



# HP Certified Professional Program

## Worldwide Program Guide

### Module 6 – Available Certifications



## Choose the certification that best meets your needs.

The HP Certified Professional Program has more than a hundred certifications covering a broad range of job roles, technologies and topics. This document lists the certifications that are available to attain today. Note that we update our list of certifications frequently, based on the needs of the technology market. It's possible that this document's list can be slightly out of date, so please check The Learning Center for the absolute most up-to-date view of all HP certifications.

Also, please note that all HP certifications are attainable in all countries. However, the required exams or the optional supporting training offered to pass those exams may not be available in all regions/countries. Please consult The Learning Center for the details regarding the specific certifications you are interested in for more information.

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## Certifications by Job Role

The sections below identify the available certifications according to various job roles such as sales, integration and systems administration. The certifications within each role are shown in increasing levels of job responsibility. As always, consult The Learning Center for the most accurate and up-to-date list of certifications.

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### Sales certifications

HP sales certifications provide sales professionals the tools needed to effectively analyze customer business requirements and to successfully position and sell the full HP sales portfolio.

**HP Accredited Sales Professional** – Requires an individual to gather customer business requirements and successfully position and sell HP commercial and enterprise products and services in an engagement with a customer.



The following ASP certifications are available:

- ASP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- ASP – ProCurve Networking [2008]
- ASP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- ASP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- ASP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*
- ASP – HP Imaging and Printing Supplies [2008]
- ASP – HP Partner Fundamentals [2009]
- ASP – HP Service Sales [2008]
- ASP – *Specialty in Office Printing* [2008]
- ASP – HP Thin Client Solutions [2008]

**HP Accredited Sales Consultant** – Requires an individual to gather customer business requirements, recognize the opportunities and make recommendations from the HP solutions portfolio that would solve business needs.



The following ASC certifications are available:

- ASC – Selling HP Integrity Server Solutions [2008]
- ASC – HP Superdome Server Solutions [2008]
- ASC – Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- ASC – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*
- ASC – HP ProCurve Networking [2009]
- ASC – ProCurve Networking [2005] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 15 June 2009.)*
- ASC – HP Service Sales Consultant [2008]
- ASC – *Specialty in* HP StorageWorks XP Solutions [2005]
- ASC – HP Enterprise Storage Solutions [2009]
- ASC – HP Enterprise Storage Solutions [2005] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 August 2009.)*
- ASC – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- ASC – *Specialty in* Insight Dynamics – VSE

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## Presales Technical certifications

HP presales certifications equip technical IT professionals with the skills necessary to effectively analyze customer business requirements and plan and design an HP solution, including application, platform, operating system, storage, networking and so on.

**HP Accredited Presales Professional** – Requires an individual to gather customer business requirements, recognize opportunities and make recommendations for a solution (potentially including application, platform, operating system, storage, network and option components) that will solve business needs.



The following APP certifications are available:

- APP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- APP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- APP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- APP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*

**HP Accredited Presales Consultant** – Requires individuals to gather customer business requirements, recognize the opportunities, and make recommendations from the HP solutions portfolio that would solve business needs.



The following APC certifications are available:

- APC – HP StorageWorks Solutions [2009]
- APC – HP Enterprise Storage Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 15 July 2009.)*
- APC – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- APC – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*
- APC – HP Integrity Servers [2009]
- APC – HP Integrity Servers [2006] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 September 2009.)*
- APC – Specialty in HP StorageWorks XP Solutions [2005]
- APC – HP Insight Dynamics - VSE
- APC – HP ProLiant Server Solutions [2006]
- APC – HP Superdome Server Solutions [2005]

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## Technical Integration certifications

HP systems integration credentials provide technical IT professionals with the skills needed to design, implement, configure, integrate and support HP solutions given a set of customer business requirements.

**HP Accredited Integration Specialist** - Given a set of customer business requirements, this individual is required to design, support and / or implement a business class solution (potentially including platform, operating system, software, storage, network and option components) to solve business needs.



The following AIS certifications are available:

- AIS – HP Identity Management Software
- AIS – HP Operations Support Systems Software
- AIS – HP Network Management Center Software v7
- AIS – HP Operations Center Software v8 for UNIX
- AIS – HP StorageWorks [2008]

- AIS – HP Change and Configuration Management Software [2005]
- AIS – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- AIS – ProCurve Networking [2008]
- AIS – HP Service Management Software [2006]
- AIS – HP Integrity BladeSystem [2008]
- AIS – HP ProLiant ML/DL Servers [2007]
- AIS – HP Universal Configuration Management Database v7
- AIS – *Specialty in* Insight Dynamics – VSE
- AIS – Infrastructure Monitoring using HP SiteScope v9
- AIS – HP Asset Management Software v5.x *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 July 2009.)*
- AIS – HP Integrity Server Systems [2006]
- AIS – HP Performance Center v9
- AIS – HP Performance Insight Software v5.x
- AIS – HP Project and Portfolio Management v7
- AIS – HP Quality Center v9
- AIS – *Specialty in* HP Integrity Server Support [2005]
- AIS – *Specialty in* HP StorageWorks – ProLiant Storage Server Products [2005]
- AIS – HP NonStop Systems
- AIS – HP Business Availability Center v7
- AIS – HP Operations Manager Software v8 for Windows
- AIS – HP Service Management Implementation [2008]
- AIS – *Specialty in* HP Data Protector Software [2007]
- AIS – Application Security using HP WebInspect v7
- AIS – HP Thin Client Solutions [2008]
- AIS – Remote Client Solutions [2009]

**HP Accredited Systems Engineer** - Given a set of customer business requirements, this individual is required to design, support and / or implement an enterprise level solution (potentially including platform, operating system, software, storage, network and option components) to solve business needs.



The following ASE certifications are available:

- ASE – HP Consolidated Client Infrastructure [2006] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 September 2009.)*
- ASE – HP Network Management Center Software v7
- ASE – HP NonStop Systems

- ASE – HP Operations Center Software v8 for UNIX
- ASE – HP Operations Manager Software v8 for Windows
- ASE – HP Performance Center v9
- ASE – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- ASE – HP ProLiant ML/DL Servers [2007]
- ASE – HP Quality Center v9
- ASE – HP StorageWorks [2008]
- ASE – ProCurve Network Management [2008]
- ASE – ProCurve Networking & Mobility [2008]
- ASE – ProCurve Networking & WAN Technologies [2008]
- ASE – *Specialty in* HP Data Protector Software [2007]
- ASE – *Specialty in* HP Storage Essentials [2008]
- ASE – *Specialty in* HP StorageWorks Secondary Storage [2008]
- ASE – HP Service Management Software Design and Tailoring [2008]

**HP Master Accredited Systems Engineer** – The flagship credential available from HP, the Master ASE requires an individual to gather customer business requirements, and design, integrate and support a full solution including application, middleware, platform, operating system, storage, network and option components.



The following Master ASE certifications are available:

- Master ASE – HP NonStop Solution Architect [2007]
- Master ASE – HP NonStop Systems Support [2007]
- Master ASE – HP ProLiant High Availability and Clustering Solutions
- Master ASE – HP StorageWorks [2008]
- Master ASE – ProCurve Networking Convergence Specialist [2008]
- Master ASE – ProCurve Networking Secure Mobility Specialist [2008]
- Master ASE – ProCurve Networking Security Specialist [2008]

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## System Administration certifications

HP credentials in this group offer IT professionals the setup, administration and management skills required to effectively configure and support an IT environment.

**HP Certified Systems Administrator** - This level of certification requires an individual to perform hands-on installation, configuration, administration and support of HP Solutions and/or HP Operating Systems in networked environments.



The following CSA certifications are available:

- CSA – HP OpenVMS v8
- CSA – HP-UX 11i v3

**HP Certified Systems Engineer** - This individual is required to provide hands-on installation, performance optimization, management and support of HP Solutions and/or Operating Systems in complex, enterprise environments.



The following CSE certifications are available as of December 15, 2008:

- CSE – HP OpenVMS v8
- CSE – HP NonStop Kernel
- CSE – *Specialty in High Availability* – HP-UX 11i v3
- CSE – *Specialty in Networking and Security* – HP-UX 11i v3
- CSE – *Specialty in Virtualization* - HP-UX 11i v3

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## Hardware Support certifications

HP hardware support credentials equip an individual to provide basic hardware support for commercial / business class HP products.

**HP Accredited Platform Specialist** - This individual is required to provide basic hardware support for the purpose of restoring consumer and business class hardware to factory operational levels.



The following APS certifications are available:

- APS – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- APS – HP Commercial Desktops, Workstations and Notebooks
- APS – HP DesignJet Solutions [2006]
- APS – HP LaserJet Solutions [2006]
- APS – HP ProLiant ML/DL Servers [2007]
- APS – HP ProLiant Storage Server Workgroup Products [2005]
- APS – HP Smart Desktop Service [2005]
- APS – HP StorageWorks MSA1000 and MSA1500 [2005]
- APS – HP StorageWorks MSL Tape Libraries [2006]
- APS – HP StorageWorks Optical Storage (UDO & MO) [2004]
- APS – ProCurve Networking [2008]
- APS – HO Desktops and Workstations (Japan)

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## Certifications by Product Family

We understand that you may concentrate on a particular product family from HP; for example, ProLiant servers or ProCurve Networking. The lists below identify the available certifications in each of our main product families. These are the same certifications as listed in the job roles above. As always, consult The Learning Center for the most accurate and up-to-date list of certifications.

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## Certifications pertaining to HP BladeSystem products and solutions

- ASP – HP Partner Fundamentals [2009]
- ASP – HP Service Sales [2008]
- ASC – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- ASC – *Specialty in Insight Dynamics* - VSE
- APP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- APP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- AIS – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- AIS – HP Integrity BladeSystem [2008]
- AIS – HP Integrity Server Systems [2006]
- ASE – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- APS – HP BladeSystem [2007]

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## Certifications pertaining to HP Desktops, Workstations and Mobile solutions

- ASP – HP Partner Fundamentals [2009]
- ASP – HP Thin Client Solutions [2008]
- ASP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- ASP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- APP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- APP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- ASE – HP Consolidated Client Infrastructure [2006] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 September 2009.)*
- APS – HP Commercial Desktops, Workstations and Notebooks
- APS – HP Smart Desktop Service [2005]
- AIS – HP Thin Client Solutions [2008]
- AIS – Remote Client Solutions [2009]

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## Certifications pertaining to Imaging and Printing solutions

- ASP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- ASP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*
- ASP – HP Imaging and Printing Supplies [2008]
- ASP – HP Partner Fundamentals [2009]
- ASP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- ASP – *Specialty in Office Printing* [2008]
- ASC – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*
- ASC – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- APP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- APP – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*
- APP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- APP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- APC – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions [2009]
- APC – HP Imaging and Printing Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 June 2009.)*
- APS – HP DesignJet Solutions [2006]
- APS – HP LaserJet Solutions [2006]

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## Certifications pertaining to Servers

- ASP – HP Partner Fundamentals [2009]
- ASP – HP Service Sales [2008]
- ASP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- ASP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- ASC – Selling HP Integrity Server Solutions [2008]
- ASC – *Specialty in* Insight Dynamics - VSE
- ASC – HP Superdome Server Solutions [2008]
- APP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- APP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- APC – HP Integrity Servers [2009]
- APC – HP Integrity Servers [2006] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 September 2009.)*
- APC – HP ProLiant Server Solutions [2006]
- APC – HP Superdome Server Solutions [2005]
- AIS – HP Integrity Server Systems [2006]
- AIS – HP ProLiant ML/DL Servers [2007]
- AIS – *Specialty in* HP Integrity Server Support [2005]
- AIS – *Specialty in* HP StorageWorks - ProLiant Storage Server Products [2005]
- ASE – HP ProLiant ML/DL Servers [2007]
- ASE – HP NonStop Systems
- ASE – *Specialty in* HP Integrity Server Support [2005]
- Master ASE – HP ProLiant High Availability and Clustering Solutions
- Master ASE – HP NonStop Solution Architect [2007]
- Master ASE – HP NonStop Systems Support [2007]
- APS – HP BladeSystem [2007]
- APS – HP ProLiant ML/DL Servers [2007]
- APS – HP ProLiant Storage Server Workgroup Products [2005]

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## Certifications pertaining to ProCurve Networking

- ASP – ProCurve Networking [2008]
- ASC – ProCurve Networking [2009]
- ASC – ProCurve Networking [2005] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 15 June 2009.)*

- AIS – ProCurve Networking [2008]
- ASE – ProCurve Network Management [2008]
- ASE – ProCurve Networking & Mobility [2008]
- ASE – ProCurve Networking & WAN Technologies [2008]
- Master ASE – ProCurve Networking Convergence Specialist [2008]
- Master ASE – ProCurve Networking Secure Mobility Specialist [2008]
- Master ASE – ProCurve Networking Security Specialist [2008]
- APS – ProCurve Networking [2008]

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## Certifications pertaining to Software

- ASC – *Specialty in* Insight Dynamics – VSE
- AIS – HP Operations Manager Software v8 for Windows
- AIS – *Specialty in* HP Data Protector Software [2007]
- AIS – HP Asset Management Software v5.x (*Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 July 2009.*)
- AIS – HP Business Availability Center v7
- AIS – HP Change and Configuration Management Software [2005]
- AIS – HP Identity Management Software
- AIS – HP Network Management Center Software v7
- AIS – HP Operations Center Software v8 for UNIX
- AIS – HP Operations Support Systems Software
- AIS – HP Performance Center v9
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- ASE – HP Network Management Center Software v7
- ASE – HP Operations Center Software v8 for UNIX
- ASE – HP Performance Center v9
- ASE – HP Quality Center v9

- ASE – *Specialty in HP Data Protector Software* [2007]
- ASE – *Specialty in HP Storage Essentials* [2008]
- CSA – HP OpenVMS v8
- CSA – HP-UX 11i v3
- CSE – HP OpenVMS v8
- CSE – *Specialty in High Availability - HP-UX 11i v3*
- CSE – *Specialty in Networking and Security - HP-UX 11i v3*
- CSE – *Specialty in Virtualization - HP-UX 11i v3*
- CSE – HP NonStop Kernel

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## Certifications pertaining to Storage solutions

- ASP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- ASC – HP Enterprise Storage Solutions [2009]
- ASC – HP Enterprise Storage Solutions [2005] *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 1 August 2009.)*
- ASC – *Specialty in HP StorageWorks XP Solutions* [2005]
- APP – HP Enterprise Solutions
- APP – HP Commercial SMB Solutions [2006]
- APC – HP StorageWorks Solutions [2009]
- APC – HP Enterprise Storage Solutions *(Note: This certification has been superseded and cannot be acquired after 15 July 2009.)*
- APC – *Specialty in HP StorageWorks XP Solutions* [2005]
- AIS – HP StorageWorks [2008]
- AIS – *Specialty in HP Data Protector Software* [2007]
- AIS – *Specialty in HP StorageWorks - ProLiant Storage Server Products* [2005]
- ASE – HP StorageWorks [2008]
- ASE – *Specialty in HP Data Protector Software* [2007]
- ASE – *Specialty in HP Storage Essentials* [2008]
- ASE – *Specialty in HP StorageWorks Secondary Storage* [2008]
- Master ASE – HP ProLiant High Availability and Clustering Solutions
- Master ASE – HP StorageWorks [2008]
- APS – HP ProLiant Storage Server Workgroup Products [2005]
- APS – HP StorageWorks MSA1000 and MSA1500 [2005]
- APS – HP StorageWorks MSL Tape Libraries [2006]
- APS – HP StorageWorks Optical Storage (UDO & MO) [2004]

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The information in this document is subject to change frequently. HP issues changes to certifications as market needs dictate. For the most accurate and complete list of certifications available from HP, please visit The Learning Center through your local partner portal at [www.hp.com/go/partnerportalaccess](http://www.hp.com/go/partnerportalaccess).

You will need a login ID and password to access your partner portal and The Learning Center. Information on how to request this login ID can be found in Module 3 of this Program Guide.

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