adversely affected, on account of non-compliance with the provisions of this Act or the rules made thereunder or the Government orders

Power to call for records.

issued in this behalf, by any admission authority or appointing authority, it may call for such records and pass such appropriate orders as it deems fit.

Procedure of issuance of Caste Certificate and Validity Certificate.

**12.** The provisions of the Maharashtra Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, De-notified Tribes (*Vimukta Jatis*), Nomadic Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Special Backward Category (Regulation of Issuance and Verification of Caste Certificate Act, 2000 and the Maharashtra Scheduled Castes, De-notified Tribes (*Vimukta Jatis*), Nomadic Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Special Backward Category (Regulation of Issuance and Verification of) Caste Certificate Rules, 2012, shall *mutatis mutandis* apply for issuance of Caste Certificate and Validity Certificate for Maratha Community as Socially and Educationally Backward Class, for the purposes of this Act.

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Representation in selection committee.

**13.** The Government may, by an order, provide for nomination of officers belonging to Socially and Educationally Backward Classes in selections, screening and departmental committee for the purpose of selecting persons for appointment to public services and posts.

Irregular admissions and appointments void.

**14.** Any admissions or appointments made in contravention of the provisions of this Act shall be void.

Competent Authority to be public servant.

**15.** The Competent Authority appointed under section 7 shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of section 21 of the Indian Penal Code.

45 of 1860.

Protection of action taken in good faith.

**16.** No suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against the Competent Authority or its officers, for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act or the rules or orders made thereunder.

Power to make rules.

**17.** (1) The State Government may, by notification in the *Official Gazette*, make rules to carry out the purposes of this Act.

(2) Every rule made under this Act shall be laid, as soon as may be, after it is made, before each House of the State Legislature, while it is in session for a total period of thirty days, which may be comprised in one session or in two or more successive sessions, and if, before the expiry of the session in which it is so laid or the session immediately following, both Houses agree in making any modification in any rule or both Houses agree that the rule should not be made, and notify their decision to that effect in the *Official Gazette*, the rule shall, from the date of publication of notification of such decision have effect only in such modified form or be of no effect, as the case may be; so, however, that any such modification or annulment shall be without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done or omitted to be done under that rule.

Savings.

**18.** (1) The provisions of this Act shall not apply to the cases in which selection process has already been initiated before the commencement of this Act, and such cases shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of law and the Government orders as they stood before such commencement.

*Explanation.*—For the purposes of this section, the selection process shall be deemed to have been initiated where, under the relevant service rules,—

(i) recruitment is to be made on the basis of written test or interview only, and such written test or the interview, as the case may be, has started; or

(ii) recruitment is to be made on the basis of both, written test and interview and such written test has started.

(2) The provisions of this Act shall not apply to admissions in educational institutions and the cases in which the admission process has already been initiated before the commencement of this Act and such cases shall be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of law and the Government orders, as they stood before such commencement.

*Explanation.*- For the purposes of this section, the admission process shall be deemed to have initiated where,—

(i) admission is to be made on the basis of any entrance test, and procedure for such entrance test has started; or

(ii) in case of admission to be made other than on the basis of entrance test, the last date for filling the form is lapsed.

**19.** (1) If any difficulty arises in giving effect to the provisions of this Act, the Government may, as occasion arises, by an order published in the *Official Gazette*, do anything not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, which appears to it to be necessary or expedient for the purpose of removing the difficulty :

Power to  
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difficulty.

Provided that, no such order shall be made after expiry of the period of two years from the date of commencement of this Act.

(2) Every order made under sub-section (1) shall be laid, as soon as may be, after it is made, before each House of the State Legislature.

Mah. LXII of 2018. **20.** (1) The Maharashtra State Reservation (of seats for admission in educational institutions in the State and for appointments in the public services and posts under the State) for Socially and Educationally Backward Classes (SEBC) Act, 2018 is hereby repealed.

Repeal and  
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1 of 1904. (2) The provisions of section 7 of the Maharashtra General Clauses Act with regard to effect of repeal shall apply.



**University Grants Commission**

**SCT Section**

**SC/ST**

Question	Reply
Kindly inform the year-wise number of reserved SC/ST/OBC faculty, non-faculty positions from the start of the reservation policy in India when the Act was passed and till now.	The UGC follows the reservation policy of the Government of India.
Legal Status of Reservation Framework of SC/ST in Govt. Services and Educational Institutional According to Indian Constitution.	Whereas, the policy of the Central Government is that the Central Universities and Institutions which are Deemed to be Universities receiving grants-in-aid from the public exchequer, the percentage of reservation in admissions and recruitments in teaching and non-teaching posts is to be 15% for Scheduled Castes and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribes except in minority institutions under Article 30(1) of the Constitution.
Now, at what percentage of reservation are kept for SC, ST, OBC & Minorities in the field at Nationalized firm/Industries, Nationalized Banks and Central Civil/Defence services? And at what percentage of reservation are kept SC,SC,OBC & current Reservation rule Minorities in the fixed of central Colleges, Universities like IIT, IIM, NIIT and Research Institute (ISRO, DRDO). At what percentage of Reservation are kept for respective section, what are its rule regulation or what are it's basic principles after reservation.	As per instructions issued by the Government of India, Dept. of Personnel & Training, New Delhi Vide O.M.No.36012/2/96-Estt.(Res.) dated 2 <sup>nd</sup> July, 1997, now post based roster is applicable. i. All educational institutions receiving grant-in-aid from the public fund has to provide prescribed percentage of reservation for SCs/STs and PWDs (Persons with disabilities) on the sanctioned strength of each cadre (i.e. Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, Professors or by whatever other nomenclature the posts are known) for the purpose of recruitment of various teaching and non-teaching posts. ii. Reservation to Other Backward Classes (OBCs) is applicable at the entry level only in non-teaching posts and in case of teaching posts at the level of Assistant Professor only. iii. Central Universities are receiving 100% maintenance grant and also the Deemed to be universities, which are getting 100% maintenance grant or part of maintenance grant are required to provide reservation of 15% to Scheduled Castes, 7.5% for Scheduled Tribes, 27% to Other Backward Classes and 4% for Persons with Disabilities in the matter of teaching and non-teaching posts as well as in admissions to all level courses accept in Minority Institutions under Article 30(1) of the Constitution. However, State Universities including their affiliated constituent colleges and other institutes

	<p>functioning within the State can follow the percentage of reservation as prescribed by the respective State Government.</p> <p>v. The Reservation of SC/ST/OBCs is called vertical reservation and the reservation for Physically handicapped persons (PWD) as horizontal reservation. Horizontal reservations cut across vertical reservation and the persons selected against Physically handicapped quota (PWD) have to be placed in the appropriate category.</p>
Furnish the definition/meaning of Good Academic Record as per UGC Rules and from which Educational level (i.e. Secondary/Higher Secondary/Graduation Level) should be considered for the post of Asst. Professor in Universities/Govt. Degree Colleges.	The concerned University will decide the "Good Academic Record" at the Graduation level and provide 5% relaxation to SC/ST and PWD candidates in the appointment to the post of Lecturer/Asstt. Professor and equivalent post in Universities and Colleges.
Is It Mandatory For Minority Institutions To Give Reservation To SC/ST/OBC In Teaching And Non-Teaching post or have they discretion?	<p>Government order No.F.6-30/2005 U-5 dated 6th December, 2005 is reproduced below for information. Last para ..</p> <p>" Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested under Section 20(1) of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 the Government hereby directs the UGC to ensure effective implementation of the reservation policy in the Central Universities and those of Institutions Deemed to be Universities receiving aid from the Public funds except in minority institutions under Article 30(1) of the Constitution."</p>
Reservation implemented in teaching and non-teaching posts and admission	<p>According to UGC Act, 1956 , the UGC has to ensure effective implementation of the reservation policy in the Central Universities, Deemed to be Universities and those institutions receiving aid from the public funds except in minority Institutions under Article 30(1) of the Constitutions vide MHRD ( Dept. of Secondary &amp; Higher Education) order No. F.No.6-30 /2005 U-5 dated 6<sup>th</sup> December,2005</p> <p>The Central Universities are receiving 100% grant from the Central Govt./UGC and they have to follow the reservation policy of the Govt. of India for SC's/ST's in toto i.e. 15% for SC's and 7. 5% for ST's in the matter of teaching and non-teaching posts as well as in admissions to various courses/degrees. The State Universities including its affiliated/constituent colleges and other institutes functioning within the State can follow the percentage of reservation for SC/ST as prescribed by the State Government.</p> <p>Out of annual permitted strength in each branch</p>

	of study or faculty,15% seats are to be reserved for Scheduled Castes, 7.5% for Scheduled Tribes and 27% for Other Backward Classes.
UGC Norms/rules/Guidelines regarding SC/ST backlog appointment.	The UGC issues instructions from time to time to all Central Universities for (i) implementation of SC/ST/PWD/OBC Reservation Policy of the Govt./ UGC (ii) strict compliance of reservation policy, (iii) display of reservation roster on University website and (iv) filling up of remaining identified backlog reserved vacancies of these categories in teaching and non- teaching posts.
Provide information about the discrimination done to OBC, ST/SC & other reservation category by not providing them the reservation seat & scholarship (for eg: government job, admission in school college etc) and what action has been taken by the government of India to stop this Mal practices (All over India in detail)	UGC has issued circular to all the Universities/Deemed to be Universities stating that (i) the officials/faculty members should desist from any act of discrimination against Dalit students on grounds of their social origin. (ii) the University/Institute/College may develop a page on their web-site for lodging such complaints of caste discrimination by Dalit students and also place a complaint register in the Registrar/Principal Office for the purpose. If any such incident comes to the notice of the authorities, action should be taken against the erring official/faculty members promptly. (iii) Senior Officers/faculty members, including liaison Officer of the educational Institutions should keep a close watch to ensure that such incidents do not occur at all. Besides, this, they should be more sensitive while dealing with incidents of caste discrimination.
Is it a fact that Government is considering to bear the entire expenses of coaching for the student belonging to reserved categories.	The UGC has been contributing towards social equity and social economic mobility of the under privileged sections of the society through special coaching schemes in Universities and Colleges, the following schemes as under:-  <b>I</b> .Remedial Coaching for SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer) & Minorities Community Students  <b>II</b> . Coaching for NET/SET for SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer) & Minority Community Students  <b>III</b> . Coaching Classes for entry in services for SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer) & Minority Community Students. <b>IV</b> . Equal Opportunity Cells in Universities/Colleges

## Persons with Disabilities

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1.	What are the different schemes at Department of Higher Education for Persons With Disabilities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Higher Education for Persons with Special Needs.</li> <li>2. Teacher Preparation in Special Education.</li> <li>3. Visually Challenged Teachers</li> </ol>
2.	Are the websites of yours and your associated institutions are accessible for Persons with Different Disabilities and follow Guidelines for India Government Websites (GIGW).	UGC has issued a letter to all universities to make all government websites accessible / person with disabilities.
3.	What are the various policy/facility/reservation for overseas higher education for the welfare of Person with Different Disabilities with support of Your Department/Associated Institutions.	<p>The Commission from time to time has been conveying to the universities and deemed universities, the policy decision, including reservation in admissions and employment, of the Government of India pertaining to the person with disabilities. In addition and the guidelines framed at the level of the Commission in this regards have also been notified to all universities for implementation. The Commission has also circulated the disabilities equal opportunities protection of rights and full participation Act, 1995 to the universities.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding full implementation of persons with Disabilities Act, 1995 in universities and colleges and approved 3% reservation for persons with disabilities in admission to all the courses of study offered by universities and colleges and 3% reservation for disabled people in jobs and also decided that barrier free access for persons with disabilities to the university, buildings, class rooms, laboratories and toilets etc. be ensured .</li> <li>2. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding use of computer by person with disabilities for writing examination .</li> <li>3. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding to make appropriate arrangements for medical examination of students with disabilities seeking admission against reserved seats.</li> <li>4. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding to make appropriate arrangement for evaluation of answer sheets of students having illegible hand writing due to disability and have problem in speech.</li> <li>5. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding Fee waiver, free accommodation, food and transport for student with disabilities.</li> <li>6. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding to Establishment/Creation of department of Indian sign language in all the universities under UGC and to start courses in sign language interpretation thereafter .</li> </ol>
		7. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding to consider giving the relaxation of 5% (i.e from 55% to 50%) of marks at Master's and 5% relaxation at graduate level under the term of 'Good Academic Record par with

		<p>SC/ST candidates to the physically<sup>6</sup> and visually handicapped candidates for appointment as Principal, Professor, Reader, Lecturer, Registrar, Dy. Registrar, Assistant Registrar, Librarian, Dy. Librarian, Asstt. Librarian, College Librarian, Director of Physical Education &amp; Sports, Dy. Director of Physical Education Sports, Asstt. Director of Physical Education &amp; Sports and College Director Physical Education &amp; Sports .</p> <p>8. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding 5% relaxation in marks at master's level for physically handicapped persons for appearing at NET examination vide this office letter No. 6-1/2002(CPP-II)dated05-06-2002.</p> <p>9. The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding to provide relaxation up to a maximum of 5 years to the person with disabilities in admission to various courses.</p>
4.	<p>Copies of all letters/circulars/instructions/ Orders etc from 1995 to till date sent to all Universities in connection with the Disability Act for appointment as Faculty members (Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor) for disabled candidates for full participation and equal opportunity of disabled provided in the Disability Act 1995.</p>	<p>The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding implementation of the reservation policy for person with disabilities in filling up of teaching and non teaching post in universities/colleges.</p>
5.	<p>Are all your funding educational institutions/buildings/departments/offices are disabled friendly and accessible for Persons with Different Disabilities. Please furnish the details</p>	<p>UGC has issued a letter to the universities to ensure providing barrier free environment in the buildings which would include provision of ramps, rails, lifts, adaptation of toilets for wheelchair user, brail signages and auditory signals, tactile flooring etc.</p>
6.	<p>Whether the employee Teaching and Non-Teaching staff appointed in the Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy are permissible to avail the following Leave: Earned Leave, Medical Leave, Surrender of Earned leave,U.P.A. (Unearned Leave on Private Affairs) Increment, L.T.C., &amp; etc.,</p>	<p>UGC has issued a letter to the Centers regarding clarification of granting similar status to the employees of the Centers for study of social exclusion and inclusive Policy at par with the university employees .</p>
7.	<p>Is there any provision of free education for a physically challenged student at University level after attaining the age of 18 years under Person with Disability (PWD) Act, 1995.</p>	<p>The UGC has issued a letter to the Universities Hon'ble Supreme Court judgment 26.03.2014, in WP (Civil) No. 116 of 1998,-Justice Sunanda Bhandare Foundation V/s Union of India &amp; Anr, opined that even after lapse of 18years since its inception, the PWD Act, 1995 is still to be implemented in its letter and spirit, and directed the Central Government, State Governments and Union Territories to implement the provision of the Act positively by the end of 2014. The Judgment is available on the website of the Supreme Court.</p> <p>Section 46 of the PWD Act cast an obligation on the appropriate government to, inter alia, provide certain facilities and services in public buildings to PWD's Article 9 (Accessibility of the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) also says that PWDs should have access, on an equal basis with others, to the physical environment, to transportation, to information and communication, including information and communication technologies and systems, etc.</p>
8.	<p>Please refer to the OM issued by DoPT for the filling up the backlog for the Person with disabilities in May,2015 in</p>	<p>The UGC has issued a letter to the Universities regarding special recruitment drive to fill up the vacancies for persons with disabilities .</p>

	<p>the compliance o the order of the Apex Court of India and Please provide me the no of the Existing vacancies for each kind of job posts like group A,B&amp; C for the Person with Disabilities and which kind of initiative has been taken to fill up this backlog vacancies for the Person with disabilities and what is the time limit to clear this back log for the Person with disabilities in the compliance of the Apex Court Order</p>	
9.	<p>Whether scribe facility is permitted for visually challenged students pursuing for the above said courses while they are appearing for the theory and practical examination</p>	<p>The UGC has issued a letter to all universities regarding guidelines for conducting written examination for persons with disabilities .</p>




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### Other Backward Class (OBC)

No. & Name of Caste	No. & Name of Caste	No. & Name of Caste
1. Alitkar	130. Bandi	234. Chintala
2. Bagdi	131. Rachbandhiya	235. Dakaleru
3. Deleted	132. <a href="#">Rangari</a>	236. Darji
4. Badia	133. Ragrez	237. Deleted
5. Bajania	134. Raot, Ravat, Rautiya	238. Kurba, Kurubar
6. Bajigar	135. Rangrez (Bhavsar, Rangari)	239. Harkantra, Mangeli, Mangele, Page, Sanduri
7. Buttal	136. Deleted	240. Wats, Bhadwal, Rajak
8. Bhand, Chappar Bhand	137. Deleted	241. Dommara
9. Bavaiya or Targal	138. Deleted	242. Gaadaaba or Godaba
10. Bhavin	139. Deleted	243. Gangani
11. Bhisti or Pakhali, Sakka	140. Sanjogi	244. Garodi
12. Deleted	141. Saraaniya	245. Goller
13. Bari or Barai	142. Deleted	246. Godala
14. Beriya	143. Deleted	247. Habura
15. Besdeva	144. Deleted	248. Harani
16. Bhadbhunja, Bhujaya, Bhunjva, Bhurji, Bharadbhunja, Bhuranji, Bhunj	145. Suppaling	249. Hil- Redidas
17. Bhanta	146. Sutharia (In Sindh)	250. Deveri
18. Bhat Bhaat	147. Sahis, Saes, Shis	251. Winkar, Wanya, Bankar
19. Chamatha	148. Sapera	252. Kachiya
20. Chandalgada	149. Shilavat	253. Korach, Padlor
21. Charan or Gadhavi	150. Singiwala	254. Kalal, Kalar, Lad, Ladwak, Goud Kalal, Shivhare - <b>excluding Lad Barahman * (comment added in June 2008)</b>
22. Charodi	151. Deleted	255. Kandel
23. Chippa, Chhipa	152. Deleted	256. Kasera
24. Das or Dangadidas	153. <a href="#">Shimpi</a> , Idrisi/Darji, Sai Sutar, Jain Shimpi, Shravak Shimpi, Shetwal, Shetval, Saitwal, Saitval, <b>Meru Shimpi / Meru Kshatriya Shimpi *</b>	257. Kasai, Kasab, Kureshi
25. Davgar	154. <a href="#">Sonar</a>	258. Katipamula
26. Depala	155. Tandel	
27. Devali		
28. Devdig, <b>Devadiga *</b>		
29. Deleted		



30. Dholi, Hashmi/ Dafali  
31. Deleted  
32. Deleted  
33. Deleted  
34. Deleted  
35. Gandharap  
36. Gujrath Bori  
37. Deleted  
38. Deleted  
39. Gadhavi  
40. Deleted  
41. Deleted  
42. Gochaki  
43. Gurav  
44. Deleted, Gavlan  
(Gawalvansh) (deleted \*  
in June 2008)  
45. Gavandi, Gurjar -  
Kadia  
46. Halepaik  
47. Deleted  
48. Deleted  
49. Jagiyasi  
50. Jajak  
51. Jatiya  
52. Jatigar  
53. Javheri, Parjiya Soni  
54. Deleted  
55. Jogin  
56. Johari  
57. Julaha - Ansari  
58. Jangam  
59. Deleted  
60. Jadi  
61. Deleted  
62. Kammi  
63. Kapadi  
64. Deleted  
65. Khati  
66. Deleted  
67. Deleted  
68. Deleted  
69. Kongadi  
70. Korchar  
71. Deleted  
72. Kachora  
73. Kadaira  
74. Kamati

156. Deleted  
157. Targala  
158. Thetwar  
159. Thoria  
160. Tambat, Twashta  
Kasar, Kasar  
161. Thogati  
162. Wadi  
163. Deleted  
164. Wansphod, Hindu  
Dharkar  
165. Wadhai (Sutar)  
(deleted \* in June 2008)  
166. Warthi  
167. Deleted  
168. Yerkula  
169. Agari, Agale or  
Kalan  
170. Bhavsar  
171. Kurhin, Shetti  
172. Nilgar, Nili, Nirali  
173. Koskanti Devang  
(No.CBC-1468/ 83475/j,  
dt.19.01.1968)  
174. Sutar, Sudhar,  
Vaadhhai \*, Baadhhi \*,  
Badhhai \*, Baadhhai \*,  
Wadhhi \*, Wadi \*,  
Wadhai \* and Sub-  
Castes- Jhade Sutar \*,  
Panchal Sutar \*  
175. Phutgudi  
176. Deleted  
177. Pinjara, Pinjari,  
Mansuri  
178. Deleted  
179. Bhilala  
180. Deleted  
181. Teli, Tilwan-teli,  
Maratha-teli, Tarane-teli,  
Deshkar-teli, Erandel -  
teli, Lingayat-teli, Ekbaile-  
teli, Donbail-teli,  
Ekbahiya-teli, Savteli  
182. Mali (Sub castes-  
Phulmali, Phule, Halade,  
Kacha, Kadu, Bawane  
Adhprabhu, Adhsheti,  
Jire, Unde, Lingayat Mali,  
etc), Bagwan (Muslim),  
Bharat Bagwan, Marar,  
Maral, Kosare, Gase  
Wanmali, Savatamali,

259. Kirar  
260. Christian Koli  
261. Korachar or Korave  
262. Kodaku with Korava  
263. Komakapu  
264. Kondu  
265. Lakhari  
266. Lohar-Gada, Dodi,  
Panchal, Khatawali  
267. Chunari  
268. Deleted  
269. Mahil  
270. Maidasi  
271. Mazwar  
272. Matiyara, Matihara  
273. Mankar khalu  
274. Mondiwari,  
Mondiwara  
275. Munda  
276. Hajam, Kalseru,  
Navliga, Kanshi, Nabhik,  
Nai, Waland  
277. Pachbhotala,  
Pachbotala  
278. Padampari  
279. Bhisti  
280. Pamula  
281. Panchama  
282. Panda  
283. Phar  
284. Pinjari  
285. Purwali  
286. Rachbhoya  
287. Rautiya  
288. Sangari  
289. Santal  
290. Saunta or Sonta  
291. Savteli  
292. Sare  
293. Bhavgar, Shiv  
shimpi, Namdev  
294. Shingdav or  
Shingadya  
295. Sindhur  
296. Sore  
297. Sunna  
298. Sunnai  
299. Bhadai  
300. Ganninga, ganchi

75. Kasabi  
76. Deleted  
77. Deleted  
78. Deleted  
79. Deleted  
80. Kuchbandh  
81. Kuchharia  
82. Kumbhar or Kumhar  
83. Kunbi ( Leva, Kunbi, Leva Patidar), Maratha Kunbi, Kunbi Maratha  
84. Deleted  
85. Kachi  
86. Kathi  
87. Kasar ( sub-castes - Kachar, Kachari)  
88. Labha  
89. Ladiya, Ladhiya, Lariya  
90. Ladhaf or Lai-daf (Naddaf), Mansuri  
91. Lakheria  
92. Deleted, Hadad/ Mistri, (Luhar, Luwar)  
93. Machhi  
94. Manbhav  
95. Deleted  
96. Marwar bori  
97. May  
98. Mina  
99. Mahali  
100. Mehadar  
101. Mhali  
102. Mitha  
103. Deleted  
104. Mathura  
105. Namdhari  
106. Namdharipek  
107. Nirshikari  
108. Naavi-Nhavi, (Salmani, Hajam), Warik, Nabhik, Napit, Mhali, Waland, Hadpad, Hajjam, Naavisen, Salmaniya  
109. Nethura  
110. Noniya, Loniya, Luniya, Nuniya  
111. Nakkashi  
112. Nili  
113. Nilkanti

Pachkalasi, Waadwal, Chowkalashi, Raen (Bagwan),  
Pachkalsi similar sub castes- Somvanshiya Pathare Kshatriya \*, Pathare Kshatriya Pachkalsi \* Pathare Kshatriya \*, Sutar \*, Sartikar \*, Ghodekhau \*, S.K.P. \*  
183. Lonari  
184. Deleted  
185. Talwar- Kanade/Kanadi \*(rectified in 2008)  
186. Raghvi (Dist- Vidarbh)  
187. Bhandari, Bawarchi/ Bhatiyara (Muslim)  
188. Ganali or Gandali  
189. Powar or Pawar, (Powar or Pawar surnames ), Bhojar, Bhoir, Bhovir  
190. Kathar, Kathar-wani, Kanthhar wani, Vaishya wani, Kulwant wani, Nevi (excluding Lingayat wani or Ladwani)  
- added:- Dhakad \*, Mitkari Wani \*, Wani \*, Boral \*, Borul \*, Boraal \*, Borad \*, Tamboli \*  
191. Momin, Ansari  
192. Fakir Bandarwala  
193. Deleted  
194. Ghadashi  
195. Tamboli, Muslim religious Pan pharosh \* (rectified in June 2008)  
196. Christians - Converted from Schedule caste.  
197. Lanzad, Lazad \*  
198. Yadav  
199. Lads  
200. Deleted  
201. Gabit  
202. Atar  
203. Aundhiya  
204. Baadak, Baarav  
205. Bagaloo

301. Thotewadu  
302. Timali  
303. Walwai  
304. Wadder (Kalawader or Pathroad)  
305. Wanadi  
306. Yenadiwadas  
307. Yergolawad or Thella pamalwadas  
308. Odewar  
309. Manyar (Bangalwala), Maniyar, Maneri  
310. Jaatgaar  
311. Karadi  
312. Kunkuware  
313. Wadhai (deleted \* in June 2008), Deleted, Khat-wadhai  
314. Deleted  
315. Kohali  
316. Khatik, Kureshi Khatik, Kasai  
317. Daangari  
318. Wedu (Waghari)  
319. Dhawad  
320. Nirhali (Nirali)  
321. Chitrakathi - Hardas  
322. Besta, Besti. Bestallu  
323. Parivar  
324. Sawakalar  
325. Hanbar  
326. Dode Gujar, Gujar, Leve Gujar, Reve Gujar, Reva Gujar, Suryavanshi Gujar, Badgujar similar castes- Londhari \*/Pendhari \*  
327. Pahad / Pahadi  
328. Gadriya  
329. Machhimar (Daldi)  
330. Bhaldar  
331. Alkari  
332. Pendhari  
333. Yalam / Yelam / Yallam  
334. Mahat / Mahut, Mahawat  
335. Fakir  
336. Loth, Lotha, Lothi

114. Nekar jada  
 115. Padharia  
 116. Padiyar  
 117. Paatradavru  
 118. Phasechari  
 119. Phudagi  
 120. Pakhali, Sakka  
 121. Panchal  
 122. Paanka  
 123. Peraki, Perakewad,  
 Perike, Peraka  
 124. Putligar  
 125. **Parit or Dhobi**, Telgu  
 Madelwar (Parit)  
 126. Patkar, Patavekari,  
 Patavegar, Pategar,  
 Pattegar, Patvi, Kshatriya  
 Patkar, Somvanshiya  
 Sahastrarjun Kshatriya,  
**Khatri \*, Kshatriya \***  
 127. Phulari  
 128. Rachevar  
 129. Raikari, Rayikar

206. Marwar Bawori,  
 Marbar Waghri  
 207. Udasi, Deleted  
 208. Balsanathanam  
 209. Mathura Banjara  
 210. Shingade Banjara  
 211. Lambade  
 212. Phanade Banjara  
 213. Sunar Banjara  
 214. Ghaliya Banjara  
 215. Shigadya Banjara  
 216. Baoriya  
 217. Koli Bariya  
 218. Bathini  
 219. Begari  
 220. Bhampta /  
 Ghantichore / Pardeshi  
 221. Pong  
 222. Daasar  
 223. Uchila  
 224. Bhandura, Billawar,  
**Thiya \*, Belchheda \***  
 225. Kharavi, Dhivar Bhoi  
 226. Bhoyar  
 227. Bindali  
 228. Burbuk  
 229. Chadar  
 230. Chakravaday -  
 Daasar  
 231. Chandal  
 232. Chenwu or  
 Chenwwar  
 233. Chimur

337. Nalband  
 338. Kulekadgi,  
 Kullekadgi, Kulakadgi,  
 Kullakadgi  
 339. Mujavar  
 340. Mulana, Mulani,  
 Mulane  
 341. East Indian, East  
 Indian Christian, East  
 Indian Catholic  
 342.  
**343. Lad Shakhiya Wani \***  
**344. Muslim - Kakar \***  
**345. Dorik \***  
**346. Patwa \***

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**Special Backward Class (SBCs) (2%)**

SN	Name of Caste - SBC	Remarks
1	Gowaari, Gawaari	
2	Deleted	(Maana)
3	(1)Koshti (2) Halaba Koshti (3) deleted (4) Sali, Swakul Sali (5) Lad Koshti (6) Gadhhewal Koshti (7) Deshkar (8) Salewar (deleted *) (9) Padma Shali, Chenewar, Channevar, Salewar * (10) Dewang (11) Kachi Bandhhe (12) Patvis (13) Satasaale (14) Saade (15) Jainkoshti	* Deleted Salewar at Sr No.3/8 & added Salewar at Sr No. 3/9 in 2008 June
4	(1)Koli and similar castes (2) Machhimar Koli (3) Ahir Koli (4) Khandeshi Koli (5) Paankoli (6) Christian Koli (7) Chumbale Koli (8) Paanbhare Koli (9) Koli Suryavanshi (10) Mangela (11) Sonkoli (12) Vaiti (13) Khaarava or Khaaravi (14) Those Kolis who are not included in SC	
5	(1) Munnerwar (2) Munnurwar (3) Munnur (4) Telagu Munnur (5) Munnurwar Telagu (6) Munnurkapu (deleted*) (7) Kaapewar (deleted *) (8) Telagu Kaapewar (9) Munnurwaad (10) Telagu Phulmaali.	*Deleted in 2008 June
6		
7	Muslim Religious Bhangi */Mehetar */ Lalbeg */ Halalkhor */Khakrob *	* Included at Sr No.7 in 2008 June
N.B.	<p><b>SBC Caste Status Updated till March 31,2006.</b>            This refers to <b>Maharashtra Govt Letter No.CBC-10/2006/P.No.94/MVC-5</b> of Dept of Social Justice, Cultural Affairs &amp; Special Assistance, Mantralaya Extension Building, Mumbai-32 <b>dated 25.5.2006</b> addressed to various Ministerial Depts, Divisional Commissioners, DMs, ZP CEOs, Tahsildars etc</p>	
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## Most Backward Class (MBCs)

## Scheduled Castes (SCs)

SN	Name of Caste - SC	Remarks
1	Ager	
2	Anamook	
3	Aaremala	
4	Aarwa Mala	
5	Bahna, Bahana	
6	Bakad, Bant	
7	Balahi, Balaai	
8	Basor, Burud, Baansor, Baansodi	
9	Bedajangam, Budagaa Jangam	
10	Bedar	
11	Bhaambi, Bhaambhi, Asodi, Chamdiya, Chamaar, Chamaari, <b>Chambhar</b> , Chamgaar, Haralayya, Harali, Khalpa, Machigaar, Mochigaar, Maadar, Maadig, Mochi, Telagu Mochi, Kamati Mochi, Ranigaar, Rohidas, Nona, Ramnami, Rohit, Samgaar, Surajyabanshi, Surajyarnami	
12	Bhangi, Mehatar, Olagaana, Rukhi, Malkana, Halalkhor, Lalbegi, Balmiki, Karor, Zadgalli	
13	Bindala	
14	Byagara	
15	Chalwaadi, Channaya	
16	Chennadaasar, Holaya Daasar, Holeyaa Dasaari	
17	Dakkal, Dokkalwar	
18	<b>Dhor, Kakkayya</b> , Kankayya, Dohor	
19	Dom, Dumar	
20	Yallamwar, Yellamalvandalu	
21	Ganda, Gandhi	
22	Garoda, Gaaro	
23	Ghassi, Ghassiya	
24	Hallir	

25	Halsaar, Hasalaar, Hulsawar	
26	Holar, Vhalar	
27	Holaya, Holer, Holeyaa, Holiyaa	
28	Kaikadi	Akola, Amaravati, Bhandara, Buldhana, Nagpur, Vardha and Yavatmal Districts. And Chadrapur dist except Rajura Taluka.
29	Katiya, Pathariya	
30	Khangar, Kanera, Mirdha	
31	<b>Khatik</b> , Chikwa, Chikvi	
32	Kolupool-Wandalu	
33	Kori	
34	Lingader	
35	Maadagi	
36	Maadiga	
37	<b>Mahar</b> , Meharaa, Taral, Dhegu-Megu	
38	Maahayaavanshi, Dhed, Vankar, Maru-Vankar	
39	Mala	
40	Mala Daasari	
41	Mala Hannai	
42	Mala Jangam	
43	Mala Masti	
44	Mala Saale, Netkanee	
45	Mala Sanyasi	
46	<b>Mang, Matang</b> , Minimaadig, Dakhani-Mang, Mang-Mhashi, Madaari, Gaarudi, Radhemang	
47	Mang-Garodi, Mang-Garudi	
48	Manne	
49	Masti	
50	Menghwal, Menghwar	
51	Mitha, Ayalwar	
52	Mukri	
53	Nadiya, Haadi	
54	Paasi	
55	Saansi	
56	Shenwa, Chenwa, Sedamaa, Ravat	
57	Sindhollu, Chindollu	
58	Tirgaar, Tirbanda	
59	Toori	
60	-	

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**Scheduled Tribes (STs)**

SN	Name of Tribe	Remarks
1.	Andh	
2.	Baiga	
3.	Barda	
4.	Bavacha, Bamcha	
5.	Bhaina	
6.	Bharia Bhumia, Bhuinhar Bhumia, Pando	
7.	Bhattra	
8.	Bhil, Bhil garasia, Dholi, Bhil, Dangri Bhil, Dungri, Garasia, Mewsi Bhil, Rawal Bhil, Tadvi Bhil, Bhagalia, Bhilala Pawra, Vasava, Vasave	
9.	Bhunjia	
10.	Binjwar	
11.	Birhul, Birhor	
12.	Chodhara (excluding Akola, Amravati, Bhandara, Buldana, Chandrapur, Nagpur, Wardha, Yavatmal, Aurangabad, Bhir, Nanded, Osmanabad and Parbhani districts)	
13.	Dhanka, Tadvi, Tetaria, Valvi	
14.	Dhanwar	
15.	Dhodia	
16.	Dubla Talavia, Halpati	
17.	Gamit, Gamta, Gavit, Mavchi, Padvi	
18.	Gond, Rajgond, Arakh, Arrakh, Agaria, Asur, Bedi Maria, Bada Maria, Bhatola, Bhimma, Bhuta, Koilabhuta, Koilabhuti, Bhar, Bisonhorn Maria, Chota Maria, Dandami Maria, Dhuru, Dhurwa, Dhoba, Dhulia, Dorla, Kaiki, Gatta, Gatti, Gaita, Gond Gowari, Hill Maria, Kandara Kalanga,	

	Khatola, Koitar, Koya, Khirwar, Khirwara, Kucha Maria, Kuchaki Maria, Media, Maria, Mana, Meannewar, Moghya, Mogia Moghya, Mudia, Muria, Nagarchi, Naikpod, Nagwanshi, Ojha, Raj Sonjhari Jhareka, Thatia, Thotya, Wade Maria, Vade Maria.	
19.	Halba, Balbi	
20.	Kamar	
21.	Kathodi, Katkari, Dhor Kathodi, Dhor Kathkari, Son Kathodi, Son Katkari	
22.	Kawar, Kanwar, Kaur, Cherwa, Rathia, Tanwar, Chattri	
23.	Khairwar	
24.	Kharia	
25.	Kokna, Kokni, Kukna	
26.	Kol	
27.	Kolam, Mannervaru	
28.	Koli dhor, Tokre Koli, Kolcha, Kolgha	
29.	Koli Mahadev, Dongar Koli	
30.	Koli Malhar	
31.	Kondh, Khond, Kandh	
32.	Korku, Bopchi, Mouasi, Nihal, Nahul, Bondhi, Bondeya	
33.	Koya, Bhine Koya, Rajkoya	
34.	Nagesia, Nagasia	
35.	Naikda, Nayaka, Cholivala Nayaka, Kapadia Nayaka,, Mota Nayaka, Nana Nayaka	
36.	Oraon, Dhangad	
37.	Pardhan, Pathari, Saroti	
38.	Pardhi, Advichincher, Phans Pardhi, Phanse Pardhi, Langoli Pardhi, Behelia, Behellia, Chita Pardhi, Shikari, Takankar, Takia	
39.	Parja	
40.	Patelia	
41.	Pomla	
42.	Rathwa	
43.	Sawar, Sawara	
44.	Thakur, Thakar, Ka Thakar, Ma Thakur, Ma Thakar	



45.	Thoti (in Aurangabad, Bhir Nanded, Osmanabed and Parbhani districts and Rajura tahsil of Chandrapur district)	
46.	Varli	
47.	Vitolia, Kotwalia, Barodia	

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### Summary of VJ & NT Reservation %

<b>VJ A : Vimukta Jati (Denotified Tribes) - 14 Main Tribes</b> 1.Berad 2. Bestar, 3. Bhamata, 4. Kaikadi, 5. Kankarbhat, 6. Katabu, 7. Lamani, 8. Phase-Pardhi, 9. Raj-Pardhi, 10. Rajput-Bhatma, 11. Ramoshi, 12. Vadar, 13. Waghari and 14. Chhapparband	3%
<b>NT B:</b> 1. Bawa, 2. Beldar, 3. Bharadi, 4. Bhute, 5. Chalwadi, 6. Chitrakathi, 7. Garudi, 8. Ghisadi, 9. Golla, 10. Gondhali, 11. Gopal, 12. Helwe, 13. Joshi, 14. Kasi-Kapadi, 15. Kolhati, 16. Mairal, 17. Masan-Jogi, 18. Nandi-Wale, 19. Pangul, 20. Raval, 21. Shikalgar, 22. Thakar, 23. Vaidu, 24. Vasudeo + 25.Bhoi, 26.Bahurupi, 27. Thelari 28. Otari ++ 31. Mariaiwale etc, 32. Gidara/Gihara, 33. Gulai / Gosavi, 34. Muslim Madari, Garudi, Saapwale, Jadugar, 35. Indian Irani, 36.Gavali, Muslim Gavali 37. Darveshi, Waghwale (Muslim), Aswalwale	2.5 %
<b>NT C: 29. Dhangar :</b>	3.5 %
<b>NT D: 30. Vanjari :</b>	2.0 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>11 %</b>

### VJ-A

### Vimukta Jati (VJ) @ Denotified Tribes (DTs) - 3%

SN	Name of VJ Tribe	SN	Akin Tribe	Remarks
1	Berad	1.A	-	
		1.B	Naikwadi	
		1.C	Talwar	
		1.D	Walmiki	
2	Bestar	2	Sanchalu Vaddar	
3	Bhamata	3.A	Bhamati	

		3.B	Girni Vaddar	
		3.C	Kamati	
		3.D	Patharut	
		3.E	Takari (incl Muslims)	
		3.F	Uchale	
		3.G	Ghantichor	
4	Kaikadi	4.A	Dhontale	
		4.B	Korva	
		4.C	Makadwale or Kunchi Korva	
		4.D	Pamlor	
		4.E	Korvi	
5	Kanjarbhat	5.A	Chhara	
		5.B	Kanjar	
		5.C	Nat	
6	Katabu	-	-	
7	Banjara	7.A	Gor Banjara	
		7.B	Lambada / Lambara	
		7.C	Lambhani	
		7.D	Charan Banjara	
		7.E	Labhan	
		7.F	Madhura Labhan	
		7.G	Kachakiwale Banjara	
		7.H	Laman Banjara	
		7.I	Laman/Lamani	
		7.J	Laban	
		7.K	-	
		7.L	Dhali /Dhalia	
		7.M	Dhadi /Dhari	
		7.N	Singari	
		7.O	Navi Banjara	
		7.P	Jogi Banjara	
		7.Q	-	
		7.R	-	
		7.S	Banjari	
8	***	-	Pal Pardhi	

9	Raj Pardhi	9.A	****	
		9.B	Gaon Pardhi	
		9.C	Haran Shikari	
		9.D	****	
10	Rajput Bhamta	10.A	Pardeshi Bhaamta	
		10.B	Pardeshi Bhamti	
11	Ramoshi	-	-	
12	Vadar	12.A	Gadi Vaddar	
		12.B	Jaati Vaddar	
		12.C	Mati Vaddar	
		12.D	Patharwat	
		12.E	Sangtarash / Dagadfodu	
		12.F	Vaddar	
13	Waghari	13.A	Salaat	
		13.	Salaat Waghari	
14	Chhapparband (incl Muslims)	-	-	

N.B.	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VJ Status Updated till March 31,2006.</b></p> <p>This refers to <b>Maharashtra Govt Letter No.CBC-10/2006/P.No.94/MVC-5</b> of Dept of Social Justice, Cultural Affairs &amp; Special Assistance, Mantralaya Extension Building, Mumbai-32 <b>dated 25.5.2006</b> addressed to various Ministerial Depts, Divisional Commissioners, DMs, ZP CEOs, Tahsildars etc</p>
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### NT-B, C, D

### Nomadic Tribes (NTs) @ Bhatkya Jati

### NT-B

SN	Name of Tribe - NT	Akin Tribes (तत्सम)	Remarks
1	Gosavi	1)Bava 2) Bairagi 3) Bharati 4) Giri Gosavi 5)Bharati Gosavi 6) Saraswati Parvat 7)Sagar 8)Baan or Vaan 9)Teerth Ashram 10)Aranya Gharbhaari	* Included in 2008 June

		11)Sanyasi 12) Nathpanthi Gosavi (13) Puri *	
2	Beldar	Aud / Od, Muslim Beldar, Beldar Kapewar *, Beldar Munnar Kapewar *, Beldar Munnar Kapu *,Beldar Telanga *, Beldar Telgi *, Beldar Pentreddy *, Beldar Bukekari *	* Included in 2008 June
3	Bharaadi	A)Bal Santoshi B) Kingariwale C) Nathbaba D) Nath Jogi, Garpagari E) Nathpanthi Dabari Gosavi F) Nath, Jogi, Nathpanthi G) Dabari	
4	Bhute	Bhope	
5	-	-	
6	Chitrakathi	-	
7	Garudi	Saapgarudi (incl Muslim)	
8	Lohar	Ghisadi, Ghisadi Lohar or Gaadi Lohar or Chitodi Lohar or Rajput Lohar, Panchal Lohar, Khali, Khatwadhi, Jinagar, Chitodiya Lohar *	* Included in 2008 June
9	Golla	Gollewar, Goler, Golkar	
10	Gondhali	-	
11	Gopal	A)Gopal Bhorapi B) Khelkari	
12	Helave	Hilav	
13	Joshi	A) Boodboodki B) Damaruwale C) Koodmoode D) Mendhhagi E) Sarode, Sarodi F) Sahadeo Joshi G) Saravade H) Saroda	
14	Kashi Kapdi	-	
15	Kolhati	Dombari	
16	Mairal	A) Dangat B) Veer	
17	Masanjogi	1)Sudgadsidhha 2) Mapanajoshi 3) Shardakar * / Shandakar */Shardakal */ Balasantu *	* Included in 2008 June
18	Nandiwale	Tirmal	
19	Pangul	-	
20	Rawal	Raul or Ravalyogi	
21	Sikkalgar	Katari, Sekkalgar (Muslim), Sikh Shikaligaar, Sikh-Shikalikar, Shikalgar, Shikaligar etc.	
22	Thakar	-	Only in Ratnagiri & Sindhudurg Dists
23	Vaidu	-	

24	Vasudeo	-	
25	Bhoi	1)Zinga Bhoi 2) Pardeshi Bhoi 3) Rajbhoi 4) Bhoi 5) Kahar 6) Godia Kahar 7) Dhuriya Kahar 8) Kirat 9) Machhua 10) Maanzi 11) Jaatiya 12) Kevat 13) Dhhiwar 14) Dhiwar 15) Dhimar 16) Palewar 17) Machhendra 18) Nawadi, <b>Bhoi Navadi *</b> , <b>Taru Navadi *</b> 19) Malhar 20) Malhav 21) Boi 22) Gadhhav Bhoi 23) Khaadi Bhoi 24) Khare Bhoi 25) Dhhevra	<b>* Included in 2008 June</b>
26	Bahurupi	A) Bohrashi B) Bahurupia C) Bhorpi D) Rairandhra E) Ayyar & Ayyari	
27	Thhelari	-	Only in Dhule, Nasik, Jalgaon & Aurangabad dists
28	Otaari	A) Otankar B) Otkar C) Vatari D) Ozari E) Vatkar, Vatkari, Vatankar, Vatokar, Otakari, Otokaar	
29	NT-C : Dhangar	-	
30	NT-D : Vanjari	-	
31	Mari-aaiwale, Kadak-Laxmiwale, Margammawale	-	<b>NT B</b>
32	Gihara/Gahara	-	<b>NT B</b>
33	Gusai/Gosai	-	<b>NT B</b>
34	Muslim Madari, Garudi, Sanpwale & Jadugar	-	<b>NT B</b>
35	Indian Irani	-	<b>NT B</b>
36	Gavali, Muslim Gavali	<b>Gawalan *</b> , <b>Gwalvansh *</b>	<b>NT B</b> <b>* Included in 2008 June</b>
37	Darveshi, Waghwale - Shah (Muslim), Aswalwale		<b>NT B</b>

**\* In June 2008, some New Castes were added, some Castes were deleted or rectified in OBC, NT and SBC categories** on the basis of 3 reports No.18 to 21 of the State Backward Class Commission submitted to the Govt during 2006 and 2007 and published vide **Maharashtra Govt Letter No.CBC-10/2006/P.No.94/MVC-5** of Dept of Social Justice, Cultural Affairs & Special Assistance, Mantralaya Extension Building, Mumbai-32 **dated 25.6.2008**

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**NT-C**

SN	Name of Tribe - NT	Akin Tribes (तत्सम)	Remarks
29	Dhangar	1)Ahir 2)Dange 3) Gatari 4) Hande 5) Telwar 6) Hatkar 7) Haatkar 8) Shegar, Sagar *, Segar * 9)Khutekar 10) Telangi 11) Tellari 12) Kokani-Dhangar 13) Kanade 14) Varhade Dhangar 15)Zade 16) Zende 17) Kurmaar 18) Mahure 19) Laadse 20) Sanagar 21) Dhanavar 22) Gadariya 23) Gadri 24) Gadhhari 25) Dange-Dhangar & Dongari Dhangar	NT C * Included in 2008 June

**NT-D**

SN	Name of Tribe - NT	Akin Tribes (तत्सम)	Remarks
30	Vanjari	Vanjar, Vanjara	NT D

	Year	Number of seats earmarked for reserved category as per GOI/ State Govt rule					
		SC	ST	OBC	Gen	Others	Total
BA-I	2023-24	37	21	55	138	37	288
BA-II	2023-24	31	17	46	115	31	240
BA-III	2023-24	16	8	23	57	16	120
BSc-I	2023-24	19	10	27	69	19	144
BSc-II	2023-24	16	8	23	57	16	120
BSc-III	2023-24	16	8	23	57	16	120
BCA-I	2023-24	11	6	16	40	11	84
BCA-II	2023-24	9	5	14	35	9	72
BCA-III	2023-24	8	4	11	29	8	60
BBA-I	2023-24	9	5	14	35	9	72
BBA-II	2023-24	8	4	11	29	8	60
BBA-III	2023-24	8	4	11	29	8	60
						<b>Total</b>	<b>1440</b>



  
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