

CompTIA Project+™



 **CompTIA**®
Project+™ Certification Program

THE LEADING VENDOR-NEUTRAL CERTIFICATION FOR PROJECT MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONALS.

What is CompTIA Project+™?

CompTIA Project+ certification is a global credential that validates the knowledge required to effectively manage projects throughout the entire project life cycle. Based on best practices of project management, as identified by major industry organizations, the exam incorporates project management concepts including important soft skills such as conflict resolution, negotiation, communication, team building/leadership and setting and mapping expectations. Individuals seeking to demonstrate project management knowledge, especially entry- to mid-level project managers, business analysts, project team members and project decision makers would benefit from earning this certification.

Why CompTIA Project+?

Industry research indicates that 66 percent of all projects fail for a variety of reasons, including extending beyond budget or deadline, or not meeting the initial intent or requirements for the project. Proper training and certification can significantly reduce these risks because certified professionals have the knowledge to successfully initiate, plan and execute projects. They are also equipped with the tools necessary to overcome obstacles and complete projects on time and within budget. CompTIA Project+ is different from other project management certifications because there are no prerequisites, applications, or continuing education requirements, making it a cost-effective solution for candidates who want to demonstrate to employers they have the project management skills needed to effectively improve project results.

Exam Focus

The CompTIA Project+ examination focuses on the three core competencies necessary for successful project management: best practices in project management methods and processes, critical business knowledge and important interpersonal skills. Case studies and team-based situations help to provide a practitioner focus.

The exam tests four domain areas. The extent to which they are represented in the exam is shown in parentheses:

- Project initiation and scope definition (20%)
- Project planning (30%)
- Project execution, control and coordination (43%)
- Project closure, acceptance and support (7%)

CompTIA Project+™ Certification Benefits Everyone

CompTIA Project+ is beneficial to all companies, training organizations and professionals. Becoming CompTIA Project+ certified gives an individual a recognized industry credential that offers proof of knowledge and expertise. Any career path would be enhanced with the addition of a project management certification.

Employee benefits

- Certified candidate can demonstrate to employers they have the knowledge needed to successfully bring projects in on time and under budget
- Provides the tools needed to work with efficiency, resulting in higher individual productivity
- Enhanced job opportunities, as certified professionals demonstrate in-demand management skills

Employer benefits

- Maximized efficiency in recruiting, hiring, training and promoting employees
- Uniform project management systems that meet industry benchmarks as well as legal and regulatory guidelines
- Common project management terminology across project teams promotes organization-wide efficiency
- Increased customer satisfaction and repeat business by providing certified project management professionals on projects

Preparing to Take the CompTIA Project+ Exam

Visit <http://certification.comptia.org/project+> to find out more about CompTIA Project+ certification. The following information is available at that site:

- Test objectives
- CompTIA Authorized Quality Curriculum™ (CAQC) and CompTIA Learning Alliance™ (CLA) training resources
- Comprehensive glossary of Project Management terms
- Frequently asked questions (FAQs)

Exam Delivery

The CompTIA Project+ exam is published in a format for the computer desktop environment and is available at CompTIA authorized testing centers. The exam consists of 80 questions with a maximum allowable time of 90 minutes.

How to Register

CompTIA has two authorized testing partners. To locate the nearest testing location or to register for the exam, visit certification.comptia.org/register.

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About CompTIA

In 2007, CompTIA is celebrating its 25th anniversary. Just as the information technology (IT) industry it serves has grown, CompTIA has also enjoyed remarkable growth over the past 25 years. The organization was founded by representatives of five micro-computer dealerships working together to find better ways to do business. Today, CompTIA has more than 22,000 member companies in over 100 countries around the world; and serves as the voice of the world's \$1 trillion-plus IT industry. CompTIA is committed to advancing the long-term success and growth of the IT industry by helping organizations maximize the benefits they receive from their investments in technology; and by helping individuals to obtain the skills and credentials they need for productive careers in IT. For more information, please visit: www.comptia.org.



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