

CMA Exam Overview

- Candidates for CMA certification must complete all required examination parts.
- Part 1: Financial Planning, Performance, and Analytics (4 hours – 100 multiple choice questions and two 30-minute essay questions)
- Part 2: Strategic Financial Management (4 hours – 100 multiple-choice questions and two 30-minute essay questions)



- Each exam part will consist of 100 multiple choice questions and two 30-minute essay questions.
- You will have 3 hours to complete the multiple choice section and one hour to complete the essays.
- The essays will be presented after you have completed the multiple choice section of the exam or after 3 hours, whichever comes first. Once you complete and exit the multiple choice section of the exam, you cannot go back. You must remain in the essay section to complete the exam. The essay section consists of 8-10 written response or calculation questions based on two scenarios, describing a typical business situation.

