

Insurance Institute of Canada Chartered Insurance Professional (CIP) Sample Examination Blueprint

CIP examinations are built using a course-specific examination blueprint. Blueprints identify the weight, shown as a percentage, of each textbook study tested on the final examination and the proportion of each type of question appearing on the exam. The examination is scored out of 200 marks.

The weight of each study tested on the final examination reflects the knowledge and understanding required of the students to competently perform in the insurance industry. The following table identifies the percentage of each textbook study tested on the final examination.

Study Title	Percentage of Exam Marks
Study 1	10%
Study 2	11%
Study 3	8%
Study 4	12%
Study 5	12%
Study 6	11%
Study 7	8%
Study 8	12%
Study 9	8%
Study 10	8%
Total	100%

The final exam includes multiple-choice, narrative, and application questions. The following table identifies the percentage of each question type appearing on the exam.

Question Type	Percentage of Exam Marks
Multiple Choice	70%
Narrative	20%
Application	10%
Total	100%

The Insurance Institute will adhere to the parameters outlined by the blueprint with a +/- 5% range when building the exams. For more information on question types, please visit the [Description of Examination Format](#) page.