



HPE Aruba Networking Certified Professional - Switching

This certification verifies that you understand wired technologies across multiple sites, including branch, edge, and core environments. It also validates your advanced skills to implement and operate enterprise-level HPE Aruba Networking switching solutions. Earning this certification enables you to:

- Create the implementation plan for the wired network solution.
- Install, configure, and troubleshoot the wired network solution.
- Manage, maintain, optimize, and monitor the wired network solution.

Why earn this certification?

- Elevate yourself as a trusted IT professional who can successfully implement enterprise-grade HPE Aruba Networking switching solutions.
- Advance your career as a Certified Professional who understands and implements a modern approach to meet the challenges cloud, mobility, and intelligent edge bring.

Candidate

Typical candidates for this certification are individuals with at least two years of experience working as a team member that supports and maintains multiple campus topologies, edge branches, and data center networks.

Skill level

Expert

Steps to acquire this certification

Before you begin

Acquire access to [The Learning Center](#) and get an [HPE Learner ID](#). If this certification requires a written or online exam (HPE0 or HPE6 or HPE2), then create a user profile with Pearson VUE, our exam vendor for proctored/online exams. Practical exams (HPE1 or HPE0-AxxxP) are delivered through PSI or Aruba Education Services, therefore no Pearson VUE user profile is required.

Step 1: Register or apply for this certification

[Register for this certification in The Learning Center](#). This will make your progress toward this certification more visible within your learner transcripts and the HPE Learning Management Systems.

Step 2: Verify and complete all prerequisites and requirements for your chosen path:

Requirements for candidates new to this certification

There are no prerequisites for this path.

Complete:

Exam #	Exam name	Register for exam
HPE7-A08	HPE Network Switching Professional Exam	Register

Recommended Training

Course #	Course Name	Format - Typical duration	Register for course
Training for Exam HPE7-A08: HPE Network Switching Professional Exam			
0001208243	Implementing AOS-CX Switching, Rev. 24.31	VILT - 5 days ILT - 5 days	Register

WBT = Web Based ILT = Instructor Led VILT = Virtual Instructor Led VCR - Virtual Class Recorded SCA = Special Course or Activity

Requirements for recertification

You must have:

- [HPE Aruba Networking Certified Professional - Switching](#)

Complete 1 of these:

Item Type	Item #	Item name	Register for item
Exam	HPE7-A08	HPE Network Switching Professional Exam	Register
Exam	HPE7-A09	HPE Network Switching Expert Written Exam	Register
Certification	ACX-Switch	HPE Aruba Networking Certified Expert - Switching	Register

Recommended Training

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Training for Exam HPE7-A08: HPE Network Switching Professional Exam			
0001208243	Implementing AOS-CX Switching, Rev. 24.31	VILT - 5 days ILT - 5 days	Register
Training for Exam HPE7-A09: HPE Network Switching Expert Written Exam			
0001208241	Advanced AOS-CX Switching, Rev. 25.11	ILT - 5 days VILT - 5 days	Register

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Digital Badge

Based on the [Open Badges Standard](#), digital badges are online representations of your HPE certifications. Each badge is unique to you. Once you accept and place your badge online—in LinkedIn, Twitter, your email signature, for example—clicking on the badge sends the viewer to a custom verification page that includes your name, HPE certification(s) held, and the skills and capabilities required of the certification. [Click here](#) for more information on HPE digital badges.

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