

ATMA Exam Pattern 2026 (Latest): Check Topics, Type of Questions, Marking Scheme; Download PDF

ATMA 2026 Exam Pattern, as per the official ATMA Bulletin 2026, comprises **180 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) across three areas to be** completed in a total exam duration of **3 hours**. Questions are drawn from three broad areas: **Analytical Reasoning, Verbal Skills, and Quantitative Skills**, with each area tested across two sub-sections. The **ATMA 2026 marking scheme** awards **+1 mark for each correct answer**, deducts **0.25 mark for each wrong answer**, and gives **0 marks for unanswered questions**. The ATMA test assesses **aptitude for higher management education** and does not require any specific prior knowledge of business or subject areas. [ATMA 2026](#) will be held on **August 9, 2026** with [ATMA 2026 Registration](#) open. Check section-wise [ATMA Syllabus 2026](#), [ATMA preparation 2026](#) strategy, important topics, and the **ATMA Exam Pattern 2026 PDF free download** below.



ATMA Exam Pattern 2027

Sections, Questions, Marking Scheme, Duration

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ATMA Exam Pattern 2026 Highlights

AIMS Test for Management Admissions (ATMA) is a computer-based test conducted by the Association of Indian Management Schools (AIMS) over the country. More than 200 B-Schools offer MBA admission on the basis of ATMA exam score. Check details below.

ATMA Exam Highlights 2027

Particulars	ATMA 2027 Details
ATMA Exam Conducting Body	Association of Indian Management Schools (AIMS)
ATMA Full Form	AIMS Test for Management Admissions
ATMA Official Website	atmaaims.com
ATMA 2027 Exam Date	Sunday, February 21, 2027
ATMA 2027 Exam Timing	2:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Reporting Time at Centre	1:00 PM (60 minutes before exam)
Number of ATMA Exams in 2027	February 21, May 2, July 27, August 8
Mode of ATMA Exam	Computer Based Test (CBT) at exam centres
Total Questions	180 MCQs
Number of Sections	6 sections (30 questions, 30 minutes each)
Total Exam Duration	3 hours (180 minutes)
Marking Scheme	+1 correct, -0.25 wrong, 0 unattempted
ATMA Registration Start Date 2027	To be confirmed
ATMA Fee Payment Last Date 2027	To be confirmed
ATMA Registration Last Date 2027	To be confirmed
Last Date for Reprint of Application Form 2027	To be confirmed
ATMA Admit Card Release Date 2027	To be confirmed

Particulars	ATMA 2027 Details
ATMA Result Date 2027	To be confirmed
ATMA Registration Fee 2027	Rs. 2,000 (inclusive of 18% GST). Fee Concession for Women and North East States Candidates.
Fee Concession – Women	25% (Rs. 1,500 payable)
Fee Concession – North East States	50% (Rs. 1,000 payable)
Number of ATMA Test Cities 2027	~30 cities across India (tentative)
ATMA Eligibility 2027	Graduation with 50% marks; final-year students and CAs eligible
Top MBA Colleges Accepting ATMA Scores 2027	200+ B-schools across India
Recognition	AICTE, Ministry of Education, Government of India
Official Helpline Email	atma.secretariat@gmail.com

Source: Official ATMA Bulletin 2026, Association of Indian Management Schools (AIMS).

What does ATMA Exam assess?

According to ATMA official notification, ATMA does not require any specific prior knowledge of business or other subject areas nor does it seek to measure achievement in any particular subject area. The Test is designed to assess the aptitude of the student for higher management education. Check ATMA exam pattern in the following section.

ATMA Exam Pattern 2026

ATMA 2026 exam pattern contains 180 Questions covering three broad areas: Analytical Reasoning, Quantitative, and Verbal skills. Each of these areas are divided into two section each. Check ATMA Paper Pattern 2026 below.

ATMA 2027 Exam Pattern

Section	Section Name	Number of Questions	Time allotted in minutes
1	Analytical Reasoning Skills - 1	30	30
2	Analytical Reasoning Skills - 2	30	30
3	Verbal Skills - 1	30	30
4	Verbal Skills - 2	30	30

Section	Section Name	Number of Questions	Time allotted in minutes
5	Quantitative Skills - 1	30	30
6	Quantitative Skills - 2	30	30
	Total	180	180

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ATMA 2026 Marking Scheme

As per the official ATMA Bulletin 2026, following is the ATMA marking scheme 2026.

- +1 Marks for each correct answer,
- -0.25 Marks for each wrong answer,
- 0 Marks for all unanswered questions

ATMA Exam Pattern 2026: Important Topics

Important topics for ATMA exam can be divided into three areas. Check details below.

a) Important Topics for Analytical Reasoning Skills

Coding-Decoding, Linear Arrangement, Statement-Conclusion, Syllogism, Statement-Inference, Blood Relations/Family Tree, Circular Arrangement, Strong/Weak Arguments and Analogy.

b) Important Topics for Verbal Skills

Reading Comprehension, Grammar, Synonyms and Antonyms, Jumbled Sentences, Vocabulary/Word Meaning and Sentence Completion.

c) Important Topics for Quantitative Skills

Profit, Loss and Discount, Number System, Speed- Time and Distance, Algebra, Modern Maths, Quadratic Equation, Geometry, LCM and HCF, Average, Permutation and Combination, Ratio and Proportion, Mensuration, Logarithm, Binomial Theorem and Percentage.

ATMA Mock Test 2026: Based on Latest Pattern

To understand ATMA exam pattern, candidates should take ATMA mock tests and previous year's papers. Click on links below to take these tests free online.

- [ATMA Mock Test 2026](#)
- [ATMA Sample Paper 2026](#)
- [ATMA Previous Year Paper 2026](#)

ATMA Mock Test 2026: Based on Latest Pattern

ATMA 2026 Exam Pattern contains 180 Questions from three broad areas: Analytical Reasoning, Quantitative, and Verbal skills. Each of these three areas is divided into two sections. **Also check exam day instructions in [ATMA Admit Card 2026](#). Download [ATMA Previous Years Question Paper](#), and attempt [ATMA Mock Test 2026](#).**