

Faculty of Management Studies, Delhi

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We are pleased to present you the detailed analysis of *FMS, Delhi* entrance test held on January 21, 2007. The FMS test was a smooth sailing experience for most of the students. As the paper was easy, speed becomes the critical factor for determining success. Although the paper was not divided in the sections but questions from the same area were together. The bird's eye view of the test is as follows

Bird's eye view :

Total questions	:	175 Objective type questions
Total time	:	120 minutes
Total marks	:	700
Sectional Break-up	:	

S. No.	Test area	Number of Questions	Marks Allotted	Difficulty Level
I	English Usage	21	84	Moderate
II	Reading Comprehension	36	144	Moderate to Tough
III	Analytical & Logical Reasoning	59	236	Easy
IV	Data Interpretation	10	40	Easy
V	Quantitative Aptitude	49	196	Easy

Marking Scheme : 4 marks for each correct answer marked and –1 mark for each incorrect marked answer.



Detailed Analysis

ENGLISH USAGE AND READING COMPREHENSION

The questions on RC and EU were comparatively difficult from those in the other sections. In Reading Comprehension there were five passages and average seven questions were asked on each passage. There were total 36 questions on RC. Some of the questions were direct while the others were applied. In English Usage there were questions on Synonyms, Antonyms, Spelling correction, Analogies, Roots. There were total 21 questions on English Usage. The breakup of the section is as Follows.

Topics		Number of Questions	Level of Difficulty
Reading Comprehension (36)			
Passage I	HIV/AIDS	6	Moderate
Passage II	Terrorist attack on US	7	Moderate
Passage III	Enron Scandal	7	Moderate
Passage IV	Women global activism	8	Moderate
Passage V	Lending	8	Tough
English Usage (21)			
Grammar		3	Easy
Analogies		8	Moderate
Spelling correction		4	Moderate
Synonyms, Antonyms, Applied Vocab		6	Easy

An attempt of 27-29 questions in 45-50 minutes with 80-85% accuracy should be a decent one.

QUANTITATIVE APTITUDE

The *Quantitative Aptitude* section was very easy. There were total 49 questions on QA. The questions were on various topics like Logarithm, Geometry and Mensuration, Complex number, Linear and Quadratic equation, Percentages, Time, Speed & Distance, and Set Theory. This time the questions from the topics of higher maths like exponential series, inequalities, complex numbers etc. were more compared to that in the last year, but they just touched the very basics of these topics. The detail breakup is as follows

S. No.	Topic/Area	Number of Questions
1	Sets	3
2	Complex Numbers	5
3	Inequalities	3
4	Geometry and Mensuration	5
5	Series, Progressions	5
6	Surds, Percentage	3
7	Coordinate Geometry	3
8	Straight Line	4
9	Compound Interest	1
10	Linear and Quadratic Equation	6
11	Logarithm	7
12	Permutation and Combination	2
13	Probability	1
14	Time, Speed and Distance	1
	Total	49

An attempt of 25-28 questions in 30-35 minutes with around 90% accuracy should be a decent one.

ANALYTICAL AND LOGICAL REASONING

There were total 8 sets of Data Arrangement and overall 40 questions were based on it. Rest of the questions were from Direction Sense, Set Theory, Statement-Assertion etc. The questions were easy. The detail breakup is as follows.

Topics	Number of Questions	Level of Difficulty
Data Arrangement (8 sets)	33	4 sets easy + 4 sets moderate
Analogy	2	Moderate
Directions	2	Easy
Venn Diagram	4	Easy
Series	2	Moderate
Decision Making	5	Moderate
Syllogism	3	Easy
Statement - Course of Action	3	Tough
Network	2	Moderate
Crypto-arithmetic	3	Moderate
Total	59	

An attempt of around 30 questions in 30-35 minutes with 85-90% accuracy should be a decent one.

DATA INTERPRETATION

There were 2 DI sets with 5 questions based on each. The detail breakup is as follows.

Topics	Number of sets	Number of Questions	Level of Difficulty
Bar Graph	1	5	Easy
Pie Chart	1	5	Easy
Total		10	

All 10 questions could be attempted in around 8 minutes.

Expected cut-offs

MBA - 350-360 marks
MBA (MS) - 330+ marks

