

# Institute of Banking Personnel Selection (IBPS)



## IBPS Clerk Exam Pattern - Prelims & Mains

### IBPS Clerk Prelims Exam Pattern

<b>S No.</b>	<b>Name of Tests</b>	<b>Medium of Exam</b>	<b>No. of Questions</b>	<b>Maximum Marks</b>	<b>Time allotted for each test (Separately timed)</b>
1	English Language	English	30	30	20 minutes
2	Numerical Ability	-	35	35	20 minutes
3	Reasoning Ability	-	35	35	20 minutes
	<b>Total</b>		<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>60 Minutes</b>

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## IBPS Clerk Mains Exam Pattern

S No.	Name of Tests	No. of Questions	Maximum Marks	Medium of Exam	Time allotted for each test (Separately timed)
1	General/ Financial Awareness	50	50	-	35 minutes
2	General English	40	40	English	35 minutes
3	Reasoning Ability & Computer Aptitude	50	60	-	45 minutes
4	Quantitative Aptitude	50	50	-	45 minutes
	<b>Total</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>200</b>		<b>160 minutes</b>

## IBPS Clerk Syllabus - Prelims & Mains

### IBPS Clerk English Topics

- Vocabulary
  - Word Formation
  - Homonyms
  - Antonyms
  - Synonyms
  - Spelling
- Grammar
  - Active/ Passive voice

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- Spotting Errors
- Direct and Indirect speech
- Phrases and idioms
- Reading Comprehension
  - Deriving Conclusion
  - Theme Detection
  - Topic rearrangement of passage
  - <https://www.freshersnow.com/syllabus/>
  - Passage completion

## **IBPS Clerk Quantitative Aptitude Topics:**

- Ratio and proportion
- Averages
- Time and work
- Logarithms
- Permutation and combinations
- <https://www.freshersnow.com/syllabus/>
- Simple and compound interest
- Equations, Probability
- Speed
- Distance and time
- Elements of Algebra
- Data Interpretation
- Pie charts
- Mixture and allegation
- Stocks and shares
- Percentages
- Bar & Graphs
- Line charts
- Tables
- Height and Distances
- Trigonometry
- Profit
- Loss and Discount
- Mensuration
- Partnership

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- Clocks
- Volume and Surface Area

## **IBPS Clerk Exam Topics for Reasoning Ability:**

- Verbal Reasoning
  - Alphabet test
  - Series Test
  - Classification
  - Word formation
  - Analogy
  - Assertion and reasoning
  - Number, Ranking and time sequence
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  - Direction sense Test
  - Sitting Arrangement
  - Statement and arguments
  - Statement and assumptions
  - Statement and conclusions Syllogism
  - Coding-Decoding
  - Blood Relations
  - Passage and conclusions
  - Decision-making test
  - Figure series
  - Input/ Output
- Non-Verbal Reasoning
  - Miscellaneous Test
  - Odd figure Out
  - Series test
  - Analogy

## **IBPS Clerk Exam Topics for General Awareness**

- Current Affairs
  - History of the Indian banking system
  - Overview of Indian Financial System
  - Current affairs related to national and international issues of last 6 months

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- Recent credit and monetary policies
- Banking Terms
  - Abbreviations and Economic terminologies
  - Introduction to National financial institutions like RBI, SEBI, IRDA, FSDC etc and of
  - International organizations like IMF, World Bank, ADB, UN etc,
  - <https://www.freshersnow.com/syllabus/>
  - Important Government Schemes on capital & money market

## **IBPS Clerk Topics for Computer Knowledge**

- History of computers
- Networking and communication
- Basics of Hacking
- Database basics
- Security Tools
- Viruses
- Basics of Hardware and software
- <https://www.freshersnow.com/syllabus/>
- Windows operating system basics
- Internet terms and services
- Basic Functionalities of MS-Office( MS-word, MS-Excel, MS-PowerPoint)