COMPARE SAT VS ACT

STRUCTURE AND TIMING	SAT	ACT
Testing time	2 hours 14 minutes (Digital) 2 hours (Paper)	2 hours 5 minutes
Structure	3 tests	3 tests + optional writing and science test
Number of questions	98 (Digital) 154 (Paper)	131 + optional 40 for science test
Time per question	1 minute 36 seconds (Digital) 1 minute 20 seconds (Paper)	1 minute
Score range	Composite 400–1600 (Reading and writing, and math section each 2–8)	Composite 1–36 (writing domain scores: 2–12)
Test length and timing	**Digital** vs **Paper** Reading & Writing 64 minutes — 100 minutes 54 questions — 96 questions Math Test 70 minutes — 80 minutes 44 questions — 58 questions	**English Test** 35 minutes — 50 questions **Math Test** 50 minutes — 45 questions **Reading Test** 40 minutes — 36 questions **Science Test** (optional) 40 minutes — 40 questions