

Test Question Analysis

You can learn from questions analysis by determining why the correct answers were correct, and why the wrong answers were wrong. The same content can show up in other questions.

Why Was The Question Missed?

- Did you misread the question? (did not read “Except” in the questions, read too quickly and misread key words)
- Did you misinterpret the question? (“adding” information that was not in the question, thought about “what if”)
- Did you give up too quickly?
- Did you miss terminology that could help you to answer the question?
- Did irrelevant details in a stem lead you to a wrong answer?
- Did you use a method of elimination?
- What type of knowledge the question assessed? (factual, understanding, application, analysis). Check on Bloom’s taxonomy levels of learning below.
 - **Knowledge** (memorization and recall of facts),
 - **Comprehension** (understanding of concepts),
 - **Application** (using knowledge and understanding to solve problems and transfer theoretical knowledge to practical situations)
 - **Analysis** (identifying parts of concepts so relationships between are clear)
 - **Synthesis** (putting parts together and creating a new meaning as a whole)
 - **Evaluation** (making a judgment about products or ideas and providing justification)
 - **Creation** (creating a new product or idea)
- What do you need to do differently to answer a similar type of questions in the future?