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The GATE Score is calculated using the following formula:

GATE Score = 
$$S_q + (S_t - S_q) \frac{(M - M_q)}{(\overline{M_t} - M_q)}$$

where,

is the marks obtained by the candidate in the paper, mentioned on this scorecard, M

is the qualifying mark for general category candidate in the paper,  $M_{a}$ 

 $\overline{M}$ is the mean of marks of top 0.1% or top 10 (whichever is larger) of the candidates who appeared in the paper, (in case of multi-session papers including all sessions)

= 350 is the Score assigned to  $M_a$  $S_a$ 

S, = 900 is the Score assigned to  $\overline{M}$ ,

In the GATE 2015 score formula,  $M_g$  is usually 25 marks (out of 100) or  $\mu + \sigma$ , whichever is greater. Here  $\mu$  is the mean and  $\sigma$  is the standard deviation of marks of all candidates who appeared in the paper.

Qualifying in GATE 2015 does not guarantee either an admission to a post-graduate program or a scholarships/assistantship. Admitting institutes may conduct further tests and interviews for final selection.

## Codes for XE and XL Paper Sections (compulsory section and any other two sections):

**XE:** Engineering Sciences **XL: Life Sciences** 

A-Engineering Mathematics (Compulsory) H-Chemistry (Compulsory)

**B-Fluid Mechanics** I-Biochemistry C-Materials Science J-Botany K-Microbiology **D-Solid Mechanics** E-Thermodynamics L-Zoology

F-Polymer Science and Engineering

G-Food Technology

M-Food Technology

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<sup>\*\*</sup> A candidate is considered qualified if the marks secured are greater than or equal to the qualifying marks mentioned for the category for which a valid Category Certificate, if applicable, is produced along with this scorecard.