

SSC CGL Syllabus 2025

Tier	Type of Exam	Mode
Tier-I	Objective Multiple Choice	Computer Based (Online)
Tier-II (Paper I, II, III)	Paper I (Compulsory for all posts). Paper II for candidates who apply for the posts of junior Statistical Officer (JSO) in the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation and Paper III for candidates who apply for the posts of Assistant Audit Officer/Assistant Accounts Officer. Objective Type, Multiple choice questions, except for Module-II or Section-III of Paper-I	Computer Based (Online)

SSC CGL Tier I Exam Pattern

SSC CGL Tier I Exam Structure 2025				
Subjects	General Awareness	English Comprehension	Quantitative Aptitude	General Intelligence and Reasoning
No. of Questions	25	25	25	25
Marks	50	50	50	50
Exam Duration	60 minutes (1 hour)			

Quantitative Aptitude Syllabus

1. Computation of whole numbers
2. Decimals
3. Fractions
4. Relationships between numbers
5. Profit and Loss
6. Discount
7. Partnership Business
8. Mixture and Alligation
9. Time and distance
10. Time & Work
11. Percentage
12. Ratio & Proportion
13. Square roots
14. Averages
15. Interest
16. Basic algebraic identities of School Algebra & Elementary surds
17. Graphs of Linear Equations
18. Triangle and its various kinds of centres
19. Congruence and similarity of triangles

20. Circle and its chords, tangents, angles subtended by chords of a circle, common tangents to two or more circles
21. Triangle
22. Quadrilaterals
23. Regular Polygons
24. Right Prism
25. Right Circular Cone
26. Right Circular Cylinder
27. Sphere
28. Heights and Distances
29. Histogram
30. Frequency polygon
31. Bar diagram & Pie chart
32. Hemispheres
33. Rectangular Parallelepiped
34. Regular Right Pyramid with triangular or square base
35. Trigonometric ratio
36. Degree and Radian Measures
37. Standard Identities
38. Complementary angles

General Intelligence and Reasoning Syllabus

1. Analogies
2. Similarities and differences
3. Space visualization
4. Spatial orientation
5. Problem-solving
6. Analysis
7. Judgment
8. Blood Relations
9. Decision making
10. Visual memory
11. Discrimination
12. Observation
13. Relationship concepts
14. Arithmetical reasoning
15. Figural classification
16. Arithmetic number series
17. Non-verbal series
18. Coding and decoding
19. Statement conclusion
20. Syllogistic reasoning

English Language Syllabus

1. Idioms and Phrases
2. One word Substitution
3. Sentence Correction
4. Error Spotting

5. Fill in the Blanks
6. Spellings Correction
7. Reading Comprehension
8. Synonyms-Antonyms
9. Active Passive
10. Sentence Rearrangement
11. Sentence Improvement
12. Cloze test

General Awareness Syllabus

1. India and its neighbouring countries especially pertaining to History, Culture, Geography, Economic Scene, General Policy & Scientific Research
2. Science
3. Current Affairs
4. Books and Authors
5. Sports
6. Important Schemes
7. Important Days
8. Portfolio
9. People in News
10. Static GK

SSC CGL Tier 1 Topic-wise Weightage

Reasoning Ability Topic-wise Weightage

Topics	No. of Questions
Analogy	2 to 4
Coding-Decoding	3 to 4
Number Series/Alpha-Numeric Series	2 to 3
Seating Arrangement	2 to 3
Non-Verbal Reasoning	1 to 2
Blood Relations	1 to 2
Mathematical Operations	1 to 2
Syllogism	1 to 2
Direction Sense	1 to 2
Venn Diagram	1 to 2
Odd One Out	1 to 2

Miscellaneous (e.g., word formation, dictionary sequence, counting figures)	1 to 3
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General Awareness Topic-wise Weightage	
Topics	No. of Questions
Current Affairs	5 to 7
History	2 to 3
Geography	2 to 3
Polity	2 to 3
Economics	1 to 2
General Science	4 to 6
Static GK	3 to 5
Miscellaneous (Computer Basics, Abbreviations)	1 to 2

Quantitative Aptitude Topic-wise Weightage	
Topics	No. of Questions
Profit & Loss	2 to 3
Time and Work	1 to 2
Percentages	1 to 2
Simple & Compound Interest	1 to 2
Time, Speed & Distance	1 to 2
Averages	1 to 2
Ratio & Proportion	1 to 2
Algebra	2 to 3
Geometry	2 to 3
Mensuration	1 to 2

Trigonometry	1 to 2
Data Interpretation	1 to 2
Number System	1 to 2
Miscellaneous (e.g., simplification, surds, indices)	1 to 2

SSC CGL Tier 2 Exam Pattern

SSC CGL Tier 2 Paper 1 Exam Pattern						
Sections	Module	Subject	No. of Questions	Marks	Duration	Weightage
Section I	Module-I	Mathematical Abilities	30	60x3 = 180	1 hour	23%
	Module-II	Reasoning and General Intelligence	30			23%
Section II	Module-I	English Language and Comprehension	45	70x3 = 210	1 hour	35%
	Module-II	General Awareness	25			19%
Section III	Module-I	Computer Knowledge Test	20	20x3 = 60	15 minutes	Qualifying
	Module-II	Data Entry Speed Test	One Data Entry Task		15 minutes	Qualifying
SSC CGL Tier 2 Paper 2 Exam Pattern						
Paper	Section	No. of question	Maximum Marks		Duration	
Paper II	Statistics	100	200		2 hours	

Module I of Session I of Paper I (Mathematical Abilities):

Topics	Sub-Topics
Number Systems	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Computation of Whole Number 2. Decimal and Fractions 3. Relationship between numbers
Fundamental arithmetical operations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Percentages 2. Ratio and Proportion 3. Square roots

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Averages Interest (Simple and Compound) Profit and Loss Discount Partnership Business Mixture and Alligation Time and distance Time and work
Algebra	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Basic algebraic identities of School Algebra and Elementary surds (simple problems) Graphs of Linear Equations
Geometry	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Similarity with elementary geometric figures and facts: Triangle and its various kinds of centres Congruence and similarity of triangles Circle and its chords, tangents, angles subtended by chords of a circle, common tangents to two or more circles.
Mensuration	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Triangle Quadrilaterals Regular Polygons Circle Right Prism Right Circular Cone Right Circular Cylinder Sphere Hemispheres Rectangular Parallelepiped Regular Right Pyramid with triangular or square Base.
Trigonometry	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Trigonometry Trigonometric ratios Complementary angles Height and distances (simple problems only) Standard Identities
Statistics and probability	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Use of Tables and Graphs: Histogram, Frequency polygon, Bar-diagram, Pie-chart Measures of central tendency: mean, median, mode, standard deviation Calculation of simple probabilities

Module-II of Section-I of Paper-I (Reasoning and General Intelligence)

Topics
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Semantic Analogy Symbolic operations, Symbolic/ Number Analogy, Trends Figural Analogy Space Orientation Semantic Classification

6. Venn Diagrams
7. Symbolic/ Number
8. Classification
9. Drawing inferences
10. Figural Classification
11. Punched hole/ pattern-folding & unfolding
12. Semantic Series
13. Figural Patternfolding and completion
14. Number Series
15. Embedded figures
16. Figural Series
17. Critical Thinking
18. Problem-Solving
19. Emotional Intelligence
20. Word Building
21. Social Intelligence
22. Coding and de-coding
23. Numerical operations
24. Other sub-topics, if any.

Module-I of Section-II of Paper-I (English Language And Comprehension)

Topics
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Vocabulary 2. English Grammar 3. Sentence structure 4. Spot the Error 5. Fill in the Blanks, 6. Synonyms/Homonyms 7. Antonyms 8. Spellings/ Detecting misspelt words 9. Idioms & Phrases 10. One word substitution 11. Improvement of Sentences, 12. Active/ Passive Voice of Verbs 13. Conversion into Direct/ Indirect narration 14. Shuffling of Sentence parts 15. Shuffling of Sentences in a passage, 16. Cloze Passage 17. Comprehension Passage- To test comprehension, three or more paragraphs will be given and questions based on those will be asked. At least one paragraph should be a simple one based on a book or a story and the other two paragraphs should be on current affairs, based on a report or an editorial.

Module-II of Section-II of Paper-I (General Awareness)

Topics
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. India and its neighbouring countries especially pertaining to History, Culture, Geography, Economic Scene, General Policy & Scientific Research

2. Science
3. Current Affairs
4. Books and Authors
5. Sports
6. Important Schemes
7. Important Days & Dates
8. Portfolio
9. People in News

Module-I of Section-III of Paper-I (Computer Proficiency)

Topics	Sub-Topics
Computer Basics	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Organization of a computer 2. Central Processing Unit (CPU) 3. Input/ output devices 4. Computer memory 5. Memory organization 6. Back-up devices 7. PORTs 8. Windows Explorer 9. Keyboard shortcuts
Software	Windows Operating system including basics of Microsoft Office like MS word, MS Excel and Power Point etc
Working with the Internet and e-mails	Web Browsing & Searching, Downloading & Uploading, Managing an E-mail Account, e-Banking
Basics of networking and cyber security	Networking devices and protocols, Network and information security threats (like hacking, virus, worms, Trojan etc.) and preventive measures

SSC CGL Tier 2 Syllabus- Paper 2 (Statistics)

Subject	Topics
1. Collection, Classification and Presentation of Statistical Data	Primary and Secondary data, Methods of data collection; Tabulation of data; Graphs and charts; Frequency distributions; Diagrammatic presentation of frequency distributions.
2. Measures of Central Tendency	Common measures of central tendency – mean median and mode; Partition values- quartiles, deciles, percentiles.
3. Measures of Dispersion- Common measures of Dispersion	Range, quartile deviations, mean deviation and standard deviation; Measures of relative dispersion.
4. Moments, Skewness and Kurtosis	Different types of moments and their relationship; the meaning of skewness and kurtosis; different measures of skewness and kurtosis.

5. Correlation and Regression	Scatter diagram; simple correlation coefficient; simple regression lines; Spearman's rank correlation; Measures of association of attributes; Multiple regression; Multiple and partial correlation (For three variables only).
6. Probability Theory	Meaning of probability; Different definitions of probability; Conditional probability; Compound probability; Independent events; Bayes' theorem.
7. Random Variable and Probability Distributions	Random variable; Probability functions; Expectation and Variance of a random variable; Higher moments of a random variable; Binomial, Poisson, Normal and Exponential distributions; Joint distribution of two random variables (discrete).
8. Sampling Theory	Concept of population and sample; Parameter and statistic, Sampling and non-sampling errors; Probability and nonprobability sampling techniques (simple random sampling, stratified sampling, multistage sampling, multiphase sampling, cluster sampling, systematic sampling, purposive sampling, convenience sampling and quota sampling); Sampling distribution (statement only); Sample size decisions.
9. Statistical Inference	Point estimation and interval estimation, Properties of a good estimator, Methods of estimation (Moments method, Maximum likelihood method, Least squares method), Testing of hypothesis, Basic concept of testing, Small sample and large sample tests, Tests based on Z, t, Chi-square and F statistic, Confidence intervals.
10. Analysis of Variance	Analysis of one-way classified data and two-way classified data.
11. Time Series Analysis	Components of time series, Determination of trend components by different methods, Measurement of seasonal variation by different methods.
12. Index Numbers	Meaning of Index Numbers, Problems in the construction of index numbers, Types of index number, Different formulae, Base shifting and splicing of index numbers, Cost of living Index Numbers, Uses of Index Numbers.

SSC CGL Tier 2 Syllabus- Paper 3 (General Studies-Finance and Economics)

Part	Subject	Topics
Part A: Finance and Accounts-(80 marks)	Financial Accounting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nature and scope 2. Limitations of Financial Accounting 3. Basic concepts and Conventions 4. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
	Basic concepts of accounting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Single and double entry 2. Books of Original Entry 3. Bank Reconciliation 4. Journal, ledgers 5. Trial Balance

		6. Rectification of Errors 7. Manufacturing 8. Trading 9. Profit & Loss Appropriation Accounts 10. Balance Sheet 11. Distinction between Capital and Revenue Expenditure 12. Depreciation Accounting 13. Valuation of Inventories 14. Non-profit organisations Accounts 15. Receipts and Payments and Income & Expenditure Accounts 16. Bills of Exchange 17. Self Balancing Ledgers
Part B: Economics and Governance-(120 marks)	Comptroller & Auditor General of India- Constitutional provisions, Role and responsibility	
	Finance Commission-Role and functions	
	Basic Concept of Economics and introduction to Micro Economics	1. Definition 2. Scope and nature of Economics 3. Methods of economic study 4. Central problems of an economy 5. Production possibilities curve
	Theory of Demand and Supply	1. Meaning and determinants of demand 2. Law of demand and Elasticity of demand 3. Price 4. Income and cross elasticity 5. Theory of consumer's behaviour 6. Marshallian approach and Indifference curve approach 7. Meaning and determinants of supply 8. Law of supply 9. The elasticity of Supply
	Theory of Production and cost	1. Meaning and Factors of production 2. Laws of production- Law of variable proportions and Laws of returns to scale.
	Forms of Market and price determination in different markets	1. Various forms of markets-Perfect Competition 2. Monopoly 3. Monopolistic Competition 4. Oligopoly 5. Price determination in these markets.
	Indian Economy	1. Nature of the Indian Economy Role of different sectors, Role of Agriculture, Industry and Services-their problems and growth. 2. National Income of India-Concepts of national income, Different methods of measuring national income.

		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Population-Its size, rate of growth and its implication on economic growth. Poverty and unemployment- Absolute and relative poverty, types, causes and incidence of unemployment. Infrastructure-Energy, Transportation, Communication.
	Economic Reforms in India	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Economic reforms since 1991 Liberalisation Privatisation Globalisation Disinvestment
	Money and Banking	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Monetary/ Fiscal policy- Role and functions of Reserve Bank of India; functions of commercial Banks/RRB/Payment Banks. Budget and Fiscal deficits and Balance of payments. Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003.
	Role of Information Technology in Governance	