Specialist – Implementation Engineer, PowerProtect Data Manager Version 2.0
Certification Description

Certification Overview
This certification will benefit any Implementation Engineer or PowerProtect Data Manager professional implementing or managing the PowerProtect Data Manager product. This certification formally validates the skills such as deploy, configure, troubleshoot, integrate and upgrade a PowerProtect Data Manager solution in various environments.

Certification Requirements
To complete the requirements for this certification you must:

1. Achieve one of the following Associate level certifications*
   - Associate - Data Protection and Management Version 1.0
   - Associate - Data Protection and Management Version 2.0
   - Associate - Information Storage and Management Version 2.0
   - Associate - Information Storage and Management Version 3.0
   - Associate - Information Storage and Management Version 4.0

Pass the following Specialist exam on or after July 09, 2021:
   - DES-3521 Specialist – Implementation Engineer, PowerProtect Data Manager Exam

Note: These details reflect certification requirements as of July 09, 2021.

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DES-3521 Specialist – Implementation Engineer, PowerProtect Data Manager Exam

Exam Description

Overview
This exam is a qualifying exam for the Specialist – Implementation Engineer, PowerProtect Data Manager (DCS-IE) track.

This exam focuses on ensuring individuals are knowledgeable in PowerProtect Data Manager concepts and terminology. The exam requires successful candidate to demonstrate knowledge on deploy, configure, troubleshoot, integrate and upgrade an PowerProtect Data Manager solution in various environments.

Dell Technologies provides free practice tests to assess your knowledge in preparation for the exam. Practice tests allow you to become familiar with the topics and question types you will find on the proctored exam. Your results on a practice test offer one indication of how prepared you are for the proctored exam and can highlight topics on which you need to study and train further. A passing score on the practice test does not guarantee a passing score on the certification exam.

Products
Products likely to be referred to on this exam include but are not limited to:

PowerProtect Data Manager 19.6 and below
Cloud Disaster Recovery 19.6

Exam Topics
Topics likely to be covered on this exam include:

**PowerProtect Data Manager Concepts and Features (15%)**
- Describe the features and benefits of PowerProtect
- Identify the PowerProtect Data Manager components and their uses
- Given a scenario, know when a Use case is applicable or not applicable
- Compare and contrast the features and benefits of PowerProtect Cloud Snapshot Manager
- Articulate the business value of PowerProtect Data Manager

**PowerProtect Data Manager Installation and Initial Configuration (20%)**
- List the requirements for a PowerProtect Data Manager
- Describe the requirements to upgrade PowerProtect Data Manager
- Explain procedures for PowerProtect Data Manager Installation or Upgrade
- Explain how to deploy PowerProtect Data Manager
- Upgrade PowerProtect Data Manager
- Describe the post Installation tasks and initial configuration for PowerProtect Data Manager solutions
- Describe Administration of PowerProtect Data Manager
PowerProtect Data Manager Integration (55%)
- Describe the integration, configuration, restoration, and data backup requirements/considerations for PowerProtect Data Manager with MS-SQL
- Explain how to configure, restore, and backup PowerProtect Data Manager for ORACLE database
- Describe the integration, configuration, restoration, and data backup requirements/considerations for PowerProtect Data Manager with VM
- Describe the integration, configuration, restoration, and data backup requirements/considerations for PowerProtect Data Manager with SAP HANA
- Describe the integration, configuration, restoration, and data backup requirements/considerations for PowerProtect Data Manager with MS Exchange
- Describe the integration, configuration, restoration, and data backup requirements/considerations for PowerProtect Data Manager with Kubernetes

PowerProtect Data Manager Troubleshooting (10%)
- Identify and troubleshoot a PowerProtect Data Manager Upgrade
- Identify how to troubleshoot a PowerProtect Data Manager VM backup and Recovery
- Identify how to troubleshoot a PowerProtect PPAS operations

The percentages after each topic above reflects the approximate distribution of the total question set across the exam.

Recommended Training
The following curriculum is recommended for candidates preparing to take this exam.

Please choose one of the options below.

Option 1: Please complete all of the following courses

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### PowerProtect Data Manager SAP HANA Integration
- **Course Title**: PowerProtect Data Manager SAP HANA Integration
- **Course Number**: ES101DPS01685
- **Mode**: On-Demand
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### PowerProtect Data Manager Kubernetes Integration
- **Course Title**: PowerProtect Data Manager Kubernetes Integration
- **Course Number**: ESDPSD02845
- **Mode**: On-Demand
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### PowerProtect Data Manager MS Exchange Integration
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- **Mode**: On-Demand
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### PowerProtect Data Manager Implementation
- **Course Title**: PowerProtect Data Manager Implementation
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- **Available as of**: 12/18/20

### PowerProtect Data Manager VM Integration
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- **Course Number**: ES142DPS00996
- **Mode**: On-Demand Lab
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### PowerProtect Data Manager Oracle Integration
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### PowerProtect Data Manager MS SQL Integration
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### PowerProtect Data Manager SAP HANA Integration
- **Course Title**: PowerProtect Data Manager SAP HANA Integration
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