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GMAT

GRADUATE MANAGEMENT ADMISSION TEST

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Dear Study Abroad Aspirants,

Welcome to the 39th edition of our Study Abroad Newsletter! This edition is dedicated to guiding aspiring students through the GMAT exam, a crucial step in pursuing graduate management education abroad. We will delve into the details of the GMAT exam, including its structure, content, and the skills it assesses. We'll also explore proven strategies and tips to help you prepare effectively and achieve your target score.



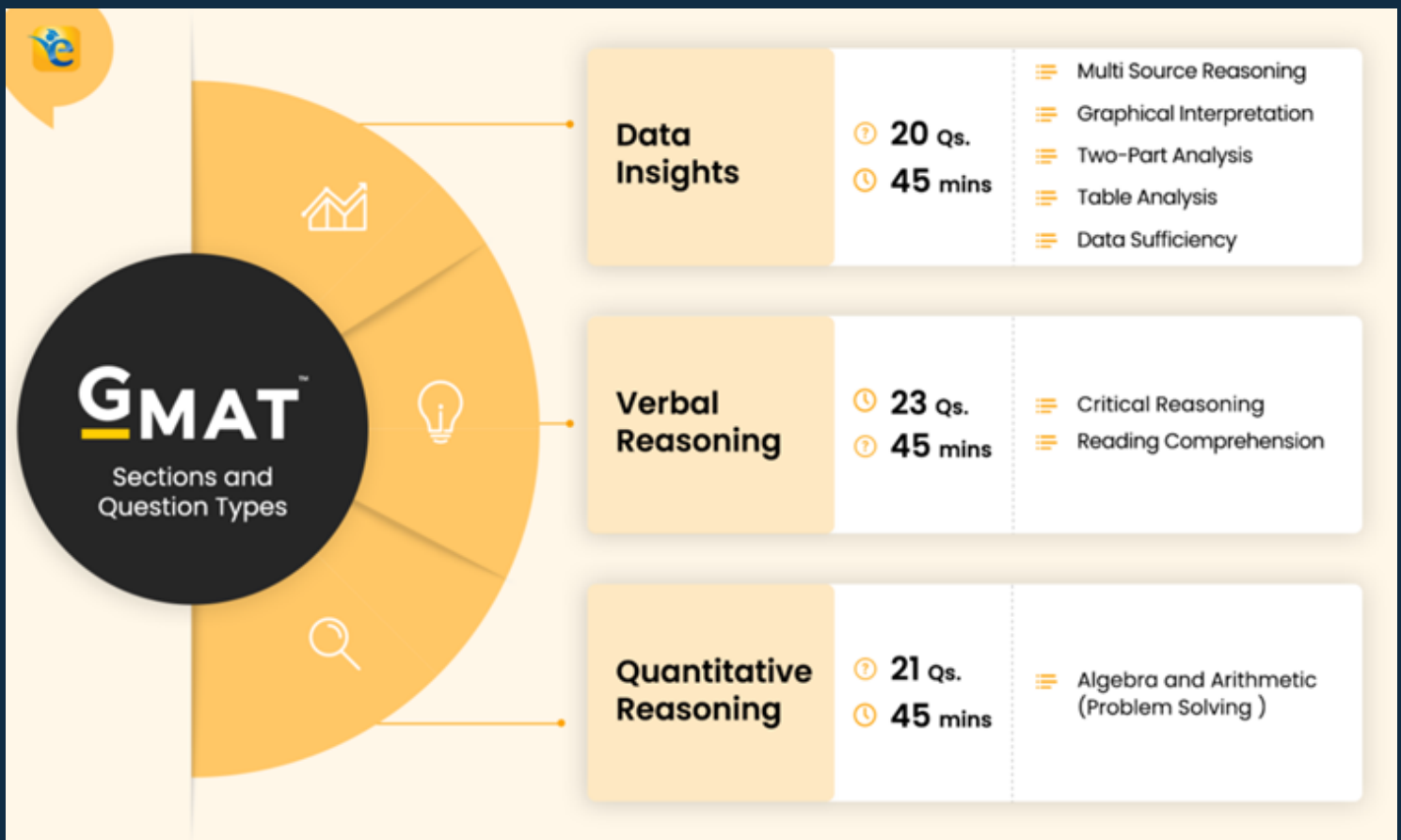


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Section 1 : What is GMAT and Who Conducts It?

- The GMAT, or Graduate Management Admission Test, is a standardized test conducted by the Graduate Management Admission Council (GMAC).
- It is widely used by business schools worldwide as a criterion for admission to graduate management programs, such as MBA and other related degrees.
- Scores from the previous version of the GMAT Exam will continue to be valid for 5 years from your appointment date.

How the GMAT is structured?



Source: e-GMAT.com

Section 2: Strategies to Master the Exam

- **Understand the Test Structure:** Familiarize yourself with the format and types of questions in each section of the GMAT. Practice time management to ensure you complete each section within the allotted time.
- **Develop Strong Analytical and Critical Thinking Skills:** Focus on enhancing your analytical and critical thinking abilities, as these are crucial for answering GMAT questions effectively.
- **Practice Regularly:** Practice with official GMAT practice tests and other study materials to build your confidence and improve your performance. Identify your weaknesses and work on them systematically.
- **Utilize Test Prep Resources:** Make use of GMAT prep courses, books, online resources, and study groups to supplement your preparation. These resources offer valuable insights, strategies, and practice questions.
- **Review and Analyze Mistakes:** After each practice session, review your mistakes and understand why you got them wrong. Adjust your study plan accordingly to focus on areas that need improvement.





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Section 3: How is GMAT Scored

The score range varies from 205 to 805, in 10-point increments (for example – 645, 655, 665, and so on). The total score is composed of three subsection scores (Quant, Verbal, and Data insights) – each of which is weighted equally and has scaled scores from 60 to 90.

Sections	Score Range
Total Scaled Score	205 – 805 (In 10-point increments)
Verbal Scaled Score	60- 90
Quantitative Scaled Score	60- 90
Data Insights	60- 90

How is GMAT scored?

The most important thing you need to understand is that the GMAT is an adaptive test. This means that the difficulty level of questions keeps changing according to your performance. For example, the test might keep increasing the difficulty level of questions if you keep answering them correctly.

But why does the test adjust the difficulty level of questions?

For one simple reason, it wants to assess your ability level. A person who can answer higher difficulty level questions has a high ability level as compared to one who is not able to answer those questions. Therefore, your GMAT score depends on two factors:

1. Number of questions answered correctly
2. The average difficulty level of questions answered correctly



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Conclusion

Mastering the GMAT exam is essential for gaining admission to top business schools worldwide. By understanding the exam format and implementing effective study strategies, you can boost your chances of success and achieve your academic and career goals. Stay tuned for more tips and insights in our upcoming newsletters!

About the Author

Kapeel Gupta is a dedicated study abroad expert, passionate about empowering students to navigate the complexities of the application process. With a focus on holistic support, Kapeel Gupta provides valuable insights and expert advice to aspiring scholars, helping them unlock their full potential and achieve their academic dreams.

Thank you for being a part of our community, and we look forward to guiding you through the exciting world of global education in the editions to come.

Here's to your future success!

Best Regards,

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Section 4: Connect With Us



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