MINISTRY OF EDUCATION · NIRF INDIA RANKINGS 2025

Top Agriculture Colleges in India

as per NIRF Ranking 2025

All 40 ranked colleges in the NIRF Agriculture and Allied Sectors list for 2025. Between them they span 20 states and union territories.

RANKED COLLEGES	IN RANK-BANDS	STATES & UTS	TOP SCORE
40	—	20	89.23

What changed since 2024

Of the 36 colleges ranked in both years, 9 improved, 19 slipped and 8 held position. The rest are new to the list.

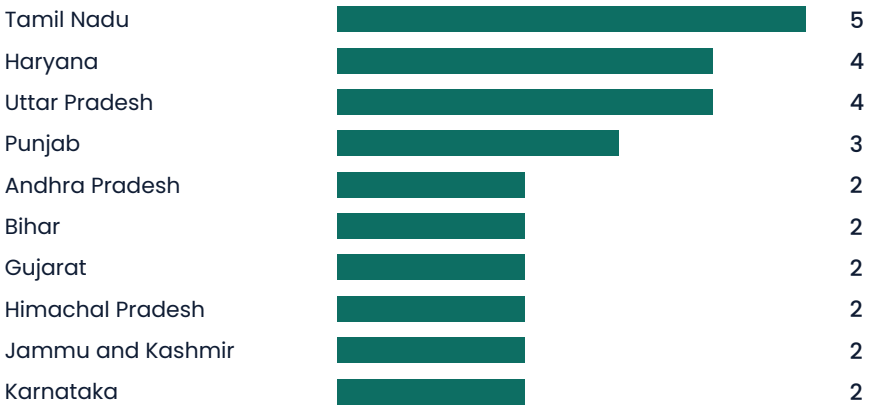
Biggest climbers

Dr Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University, Samastipur Samastipur, Bihar	▲ 15 29 → 14
Professor Jayashankar Telangana Agricultural University (PJTAU) Hyderabad, Telangana	▲ 13 37 → 24
Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Raipur Raipur, Chhattisgarh	▲ 11 39 → 28
Central Agricultural University Imphal West, Manipur	▲ 7 31 → 24
Lovely Professional University Phagwara, Punjab	▲ 5 22 → 17

Biggest falls

University of Agricultural Sciences Dharwad, Karnataka	▼ 11 24 → 35
Annamalai University Annamalainagar, Tamil Nadu	▼ 11 27 → 38
West Bengal University of Animal and Fishery Sciences, Kolkata Kolkata, West Bengal	▼ 11 28 → 39
Chaudhary Sarwan Kumar Himachal Pardesh Krishi Vishvavidyalaya Kangra, Himachal Pradesh	▼ 10 19 → 29
Tamil Nadu Veterinary & Animal Sciences University Chennai, Tamil Nadu	▼ 9 17 → 26

Where the ranked colleges are



The full ranking

Score is the weighted total; the five columns after it are the parameters that produce it, each marked out of 100. Reading across shows what a rank is actually built on.

#	College	State	Score	TLR 30%	RPC 30%	GO 20%	OI 10%	PR 10%	vs 2024
1	Indian Agricultural Research Institute New Delhi	Delhi	89.23	86.59	93.83	86.89	79.37	97.84	–
2	ICAR - National Dairy Research Institute Karnal	Haryana	75.87	82.63	66.56	85.77	68.20	71.37	–

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3	Punjab Agricultural University Ludhiana	Punjab	75.83	84.73	76.85	66.74	51.77	88.33	–
4	Banaras Hindu University Varanasi	Uttar Pradesh	68.95	67.50	72.00	76.00	62.59	56.44	–
5	Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar Bareilly	Uttar Pradesh	67.66	84.85	47.98	82.74	60.48	52.25	–
6	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University Coimbatore	Tamil Nadu	67.06	82.13	44.89	65.20	59.05	100.00	–
7	Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Science and Technology of Kashmir Srinagar	Jammu and Kashmir	65.81	79.71	54.21	82.08	57.48	34.67	▲3
8	Central Institute of Fisheries Education, Fisheries University Mumbai	Maharashtra	63.92	74.39	43.79	80.99	75.00	47.58	▲1
9	G.B. Pant Universtiy of Agriculture and Technology, Pantnagar Pantnagar	Uttarakhand	61.56	68.90	41.04	76.81	52.10	80.15	▼1
10	Chaudhary Charan Singh Haryana Agricultural University Hisar	Haryana	61.47	87.12	33.38	68.47	51.72	64.57	▼3
11	University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore Bengaluru	Karnataka	60.35	81.40	29.48	76.08	55.78	62.90	–
12	Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur Thrissur	Kerala	60.00	88.51	31.36	66.36	55.49	52.25	▲4
13	National Institute of Food Technology, Entrepreneurship and Management - Thanjavur (NIFTEM - Thanjavur) Thanjavur	Tamil Nadu	58.76	66.36	50.29	62.14	60.02	53.33	▼1
14	Dr Rajendra Prasad Central Agricultural University, Samastipur Samastipur	Bihar	58.25	78.82	31.76	71.05	63.61	45.04	▲15
15	Amity University Gautam Budh Nagar	Uttar Pradesh	58.14	62.89	75.70	47.36	67.19	3.69	new
16	Bidhan Chandra Krishi Vishwavidyalaya Nadia	West Bengal	57.64	76.00	35.94	81.65	36.45	40.90	▼3
17	Lovely Professional University Phagwara	Punjab	57.61	59.26	69.67	51.25	68.35	18.43	▲5
18	Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat Jorhat	Assam	57.20	87.55	21.61	62.64	53.05	66.18	▼4
19	Odisha University of Agriculture and Technology Khordha	Odisha	56.61	78.78	26.33	74.28	57.16	45.04	▼4
20	Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry Solan	Himachal Pradesh	55.53	71.88	34.77	74.78	51.13	34.67	▼2
21	Babasheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh	55.46	61.57	43.84	77.30	67.93	15.87	new
22	National Institute of Food Technology, Enterprenurship & Management Sonipat	Haryana	54.61	62.02	50.08	65.95	67.72	10.22	▼1
23	Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Science and Technology of Jammu Jammu	Jammu and Kashmir	54.28	72.14	36.09	69.03	54.71	25.28	▼3

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24	Central Agricultural University Imphal West	Manipur	52.97	74.24	28.60	63.99	67.88	25.28	▲7
24	Professor Jayashankar Telangana Agricultural University (PJTAU) Hyderabad	Telangana	52.97	82.31	18.22	67.15	59.12	34.67	▲13
26	Tamil Nadu Veterinary & Animal Sciences University Chennai	Tamil Nadu	52.91	76.68	19.95	62.09	54.83	60.25	▼9
27	Anand Agricultural University Anand	Gujarat	51.67	76.48	19.08	71.92	46.91	39.43	▼4
28	Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Raipur Raipur	Chhattisgarh	50.60	75.63	15.08	75.59	55.42	27.33	▲11
29	Chaudhary Sarwan Kumar Himachal Pardesh Krishi Vishvavidyalaya Kangra	Himachal Pradesh	50.18	72.97	24.71	73.04	49.59	13.14	▼10
30	Guru Angad Dev Veterinary & Animal Sciences University Ludhiana	Punjab	50.02	77.57	30.31	46.57	54.24	29.29	▼6
31	Kerala University of Fisheries & Ocean Studies Kochi	Kerala	49.45	59.91	39.18	58.44	53.08	27.33	▼1
31	Acharya NG Ranga Agricultural University, Guntur Guntur	Andhra Pradesh	49.45	77.36	13.14	56.35	53.94	56.44	▼5
33	S.R.M. Institute of Science and Technology Chennai	Tamil Nadu	49.38	58.53	42.28	59.97	50.74	20.84	new
34	Navsari Agricultural University Navsari	Gujarat	49.13	80.17	13.97	69.91	53.19	15.87	▲1
35	University of Agricultural Sciences Dharwad	Karnataka	48.79	69.72	12.49	73.75	51.43	42.33	▼11
36	Bihar Agriculture University Bhagalpur	Bihar	48.05	74.71	16.58	65.30	53.02	23.12	–
37	Lala lajpat Rai University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Hisar	Haryana	48.03	78.31	24.96	58.49	35.09	18.43	▼3
38	Annamalai University Annamalainagar	Tamil Nadu	47.30	53.11	23.79	69.22	46.54	57.43	▼11
39	West Bengal University of Animal and Fishery Sciences, Kolkata Kolkata	West Bengal	46.97	68.78	21.23	75.83	13.32	34.67	▼11
40	Dr Y S R Horticulture University West Godavari	Andhra Pradesh	46.87	71.84	9.53	74.47	57.29	18.43	new

TLR Teaching, Learning & Resources RPC Research and Professional Practice GO Graduation Outcomes OI Outreach and Inclusivity PR Perception

Green marks 70 or above, red below 35. The last column is the change against this institution's own 2024 rank. Perception comes from a survey, so newer and regional institutions often score low on it even where teaching and outcomes are strong.

How to use this list

- Entrance exams. ICAR AIEEA is the national route; many state agricultural universities also run their own entrance tests.
- A rank is not a ranking of your experience. NIRF measures the institution as a whole, not the individual specialisation. One ranked lower overall may still be stronger for the one you want.
- Participation is voluntary. A good institution missing here may simply not have submitted data. Absence is not evidence of poor quality.
- Check the year. These are India Rankings 2025 figures, released September 2025. The 2026 edition is expected later in 2026 and will supersede them.

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