

ANSWERS TO THE FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS OF THE CANDIDATES

Sr.No	FAQs	Answers
1.	Where can all the details about recruitment to post of Scientist-C or Scientist-D by deputation be seen ?	For details the Advertisement please visit the BIS Website: www.bis.gov.in . Candidates are advised to read the complete advertisement available on BIS Website before applying.
2.	Where can a candidate contact in case of any technical query relating to application?	Candidates may send an email at hrd@bis.gov.in
3.	What is the essential educational qualification required?	<p>The required qualifications are:</p> <p>Essential: Bachelor's degree from a recognized university/institution in Agriculture and having Master's degree in any of the following disciplines with 60% marks (50% marks in case of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Agronomy ii) Soil Sciences / Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry iii) Agricultural Entomology/Entomology iv) Agricultural Chemicals / Chemistry <p>Desirable: Doctorate Degree from a recognized university/institution</p>
4.	What is the percentage of marks requirement?	<p>Bachelor's degree from a recognized university/institution in Agriculture and having Master's degree in any of the following disciplines with 60% marks (50% marks in case of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Agronomy ii) Soil Sciences / Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry iii) Agricultural Entomology/Entomology iv) Agricultural Chemicals / Chemistry
5.	Can candidates with 59.9 % marks in aggregate (49.9% marks for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) in Master's degree apply?	No, the fraction of percentage will be ignored i.e. 59.99% will be treated as less than 60% and 49.99% will be treated as less than 50%.
6.	Can a student in final year of essential qualification degree apply?	No

7.	Is there any requirement of work experience for the post of Scientist-C (Pay Level-11)?	<p>Yes. Only the following aspirants may apply:</p> <p>Scientists or Technologists working in the Central Government or State Governments or Universities or recognized research institutions or statutory or autonomous organizations or Public Sector Undertakings in India or abroad:</p> <p>(a) (i) holding analogous post on regular basis; or (ii) with five years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on regular basis in Level 10 (Rs. 56100-177500) in the pay matrix or equivalent; and</p> <p>(b) possessing four years' experience in the field of Standardization or Quality Assurance or Testing or Production or Design or Research.</p>
8.	Is there any requirement of work experience for the post of Scientist-D (Pay Level-12) ?	<p>Yes. Only the following aspirants may apply:</p> <p>Scientists or Technologists working in the Central Government or State Governments or Universities or recognized research institutions or statutory or autonomous organizations or Public Sector Undertakings in India or abroad:</p> <p>(a) (i) holding analogous post on regular basis; or (ii) with five years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on regular basis in level 11 (Rs. 67700- 208700) in the pay matrix or equivalent; and</p> <p>(b) possessing eight years' experience in the field of Standardization or Quality Assurance or Testing or Production or Design or Research.</p>
9.	What is the age limit and what is the cut-off date for age limit?	The upper age limit is 56 years as on 16th September 2024 .
10.	What relaxations in upper age limit are applicable and to which category of candidates?	There shall be no relaxation in upper age limit beyond 56 years irrespective of the category of the applicant.
11.	Can a candidate who is crossing upper age limit but having extra work experience apply?	No, the candidates shall be within prescribed age limits.
12.	What is the last date of application and can it be extended in case of delay in obtaining requisite certificates?	The applications will be accepted starting from 03.08.2024, the last date being 16.09.2024 . No application will be accepted beyond the last date in any circumstances.

13	Can the application be submitted online or via e-mail.	No. The application should be sent only by Registered Post/ Speed Post in the envelope superscribing “Application for the post of Scientist-C / Scientist- D” on the Right-Hand corner of the envelope. No other means/ mode of submission of applications will be accepted under any circumstances.
14.	What are the documents one can upload as a proof for Date of Birth (D.O.B)?	Matriculation certificate/High School certificate/Birth Certificate issued by appropriate Local Authority clearly indicating Date of Birth will only be accepted

