

# M.COM

Masters of Commerce or MCom is a post graduate level course ideal for candidates who wish to make a career in banking financial services and insurance (BFSI) as well as accounting and commerce sectors. The 2-year course delves deeper into the functioning of the economy, capital, revenue, trade, taxes, etc. taught in BCom.

Since, MCom is a specialized area in itself, only those candidates who have pursued BCom or BCom (H), can go for it. MCom is also a good option for CA/CS candidates. However, not many CA/CS aspirants pursue MCom as CA/CS courses can be pursued after class 12.

MCom is most popular among aspiring teachers/lecturers and researchers. UGC-NET/JRF and PhD are among popular options for MCom degree holders.

Admission to MCom in top universities is done through entrance exam. Many universities offer merit based admission to the course.

MCom covers a wide area for study and research and has many specializations to offer besides MCom (General) and MCom (Honours), like:

MCom (Taxation)	MCom (Economics)
MCom (Mathematics)	MCom (Accounting)
MCom (Accounting & Finance)	MCom (Statistics)
MCom (Banking)	MCom (Finance)
MCom (Banking and Finance)	MCom (Finance & Control)
MCom (Marketing)	MCom (E-Commerce)
MCom (Business Management)	MCom (Computer Application)

## MCom Required Skillset

The MCom course is largely about numbers, graphs and calculations, hence it is essential for an aspirant to have sharp analytical skills and love for numbers.

To pursue MCom and further make a career in the related field, one should possess the following skills:

Logical reasoning	Ability to remember facts and figures
Strong analytical skills	Ability to handle pressure (of course as well as work)
Strength in Mathematics	Strong verbal and communication skills
Eye for detail	Leadership qualities
Knowledge of banking and finance sector	Good with computers

## MCom Eligibility Criteria

- Minimum eligibility criteria for MCom is a minimum of 50% marks in aggregate in BCom or BCom (Honours) or equivalent from a recognized university
- Some universities also induct students who have completed Economics (H), BBS, BFIA and BBE with a minimum score of 60% in aggregate or equivalent
- Reserved category students are entitled to marks relaxation of up to 5%
- State level universities also offer marks relaxation to home students

## MCom Syllabus

In MCom, while core courses remain the same for all, candidates opting for a specialisation have to choose from elective courses. Take a look at the **MCom syllabus** and topics generally taught in a MCom course of two years.

Organisation Theory and Behaviour	
Statistical Analysis	
Economic Analysis	
Financial Management and Policy	
Managerial Accounting	
Business Environment	
Quantitative Techniques for Business Decisions	
Marketing Management	
Strategic Management	
Accounting Theory and Practice	
International Business	
Human Resource Management	

## MCom Job Profiles & Top Recruiters

After completing MCom, a candidate can seek employment in the BFSI sector, opt for teaching or lecturer-ship or go for research. There are various job options for MCom degree holders in private, public as well as government sectors. Nationalised banks, Railways, Income Tax and other such government departments are good options for MCom degree holders to aim for a secure and prosperous career.

**Top job profiles for MCom degree holders are:**

Accountant/Senior Accountant	Finance Manager

Finance Executive	Financial Analyst
Assistant Manager	Accounts Executive
Cashier/Teller	Cost Accountant
Chartered Accountant	Company Secretary
Bank Manager	Risk Analyst
Business Analyst	Marketing Manager
Securities Analyst	Investment Banker
Share Broker	Bank Executive
Wealth Manager	Market Analyst
Trader	Entrepreneur
Teacher	Lecturer
Researcher	Finance Consultant
Auditor	Insurance Agent