

# Which Version of the GMAT Should You Take?

Any GMAT score strengthens your application, but there are two crucial factors to consider when making your decision between the two versions.

## Application Deadlines

**GMAT**<sup>™</sup>

**Exam appointments available through January 31, 2024**

Take the current **GMAT Exam** if you are applying for **Round 1 or 2 admissions**.



**GMAT**<sup>™</sup>  
Focus Edition

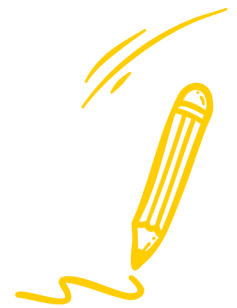
**Exam appointments available starting November 7, 2023**

Take the **GMAT Focus Edition** if you are applying for **Round 2 or 3 admissions**.

## Test-Taking Experience

### Take the GMAT Exam if you:

- Prefer more opportunities to take breaks.
- Need to highlight your analytical writing skills.
- Have already prepped considerably for the current GMAT Exam.
- Prefer your Total Score reflect your quantitative and verbal skills only.
- Would like to attempt the current version before you try the GMAT Focus Edition.



### Take the GMAT Focus Edition if you:

- Prefer a much shorter exam.
- Want to highlight your data analysis skills.
- Do not need to produce an analytical writing assessment.
- Want the flexibility to change up to 3 responses per section.
- Would like your official score delivered within 3–5 days.



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