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For more than 25 years, The Princeton Review has been committed to providing valuable educational tools and services to students and professionals across the country and around the world. We are a market leader in test preparation for the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT), the exam most schools require for entry into their part-time, full-time, or executive Master's in Business Administration (MBA) programs. Our tutorials and courses are renowned for their extensive materials, engaging, knowledgeable instructors, and guaranteed results.

25年來，浦霖司頓一直在全球各地為學生及上班族提供教育諮詢服務。在各大商學研究所中，GMAT考試是普遍被採納的成績。浦霖司頓是GMAT考試準備課程的領導者，我們的課程因有廣泛的資料庫、系統性教學、優良師資與成績滿意保證而享有高度評價。

The Princeton Review Difference

卓越師資

我們的 GMAT 老師均必須在測驗中得到高分，並通過嚴格面試及教學訓練之後方可成為浦森司頓教學機構的老師。

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The success of The Princeton Review is due to the quality of our instructors. Our instructors undergo extensive training and have been certified by our Master Trainers.

無與倫比的成果

我們的 GMAT 學生平均進步成績為 90 分且我們前四分之一的學生平均成績為 700 分。

Proven and Unmatched Results

Our students improve their GMAT scores an average of 90 points—and the top quarter of our students have an average score of 700.

小班制

我們的學生之所以有卓越的分數進步是因為每個班級平均只有 8 位學生。每個學生都可感受到個人化的學習環境且我們確保所有的學生都與老師，同學們有互動的機會。

Small Class Size

One of the keys to our students' success is guaranteeing the most personalized learning environment. We are so committed to providing our students with an interactive experience that our average class size is only eight students.

免費的額外課程輔導

我們會確保您了解我們的解題技巧，所以當您想複習不清楚的題目，您可以安排輔導時間，直到真正了解題目。

Free Extra Help

If you ever need to go over things one more time, just let us know. We'll work with you until you get it.

電腦適性測驗

我們的電腦測驗就像真正的 GMAT 考試。每次做完測驗後您會得到一份詳細的成績報告，您可以藉此瞭解自己考試的優缺點。

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Students take four full-length exams and receive a personal score analysis that reflects their strengths and weaknesses.

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If you're not completely satisfied for any reason, then we'll work with you again for free. **

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The MBA Application *Checklist*

The Application

This is the framework for your application. It typically consists of basic biographical information and a brief history of your academic and professional accomplishments.

The Resume

Most business schools will ask for a professional resume. Pay attention to any special instructions that may exist. Schools may ask that resumes be presented in a certain format; if not, then follow the standard guidelines for resumes.

The Essay

The purpose of the essay is to give the admissions committee a look at who you are and what you will bring to their school. A well-written essay is one that highlights your strengths and acknowledges your weaknesses. Be sure to enlist the proofreading help of a few trusted friends or colleagues.

The Letters of Recommendation

Plan ahead! The last thing you want to do is ask for a recommendation from a supervisor or colleague with an extremely tight deadline. Don't just drop off a blank sheet of paper; give your recommenders a few talking points so that your recommendations support your application.

The Transcripts

You will need to submit an official transcript from every undergraduate and graduate school you attended, regardless of whether or not you received a degree.

The GMAT Score

Schools will require a valid GMAT score. On test day, you will have the opportunity to submit your test scores to five schools at no charge. Your score report will include your most recent three GMAT scores.

The Application Fee

All applications will cost money—be sure to include payment for the application fee when you submit your application.

The TOEFL Score

Most international students will need to take the TOEFL to prove English proficiency. Find out if you need to take the TOEFL and what the minimum score requirements are by contacting each institution.

The GMAT *at-a-Glance*

Structure

- An Analytical Writing Assessment (AWA) consisting of two 30-minute essays to be written on the computer: Analysis of an Argument and Analysis of an Issue
- One 75-minute, 37-question Quantitative section: Problem Solving and Data Sufficiency
- One 75-minute, 41-question Verbal section: Sentence Correction, Critical Reasoning, and Reading Comprehension

Format—Computer-Adaptive Test (CAT)

Your performance on previous questions determines which question you will be asked next. Your score is based on the number of questions you answer correctly, the difficulty of the questions you answer, and the number of questions you complete. Questions that appear early in the test impact your score to a greater degree than do those that come toward the end.

Scoring

- A composite score ranging from 200–800 in 10-point increments
- A Verbal score and a Quantitative score, each ranging from 0–60
- An Analytical Writing Assessment (AWA) score ranging from 0–6

考試架構

- 分析寫作部份包含 2 篇各 30 分鐘內完成的線上論文
- 75 分鐘共 37 題的數學部分
- 75 分鐘 41 題字彙

部分考試形式—電腦適性測驗

- 前一題的作答正確與否將影響下一試題的難易程度
- 總分數係根據答對的題數、题目的難度、與完成的題數
- 較早出現的試題對整體分數的影響性會比在接近試卷結尾時所出現的試題來得大

計分

- 介於 200 到 800 之間並以 10 分為單位的總分數
- 字彙和一個數學分數，各介於 0 到 60 之間
- 介於 0 到 6 分之間的分析論文寫作

Sample Questions

QUANTITATIVE

The following sample GMAT problems are presented in pairs. The first question is the more straightforward of the two. **The second question asks you to apply the same concepts as does the first, but in a much more challenging way.**

Directions for Problem Solving Questions

Solve the problem and indicate the best of the answer choices given.

Directions for Data Sufficiency Questions

Each of the following data sufficiency problems consists of a question and two statements, labeled (1) and (2), in which certain data are given. You have to decide whether the data given in the statements are sufficient to answer the question. Using the data given in the statements plus your knowledge of mathematics and everyday facts (such as the number of days in July or the meaning of counterclockwise), you are to fill in an oval:

- (A) if statement (1) ALONE is sufficient, but statement (2) ALONE is not sufficient to answer the question asked;
- (B) if statement (2) ALONE is sufficient, but statement (1) ALONE is not sufficient to answer the question asked;
- (C) if BOTH statements (1) and (2) TOGETHER are sufficient to answer the question asked, but NEITHER statement ALONE is sufficient;
- (D) if EACH statement ALONE is sufficient to answer the question asked;
- (E) if statements (1) and (2) TOGETHER are NOT sufficient to answer the question asked, and additional data specific to the problem are needed.

1. What is the value of a ?

(1) $7a + 2b = 16$

(2) $5b = 22 - 3a$

- A B C D E

2. What is the ratio of x to y ?

(1) $.8x + .5y = 40$

(2) $.625y = 50 - x$

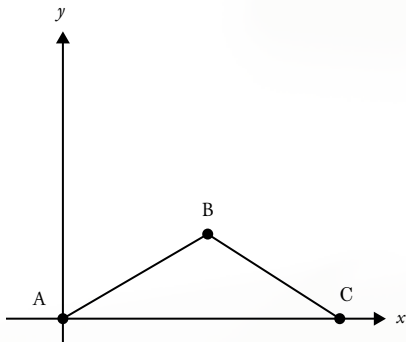
- A B C D E

3. Of the 120 televisions, 38 have voice-activated picture-in-picture, 58 have stereo-quality sound, and 14 have both. How many televisions have neither picture-in-picture nor stereo sound?

- 10
 14
 20
 38
 58

4. In an East Side building housing 250 recent college grads, 114 people watch ESPN first thing in the morning, and 108 watch Lifetime. If there are three times as many people who watch neither network as there are people who (inexplicably) watch some of both ESPN and Lifetime each morning, then how many people watch neither?

- 28
 42
 68
 108
 114



5. In the rectangular coordinate system shown above, what is the area of triangle ABC ?

- (1) The coordinates of B are (3,4).
 (2) The coordinates of C are (6,0).

A B C D E

6. In the rectangular coordinate system (not shown), triangle ABC has a vertex at point (0,56). If point B is at the origin, then how many points on line AC have integer values for both their x and y values?

- (1) The third vertex of triangle ABC lies on the x -axis, and the triangle has an area of 196.
 (2) Point A has a positive x -coordinate and a y -coordinate of zero.

A B C D E

7. Movie studio Y produces 5 mindless action flicks per year, and movie studio Z produces 12 mindless action flicks every three years. If the two studios sign a five-year contract to work together and continue to produce these masterpieces at the same rates, then how many will be made over the course of the contract?

- 17
 25
 36
 45
 85

8. Working at their individual rates, Marcus and Latrell can build a certain brick house in 7.5 and 5 hours, respectively. When they work together, they are paid \$35 per hour. If they share their pay in proportion to the amount of work each does, then what is Marcus' hourly pay for building the house?

- \$ 3
 \$ 6
 \$ 7
 \$ 14
 \$ 21

9. $\frac{(65)(44)}{(243)} =$

- 1
 24
 48
 96
 144

10. The number 70^6 is how many times the number 35^6 ?

- 2
 6
 9
 35
 64

11. What is the value of $(7^0)(8^0)(9^0)$?

- 0
 1
 3
 24
 504

12. Is $(9x)^3 - 2x = 1$?

- (1) The product of x and positive integer y is not x .
 (2) x is an integer.

A B C D E

13. If s is a positive integer, then is $s + 8$ divisible by 4?

- (1) s is divisible by 4.
- (2) $s + 4$ is divisible by 4.

A B C D E

14. If x and n are positive integers, then is $n! + x$ divisible by x ?

- (1) $n > x$
- (2) n is not a prime number.

A B C D E

15. Talula the Albino Pit Bull is spoiled rotten. She is given five mini-meals every day—wet food, table scraps, kibble, baby carrots, and a marrow bone—though not always in the same order. In how many ways can her daily meals be arranged?

- 5
- 10
- 20
- 120
- 360

16. Carmelo and LeBron participate in a seven-person footrace. If all seven contestants finish and there are no ties, then how many different arrangements of finishes are there in which Carmelo defeats LeBron?

- 5040
- 2520
- 720
- 120
- 42

17. Manny likes to put four toppings on his ice cream sundaes. If he has seven toppings from which to choose at his local shop, then how many different sundaes can he make?

- 70
- 60
- 50
- 35
- 30

18. Manny likes to put three toppings on his ice cream sundaes. Manny, in his newfound maturity, has come to understand that butterscotch sauce and maraschino cherries are delicious separately but disgusting when topping the same sundae, so he now refuses to put them together. All other combinations of toppings make him happy. If these two toppings are among a total of seven from which to choose, then how many different combinations of three-topping sundaes does Manny like?

- 70
- 60
- 50
- 35
- 30

19. Eight red gumballs sit in a dish containing a total of 15 gumballs. If two gumballs are selected at random, then what is the probability that both gumballs will be red?

- $\frac{8}{15}$
- $\frac{15}{29}$
- $\frac{1}{2}$
- $\frac{4}{15}$
- $\frac{2}{15}$

20. There are 3 orange golf balls and 7 white golf balls at the bottom of Tiger's bag. If two balls are chosen randomly, then what is the probability that at least one will be white?

- $\frac{23}{30}$
- $\frac{8}{15}$
- $\frac{7}{15}$
- $\frac{1}{5}$
- $\frac{14}{15}$

VERBAL

Sentence Correction

1. I can't distinguish day and night.
 - day and night.
 - between day from night.
 - day with night.
 - day from night.
 - from day to night.
2. After 1945, thousands of married women began working in production plants, just as their husbands had done before World War II began.
 - just as their husbands had done before World War II began.
 - just like their husbands had done before World War II began.
 - just as their husbands had been doing once World War II began.
 - similar to that which their husbands did at the beginning of World War II.
 - like their husbands, who also did so until World War II began.
3. The front office of the baseball world champions is ecstatic about the team's recent efforts.
 - is ecstatic about the team's recent efforts.
 - are becoming ecstatic about the team's recent efforts.
 - are ecstatic about the team's recent efforts.
 - take momentary pause to experience ecstasy in regards to the fact of the team's recent efforts.
 - is recently ecstatic over the team's efforts.
4. Neither business schools nor the Educational Testing Service have come to understand how flawed a test the GMAT is.
 - Neither business schools nor the Educational Testing Service have come to understand
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 - Neither a business school nor the Educational Testing Services have come to understand
5. Zacky likes to eat, sleep, and to go to the park.
 - to eat, sleep, and to go to the park.
 - to eat, to sleep, and go to the park.
 - eating, sleeping, and being taken to the park.
 - to eat, sleep, and go to the park.
 - to eat, sleeping, and to go to the park.
6. However much the most dedicated of fans may disagree that the band's early music was better than its recent music is and that the drummer's genius was unappreciated, it is easy for all music fans to recognize Aeraby's place among the great acts of all time.
 - However much the most dedicated of fans may disagree that
 - Despite the disagreement among the most dedicated fans to the notion
 - Though dedicated fans may disagree about whether
 - Even though dedicated fans argue
 - There is disagreement among the most dedicated fans that

Critical Reasoning

7. Most Western European nations are philosophically opposed to the creation and maintenance of an elite social class. Thus, they have devoted minimal effort to the development of educational programs for gifted and talented students.

Which of the following best expresses an assumption made in the argument above?

- Programs for gifted students would undermine the purpose of education.
 - Singling out gifted students helps to foster an elite social class.
 - Programs for the gifted are hard to develop and are not cost-effective.
 - Western European nations do not have any programs for gifted students.
 - Programs for the gifted and talented do not have an adequate success record.
8. Producer: The two tenors should be considered equally for the lead role in the opera planned for this fall. After all, they have the same range, training, and vocal power, so they are essentially interchangeable.

Artistic director: You do not understand the human voice.

There are qualities intrinsic to each individual voice that make it completely different from another voice possessing the same range, training, and vocal power.

The boldfaced sentence plays which of the following roles in displaying how the artistic director is attempting to refute the producer's argument?

- Attacking the producer's assumption that two people can have the same vocal training
- Introducing a point that would undermine one of the premises on which the producer's conclusion is based
- Questioning the producer's assumption that two people can have the same range and vocal power
- Providing evidence that the producer is unable to judge the quality of the human voice because he does not have quality training
- Postulating the existence of additional criteria in determining the relative merits of two voices

9. State colleges have lower tuitions than do private colleges because many of their operating costs are covered by federal and state funds.

If the statement above is true, then which of the following must be true?

- Private colleges have higher operating costs than do state colleges.
 - Many more people matriculate at state colleges than at private colleges.
 - Tuition fees and operating costs are directly related.
 - The cost of attending state college is always more than the cost of attending private college.
 - If private colleges are to lower their tuitions, then they must receive outside support.
10. State colleges have lower tuitions than do private colleges because many of their operating costs are covered by federal and state funds.

Which of the following can be correctly inferred from the statement above?

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Quick Tips for Improving Your GMAT Scores

Know your math formulas.

Remember $\frac{1}{2}bh$? What about πr^2 ? Refresh your memory on common math formulas in order to avoid frustration on test day.

Read the question carefully.

If the question tells you $4n = 100$ and asks for the value of $2n$, then don't be the one who answers 25. You'd be surprised at how many people lose points by going too fast.

Know the directions ahead of time.

Nothing wastes time like trying to figure out what to do with a Data Sufficiency problem while the clock is ticking. Read and understand the directions before you take the test.

Slow down.

Rushing can cause careless mistakes. On the GMAT, questions that appear earlier in the test have a greater impact on your score than do those that come later. Answering all of the questions with time to spare does you no good if you've made errors in your haste.

了解您的數學公式

記得 $\frac{1}{2}bh$ ？那 πr^2 呢？複習您對數學公式的記憶對您在面對數學難題時會有幫助。

閱讀試題

如果試題告訴您 $4n = 100$ 並問您 $2n$ 的值是多少時，請不要成為那位回答 25 的人，您將會發現有許多人因為太急促於作答而損失了一些分數。

提前了解方向

沒有比在時間一分一秒過去時試著在 Data Sufficiency 問題上掙扎更浪費時間了，應試之前請詳細閱讀並了解指導方針。

慢慢來

太心急可能會造成一些失誤。在 GMAT 考試中較早出現的試題比較晚出現的試題對您的分數影響更大。作答完所有試題對您在匆促之下造成的錯誤並不會有任何幫助。

Business School

Admissions Stats

How do you measure up against your competition?

AVG. GMAT	INSTITUTION	BUSINESS SCHOOL	AVG. GPA	% ACCEPTED
721	Stanford University	Stanford Graduate School of Business	3.60	8
712	Dartmouth College	Tuck School of Business	3.44	16
720	Harvard University	Harvard Business School	NR	11
715	University of Pennsylvania	The Wharton School	3.50	16
710	MIT	Sloan School of Management	3.50	14
710	University of California, Berkeley	Haas School of Business	3.57	14
713	University of Chicago	Graduate School of Business	3.50	NR
709	Columbia University	Columbia Business School	3.40	15
710	University of California, Los Angeles	Anderson School of Management	3.50	20
710	Northwestern University	J.L. Kellogg School of Management	3.51	NR
718	Yale University	School of Management	3.52	14
708	New York University	Leonard N. Stern School of Business	3.43	14
690	Carnegie Mellon University	Tepper School of Business	3.25	28
696	Duke University	Fuqua School of Business	3.40	30
685	Emory University	Goizueta Business School	3.34	37
693	University of Virginia	Darden Graduate School of Business Admin.	3.35	25
678	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	Kenan-Flagler School of Business	3.30	34
680	Cornell University	Johnson Graduate School of Management	3.27	25
681	University of Texas at Austin	McCombs School of Business	3.39	27
646	Pennsylvania State University	Smeal College of Business	3.20	27

NR: Not Reported

This chart lists, by average GMAT score, some of the top business schools as reported in *The Princeton Review's Best 296 Business Schools*. To see more information on these and other schools, visit PrincetonReview.com/mba.

Going to *Business School* to Do and to Know

Minus 2 Years

WINTER [SPRING] SUMMER FALL

Start thinking GMAT. The Graduate Management Admission Council administers the GMAT. The Princeton Review teaches you how to get your highest score. Visit *Demo.PrincetonReview.com* to take a free practice GMAT. Remember, this is a computer-adaptive test—very different from the other standardized tests you’ve taken.

Start your GMAT prep. This is the best time to start weighing your options and thinking about which program works best for you and your schedule.

Check out **PrincetonReview.com.tw** for course schedules and tutoring options.

Register for the GMAT. You can take the GMAT anytime; there are no specific test dates. Register at *mba.com*.

Contact potential recommenders. Many business school applications require three professional recommendations.



WINTER [SPRING] SUMMER FALL

Finalize your school list. By now, you should have a pretty good idea of which schools you are going to apply to and their deadlines.

Write a bio. Prepare a brief profile about yourself for your recommenders to use when writing your recommendations. Bullet points about your accomplishments (in the workplace and on your own time) are great.

Take the GMAT. Hopefully, you will have prepared well and will feel good after finishing the test. But, if not, then you can cancel your scores. You must make the decision to cancel at the testing center before seeing your scores, and the fact that you cancelled your scores will be noted on your official GMAT score report. You may take the GMAT no more than once per month and no more than five times within a 12-month period.

Take the TOEFL. International students will be required to provide a TOEFL score to demonstrate English proficiency. Check with each institution to find out score minimums.

Register for the GMAT if you need to retake it. Each time you take the GMAT, it will cost you \$250 and half of a day, so be sure you’re one hundred percent prepared on test day.

Contact the registrar. Request your official undergraduate transcripts from every school you attended. Schools usually charge you a small fee.

Minus 1 Year

WINTER SPRING SUMMER [FALL]

Update your resume. Most business schools require that you submit a current resume with your application.

Start your applications. Begin with the essays as these likely will take several revisions.

Fine-tune your essays. Have a colleague or friend who attended business school review your essays. Make sure to have someone else proofread them.

Stay in touch with your recommenders. Make sure that everything is clear to them and that they won't have problems with their deadlines.

Inquire about interviews. Some schools may let you interview prior to application deadlines; others will invite you to interview once they have received your application.

Finish and submit your applications. Most first-round deadlines are in the fall.

Send thank-you notes to your recommenders. Don't overlook these important people. You may have to call on them again when you start your job search.

[WINTER SPRING SUMMER] FALL

Keep in mind second-round deadlines. Many schools have second- (and third- and fourth-) round application deadlines. If you missed round one, then try for round two.

Relax. If you're done, then revel in the fact that all that work is behind you, and, hopefully, your acceptance letters will be arriving in the next couple of months.

Start school. You likely will be starting school in August, or maybe July if you have to go to a math boot camp before regular classes begin.



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GMAT Resources



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