The qualifying or minimum marks for a valid GATE score in 2010 for different disciplines are as below.

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| **Discipline/ Course / Stream** | **General** | **OBC** | **SC/ST/PD** |
| Computer Science and Engineering and IT | 25 | 22.50 | 16.67 |
| Electronics and Communication Engineering | 25 | 22.50 | 16.67 |
| Electrical Engineering | 25.2 | 22.68 | 16.80 |
| Mechanical Engineering | 25 | 22.50 | 16.67 |
| Civil Engineering | 25.01 | 22.50 | 16.67 |
| Instrumentation Engineering | 25 | 22.50 | 16.67 |
| Chemical Engineering | 25.41 | 22.87 | 16.94 |
| Production and Industrial Engineering | 25 | 22.50 | 16.67 |
| Metallurgical Engineering | 33.08 | 29.77 | 22.05 |
| Biotechnology | 35.52 | 31.96 | 23.68 |
| Life Sciences | 40.16 | 36.14 | 26.77 |
| Chemistry | 30.56 | 27.53 | 20.39 |
| Physics | 27.22 | 24.50 | 18.15 |
| Mathematics | 25 | 22.50 | 16.67 |
| Geology and Geophysics | 38.21 | 34.39 | 25.48 |

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