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# INTRODUCTION

## I. WHAT IS ELTMT AND ITS PURPOSE?

- ELTMT (Mathematics English Test for Teachers) is a specific purpose language test of English that measures the English proficiency of mathematics teachers and NOT measures the teacher's teaching skills or mathematics content mastery. This test measures the specific English language proficiency of RSBI mathematics teachers in using English in teaching mathematics. RSBI refers to the *Rintisan Sekolah Bertaraf Internasional* (The International Standard School).
- ELTMT is designed as a performance-based test consisting of a mixture of a test of reading and tasks of speaking by which the teachers' specific communicative language abilities are measured.
- This test consists of the Reading test and the Speaking test and blank answer sheets, test examples, an answer key sheet of the Reading test, and the Analytical Scoring Scale Guide for the Speaking test.
- The estimated total test time for ELTMT is 2 hours 10 minutes.

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