



CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY LICENSING BOARD EXAMINATIONS AT A GLANCE

This chart provides you with information about each of the construction industry licensure examinations. In order to obtain a license you must pass all of the required examinations and meet all other requirements for your specialty. Division I contractors (General, Building, and Residential) must pass three examinations parts: Business & Finance, Contract Administration, and Project Management. Division II contractors (all other specialties) must pass two examinations parts: Business and Finance and General Trade Knowledge.

The examinations are usually given in three locations simultaneously: Tallahassee, Orlando, and Miami. The construction examinations are administered over a two-day period. Each day is comprised of a 4 hour and 30 minute AM session and a 4 hour and 30 minute PM session. If an examination contains pilot test questions then additional time will be added to that session. The administrations normally take place on a Tuesday and Wednesday near the middle of the following months: February, April, June, August, October, and December. Examinations with large candidate populations are offered at all six administrations while examinations with smaller populations are only offered in February, June and October.

Examination	# of Scored Questions	Day of Exam	Sessions	Admins per Year
Business & Finance Paper and Pencil (for all except Service Pool)	120 (60 AM & 60 PM)	1	AM & PM	6
Business & Finance Computer Based Testing	120	1	6.5 Hours	Daily
General Contractor: Contract Administration	60	2	AM	6
General Contractor: Project Management	60	2	PM	6
Building Contractor: Contract Administration	50	2	AM	6
Building Contractor: Project Management	50	2	PM	6
Residential Contractor: Contract Administration	45	2	AM	6
Residential Contractor: Project Management	45	2	PM	6
Air Conditioning "A" General Trade Knowledge	130 (65 AM & 65 PM)	2	AM & PM	6
Air Conditioning "B" General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	6
Commercial Pool General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Gas Line General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Glass and Glazing Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Gypsum Drywall General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Mechanical Contractor General Trade Knowledge	130 (65 AM & 65 PM)	2	AM & PM	6
Plumbing General Trade Knowledge	110 MC (45 AM & 65 PM) & 5 Isometrics (AM)	2	AM & PM	6
Pollutant Storage General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Residential Pool General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Roofing General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	6
Service Pool Business & Finance	40	1	AM	3
Service Pool General Trade Knowledge	60	1	PM	3
Sheet Metal General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Solar Water Heating General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Specialty Structure General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	3
Underground Utility & Excavation General Trade Knowledge	80	2	AM	6
Marine Specialty	80	2	AM	6