

Revised structure for IPM AT 2020 and selection procedure for IPM 2020-25 Batch

The IPM AT 2020 is proposed to be conducted on Monday, September 07, 2020 and owing to the prevailing situation the Admissions Committee After the due discussion and deliberation revised the Selection Procedure for IPM 2020-25 Batch, the revised procedure will be applicable from the stage-2 of the selection process as mentioned below:

Stage-2: Based on the applications received, candidates satisfying minimum eligibility criteria will be called for the Aptitude Test (AT) to be conducted across 34 cities in the country i.e. Ahmedabad/ Gandhinagar, Bengaluru, Bhopal, Bhubaneswar, Chandigarh/ Mohali, Chennai, Dehradun, Delhi, Faridabad, Ghaziabad, Gurugram, Guwahati, Gwalior, Hyderabad, Indore, Jaipur, Kolkata, Kozhikode, Lucknow, Ludhiana, Meerut, Mumbai, Nagpur, Noida, Patna, Pune, Raipur, Ranchi, Roorkee, Siliguri, Thiruvananthapuram, Udaipur, Varanasi and Visakhapatnam. However, IIM Indore reserves the right to change the cities/ centres or cancel the centre at any time if the situation so warrants. The date of conducting IPM AT is Monday, September 7, 2020. The pattern of AT will be as follows:

1. There will be three sections in the Aptitude Test namely Quantitative Ability (Multiple Choice Question-MCQ), Quantitative Ability (Short Answer Question-SA) and Verbal Ability (Multiple Choice Question-MCQ).
2. Each question will carry 4 marks.
3. There will be a negative marking of 1 negative mark for each wrong answer except for in the Quantitative Ability (SA) Section (these questions will not carry any negative marking).
4. The AT will be restructured as under

Table-1: Revised Structure of IPM AT 20

Section	Number of Questions	Time duration for the section	Maximum Marks	Negative Marking
QA (MCQ)	20	30 Minutes	80	Yes
QA (SA)	10	30 Minutes	40	No
VA (MCQ)	30	30 Minutes	120	Yes

5. Candidates must answer the sections in a pre-specified order and this order will remain the same for all the candidates. The above table does not indicate the final order of sections in the Test.

Stage-3: In this stage, the eligible pool for Stage-4 {i.e. shortlisting for Video Based Assessment} is created considering only the candidates having positive raw scores and a minimum mark in each of the three sections of Aptitude Test. The minimum cut off marks in each section will be decided by the Admissions Committee. The minimum cut off marks in each section will be based on the categories of applicants.

Individual regret letters will not be sent to applicants who are rejected at this stage.

Stage 4: Sufficient number of candidates will be shortlisted for Video Based Assessment stage from the eligible pool (refer Stage- 3) for each category (General, EWS, NC-OBC, SC, ST and PwD) using the merit list generated based on Aptitude Test Score (ATS) as mentioned in Table-2:

Table-2: Computation of Aptitude Test Score (ATS)

Component	Score (Weight)
Percentage Score in Quantitative Ability (MCQ) Section	$25^* \frac{[Candidate's\ Score - Minimum\ Score]}{[Maximum\ Score - Minimum\ Score]}$
Percentage Score in Quantitative Ability (SA) Section	$25^* \frac{[Candidate's\ Score - Minimum\ Score]}{[Maximum\ Score - Minimum\ Score]}$
Percentage Score in Verbal Ability (MCQ) Section	$50^* \frac{[Candidate's\ Score - Minimum\ Score]}{[Maximum\ Score - Minimum\ Score]}$
Aptitude Test Score (ATS)	Sum of above

Note: Maximum and Minimum scores are the highest and lowest scores obtained in respective sections by the candidates from the eligible pool

Video Based Assessment: Candidates shortlisted for the Video Based Assessment will be required to upload a self recorded video file within a stipulated time period soon after the announcement of the Aptitude Test Result. Candidates will be given a set of questions on which they will be required to record their video and upload it within the given time period. Candidates failing to upload the self recorded video in the stipulated time will be disqualified from the further selection process.

Stage 5: Only those candidates satisfying the requirements mentioned in earlier stages will be considered for the final selection. Category wise merit list will be generated based on Composite Score (CS) as mentioned in Table 2 and provisional admission offers will be made accordingly adhering to the Government of India reservation norms.

Table-2: Computation of Composite Score (CS)

Component	Score (Weight)
Aptitude Test Score (ATS)	85%
Video Based Assessment	15%
Composite Score (CS)	Sum of above

Note: Owing to the ongoing COVID Pandemic, the Admissions Committee of IIM Indore, after due deliberations and considerations, has decided to drop the WAT & in-person

Interview components for this year. In lieu of WAT and in-person interviews, the committee decided to use Video based assessment for this year. And hence, the final admission will be offered based on the Composite Score as per the calculation mentioned above.

Any dispute concerning admissions for IPM 2020-25 batch would be subject to jurisdiction of the competent courts within the territorial jurisdiction of the city of Indore only.

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