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Get to know CET

Hey! Everyone....Welcome to CATKing Family.
I am here to guide you about CET. So, what exactly is CET?

The Government of Maharashtra has established State Common Entrance Test Cell as per Section 10 of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act ,2015. The CET Cell conducts various entrance exams for Admission to Professional courses in the state of Maharashtra, India.

Now, Lets see the Exam Pattern of the CET

Subjects	Questions	Max Marks Alloted	Exam Duration	Negative Marking
Logical Reasoning	75	75		
Abstract Reasoning	25	25		
Quantitative Aptitude	50	50	2.5 Hours	No
Verbal Ability & Reading Comprehension	50	50		
Total	**200**	**200**		

So, what is the eligibility criteria for CET?

Candidates must have completed graduation or can be in the final year of the graduation.

Category	Passing Marks in graduation
General/EWS/NC-OBC	50%
SC/ST/PwD	45%

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Registration Dates are out, and below are the dates as per last 2 years...

CET	This Year(2024)	1 Year Ago(2023)	2 years Ago(2022)
Registeration Dates	11 Jan - 12 Feb	23 Feb - 11 Mar	17 Mar - 11 May
Application Correction Window Dates	15 Feb - 20 Feb	7 Mar - 11 Mar	28 Jun - 30 Jun
Admit card release date	A week before the exam date	A week before the exam date	A week before the exam date
Exam date	9 & 11 March	25 & 26 March	23, 24, & 25 August
Result	TBD	3 June	11 September

CET 2024 - 2020 score vs percentile analysis

%ile	2024	2023	2022	2021
99.9	147	146	148	141
99.5	137	137	135	128
99	131	131	129	122
98	124	123	122	115
95	115	113	113	106
90	99	99	97	90
80	84	86	82	75
70	74	76	72	65

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CET Syllabus

Subjects	Questions
Logical Reasoning	• Arrangements, Critical Reasoning, Directions, Syllogisms, Blood Relations, Data Sufficiency, Series, Coding-Decoding, Coded Inequality
Abstract Reasoning	• Series, Analogies, Odd One Out
Quantitative Aptitude	• QA - Number System, Ratio & Proportion, Percentage, Simplification, Age, Average, Speed, Allegation, Mixtures, Time & Distance, Train, Pipes & Cisterns, Discount, Profit & Loss, Boats & Streams, Angles, Quadrilaterals, Lines, Circles, Triangles, Polygons, Theory of Equations, Quadratic Equation, Permutation & Combination, Sequence & Series, Inequalities, Trigonometric Ratios, Maxima & Minima, Heights and Distances, Areas & Volumes, Function, Squares, Rectangles, Circles, Triangles, Cones, Cubes, Spheres • DI - Pie charts, Line graphs, Bar graphs, Tabulated data, Case studies • Data Sufficiency - Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry
Verbal Ability & Reading Comprehension	• Grammar-based Questions - Fill in the Blanks, Tenses, Prepositions, Error detection, Sentence completion • Vocabulary - Synonyms, Antonyms, Spellings, Inappropriate use of words in a sentence, Different usages of a word • Para Completion • Para Jumbles

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Now Let's have a look on CET Preparation Strategy

2 months strategy (Till June):-
Quantitative Aptitude:
1. Attend Everyday Shortcut Live Sessions and get the fundamentals clear through all the modules
2. Go through the concept videos from dashboard
3. Practice Daily Speed Maths(VPAR)
4. Prepare a formula book of Arithmetic and Algebra
5. Refer LOD1 eBooks
6. Attend LOD1 Online Booster Workshops

Verbal Ability & Reading Comprehension:
1. Refer to CATKing 555 Wordlist, and Normal Lewis Word Power Made Easy Videos
2. Prepare basic grammar, for eg, collective noun, has/had usage, singular/plural
3. Learn some common foreign phrases

Logical Reasoning and Abstract Reasoning:
1. Prepare all the different types of topics (Refer the given syllabus)
2. Watch the shortcut videos by Krishna Sir

Mock Strategy:
1. Practice every questions with exam like intensity
2. Try to solve each question in 45 secs
3. Practice from Past Year Papers
4. Target Score - 100 -> 125 -> 150
5. Give at least 20 mocks

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What after CET? What about GD-PI Process?

Good News!!!Good News!!!Good News!!!
NO GD-PI after CET.......
Only JBIMS takes GDPI Process

Selection Process	Description
Group Discussion (GD)	• A case or a group activity is given to the group of students. Students has to discuss & to come up with a solution.
Written Ability Test (WAT)	• 2 questions are given to each student. • Each question has to be written of 100-200 words. • Total time given 5-10 mins.
Personal Interview (PI)	• it is a in persona interaction with the panel of the college the student is applying for

Now, Let's dive into the DTE CAP Process

Step	Description
1. Candidate Registration	Candidates register for participation in the Centralised Admission Process (CAP) 2021.
2. Filling Online Application	Candidates fill out the online application form for CAP 2021, indicating their preferences for courses and institutions.
3. Confirmation & Verification	Candidates confirm their online application form and undergo document verification and counseling, including brief group discussions (GD) and personal interviews (PI) at Facilitation Centre (FC).
4. Publishing of Merit Lists	Provisional merit lists are displayed, grievances are submitted and addressed, and final merit lists are published.
5. Display of Seat Matrix	Availability of category-wise seats (Seat Matrix) for CAP Rounds I, II, and III is displayed.
6. Option Form Confirmation	Candidates fill and confirm their online option form with preferences for institutes and courses before CAP Round I.
7. Provisional Allotment	Provisional allotment of seats for CAP Rounds I, II, and III is displayed, indicating the allotted institute and course.
8. Reporting & Acceptance	Candidates report to the Admission Reporting Centre (ARC) and accept the offered seat as per the allotment of CAP Rounds I, II, and III.
9. Establishment of FCs	The Directorate of Technical Education (DTE) sets up around 190 Facilitation Centres (FCs) in different MBA colleges of Maharashtra for DTE CAP 2021.
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Now, we see some Placement highlights of CET accepting colleges

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College Name	Cutoff %ile	Average Placement	Median Placement	Highest Placement	Total Fees	Batch Size
JBIMS	99.85	27.6L	28.02L	35.75L	6.1L	137
SIMSREE	99.24	15.19L	–	21.53L	1.38L	208
Welingkar Mumbai	96.6	12L	12.04L	25.8L	13L	840
NL Dalmia	94.73	10	8L	25.5L	16.2L	240
SIES Mumbai	94.38	9.1L	–	23L	9L	570
PUMBA	92.79	8.85L	–	18.97L		240

CET Sample Questions with Solutions

Q1) Eight persons Aashvi, Bhairav, Chavez, Dhruvi, Eeshan, Faizan, Geetika and Hendrik are sitting in a straight line facing north direction. They all have different ages such as 8, 12, 14, 21, 28, 36, 44 and 56. Two persons are sitting between Chavez and the one whose age is 56 years. The one whose age is 14 years is sitting second to the left of Chavez. Bhairav sits to the immediate left of the one whose age is 56 years. One person is sitting between Hendrik and the one whose age is 56 years. Either Hendrik or the one whose age is 56 years is sitting at the extreme end. There is a difference of 6 years between the ages of Faizan and Geetika and two persons are sitting between them. The one whose age is 12 is sitting second to the left of Dhruvi. Dhruvi is not sitting at the extreme end. There is one person sitting between Faizan and the one whose age is 44 years. Aashvi is an immediate neighbor of the one whose age is 44 years. Eeshan and the one whose age is 21 years are immediate neighbors. Hendrik is older than Aashvi. What is the sum of the ages of the persons who sit at extreme end?

A) 52

B) 50

C) 42

D) 68

E) None of these

Q2)In a certain code language,'energy save bright light' is written as 'su da nc ki', 'human light south effect' is written as 'ph ra ti da', 'found effect bright health' is written as 'ti gi ki mo', 'health system south energy' is written as 'zo nc ph gi'. Which of the following is represented by the code 'da ph nc'?

A) south effect energy
B) energy light system
C) energy light south
D) south human effect
E) None of these

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Q3)Statements: Some Apple are mango No mango is blood Only Blood is Heart

Conclusion: I. Some Heart is not Mango

II. All blood can be Apple

A) If only conclusion I follows.
B) If only conclusion II follows
C) If either conclusion I or II follows
D) If neither conclusion I nor II follows
E) If both conclusions I and II follow

Q4)Statements: Q = N > X < Z, L > N

Conclusions: I. L > Q

II. X < L

A) if only conclusion I is true
B) if only conclusion II is true
C) if either conclusion I or II is true
D) if neither conclusion I nor II is true
E) if both conclusions I and II are true

Q5)
$575.9/? + 274.87\%\ of\ 495.8 + \sqrt{255.9} = 25.009\%\ of\ 5583.9$

A) 24
B) 28
C) 48
D) 44
E) None of these

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Q6)? % of 5199.87 − (37.93)² + (15.9)² = (35.91)² - 39.9

A) 37
B) 40
C) 56
D) 60
E) 47

Q7)
(A) Two new infections were reported in India this week in Delhi and Hyderabad taking the total number of those afflicted by the virus to five.

(B) The government has also extended the screening of passengers to those arriving in India from Italy and Iran to further strengthen surveillance.

(C) While the one in Hyderabad had returned last week from Dubai where 19 coronavirus cases have been reported.

(D) Even as China's COVID-19 caseload wanes, the coronavirus has spread to at least 70 other countries.

(E) The country's health officials are taking precautions to make sure that these patients do not pass on the infection to others.

(F) These patients seem to have contracted the flu outside the country of its origin, the patient from Delhi had travelled to Italy.

Which of the following should be the fourth sentence after rearrangement?

A) A
B) B
C) C
D) D
E) E
E) F

Q8) The banking industry had begun already incorporating blockchain.

A) began already
B) has already begun
C) have already begun
D) will began already
E) no replacement required

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Top MBA Colleges Accepting CET Colleges	Cutoffs (2023)
Jamnalal Bajaj Institute of Management Studies, Mumbai	99.98
Prin. LN Welingkar Institute of Management Development and Research, Mumbai	99.89
Sydenham Institute of Management Studies, Research and Entrepreneurship Education, Mumbai	99.95
Department of Management Sciences, University of Pune, Pune	99.67
SIES College of Management Studies, Navi Mumbai	99.68
College of Engineering, Pune	99.6
Xavier Institute of Management & Research, Mumbai	99.62
Chetana's Institute of Management and Research, Mumbai	99.24
MET Institute of Management, Mumbai	98.57
Lala Lajpatrai Institute of Management, Mumbai	98.36
Thakur Institute of Management Studies & Research, Mumbai	98
Rizvi Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai	97.87
Vivekanand Education Society's Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai	96.49
Indira College of Engineering & Management, Pune	97.79
Shree C. E. Society's Indira Institute of Management, Pune	95.88
St. Francis Institute of Management & Research, Mumbai	95.55
Indira Global Business School, Pune	95.39
Bharati Vidyapeeth's Institute of Management Studies and Research, Navi Mumbai	94.8
Durgadevi Saraf Institute of Management Studies, Malad (W), Mumbai	94.37

Top MBA Colleges Accepting CET Colleges	Course	Fees
Jamnalal Bajaj Institute of Management Studies, Mumbai	MMS	3.00 Lakh
Prin. LN Welingkar Institute of Management Development and Research, Mumbai	MMS	4.30 Lakh
Sydenham Institute of Management Studies, Research and Entrepreneurship Education, Mumbai	MMS	67, 000 annually
Department of Management Sciences, University of Pune, Pune	MBA	1.37 Lakh
SIES College of Management Studies, Navi Mumbai	MMS	1. 72 Lakh
College of Engineering, Pune	MBA	4.08 Lakh
Xavier Institute of Management & Research, Mumbai	MMS	5.20 Lakh
Chetana's Institute of Management and Research, Mumbai	MMS	5.50 Lakh
MET Institute of Management, Mumbai	MMS	4.09 Lakh
Lala Lajpatrai Institute of Management, Mumbai	MMS	3.20 Lakh
Thakur Institute of Management Studies & Research, Mumbai	MMS	5.01 Lakh
Rizvi Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai	MMS	4.30 Lakh
Vivekanand Education Society's Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai	MMS	4.50 Lakh
St. Francis Institute of Management & Research, Mumbai	MMS	5.48 Lakh
Indira Global Business School, Pune	MBA	3.52 Lakh
Bharati Vidyapeeth's Institute of Management Studies and Research, Navi Mumbai	MMS	3.68 Lakh
Durgadevi Saraf Institute of Management Studies, Malad (W), Mumbai	MMS	7.30 Lakh
bai Phule Pune University Sub Centre, Nashik	MBA	15,000
Balaji Institute of Management and Human Resource Development, Tathawade	PGDM-Marketing and Finance, PGDM-PM and HRD, PGDM	10.20 Lakh