

**University of Mumbai Ordinances, Regulations and Syllabi relating to the Degree of Bachelor of Pharmacy (B. Pharm.) Course (Revised) (with effect from academic year 2007-2008).**

**O. 111**

A student from another University or Board of Secondary or Intermediate Education or any other Statutory examining body seeking admission to the University shall apply to the Registrar for a statement of eligibility and except in the case of students from the Universities in the State of Maharashtra. Who shall be required to pay fee of Rs. 200/- only and for out of Maharashtra State pay a fee of Rs. 300/- (Fee for the foreign Nationals is Rs. 730/-). The Registrar may issue a provisional statement of eligibility if he is satisfied that the applicant is prima facie eligible for admission to this University. On production of such a provisional statement of eligibility, a student may seek provisional admission to this University at his own risk and on condition that he submits to the Registrar's office through the Head/ Principal of his Institution/ College, the necessary certificates in original together with a typed copy of each for confirmation of his eligibility before the close of the academic term in which the student is provisionally admitted to the University. **No student from another University shall be admitted to any Institution maintained by or affiliated to the University except on production of a provisional statement of eligibility issued by the Registrar.**

**O. 5694      Entry levels into the course, eligibility criteria, admission authority and procedures.**

Entry levels into the course will be at the beginning of the Semester- I or at the beginning of the Semester- III (for candidates who have passed Diploma in Pharmacy Examination).

**O. 5695      Eligibility Criteria for admission at the entry level at Semester- I into the course.**

Eligibility criteria for Maharashtra State Candidate and Outside Maharashtra State Candidate for admission to first year of degree course in Pharmacy:  
Candidate should be an Indian National and should have passed the HSC(Std XII) Examination of Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education or its equivalent examination with subjects English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Mathematics AND Secured minimum 50% marks i.e. not less than 150 marks out of 300 marks (minimum 45% marks i.e. not less than 135 marks out of 300 marks in case of candidates of Backward class categories belonging only to Maharashtra State) in the subjects Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Mathematics added together (Maximum of marks obtained in Biology/Mathematics shall be considered for the purpose of addition) AND Obtained a non zero score at MHT-CET 2008.

Eligibility criteria of Candidates who have passed/passing Diploma in Pharmacy and seeking admission to First Year of Pharmacy:

Diploma holders who have passed the Diploma course in Pharmacy with minimum of 50% marks and medium of instruction as English from the Polytechnics affiliated to MSBTE or AICTE approved autonomous Polytechnics in Maharashtra State (for Maharashtra State Candidates) or such polytechnics situate inside/outside the State of Maharashtra (for Outside Maharashtra State Candidates).

**O. 5696 Eligibility Criteria for Direct Admission at the entry level of Semester- III (i.e. the Second Year B. Pharm.) of the course.**

The candidate who has passed the final examination leading to the Diploma in Pharmacy conducted by the Board of Technical Education, Maharashtra State or equivalent examination from the Institute approved by the Pharmacy Council of India and with a minimum First Class (60% i.e. 600 out of 1000 at part-II examination for the diploma in Pharmacy Course) as per ER-91 (i.e. post HSC two year Diploma Course) be held eligible for admission to Semester- III.

Admission authority and procedure at the entry levels into the course. As per the directives of Government of Maharashtra/Director of Technical Education (Maharashtra State) prevailing at the time of admission.

**O. 5264 Relating to additional conditions for the candidates who have entered into the course at Second Year B. Pharm. Degree Course (Semester- III)**

They must keep Term for the following subject heads, henceforth referred as Remedial Subjects, of Semester- I and Semester- II. Accordingly the institutes must arrange the lecture schedules in the respective semesters such that these candidates can keep term for the subject heads. The institute will devise a mechanism to keep records by way of getting form filled by these candidate for attending the lectures, attendance records, etc. as is done to the regular candidates. However no additional fees will be charged by the institute.

**The Remedial Subjects are as under:**

<b>Semester</b>	<b>Subject Heads</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Organic Chemistry- I Physical Pharmacy- I Pharmaceutical Engineering- I</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Physical Pharmacy- II Organic Chemistry- II</b>

The candidates have to appear for examinations in the above subject heads and also the periodic test. The candidates will be charged separate examination fees. While filling the examination form it should be clearly stated that these candidates are appearing for the examination in the **Remedial Subjects**. These subjects and the result will be separately included under the heading Remedial Subjects in the mark list of Semester- III for the subject of Semester- II.

**R. 5672 A candidate to be eligible for the Degree of Bachelor of Pharmacy will be required to pass examination, as under:**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Semester</b>
F. Y. B. Pharm.	I & II
S. Y. B. Pharm.	III & IV
T. Y. B. Pharm.	V & VI
Final Year B. Pharm.	VII & VIII

**R. 5673 Duration of Semester**

Each semester will be normally of 15 weeks duration for class room teaching/ lectures and examination for that semester will be held during or after the 16<sup>th</sup> week after the commencement of the semester.

**R. 5674 Examination Conducting Authority**

Semester- I, Semester- II, Semester- III, Semester- IV, Semester- V, and Semester- VI will be conducted by the respective institution where the candidates has been admitted following the University Rules and regulations. The examinations of Semester- VII and Semester- VIII will be conducted by the University.

**R. 5675** Principal's of the respective college of pharmacy are authorized to compile and declare the results of Semesters I, II, III, IV, V and VI examination on behalf of the University on or before the dates notified by the University. The regulations of the University relating to standards of passing will be applicable to the said examination.

**R. 5676 Systems of Moderation**

A Moderation Committee of senior faculty members from the colleges of pharmacy will be nominated by the university to monitor and moderate the results.

**Regular and Supplementary Examination and time**

Semester	Regular Exam.	Supplementary Exam.
I,III,V & VII	November/December	April/May
II, IV, VI & VIII	April/May	November/December

**R. 5678 Allowed To Keep Term (A.T.K.T.) Rules**

No candidate will be admitted to any examination unless he/she keeps term at the college affiliated to the university. A.T.K.T. Rules are applicable only to those candidates who have appeared for the examination in all the subject heads.

**R. 5679** A candidate failing in not more than two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester-I & II shall be promoted to Semester- III. However, if he/she fails in more than two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester- I and II taken together he will not be promoted to Semester- III until the number of failure Subject Heads are Two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester I & II taken together or less.

**R. 5680** A candidate failing in not more than two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester- III & IV shall be promoted to Semester- V provided he/she has cleared all the subjects of Semester- I and II. However, if he/she fails in more than two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester- III & IV taken together he/she will not be promoted to Semester- V until the number of failure Subject Heads is two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester- III & IV taken together or less.

**R. 5681** A candidate failing in not more than two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester- V and VI shall be promoted Semester- VII provided he/she has cleared all the Subjects of Semester- I to IV. However, if he/she fails in more than two Theory and one Practical Heads of Semester- V & VI taken together he/she will not be promoted to Semester- VII until the number of failure Subject Heads is two Theory and one Practical heads of Semester V & VI taken together or less.

**R. 5682** A candidate failing in Semester- I, III, V & VII shall be promoted to next higher semester i.e. II, IV, VI & VIII irrespective of the number of subject heads in which he/she is failing.

**R. 5683**      **Criteria for admitting the candidate for examinations irrespective of regular or supplementary examinations**

Candidate must have been admitted to the respective Semester as per the criteria for continuation into the respective semesters given and has kept the term for the Semester for which he/she is examined.

The candidate must submit prescribed application form along with fees.

Candidate must appear for the examination in the place and time as decided by the admitting Institute/ the University as the case may be.

Candidate who has failed in a particular semester or has ATKT will be allowed to appear for the supplementary examination on a new application being forwarded and a fresh fee paid.

**Clarifications**

Candidate who has ATKT will appear for examination in only those subject heads in which the candidate has failed.

Those candidates who have passed in all the subjects but failed due to not getting over 50 % marks will be allowed to appear in any number of subject heads the candidate desires.

For all the remaining cases, the candidate has to appear for examination in the subject head in which the candidate has failed.

**R. 5684**      **Periodic Tests**

To ensure uniform attention of the student of their work throughout each semester of their study, Periodic Tests will be conducted for each semester.

**Conducting authority for all the eight Semester:**

Institutes conducting the course.

**Number of tests**

One Periodic Test as per the Examination Scheme (see Annexure- I) for each semester.

**Time Schedule**

After completion of at least two thirds of the Semester instruction weeks.

**R. 5685**      There will not be any Retest/Improvement test/ or Supplementary test for the Periodic Tests.

**R. 5686**      Any candidate remaining absent for the periodic test for any reason whatsoever will be treated as not appeared for the test and treated at par with other candidates who have appeared for all the tests. No separate examination will be conducted and only Not Appeared (NA) in the test will be mentioned in the mark sheet.

Candidates who have ATKT or failed in the subjects/s will only be allowed to reappear for the periodic test. In case the candidates reappeared for the periodic test, only fresh marks will be considered and the candidates forfeit the marks

obtained in the previous examinations in that subject head and those marks will not be reconsidered for any purpose again under any circumstances what-so-ever.

**UNFAIR MEANS ADOPTED DURING EXAMINATIONS:  
THE QUANTUM OF PUNISHMENT SHALL VARY FROM ANNULMENT OF THE PERFORMANCE OF THE STUDENT DURING EXAMS IN FULL, (ANNUAL THEORY AND PRACTICALS) TO DEBARRING THE STUDENTS FROM APPEARING IN ANY FUTURE EXAMS.  
THE MINIMUM PUNISHMENT THEREFORE, IS CANCELLATION OF THE ENTIRE EXAMINATION**

**R.5687      Passing criteria for each subject head**

Maximum marks for each subject head, Minimum for passing the each subject head is given in the Examination Scheme. **(Annexure- II)**

Candidate will be considered as passed in the subject head when the candidates fulfill the following two criteria considered together.

- i.      Has got Minimum Marks prescribed for the Semester Examination &
- ii.     Has got Minimum Marks prescribed for the combined Semester and Periodic Test **(Annexure- II)**

Candidate will be considered as failed in the subject head if the candidate does not fulfill criteria 1 or 2 both.

No separate passing is required for Periodic Test.

If a candidate's application form for reappearing in the examination in a subject head is accepted, and the candidate appear in the examination fresh marks will be considered and the candidate forfeits the marks obtained in the previous examination in that Subject Head and those marks will not be reconsidered for any purpose again, under circumstances what so-ever.

**R.5688      Passing of the Semester**

Candidate will be considered as passed the Semester only when the candidate passes in all the subject heads and obtains overall a minimum of 50 % of the aggregate marks prescribed for the Semester.

**R. 5689      Number of Attempts**

A candidate is allowed a maximum of five attempts inclusive of first attempt to pass respective semester failing which the candidate has to discontinue the course.

**R.5690      Award of the Degree and Class**

Degree will be awarded to the candidates who have passed all the eight semesters.

Class will be awarded to those candidates who have passed the semester- VII in one and the same sitting and VIII also in one and the same sitting and on the basis of combined marks at the Semester- VII and VIII. The classes are as under:

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| i   | Those obtaining 50% and above but below 60% of the total marks. | Second Class                 |
| ii  | Those obtaining 60% and above but below 70% of the total marks. | First Class                  |
| iii | Those obtaining 70% of the total marks and above.               | First Class with distinction |

Such candidates who have not passed the Semester- VII and/ or VIII in one sitting and desires to get class awarded will be permitted to re- appear the examination in all the subject heads on payment of fees with fresh application. Such candidate will be treated at par with fresh candidates and result of this examination will only be considered for all purpose. However, the candidate will forfeit all the previous marks and results of all the subject heads of the semester of which he has reappeared for the examination.

The Periodic Test marks will be carried forward.

**R. 5691 Withholding of Results**

- Candidate's results will be withheld under the following situations and of the respective Semester.
- Result of Semester- III will be withheld if the candidate has not passed Semester- I.
- Result of Semester- IV will be withheld if the candidate has not passed Semester- I and II.
- Result of Semester- V will be withheld if the candidate has not passed Semester- I, II and III.
- Result of Semester- VI will be withheld if the candidate has not passed Semester- I, II, III and IV.
- Result of Semester- VII will be withheld if the candidate has not passed Semester- I, II, III, IV & V.
- Result of Semester VIII will be withheld if the candidate has not passed Semester- I, II, III, IV, V, VI and VII.

**R.5692 Candidates who remain Absent for the Examinations/Periodic Tests**

If a candidate does not appear for the semester examinations in one or more subject heads in which the candidate's form is accepted for the examination the candidate will be declared as failed and is not eligible for ATKT (under ATKT Rules). If the candidate having ATKT remains Absent in the subsequent examinations the ATKT continues. If the candidate remains Absent for the Periodic Test, the candidate will be treated at par with the candidate who appeared for the Test.

**R. 5693 Exemption to Appear for the Examination**

If a candidate has got ATKT, the candidate will be exempted for appearing the examination for those subject heads in which the candidate has passed.

**R. 5694** If a candidate has passed in all the subjects but failed due to not getting 50 % of the aggregate marks, may appear for the examination in any number of subject heads the candidate desires.

**R. 5695** Every candidate shall be required to work for at least four weeks in a Pharmaceutical Industry or Hospital or Pharmaceutical Research and Development Organization or Public Testing Laboratory (Pharmaceuticals) at the end of the Semester- VI of the course of study, and shall submit satisfactory report of such work to the head of the candidate's institute.

**O. 5042** **Grace Marks for passing in each head of passing (Theory/ Practical/ Oral/ Sessional) (External/ Internal)**

The examinee shall be given the benefit of grace marks only for passing in each head of passing (Theory/ Practical/ Oral/ Sessional) in External or Internal examination as follows:

<b>Head of Passing</b>	<b>Grace Marks Upto</b>
Upto – 50	2
051 – 100	3
101 – 150	4
151 – 200	5
201 – 250	6
251 – 300	7
301 – 350	8
351 – 400	9
And 401 and above	10

Provided that the benefit such gracing marks given in different heads of passing shall not exceed of 1% of the aggregate marks in that examination.

*Provided further that the benefit of gracing of marks under this Ordinance, shall be applicable only if the candidate passes the entire examination of semester/ year.*

Provided further that this gracing is concurrent with the rules guidelines of professional statutory bodies at the All India level such as AICTE, MCI, Bar Council, CCIM, CCIH, NCTE UGC etc.

**O.5043** **Grace Marks for getting Higher Class**

A candidate who passes in all the subjects and heads of passing in the examination without the benefit of either gracing or condonation rules and

whose total number of marks falls short for securing Second Class/ Higher Second Class or First Class by marks not more 1% of the aggregate marks of that examination or up to 10 marks, which ever is less, shall be given the required marks to get the next higher class or grade as the case may be.

Provided that benefits of above mentioned grace marks shall not be given, if the candidate fails to secure necessary passing marks in the aggregate head of passing also, if prescribed, in the examination concerned.

Provided further that benefits of above mentioned grace marks shall be given to the candidate for such examination/s only for which provision of award of class has been prescribed.

Provided further that this gracing is concurrent with the rules and guidelines of professional statutory bodies at the All India level such as AICTE, MCI, BAR Council, CCIM, CCIH, NCTE etc.

**O.5044 Grace Marks for getting Distinction in the Subject Only**

A candidate who passes in all the Subjects/ Heads of passing in the examination without benefit of either Gracing or Condonation Rules and whose total number of marks in the subject/s falls short by not more than three marks for getting distinction in the subject/s shall be given necessary grace marks up to three in maximum two subjects, subject to maximum 1% of the total marks of that Head of Passing whichever is more, in a given examination.

Provided that benefit of the above mentioned grace marks shall be given to the candidate only for such examination/s for which provision for distinction in a subject has been prescribed.

Provided further that this gracing is concurrent with the Rules and Guidelines of professional statutory bodies at the All India level such as AICTE, MCI, BAR Council, CCIM, CCIH, NCTE etc.

**O.5045 Condonation**

If a candidate fails in only one head of passing, having passed in all other heads of passing, his/her deficiency of marks in such head of passing may be condoned by not more than 1% of the aggregate marks of the examination or 10% of the total number of marks of that head of passing in which he/she is failing, whichever is less. However, condonation, whether in one head of passing or aggregate head of passing be restricted to maximum up to 10 marks only.

Condonation of deficiency of marks be shown in the Statement of Marks in the form of asterik and Ordinance number.

Provided that this condonation of marks is concurrent with the rules and guidelines of professional statutory bodies at the All India level such as AICTE, MCI, Bar Council, CCIM, CCIH, NCTE etc.

**O.5046 Moderation\***

- i. The Moderation System shall be applicable to all the faculties for under graduate and post graduate examinations.
- ii. 100 % moderation of the answer book shall be carried out in the case of candidates failing by 10% of marks of the aggregate marks of that paper.
- iii. In case of professional faculties/ courses, 100% moderation shall be carried out in case of candidates obtaining 70% and above marks. For non-professional faculties/ courses 100% moderation shall be carried out in case of candidates obtaining first class and above marks.
- iv. The moderation of answer books of *at least* 5% of total number of candidates obtaining marks between minimum passing marks and marks required for first class/ distinction shall be carried out on random sample basis.
- v. One moderator shall be appointed per five examiners. However Chairman, Board of paper setters will act as the moderator, where there are less than five examiners.



- vi. Moderation work shall be carried out simultaneously with the Central Assessment of answer books at CAPs.
- vii. Where marks awarded by the moderator vary from those awarded by original examiner, the marks awarded by the moderator shall be taken as final.
- viii. Each University shall formulate detailed scheme of moderation on the basis of guidelines given above