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20 One-Liners to Remember

Quick-fire facts for last-minute revision.

- 1 CAIIB Advanced Bank Management (ABM) is Paper 1 of the CAIIB examination conducted by IIBF.**
ABM sets the tone for the rest of the CAIIB certification, so candidates prioritise it first.
- 2 The ABM paper has 100 objective-type MCQs carrying 100 marks.**
Each question is weighted equally at one mark, simplifying scoring strategy.
- 3 Candidates get 2 hours (120 minutes) to complete the ABM exam.**
Time management across four modules is essential within this window.
- 4 ABM has no negative marking, so attempting every question is advantageous.**
Even an educated guess can only add marks, never subtract them.
- 5 The ABM exam is conducted online as a Computer-Based Test (CBT).**
IIBF administers CAIIB papers through its online CBT platform.

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6 The ABM exam is offered bilingually, in English and Hindi.

Candidates can choose the medium they are most comfortable answering in.

7 IIBF conducts the CAIIB exam twice a year, typically in June and December.

This fixed cycle lets candidates plan their preparation timeline in advance.

8 CAIIB has four compulsory papers: ABM, BFM, ABFM, and BRBL, plus one elective.

Passing all compulsory papers and the chosen elective completes the certification.

9 CAIIB electives include Rural Banking, HRM, Risk Management, Central Banking, and IT & Digital Banking.

Candidates should confirm the current elective list on the latest IIBF notification.

10 The ABM syllabus is split into four modules: Statistics, HRM, Credit Management, and Compliance & Corporate Governance.

Each module tests a distinct skill area, from quantitative reasoning to regulatory knowledge.

11 Module A (Statistics) is considered the most important and highest-priority module in ABM.

Mentors advise against skipping any Statistics topic due to its scoring weight.

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- 12** **Module A covers sampling, central tendency, correlation, regression, time series, probability, and estimation.**

These are the core quantitative techniques tested through numerical questions.

- 13** **Standard deviation, correlation, regression, and probability are frequently tested Module A topics.**

Repeated practice on these numericals converts study time directly into marks.

- 14** **Module B (HRM) covers HR fundamentals, organisational behaviour, and performance management.**

Its largely conceptual questions make it a high-scoring module when understood well.

- 15** **Module C (Credit Management) covers financial statement analysis, working capital finance, and term loans.**

Credit is central to a banker's job, so IIBF tests this module in depth.

- 16** **Module C also covers restructuring, NPAs, and resolution of stressed assets under the IBC, 2016.**

These frameworks test awareness of current recovery and insolvency mechanisms.

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17 **Module D covers the compliance function and the role of the Chief Compliance Officer (CCO).**

The CCO oversees compliance policy, programme, and reporting in a bank.

18 **Module D also covers fraud and vigilance functions, including cyber fraud reporting in banks.**

Fact-based content here makes Module D a reliable source of easy marks.

19 **CAIIB is widely regarded as the toughest certification offered by IIBF.**

Its mix of numericals, theory, and case-study questions demands structured preparation.

20 **CAIIB passing requires securing minimum marks in each paper along with an overall aggregate, per IIBF norms.**

Candidates should verify the exact current cutoffs on the latest official IIBF notification.

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