

# MHT CET 2026- PCB Group

## Marks vs Rank vs Percentile & Expected Cutoff Guide

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### About MHT CET PCB Group

The Maharashtra Common Entrance Test (MHT CET) is conducted by the Maharashtra State CET Cell for admission to undergraduate programmes across the state. The PCB (Physics, Chemistry, Biology) group is meant for students seeking admission to B.Sc. Agriculture, B.Pharmacy, Pharm.D, B.Sc. Horticulture, and allied health science courses.

For MHT CET 2026, the session 1 PCB exam was held from **April 21 to 26** and **session 2 from May 10 to 11, 2026**. More than **2 Lakh candidates appeared** for the PCB group. Results will be declared soon for both sessions. A score above **150+ marks** out of 200 is considered an excellent attempt.

**MHT CET Exam Page:** <https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/mht-cet-exam>

### MHT CET PCB - Exam Pattern

Parameter	Details
Subjects	Physics, Chemistry, Biology
Total Questions	200 MCQs (50 Physics, 50 Chemistry, 100 Biology)
Total Marks	200 Marks (1 mark per correct answer)
Exam Duration	180 minutes (3 hours)
Negative Marking	None
Mode	Computer Based Test (CBT)
Syllabus Weightage	20% Class XI + 80% Class XII (Maharashtra Board)
Merit List Basis	MHT CET + Class 12 marks in 50:50 ratio

### MHT CET PCB - Expected Marks vs Percentile vs Rank 2026

The table below provides expected MHT CET PCB 2026 marks vs percentile vs rank data based on previous year trends and official Maharashtra CET Cell result data published on Shiksha.com. Actual values may vary depending on exam difficulty and number of candidates.

Data Source: [Shiksha.com](https://www.shiksha.com) — MHT CET Marks vs Percentile vs Rank 2026

Marks (out of 200)	Expected Percentile (%)	Expected Rank (B.Sc Agri)	Expected Rank (B.Pharmacy)
180	99.99+	≈ 1	≈ 1
179	99.98+	■ 6	■ 10

Marks (out of 200)	Expected Percentile (%)	Expected Rank (B.Sc Agri)	Expected Rank (B.Pharmacy)
178	99.97+	■ 8	■ 15
177	99.965+	■ 10	■ 17
176	99.955+	■ 13	■ 22
175	99.945+	■ 15	■ 27
174	99.935+	■ 18	■ 32
173	99.925+	■ 21	■ 37
172	99.92+	■ 22	■ 39
171	99.91+	■ 25	■ 44
170	99.9+	■ 30	■ 50
165	99.7+	■ 85	■ 150
160	99.5+	■ 140	■ 250
155	99.2+	■ 230	■ 400
150	99.0+	■ 300	■ 520
145	98.5+	■ 430	■ 750
140	98.0+	■ 570	■ 990
135	97.0+	■ 850	■ 1,475
130	96.0+	■ 1,130	■ 1,975
125	95.0+	■ 1,415	■ 2,475
120	93.5+	■ 1,850	■ 3,225
115	92.0+	■ 2,265	■ 3,950
110	90.0+	■ 2,830	■ 4,935
105	88.0+	■ 3,395	■ 5,920
100	85.0+	■ 4,240	■ 7,395
95	83.0+	■ 4,800	■ 8,370
90	81.0+	■ 5,380	■ 9,380
85	80.5+	■ 5,520	■ 9,625
80	80.0+	■ 5,660	■ 9,870
75	79.5+	■ 5,800	■ 10,110
69	79+	■ 5,900	■ 10,300
68	78+	■ 6,150	■ 10,800

Marks (out of 200)	Expected Percentile (%)	Expected Rank (B.Sc Agri)	Expected Rank (B.Pharmacy)
67	77+	■ 6,450	■ 11,250
66	76+	■ 6,700	■ 11,750
65	75+	■ 7,000	■ 12,250
64	74+	■ 7,300	■ 12,750
63	73+	■ 7,550	■ 13,250
62	72+	■ 7,850	■ 13,700
61	71+	■ 8,100	■ 14,200
60	70+	■ 8,400	■ 14,700
55	65+	■ 9,900	■ 17,250
50	60+	■ 11,310	■ 19,735
45	55+	■ 12,720	■ 22,185
40	50+	■ 14,155	■ 24,680
35	45+	■ 15,570	■ 27,150
30	40+	■ 17,000	■ 29,640
<b>Below 30</b>	Below 40	—	—

Note: ■ means 'approximately less than or equal to'. Ranks are estimates based on 2024–25 trends. The actual rank depends on normalisation across exam shifts, number of candidates, and board cut-offs. Candidates are advised to use the official MHT CET College Predictor at Shiksha.com for accurate estimates.

## How to Interpret Your MHT CET Percentile

MHT CET results are declared in percentile form, not raw marks. Your percentile indicates the percentage of candidates who scored equal to or below you. For example, a percentile of 95 means you scored better than 95% of all appearing candidates.

Percentile Range	Performance Level	Likely Admission Prospects
99+	Outstanding	Top government colleges (e.g. BVDU, KLE, VIMS Bellari)
95 – 99	Excellent	Very good government/aided pharmacy & agri colleges
90 – 95	Very Good	Good government colleges in Maharashtra
80 – 90	Good	Mid-tier pharmacy & B.Sc. Agriculture colleges
70 – 80	Average	Private pharmacy/agri colleges; some government seats
60 – 70	Below Average	Limited options; private unaided colleges
Below 60	Needs Improvement	Very limited prospects; consider re-appearing

## MHT CET PCB - Expected Cutoffs 2026 (B.Sc. Agriculture & B.Pharmacy)

The expected cutoffs below are based on previous years' MHT CET counselling data and trends from official Maharashtra CAP rounds. Cutoffs are expressed as closing percentiles for the General (Open) Home State (HS) category unless stated otherwise.

### B.Sc. Agriculture — Expected Cutoffs (Round 3, General HS)

Institute	Course	Expected Closing Percentile
Dr. BSKKV Dapoli	B.Sc. Agriculture	99.5+
MPKV Rahuri	B.Sc. Agriculture	99.2+
PDKV Akola	B.Sc. Agriculture	99.0+
MAU Parbhani	B.Sc. Agriculture	98.8+
Dr. BSKKV Dapoli	B.Sc. Horticulture	98.5+
VNMKV Parbhani	B.Sc. Agriculture	98.2+
DBSKKV Dapoli	B.Sc. Forestry	97.0+
Govt. Agri. Colleges (Other)	B.Sc. Agriculture	95.0 – 98.0
Private Agri. Colleges	B.Sc. Agriculture	80.0 – 94.0

### B.Pharmacy — Expected Cutoffs (Round 3, General HS)

Institute	Course	Expected Closing Percentile
MAEER's College of Pharmacy, Pune	B.Pharmacy	98.5+
Poona College of Pharmacy, Pune	B.Pharmacy	98.0+
Bombay College of Pharmacy, Mumbai	B.Pharmacy	97.5+
Govt. College of Pharmacy, Aurangabad	B.Pharmacy	97.0+
BLDEA's SSM COP, Vijayapur	B.Pharmacy	96.5+
KLE College of Pharmacy, Belgaum	B.Pharmacy	96.0+
Govt. Aided Pharmacy Colleges	B.Pharmacy	90.0 – 96.0
Private Pharmacy Colleges (Tier 2)	B.Pharmacy	70.0 – 89.0
Other Private Pharmacy Colleges	B.Pharmacy	50.0 – 69.0

Disclaimer: The cutoff percentiles above are estimated figures based on 2024 CAP round closing cutoffs and available trend data. Actual 2025 cutoffs will be published by Maharashtra CET Cell during CAP counselling. Always refer to official cetcell.mahacet.org for final figures.

### Category-wise Cutoff Relaxation (Approx.)

Category	Approx. Cutoff Relaxation vs. General
General / Open (GEN)	Base cutoff — No relaxation
EWS (Economically Weaker Section)	3 – 5 percentile lower than General

<b>OBC (Other Backward Class)</b>	5 – 8 percentile lower than General
<b>SC (Scheduled Caste)</b>	10 – 15 percentile lower than General
<b>ST (Scheduled Tribe)</b>	15 – 20 percentile lower than General
<b>VJNT / DT / NT</b>	8 – 12 percentile lower than General
<b>PWD / Differently Abled</b>	Substantial relaxation (varies by institute)

## Important Links

Resource	URL
<b>MHT CET Exam Page</b>	<a href="https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/mht-cet-exam">https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/mht-cet-exam</a>
<b>MHT CET Marks vs Rank vs Percentile</b>	<a href="https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/articles/mht-cet-marks-vs-percentile-blogId-50925">https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/articles/mht-cet-marks-vs-percentile-blogId-50925</a>
<b>MHT CET College Predictor</b>	<a href="https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/mht-cet-college-predictor">https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/mht-cet-college-predictor</a>
<b>MHT CET 2026 Result</b>	<a href="https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/mht-cet-exam-results">https://www.shiksha.com/engineering/mht-cet-exam-results</a>
<b>Official Maharashtra CET Cell</b>	<a href="https://cetcell.mahacet.org">https://cetcell.mahacet.org</a>

## Tips from Shiksha.com Consultants

- ✓ Use the **MHT CET College Predictor** on Shiksha.com to get personalised college suggestions based on your percentile and category.
- ✓ MHT CET uses **normalisation** across multiple exam shifts — so your percentile (not raw marks) determines your rank in the merit list.
- ✓ For **B.Pharmacy** admissions, also check if your preferred college accepts NEET scores as an alternative.
- ✓ Home State (HS) students get preference in Maharashtra's government-aided colleges — always apply under HS quota first.
- ✓ Register on Shiksha.com for **free counselling** sessions by education experts at [www.shiksha.com](http://www.shiksha.com).

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