



## **LP1 – General Pest Control License Exam Summary**

The LP1 exam is 75 questions consisting of multiple choice and true/false. It is generated from a bank of approximately 185 questions. The exam is on a computer and administered in-person at the LDAF main office in Baton Rouge, or online proctored through Everblue.

Recommended study material:

- *NPCA Field Guide to Structural Pests* by Eric H. Smith & Richard C. Whitman
- *Truman's Scientific Guide to Pest Control Operations* by Gardy W. Bennet – 7<sup>th</sup> Edition
- LA Structural Pest Control Laws: Title 3 Part VII. Structural Pest Control
- LA Structural Pest Control Rules & Regulations: Title 7 Part XXV. Structural Pest Control

An approximate breakdown of questions is listed below:

| TOPIC                             | PERCENT OF EXAM | EXAM BANK | TOPIC SUMMARY                                           |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| CHAPTER 7 – TRUMAN'S              | 16%             | 30        | Cockroaches                                             |
| CHAPTER 10 – TRUMAN'S             | 7%              | 13        | Ants, wasps, bees                                       |
| CHAPTER 11 – TRUMAN'S             | 7%              | 13        | Stored product pests                                    |
| CHAPTER 12 and 13 – TRUMAN'S      | 9%              | 16        | Fleas, ticks, bed bugs, etc.                            |
| CHAPTER 15 – TRUMAN'S             | 11%             | 20        | Occasional invaders: spiders, earwigs, silverfish, etc. |
| CHAPTER 16 – TRUMAN'S             | 2%              | 3         | Fabric insects                                          |
| CHAPTER 14 – TRUMAN'S             | 5%              | 9         | Flies & mosquitoes                                      |
| CHAPTER 17 – TRUMAN'S             | 9%              | 16        | Rats & mice                                             |
| CHAPTER 18 – TRUMAN'S             | 2%              | 3         | Birds                                                   |
| PESTICIDES/LABEL                  | 8%              | 15        | Pesticides, usage, and understanding the label.         |
| RULES AND REGULATIONS             | 4%              | 8         | LA SPC Rules & Regulations                              |
| IDENTIFICATION – NPCA FIELD GUIDE | 20%             | 39        | General Pest Control identification                     |