

QUICK FACTS RELATED TO CIVIL SERVICES - 2014

Date of Civil Services Prelims examination	24 th August 2014
Number of services	24 (IAS, IFS, IPS, etc)
Number of vacancies	Approx 1291
Mode of Applying	ONLY Online (No other mode of applying is allowed) -to fill Part I & Part II in the website www.upsconline.nic.in
Last date for receipt of application (Online Mode)	30 th June till 23:59 hrs
Any Documents to be submitted during applying for Prelims (like Age certificate, Xth marks etc)	NO (However, these documents will be required if a candidate qualifies for CS(M) Exam)
Fees	Rs 100 (by cash/online), fee exempted for ONLY Females, SC, ST, PH.
Eligibility Criteria -Educational qualifications	Degree of a recognized university or equivalent
Eligibility Criteria - Age limit	Minimum 21 years and Maximum 32 years(for general category, as on 1 st August 2014), relaxation for others (upto 5years for SC/ST, upto 3 years for OBC)
Number of permissible attempts	6(for General category), 9(for OBCs/P.H), No limit (SC/STs)
Syllabus of the exam -2014	Paper I (200 marks, 2 hrs), Paper II (200 marks, 2 hrs)
Any changes in the syllabus(2014) compared to 2013	NO (The syllabus for Prelims -2014 is exactly same as that of 2013 exam)
Type of questions	Multiple Choice Questions (Paper based test)
Number of Questions	Info not provided by UPSC.
Number of choices for each question	4 (a, b, c, d)
Number of serial numbers in the answer sheet	160
Booklet Series	A, B, C, D
Number of answers correct for any question	ONLY one
Negative marking for wrong answers	0.33 of the marks assigned to that question
Negative marks(if any) for leaving out a question unattempted	0
Number of cities(for appearing for Prelims)	59
Other Remarks	OMR shading to be done using <u>ONLY</u> black ball point pen