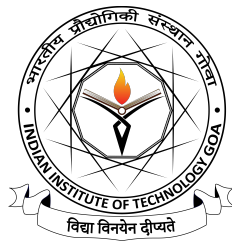


Entry and Exit Policy

for Undergraduate Programs

Ver 1.0.0



Indian Institute of Technology Goa
Academic Office

Revision History

Revision	Date	Author(s)	Description
1.0.0	13-08-2024	Committee for Implementing Multiple Exit Points in the UG Program	The version recommended by the Senate in its 19 th meeting and approved by the BoG in its 11 th meeting

Contents

1 Introduction	1
2 Entry Rules	1
3 Exit Levels	1
3.1 Level 6 (L6)	1
3.2 Level 8 (L8)	1
4 Regulations	1
5 Process of Approval	2

Glossary

academic program Academic disciplines such as Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering, Mathematics and Computing, and so on. [1](#), [2](#)

B. Tech. Bachelor of Technology. [1](#)

BoG Board of Governors. [2](#)

Diploma (Engg.) Diploma in Engineering. [1](#)

IIT Goa Indian Institute of Technology Goa. [1](#)

institute Institute refers to Indian Institute of Technology Goa. [1](#), [2](#)

JEE (Adv) Joint Entrance Examination (Advanced). [1](#)

JoSAA Joint Seat Allocation Authority. [1](#)

PUGC Program Undergraduate Committee. [2](#)

Senate refers to Senate of Indian Institute of Technology Goa. According to the Institutes of Technology Act, the Senate of an Institute shall have the control and general regulation, and be responsible for the maintenance of standards of instruction, education and examination in the Institute and shall exercise such other powers and perform such other duties as may be conferred or imposed upon it by the Statutes. [2](#)

student Unless otherwise mentioned, a student stands for a student enrolled in an Undergraduate Program at Indian Institute of Technology Goa. [1](#), [2](#)

SUGC Senate Undergraduate Committee. [2](#)

UG undergraduate. [1](#), [2](#)

1 Introduction

Towards facilitating flexible & personalised learning as mandated by the New Education Policy 2020, [Indian Institute of Technology Goa \(IIT Goa\)](#) has formulated the following policy on Entry and Exit for its [undergraduate \(UG\)](#) programs. The guiding principle is that all exit levels are equally valid and are treated with no prejudice.

2 Entry Rules

Admission to various [UG](#) programs at [IIT Goa](#) is carried out through the [Joint Entrance Examination \(Advanced\) \(JEE \(Adv\)\)](#). The [JEE \(Adv\)](#) and the subsequent process of admission to [IIT Goa](#) shall be governed by the rules contained in the Information Brochure of [JEE \(Adv\)](#) (see <https://jeeadv.ac.in/>), read in conjunction with the Business Rules of the [Joint Seat Allocation Authority \(JoSAA\)](#) (see <https://josaa.nic.in/>).

3 Exit Levels

There are two (2) exit levels¹ for the four-year [UG](#) programs categorised by the credit requirements. The various options are listed in table 1.

Level	Qualification Title	Credit Requirements
L6	Diploma in Engineering (Diploma (Engg.))	45
L8	Bachelor of Technology (B. Tech.)	135 ²

Table 1: Qualification Type and Credit Requirements

3.1 Level 6 (L6)

To obtain a level 6 diploma, a minimum of 45 credits is required. The [student](#) will be awarded a [Diploma in Engineering](#), or [Diploma \(Engg.\)](#) in abbreviation, with *no* specialisation.

3.2 Level 8 (L8)

To obtain a level 8 degree, a minimum of 135² credits and additional requirements specified in the [UG](#) manual of the [institute](#) are required. The [student](#) will be awarded a [B. Tech.](#) in the respective [academic program](#).

4 Regulations

4.1 No-cause exit is permitted, i.e. the [student](#) can choose the exit voluntarily.

¹The nomenclature is in accordance with the NEP 2020

²(or as specified by the individual programs)

- 4.2 The exit options will only be available after the completion of at least four (4) semesters of the [UG](#) program.
- 4.3 The maximum period for completing any intermediate exit diploma/degree will be that of the original [academic program](#) as specified in the [UG](#) manual.
- 4.4 On termination on academic grounds, the [student](#) will be eligible for an exit degree at the appropriate level based on their earned credits.
- 4.5 Once approved by the [Senate](#), the exit is final and irreversible.

5 Process of Approval

To apply for an exit at L6 (section [3.1](#)), a [student](#) is required to fill out the prescribed application form. After verifying the credits, [Program Undergraduate Committee \(PUGC\)](#) will provide their comments on the application. [Senate Undergraduate Committee \(SUGC\)](#) will then recommend the application to the [Senate](#). The [Senate](#) will confirm the award of the exit degree to the [student](#). Once approved by the [Board of Governors \(BoG\)](#), the degree will be awarded to the [student](#) on the next Convocation of the [institute](#).