API for Direct Recruitment as per UGC API 2016

	Assistant Professor	Associate Professor (Stage 4)	Professor (Stage 5)
Minimum API Scores	(Stage 1) Minimum Qualification as stipulated in these regulations	Consolidated API score requirement of 300 points from categories II & III of APIs (cumulative)	(cumulative)
Selection Committee criteria / weightages (Total Weightages = 100)	a) Academic Record and Research Performance (50%) b) Assessment of Domain Knowledge & Teaching Skills (30%) c) Interview	API score and quality of publications	 a) Academic Background (20%) b) Research performance based on API score and quality of publications (40%). c) Assessment of Domain knowledge and Teaching Skills (20%).
	performance (20%)	d) Interview performance: (20%)	d) Interview performance:(20%)

MINIMUM ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE AND SERVICE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROMOTION OF

S.No.	Promotion of Teachers through CAS	Service requirement	Minimum Academic Performance Requirements and Screening/Selection Criteria	
1	Assistant Professor/ equivalent cadres from Stage 1 to Stage 2	Assistant Professor in Stage 1 and completed four years of service with Ph.D. or five years of service who are with M.Phil / PG Degree in Professional Courses such as LLM, M.Tech, M.V.Sc., M.D., or six years of service who are without Ph.D/M.Phil / PG Degree in Professional courses	proforma developed by the UGC as per the norms provided in Table II (A). (ii) One Orientation and one Refresher / Research Methodology Course of 2/3 weeks duration.	
2.	Assistant Professor/ equivalent cadres from Stage 2 to Stage 3	Assistant Professor with completed service of five years in Stage 2.	(i) Minimum cumulative API scores using the PBAS scoring proforma developed by the UGC as per the norms provided in Table II(A) (ii) One course / programme from among the categories of refresher courses, methodology workshops, Training, Teaching-Learning-Evaluation Technology Programmes, Soft Skills development Programmes and Faculty Development Programmes of 2/3 week duration. (iii) Screening cum Verification process for recommending promotion.	
3.	Assistant Professor (Stage 3) to Associate Professor (Stage 4)	Assistant Professors with three years of completed service in Stage 3.	(i) Minimum cumulative API scores using the PBAS scoring proforma developed by the UGC as per the norms provided in Table II (A). (ii) At least three publications in the entire period as Assistant Professor (twelve years). However, in the case of College teachers, an exemption of one publication may be given to M. Phil. holders and an exemption of two publications may be given to Ph. D. holders. (iii) One course / programme from among the categories of methodology workshops, Training, Teaching-Learning - Evaluation Technology Programmes, Soft Skills development Programmes and Faculty Development Programmes of minimum one week duration. (iv) A selection committee process as stipulated in the regulation and in Tables II(A).	

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S.No.	Promotion of Teachers through CAS	Service requirement	Minimum Academic Performance Requirements and Screening/Selection Criteria
Professor (Stage three years of co		Associate Professor with three years of completed service in Stage 4.	(i)Minimum cumulative API scores using the PBAS scoring proforma developed by the UGC as per the norms provided in Table II (A). Teachers may combine two assessment periods (in Stages 2 and 3) to achieve minimum API scores, if required.
			(ii)A minimum of five publications since the period that the teacher is placed in stage 3.
			(iii) A selection committee process as stipulated in the regulation and in Tables II (A).
5.	Professor (Stage 5) to Professor	Professor with ten years of completed service	(i) Minimum cumulative API scores for the assessment period as per the norms provided in Table II (A).
	(Stage 6).	(universities only)	(ii) Additional credentials are to be evidenced by: (a) post-doctoral research outputs of high standard; (b) awards / honours / recognitions / patents and IPR on products and processes developed / technology transfer achieved; and (c) Additional research degrees like D.Sc., D.Litt., LL.D., etc.,
		9	(iii) A review process by an Expert Committee as stipulated in this regulation and in Tables Π (A)

Minimum API for Promotion as per UGC API 2016

Category	Activity	Assistant Professor / equivalent cadres: (Stage 1 to Stage 2)	Assistant Professor / equivalent ecadres: (Stage 2 to Stage 3)	Assistant Professor (Stage 3) to Assoc. Professor/equivalent cadres (Stage 4)	Professor	Professor (Stage 5) to Professor (Stage 6)
1	Teaching-learning, Evaluation Related Activities	80/Year	80/year	75/year	70/year	70/year
II	Professional Development and Extension activities - Minimum score required to be assessed cumulatively	50 / Assessment period	50 / Assessment period	50 / Assessment period	50 / Assessment period	100 / Assessment period
Ш	Research and Academic Contributions- Minimum Score required - to be assessed cumulatively	Assessment period	50 / Assessment period	75 / Assessment period	100 / Assessment period	400 / Assessment period
П + Ш	Minimum total API score under Categories II and III*	- 90 / Assessment period	120 / Assessment period	Assessment period	180 / Assessment period	600 / Assessment period
IV	Expert Assessment System	Screening cum evaluation committee	Screening cum evaluation committee	Selection Committee	Selection Committee	Expert Committee
V	Percentage Distribution of Weightage Points in the Expert Assessment (Total weightage = 100. Minimum required for promotion is 50)	No separate points. Screening committee to verify API scores	No separate points. Screening Committee to verify API scores	30% - Research Contribution 50% - Assessment of domain knowledge & teaching practices. 20% - Interview performance	Research Contribution. 30% - Assessment of domain knowledge & teaching practices. 20% - Interview performance	Research Contribution. 50%- Performance evaluation and other credential by referral procedure

^{*} Teachers may score the balance of points from either Category II or Category III to achieve the minimum score required under Category II + III.