

Illinois CPA Candidates Performance
April 2004 through August 2009

Illinois Candidates Approved to Take the Uniform CPA Exam

<u>CBT Year</u>	<u>First Time Candidates</u>	<u>Re-Examination Candidates</u>
2004	1831	2533
2005	1780	4248
2006	1927	5002
2007	2320	5875
2008	2498	7100

Illinois Candidates Passing and Certified Per Year by Exam

<u>Year</u>	<u>Passing</u>	<u>Certified</u>	
1999	1797	1797	
2000	1838	1838	
2001	1411	1411	Final exam pre-150 hour Start 150-hour requirement
2002	1337	1337	
2003	1476	1476	
2004	585	585	First year of CBT testing
2005	1038	719	Ethics requirement effective January 1, 2005
2006	1163	971	
2007	1318	1291	
2008	1694	1638	

2009

2009 Q1 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (January-February 2009)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
391	378	769	388	344	732	278	318	596	418	334	752	1475	1374	2849
50.85%	49.15%	100.00%	53.01%	46.99%	100.00%	46.64%	53.36%	100.00%	55.59%	44.41%	100.00%			
13.72%	13.27%	26.99%	13.62%	12.07%	25.69%	9.76%	11.16%	20.92%	14.67%	11.72%	26.40%	51.77%	48.23%	100.00%

Candidates 2170

Candidates who passed = 333
Ready to certify with ethics = 179

2009 Q2 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (April-May 2009)

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AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
542	357	899	509	396	905	497	347	844	523	340	863	2071	1440	3511
60.29%	39.71%	100.00%	56.24%	43.76%	100.00%	58.89%	41.11%	100.00%	60.60%	39.40%	100.00%	58.99%	41.01%	100.00%
15.44%	10.17%	25.61%	14.50%	11.28%	25.78%	14.16%	9.88%	24.04%	14.90%	9.68%	24.58%	58.99%	41.01%	100.00%

Candidates 2496

Candidates who passed = 432
Ready to certify with ethics = 189

2009 Q3 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (July-August 2009)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
597	462	1059	626	432	1058	600	449	1049	598	415	1013	2421	1758	4179
56.37%	43.63%	100.00%	59.17%	40.83%	100.00%	57.20%	42.80%	100.00%	59.03%	40.97%	100.00%	57.93%	42.07%	100.00%
14.29%	11.06%	25.34%	14.98%	10.34%	25.32%	14.36%	10.74%	25.10%	14.31%	9.93%	24.24%	57.93%	42.07%	100.00%

Candidates 2746

Candidates who passed = 527
Ready to certify with ethics = 238

2008

Total candidates = 9,679

2008 Q1 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (January-February 2008)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
362	334	696	384	311	695	300	304	604	391	333	724	1437	1282	2719
52.01%	47.99%	100.00%	55.25%	44.75%	100.00%	49.67%	50.33%	100.00%	54.01%	45.99%	100.00%	52.85%	47.15%	100.00%

Candidates 2078

Candidates who passed = 315
Ready to certify with ethics = 109 (35%)

2008 Q2 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (April-May 2008)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
532	396	928	541	407	948	457	360	817	448	402	850	1978	1565	3543
57.33%	42.67%	100.00%	57.07%	42.93%	100.00%	55.94%	44.06%	100.00%	52.71%	47.29%	100.00%	55.83%	44.17%	100.00%

Candidates 2441

Candidates who passed = 394
Ready to certify with ethics = 150 (38%)

2008 Q3 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (July-August 2008)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
530	442	972	612	431	1043	611	432	1043	590	451	1041	2343	1756	4099
54.53%	45.47%	100.00%	58.68%	41.32%	100.00%	58.58%	41.42%	100.00%	56.68%	43.32%	100.00%	57.16%	42.84%	100.00%

Candidates 2633

Candidates who passed = 505

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Ready to certify with ethics = 223 (44%)

2008 Q4 Exam Parts Pass-Fai Stats (October-November 2008)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total			Candidates 2527
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	
449	477	926	533	466	999	415	398	813	453	445	898	1850	1786	3636	
48.49%	51.51%	100.00%	53.35%	46.65%	100.00%	51.05%	48.95%	100.00%	50.45%	49.55%	100.00%	52.82%	47.18%	100.00%	

Candidates who passed = 480
 Ready to certify with ethics = 189 (39%)

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2007

Total candidates = 8,340

2007 Q1 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (January-February 2007)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
286	362	648	262	275	537	217	249	466	291	302	593	1056	1188	2244
44.14%	55.86%	100.00%	48.79%	51.21%	100.00%	46.57%	53.43%	100.00%	49.07%	50.93%	100.00%			
12.75%	16.13%	28.88%	11.68%	12.25%	23.93%	9.67%	11.10%	20.77%	12.97%	13.46%	26.43%	47.06%	52.94%	100.00%

Candidates 1715

Candidates who passed = 250
Ready to certify with ethics = 50

2007 Q2 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (April-May 2007)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
442	468	910	382	317	699	318	266	584	322	296	618	1464	1347	2811
48.57%	51.43%	100.00%	54.65%	45.35%	100.00%	54.45%	45.55%	100.00%	52.10%	47.90%	100.00%			
15.72%	16.65%	32.37%	13.59%	11.28%	24.87%	11.31%	9.46%	20.78%	11.45%	10.53%	21.99%	52.08%	47.92%	100.00%

Candidates 1956

Candidates who passed = 298
Ready to certify with ethics = 33

2007 Q3 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (July-August 2007)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
418	353	771	547	447	994	552	356	908	488	418	906	2005	1574	3579
54.22%	45.78%	100.00%	55.03%	44.97%	100.00%	60.79%	39.21%	100.00%	53.86%	46.14%	100.00%			
11.68%	9.86%	21.54%	15.28%	12.49%	27.77%	15.42%	9.95%	25.37%	13.64%	11.68%	25.31%	56.02%	43.98%	100.00%

Candidates 2300

Candidates who passed = 353
Ready to certify with ethics = 132

2007 Q4 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (October-November 2007)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
393	428	821	494	459	953	402	373	775	428	449	877	1717	1709	3426
47.87%	52.13%	100.00%	51.84%	48.16%	100.00%	51.87%	48.13%	100.00%	48.80%	51.20%	100.00%			
11.47%	12.49%	23.96%	14.42%	13.40%	27.82%	11.73%	10.89%	22.62%	12.49%	13.11%	25.60%	50.12%	49.88%	100.00%

Candidates 2369

Candidates who passed = 417
Ready to certify with ethics = 139

2006

Total candidates = 7,116

2006 Q1 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (January-February 2006)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
201	280	481	203	268	471	202	263	465	220	317	537	826	1128	1954
41.79%	58.21%	100.00%	43.10%	56.90%	100.00%	43.44%	56.56%	100.00%	40.97%	59.03%	100.00%			
10.29%	14.33%	24.62%	10.39%	13.72%	24.10%	10.34%	13.46%	23.80%	11.26%	16.22%	27.48%	42.27%	57.73%	100.00%

Candidates 1431

Candidates who passed = 221
(does not represent certified #s)

2006 Q2 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (April-May 2006)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total

Candidates

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303	307	610	338	301	639	273	304	577	276	309	585	1190	1221	2411
49.67%	50.33%	100.00%	52.90%	47.10%	100.00%	47.31%	52.69%	100.00%	47.18%	52.82%	100.00%			
12.57%	12.73%	25.30%	14.02%	12.48%	26.50%	11.32%	12.61%	23.93%	11.45%	12.82%	24.26%	49.36%	50.64%	100.00%

1619

Candidates who passed = 268
(does not represent certified #s)

2006 Q3 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (July-August 2006)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
405	339	744	434	347	781	466	315	781	436	400	836	1741	1401	3142
54.44%	45.56%	100.00%	55.57%	44.43%	100.00%	59.67%	40.33%	100.00%	52.15%	47.85%	100.00%			
12.89%	10.79%	23.68%	13.81%	11.04%	24.86%	14.83%	10.03%	24.86%	13.88%	12.73%	26.61%	55.41%	44.59%	100.00%

Candidates

1987

Candidates who passed = 312
(does not represent certified #s)

2006 Q4 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (October-November 2006)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
396	420	816	412	413	825	358	356	714	324	399	723	1490	1588	3078
48.53%	51.47%	100.00%	49.94%	50.06%	100.00%	50.14%	49.86%	100.00%	44.81%	55.19%	100.00%			
12.87%	13.65%	26.51%	13.39%	13.42%	26.80%	11.63%	11.57%	23.20%	10.53%	12.96%	23.49%	48.41%	51.59%	100.00%

Candidates

2079

Candidates who passed = 362
(does not represent certified #s)

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2005

Total candidates = 6,452

2005 Q1 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (January-February 2005)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
176	230	406	218	211	429	157	207	364	175	279	454	726	927	1653
43.35%	56.65%	100.00%	50.82%	49.18%	100.00%	43.13%	56.87%	100.00%	38.55%	61.45%	100.00%	43.92%	56.08%	100.00%
10.65%	13.91%	24.56%	13.19%	12.76%	25.95%	9.50%	12.52%	22.02%	10.59%	16.88%	27.47%			

Candidates 1167

Total parts taken = 1683. Thirty scores will be reported in April-May testing window.

Candidates who passed = 173 (does not represent certified #s)

2005 Q2 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (April-May 2005)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
370	333	703	404	326	730	302	324	626	322	317	639	1398	1300	2698
52.63%	47.37%	100.00%	55.34%	44.66%	100.00%	48.24%	51.76%	100.00%	50.39%	49.61%	100.00%	51.82%	48.18%	100.00%
13.71%	12.34%	26.06%	14.97%	12.08%	27.06%	11.19%	12.01%	23.20%	11.93%	11.75%	23.68%			

Candidates 1641

Total parts taken in April-May = 2668. Thirty reported scores from January-February testing window.

Candidates who passed = 248 (does not represent certified #s)

2005 Q3 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (July-August 2005)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
346	362	708	380	291	671	397	355	752	365	400	765	1488	1408	2896
48.87%	51.13%	100.00%	56.63%	43.37%	100.00%	52.79%	47.21%	100.00%	47.71%	52.29%	100.00%	51.38%	48.62%	100.00%
11.95%	12.50%	24.45%	13.12%	10.05%	23.17%	13.71%	12.26%	25.97%	12.60%	13.81%	26.42%			

Candidates 1819

Candidates who passed = 326 (does not represent certified #s)

2005 Q4 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (October-November 2005)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
290	362	652	342	370	712	311	374	685	260	403	663	1203	1509	2712
44.48%	55.52%	100.00%	48.03%	51.97%	100.00%	45.40%	54.60%	100.00%	39.22%	60.78%	100.00%	44.36%	55.64%	100.00%
10.69%	13.35%	24.04%	12.61%	13.64%	26.25%	11.47%	13.79%	25.26%	9.59%	14.86%	24.45%			

Candidates 1825

Candidates who passed = 291 (does not represent certified #s)

2004

2004 Q2 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (April-May 2004)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
265	183	448	246	144	390	260	203	463	250	172	422	1021	702	1723
59.15%	40.85%	100.00%	63.08%	36.92%	100.00%	56.16%	43.84%	100.00%	59.24%	40.76%	100.00%	59.26%	40.74%	100.00%
15.38%	10.62%	26.00%	14.28%	8.36%	22.63%	15.09%	11.78%	26.87%	14.51%	9.98%	24.49%			

Candidates 951

Candidates passed and certified = 167 (all candidates certified upon passing)

2004 Q3 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (July-August 2004)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
269	280	549	296	267	563	278	246	534	276	319	595	1119	1112	2231

Candidates 1317

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49.00%	51.00%	100.00%	52.58%	47.42%	100.00%	52.06%	46.07%	98.13%	46.39%	53.61%	100.00%			
12.06%	12.55%	24.61%	13.27%	11.97%	25.24%	12.46%	11.03%	23.94%	12.37%	14.30%	26.67%	50.16%	49.84%	100.00%

Candidates passed and certified = 175
(all candidates certified upon passing)

2004 Q4 Exam Parts Pass-Fail Stats (October-November 2004)

AUD			BEC			FAR			REG			Total		
Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total	Passed	Failed	Total
285	342	627	337	281	618	271	353	624	217	334	551	1110	1310	2420
45.45%	54.55%	100.00%	54.53%	45.47%	100.00%	43.43%	56.57%	100.00%	39.38%	60.62%	100.00%			
11.78%	14.13%	25.91%	13.93%	11.61%	25.54%	11.20%	14.59%	25.79%	8.97%	13.80%	22.77%	45.87%	54.13%	100.00%

Candidates **1505**

Candidates passed and certified = 243
(all candidates certified upon passing)

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