

IBPS PO Prelims

Exam Analysis 2026 For 23rd Aug

Reasoning Ability

Topic	Shift 1	Shift 2
	No. of Questions	No. of Questions
Year-based Puzzle (7 years)	5	
Age-based Puzzle	—	5
Stack-based Puzzle (7 persons, 2 variables)	5	5 (6 persons with variables – Stapler, Calendar, Marker, Pencil, Eraser, Pen)
Linear Seating (Bidirectional, 7 persons)	5	
Parallel Row Seating (14 persons)	—	5
Uncertain Linear Seating (Facing North)	3	—
Month Puzzle (6 persons – 3 months, 2 dates)	5	5 (7 months)
Blood Relation	3	3
Direction		3
Inequality	3	3
Syllogism	3	3
Miscellaneous	3	3
↳ Meaningful Word	1	—
↳ Word Pair (Turnpike)	1	1 (Instruct)
↳ Alphabet-based	1	1
↳ Odd One Out	—	1
Total	35	35

English Language

Topic	Shift 1	Shift 2
	No. of Questions	No. of Questions
Reading Comprehension – (Passage related to China's Drug Manufacturing)	9	10 (Passage related to Mortality Rate in Countries)
↳ Synonym / Antonym: Still, Remains	—	— (Case, Say)
Double Fillers	4	—
Parajumbles	5	5
Sentence Improvement	3	—
Phrase Replacement	1	3
Find the Incorrect Sentences	4	4 (Find the Correct and Incorrect Sentences)
Word Swap	4	4
Fillers	—	4
Total	30	30

Quantitative Aptitude

Topic	Shift 1	Shift 2
	No. of Questions	No. of Questions
Bar Graph DI (Total No. of Boys and Girls)	5	6 (Number of Males and Females in Company)
Line Graph with Table DI (No. of Chairs Sold on Monday and Tuesday)	6	—
Caselet DI (Cookies Baked & Sold: Chocolate, Honey & Almond)	5	—
Quadratic Equation	3	—
Approximation	4	—
Arithmetic Questions	12	11

Table DI (Based on Number of UPI, Credit Cards, Debit Cards)	—	6
Quantity Based (Q1 & Q2)	—	3
Wrong Number Series	—	5
Simplification	—	4
Total	35	35

