

D. ONLINE EXAMINATION STRUCTURE-**Office Assistant (Multipurpose)**

Sr. No.	Name of Tests	Medium of Exam	No. of Questions	Max. Marks	Total Time
1	Reasoning	Hindi/English	40	50	Composite Time of 2 hours
2	Numerical Ability	Hindi/English	40	50	
3	General Awareness	Hindi/English	40	40	
4 a•	English Language	English	40	40	
4 b•	Hindi Language	Hindi	40	40	
5	Computer Knowledge	Hindi/English	40	20	
	Total :::::		200	200	

Officer Scale-I

Sr. No.	Name of Tests	Medium of Exam	No. of Questions	Max. Marks	Total Time
1	Reasoning	Hindi/English	40	50	Composite Time of 2 hours
2	Quantitative Aptitude	Hindi/English	40	50	
3	General Awareness	Hindi/English	40	40	
4 a•	English Language	English	40	40	
4 b•	Hindi Language	Hindi	40	40	
5	Computer Knowledge	Hindi/English	40	20	
	Total :::::		200	200	

Officer Scale-II (General Banking Officer)

Sr. No.	Name of the Tests	Medium of Exam	No. of Qs.	Max. Marks	Time
1	Reasoning	Hindi/English	40	50	Composite Time of 2 hours
2	Quantitative Aptitude & Data Interpretation	Hindi/English	40	50	
3	Financial Awareness	Hindi/English	40	40	
4a•	English Language	English	40	40	
4b•	Hindi Language	Hindi	40	40	
5	Computer Knowledge	Hindi/English	40	20	
	TOTAL::::		200	200	

Officer Scale-II (Specialist Cadre)

Sr. No.	Name of the Tests	Medium of Exam	No. of Qs.	Max. Marks	Time
1	Reasoning	Hindi/English	40	40	Composite Time of 2 hours and 30 minutes
2	Quantitative Aptitude & Data Interpretation	Hindi/English	40	40	
3	Financial Awareness	Hindi/English	40	40	
4a•	English Language	English	40	20	

4b•	Hindi Language	Hindi	40	20	
5	Computer Knowledge	Hindi/English	40	20	
6	Professional Knowledge	Hindi/English	40	40	
	TOTAL::::		240	200	

Officer Scale- III

Sr. No.	Name of the Tests	Medium of Exam	No. of Qs.	Max. Marks	Time
1	Reasoning	Hindi/English	40	50	Composite Time of 2 hours
2	Quantitative Aptitude & Data Interpretation	Hindi/English	40	50	
3	Financial Awareness	Hindi/English	40	40	
4a•	English Language	English	40	40	
4b•	Hindi Language	Hindi	40	40	
5	Computer Knowledge	Hindi/English	40	20	
	TOTAL::::		200	200	

- Candidates can opt either 4 a or 4 b.

Other detailed information regarding the online examination will be given in an **Information Handout**, on IBPS website which will be made available for the candidates to download along with the call letter.

E. PENALTY FOR WRONG ANSWERS

There will be penalty for wrong answers marked in the Objective Tests. For each question for which a wrong answer has been given by the candidate one fourth or 0.25 of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted as penalty to arrive at corrected score. If a question is left blank, i.e. no answer is marked by the candidate; there will be no penalty for that question.

F. CUTOFF SCORE

<p>Mean – 3/4th of Standard Deviation for SC/ ST Categories Mean – 1/4th of Standard Deviation for Other Categories</p>
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Each candidate will be required to obtain a minimum qualifying score in each test and also on total weighted score that is 35% for SC / ST category candidates and 40% for Other Category candidates to be considered to be shortlisted for interview.

Mere passing in individual tests may not be sufficient as candidates should also score sufficiently high on Total in order of merit to be called for interviews to be conducted with the help of the designated Nodal RRBs, coordinated by IBPS in consultation with appropriate authority. Decision of IBPS in shortlisting and calling numbers of candidates for Common Interview shall be Final.

Prior to the completion of the interview process, scores obtained in the online examination will not be shared with the candidates shortlisted for interview.