

20 Days to 320+

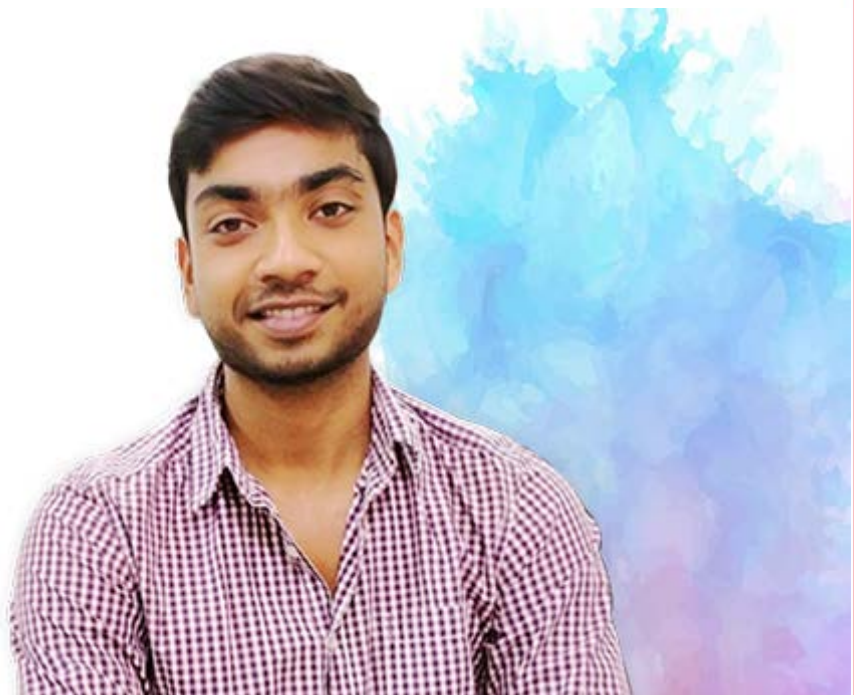
Manish's DART Technique

Prepare for your high target GRE Score in the least possible time.

The 4 step, 20 day ultimate GRE strategy

Used by 331 scorer Manish

(Verbal: 162/170 | Quants: 169/170)



Introduction:

After completing his B.Tech in chemical engineering, a 2-month long internship at UT Austin gave a new dimension to Manish's career goals.

Driven by a fierce goal to pursue his MS in Business Analytics at top universities like MIT and CMU, Manish was confronted with a new and formidable challenge - scoring a 330+ on his GRE, and that too in just 20 days, in order to apply within the university deadlines.

But as they say, no challenge is too big for the driven!

In this eBook, you'll get the 4 step guide that Manish used to prepare for his target GRE score in a matter of days!

Use this approach to ensure that a shortage of time doesn't hold you back from your dream score!

Introducing, the **DART** technique!

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Diagnostic Test: Immediately upon enrolling with us, Manish was assigned two trainers - one for Verbal, one for Quants.

To understand his current proficiency level, strengths and weaknesses in-depth, they prescribed a diagnostic test for Manish, in the same pattern and format of the actual GRE exam, with adaptive difficulty levels.

Want to evaluate your current preparation level and get a detailed analysis too?

Try the free GRE Diagnostic Test [here](#)!

Apart from proficiency, GREedge personal trainers analyse the following things based on the diagnostic test:

1. What types of questions trip you up
2. Which areas of the GRE syllabus should you spend more time on
3. How good are you at managing the limited time available
4. How do you react under pressure/stress if you are unable to solve questions etc.

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Manish's score on the diagnostic test was 157 on the Verbal section and 165 on the Quants section!

It was clear from his diagnostic test that Manish was pretty comfortable in Quants but needed some practice with Verbal topics like Reading Comprehension and SE/TC (Sentence Equivalence / Text Completion)

With his GRE coming up in 20 days, Manish needed an effective study plan that got him ready for his target score of 330 and above.

However, being a working professional, Manish didn't have a whole lot of time to spare for his GRE preparation.

Thus, his trainers at GREedge drew up a study plan for him to brush up his areas of weakness without disturbing his daily schedule.

This brings us to the next aspect of the DART approach - Adaptive Lessons!

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Adaptive Lessons: When preparing for a high score in limited time, Prioritization is your friend!

Manish's trainers recommended that he use the Pareto principle!

The Pareto principle states that:

- 80% of your scores come from 20% of your efforts!
- Identify and FOCUS on that 20%, and 80% of your work is already done!
- Let us now take a look at the representation of each topic (based on number of questions) in GRE Verbal and Quants!

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GRE Verbal - Types & Questions You Should Expect

			No. of Qns
01	Text Completion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Complete the given sentence meaningfully based on the answer choices (Single, Double, Triple blank)	6
02	Sentence Equivalence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Single blank - Choose two words that could fit the same blank and STILL make a meaningful sentence.	4
03	Reading Comprehension	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Short, Medium, Long PassagesText Entry, Multiple Choice-Single Choice, Multiple Choice-Multiple Selection, Select-In Passages	10

GRE Quant - Types & Questions You Should Expect

			No. of Qns
01	ARITHMETIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Number SystemExponents & RootsOdd & Even Numbers	6-8
02	ALGEBRA	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Linear InequalitiesWord ProblemsAlgebraic Expressions	
03	GEOMETRY	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Circles & TrianglesArea, Perimeter & VolumePythagorean Theorem	6-8
04	DATA ANALYSIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Median, Mode & Standard DeviationLine Graphs, Bar Graphs, Pie-ChartsProbability, Permutation, Combinations	3-5
05	APPLIED MATHEMATICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Speed, Time, DistanceAge, Work Men Effort,Mixtures, Percentages & Venn Diagrams	2-4

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Therefore, it is clear that HIGH-PRIORITY topics in GRE Verbal include:

- Reading Comprehension and
- Text Completion

Whereas HIGH-PRIORITY topics in GRE Quant include:

- Arithmetic,
- Algebra, and
- Geometry

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So what kind of a score can you target on your GRE based on your diagnostic test score and following the Adaptive style of learning?

In our experience of training more than 36,000 students, we've noticed that students who score 320+ in GRE usually score anywhere between 305 to 320 in their diagnostic test.

Diagnostic score ranges	Likely score	Ambitious Score
300_305	312	321
306_310	316	324
311_315	321	327
316_320	324	329
321_325	329	332
326_330	330	331
331_335	337	337

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Adaptive Word Learning: The GRE vocabulary comprises as many as 3500+ words! However, with 20 days to go until his GRE, Manish was looking for ways to reduce his workload without compromising on his target score. His verbal trainers assigned a priority list of just 500 words, based on data mined from multiple years' GRE questions.

Using the WordBot app, Manish prepared the 500 word priority list to perfection with picture tools, synonyms, antonyms and pronunciation guides to help him remember each word easily and instantly!

Try out the [WordBot App](#) for free today and discover a brand new way of learning words - easier, faster, better!

Welcome To WordBot!

The smart web-app from GREedge to develop a sharp vocabulary.

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For each word, Wordbot will display a mnemonic image related to the word.





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Word 163 of 300

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despise

(Verb)

Definition

Regard with contempt or scorn

Usage

A highly ethical person will most likely despise anyone who is fraud.

Synonyms

disregard, repudiate, neglect

Antonyms

admire, respect, appreciate, cherish, love

Pronunciation

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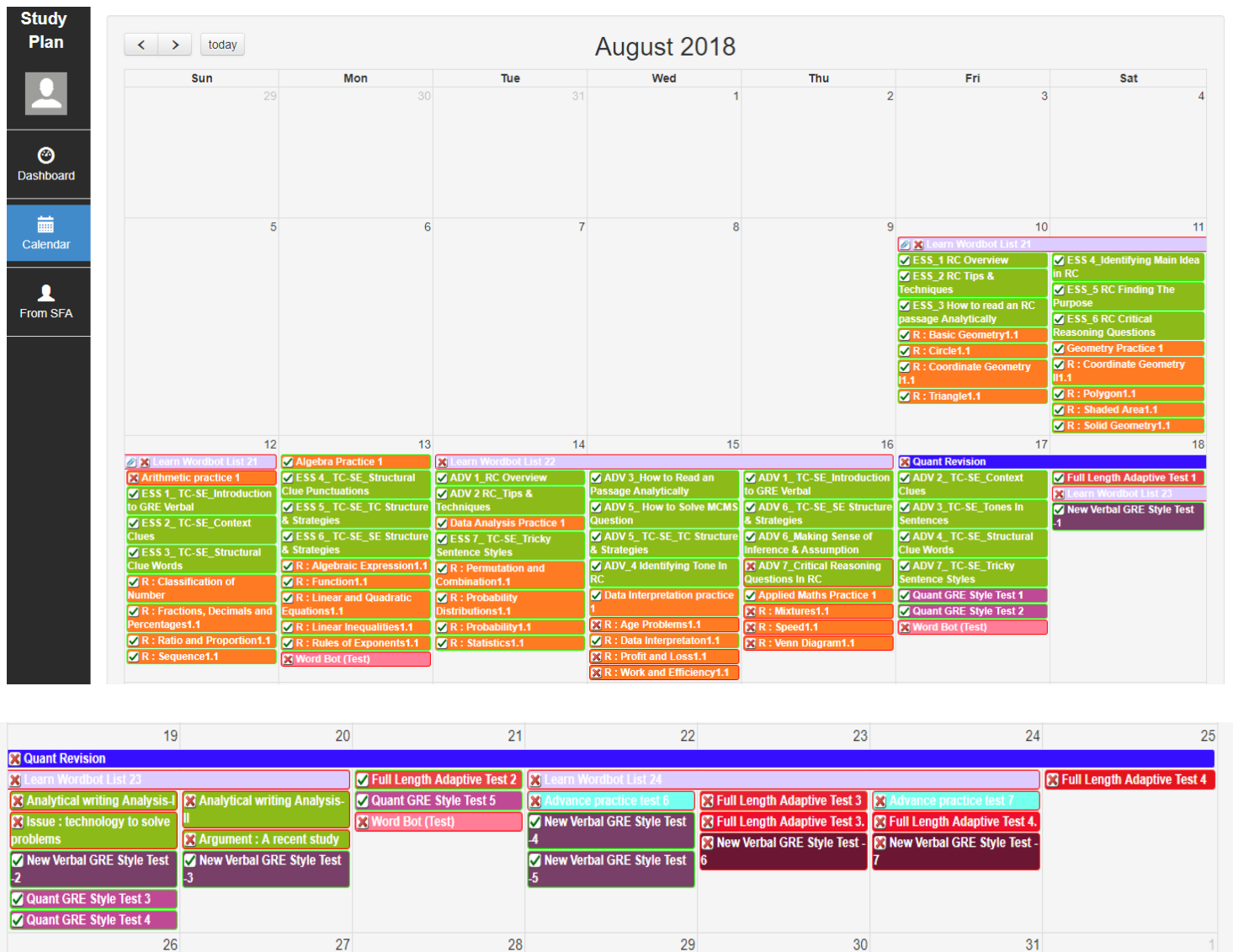
Word Details

Details of the word will be provided to help you master the nuances - definition, synonyms, antonyms, usage, and roots.



Regular Practice: As a working professional, Manish didn't have the luxury of time. Hence, in a way that wouldn't interfere with his schedule, his trainers ensured he took regular practice tests in the same format as the actual GRE - both for the Verbal and Quants sections. His performance on these tests was evaluated and recorded closely and was followed by one on one doubt clearing sessions with his trainers.

This ensured that Manish's concepts were cleared rapidly and he was able to learn faster and with much more clarity. Here's a sneak peek at Manish's custom-made study plan!



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Regular Practice:

Even though Manish was comfortably proficient with GRE Quants, scoring between 165-170 requires quite a bit of practice.

However, owing to his time constraints as a working professional, his trainers gave him an exclusive GRE formula list along with tips and useful shortcuts to boost his accuracy and speed to perfection.

If you're serious about targeting a perfect score in Quants, with limited time to spare, you can get the exclusive formula list too, absolutely free, here!

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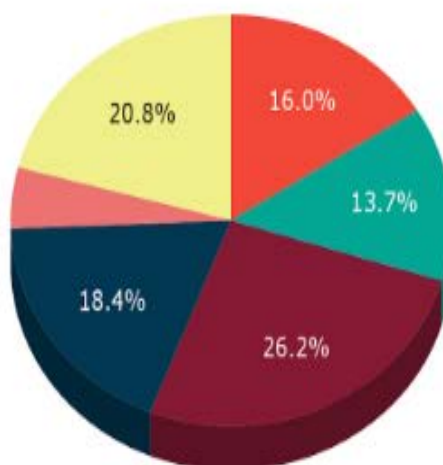
Time-Management: Coming to the last and most crucial part of preparing for your GRE! Befriending time!

It's recommended that you spend not more than 90 seconds on each GRE question and not more than 30 minutes per essay.

In order to ensure that Manish didn't face a time crunch on his GRE, all his practice sessions were timed and recorded to see how much time he was spending on each question or topic using the millisecond tracking technology.

Shown below is data of how much time students take to prepare for each topic!

Score Range	Time Spent in Quant (Learning + Practice)	Arithmetic	Algebra	Geometry	Data Analysis	Data Interpretation	Applied Maths
320+	51	16.01%	13.74%	26.23%	18.39%	4.81%	20.83%



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How to manage time effectively? Here are a few pointers from GREedge trainers for students who prepare in a very limited span of time:

- 1) Practice using the on-screen calculator that you'll be needing during the GRE exam.
- 2) Use smart shortcuts to tackle Quants problems that can save you a lot of effort and time!
- 3) Learn skim reading to read RC passages quickly.
- 4) Don't spend too much time on a single question; if you're not sure about the answer, you can always mark it for review and come back to it later if you have time. Remember that there is no negative marking on the GRE.
- 5) Elimination techniques can help you with effective guesswork in situations where you're not sure about the answer.
- 6) Take adequate timed tests in the same pattern as the GRE before your exam so that you get a feel of how to manage your time on D-day!
- 7) Keep your calm and don't panic on the day of the test. Try solving the questions you're sure of first to get a head start.

Preparing for your GRE?

Want a high score in limited time just like Manish?

We can help you achieve your target score!

Get the GREedge advantage today!

- 2 Personal Trainers for Verbal & Quants
- Up-to-date, high quality study material
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- Unlimited doubt solving
- Practice Tests with comprehensive evaluation
- Full-length GRE style tests
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