

Institute of Banking Personnel Selection



IBPS SO Exam Pattern

IBPS Prelims Exam Pattern - Law Officer & Rajbhasha Adhikari

Name of Subject	No. of Questions	Total Marks	Duration
Reasoning	50	50	40 minutes
English Language	50	25	40 minutes
General Awareness with Special Reference to Banking Industry	50	50	40 minutes
Total	150	125	

Specialist Officers (Agriculture Field Officer, Marketing Officer (Scale-I), HR/ Personnel Officer, IT Officer Scale I

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English Language	50	25	40 minutes
Quantitative Aptitude	50	50	40 minutes
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IBPS SO Mains Pattern - Rajbhasha Adhikar

Name of Test	Number of Questions	Maximum Marks	Duration
Professional Knowledge(Objective)	45	60 Marks	30 minutes
Professional Knowledge(Descriptive)	2		30 minutes

Law Officer, IT Officer, Agriculture Field Officer, HR/ Personnel Officer and Marketing Officer

Name of Test	Number of Questions	Maximum Marks	Duration
Professional Knowledge	60	60	45 minutes

IBPS SO Syllabus

Reasoning

- Puzzles
- Data Interpretation
- Logical Reasoning
- Verbal Reasoning
- Analytical Reasoning
- Data Sufficiency
- Non-Verbal Reasoning

English

- General English
- Active and Passive Voice
- Antonyms

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- Prepositions Sentence
- Sentence Improvement
- Para Completion
- Joining Sentences
- Error Correction (Underlined Part)
- Error Correction (Phrase in Bold)
- Fill in the blanks
- Sentence Arrangement
- Transformation
- Synonyms
- Spotting Errors
- Passage Completion
- Completion
- Spelling Test
- Idioms and Phrases
- Substitution

Quantitative Aptitude

- Ratio and Proportion
- Boats and Streams
- Probability
- Pipes and Cisterns
- Races and Games
- Numbers and Ages
- Simplification and Approximation
- Problems on Trains
- Simple Interest
- Areas
- Mensuration
- Time and Distance
- Compound Interest
- Volumes
- Profit and Loss
- Averages
- Quadratic Equations
- Indices and Surds
- Time and Work Partnership
- Problems on L.C.M and H.C.F

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- Problems on Numbers
- Odd Man Out
- Mixtures and Allegations
- Percentages
- Simple Equations
- Permutations and Combinations

Professional Knowledge - Mains Exam Syllabus

IT Officer

- Computer Hardware
- Computer Software
- Operating System
- Database Management System
- Data Communication and Networking
- Operating System
- Software Engineering
- Data Structure
- Computer Organization and Microprocessor
- Object-Oriented Programming
- Microsoft Office
- Memory
- Keyboard Shortcuts
- Computer Abbreviation
- Internet
- Networking
- Computer Fundamentals/ Terminologies

Agricultural Field Officer

- Agricultural Practices
- Soil resources
- Animal Husbandry
- Agroforestry
- Ecology
- Government Schemes
- Basics of Crop production

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- Preservation of fruits and vegetables,
- Types of cropping system,
- Different plant diseases
- Irrigation
- Different agricultural practices
- Rural welfare activities
- Horticulture
- Seed Science
- Agronomy and Irrigation
- Agricultural Economics
- Important varieties,
- Herbicides and Pesticides

Law Officer

- Bankers Book Evidence Act,
- DRT Act
- Banking Ombudsman Scheme
- Offenses and Penalties
- Law and Acts related to the banking sector like Contract Acts, Partnerships, Companies and Firm
- Consumer Protection Act
- Banking Regulation
- Compliance and Legal Aspects
- Negotiable instruments, securities, Foreign Exchange (Laws and Orders)
- Prevention of money laundering,
- Limitation Act
- Consumer Protection Act

HR/ Personnel Officer

- Rewards and Recognition
- Performance Management and Appraisal
- Industrial Relations
- Business Policy and Strategic Analysis
- Grievance and Conflict Management
- Human Resource Development
- Transnational Analysis
- Business policy and strategic analysis

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- Recruitment and Selection
- Training and Development

Marketing Officer

- Product Life Cycle
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- Service Marketing
- Marketing Strategies
- Basics of Marketing Management
- Brand Management
- Advertising
- Sales
- Retail
- Business Ethics
- Market Segmentation
- Market research and forecasting demand

Rajbhasha Adhikari

- Translation (Sentence, Words) English to Hindi and Hindi to English
- Close Test (In Hindi)
- Practical Translation
- Synonyms and Antonyms
- Passage (In Hindi)
- Fill in the blanks (Hindi Grammar)