



MAT Exam Pattern 2024: Number of Questions, Sectional Composition, Exam Duration

MAT 2024 Exam Pattern: Overview

- There are 5 sections with equal number of questions in MAT exam 2024 pattern.
- Each section in MAT question paper has 30 questions. Total questions are 150
- AIMA awards 4 marks for each correct answer (scaled score). Hence, MAT Exam Total Marks are 600.
- All questions are in MCQ format.
- Total exam time duration to solve the MAT question paper is 120 minutes.
- Although, individual time limit for each section has been suggested by AIMA, there is no restriction to move from one section to other freely within overall time limit in the MAT 2024 exam pattern

Check MAT December 2024 Exam Pattern with number of questions and MAT Marking Scheme.

MAT Exam Components	No of Questions (All MCQs)	Sectional Time Limit (In Minutes)	Scoring Pattern (Negative Marking is only for MCQs)
Section 1: Language Comprehension	30	No Time Limit	+1 for Correct Answer; -0.25 for Incorrect Answer; 0 for Not Attempted
Section 2: Intelligence and Critical Reasoning	30	No Time Limit	+1 for Correct Answer; -0.25 for Incorrect

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			Answer; 0 for Not Attempted
Section 3: Data Analysis and Data Sufficiency	30	No Time Limit	+1 for Correct Answer; -0.25 for Incorrect Answer; 0 for Not Attempted
Section 4: Mathematical Skills	30	No Time Limit	+1 for Correct Answer; -0.25 for Incorrect Answer; 0 for Not Attempted
Section 5: Economic & Business Environment	30	No Time Limit	+1 for Correct Answer; -0.25 for Incorrect Answer; 0 for Not Attempted
Total	150	120 Minutes	-

MAT Exam Pattern Vs CAT Exam

MAT exam pattern and IIMs CAT exam have many similarities which give the opportunity to the candidates to synchronise their sectional and overall exam preparation. A quick analysis between MAT exam pattern and CAT will bring home the facts:

Component	MAT 2024	IIMs CAT 2024
Total Questions	150	66
Overall Time Limit to Attempt the Exam	2 hours	2 hours
Question Format	All MCQs	70% questions are MCQs, rest Non-MCQs
Answer Options for MCQs	4	4
Marks Awarded for Each Correct Answer	1	3
Negative Marking	0.25 mark	MCQs with 1/3 negative marking; No negative marking for Non-MCQs

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Exam Difficulty Level	Easy to Moderate	Difficult
Number of Sections	5	3
Section-1: Name and Number of Questions	Language Comprehension: 30	Verbal Ability & Reading Comprehension: 24
Section-2: Name and Number of questions	Intelligence & Critical Reasoning: 30	Data Interpretation & Logical Reasoning -20
Section-3: Name and Number of Questions	Data Analysis & Sufficiency: 30	Quantitative Ability-22
Section-4: Name and Number of Questions	Mathematical Skills: 30	Not Applicable
Section-5: Name and Number of Questions	Economic & Business Environment:30	Not Applicable
Facility to Choose Order of Sections	Yes, any section/question within overall time limit	No, should follow pre defined sectional order
Individual Sectional time limit	No, Candidate to complete the test in 120 minutes	Yes, each section with 40 Minutes time limit
Top MBA colleges accepting exam score	Christ University, NDIM, DSIMS, IPE, IESMCRC, FIIB among 600 MBA colleges	21 IIMs, FMS, MDI, NITIE, SPJIMR, IMI, IMT, IITs, TAPMI, XIMB and hundreds of others

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