

Common Written Examination (CWE) for Recruitment of Specialist Officers (in notified Public Sector and other Banks) 2011-12

I Process for Arriving at Standard Scores in Individual Tests

The Standard Scores are obtained by adopting the following procedure:

- (i) Number of questions answered correctly by a candidate in each objective test is considered for arriving at the Corrected Score after applying penalty for wrong answers.
- (ii) The Corrected Scores so obtained by a candidate are made equivalent to take care of the minor difference in difficulty level, if any, across the different sets of objective tests to arrive at the Equated Scores*.
- (iii) The Equated Scores so obtained are standardized** to arrive at Final Standard Score with a minimum '0' and maximum '50' by following Linear Transformation Method.

This procedure is followed for each of the tests.

* Scores obtained by candidates on any test are equated to the base form by considering the distribution of scores of all the forms.

** The equated scores in each test are scaled to Standardised Scores with Mean 25 and Standard Deviation 5

Note: Cutoffs were applied in two stages

- (i) **on standard scores in individual tests**
- (ii) **on Total Weighted Standard Score**

The details of the cutoffs applied on Standard Scores in individual tests and on Total Weighted Standard Scores (TWSS) is given below at (II) & (IV) respectively.

II Maximum Standard Scores and Cutoffs in Each Objective Test

Sr. No.	Name of the Test	Maximum Standard Score	Minimum Qualifying Standard Score	
			SC/ST/OBC/PWD	General
1.	Reasoning	50	21	24
2.	English Language	50	21	24
3.	General Awareness (with special reference to the Banking Industry)/	50	21	24
	Quantitative Aptitude	50	21	24
4.	Professional Knowledge	50	21	24

The Total Weighted Standard Score (TWSS) was calculated for candidates who qualified in the each individual test as per the cutoffs on standard scores specified above.

III Process for Arriving at Total Weighted Standard Score (TWSS)

Total Weighted Standard Score =

Standard Scores obtained in

[Reasoning + (½ English Language) + General Awareness/ Quantitative Aptitude + (1 ½ Professional Knowledge)]

IV Cutoffs on Total Weighted Standard Score (TWSS) for each post

The Total Weighted Standard Score (TWSS) cutoffs separately for SC/ST/OBC/PWD Categories and General Category for each post is given below:

Post Code	Post	Category	TWSS
1	I.T. Officer (Scale-I)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	120
		General	128
2	Agricultural Field Officer (Scale I)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	104
		General	112
3	Rajbhasha Adhikari (Scale I)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	90
		General	96
4	Law Officer (Scale I)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	113
		General	121
5	Technical Officer (Scale I)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	113
		General	120
6	HR/Personnel Officer (Scale I)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	114
		General	124
7	Marketing Officer (Scale I)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	107
		General	114
8	I.T. Officer (Scale-II)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	125
		General	134
9	Law Officer (Scale II)	SC/ST/OBC/PWD	113
		General	121