

VMware Certified Advanced Professional - Data Center Virtualization Deploy 2021 (VCAP-DCV Deploy)

CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS INTRO

Certification Requirements hold value because they signify that you have undergone the necessary lessons, training, seminars, and hands-on experiences that are required to fill the job.

LEARN MORE

We welcome you to visit the official VCAP-DCV Deploy 2021 certification webpage:

<https://www.vmware.com/education-services/certification/vcap-dcv-deploy.html>

CERTIFICATION SUPPORT

If you need help with a Certification Path or with Certification Requirements, please contact the Certification Support Team at: certification@vmware.com

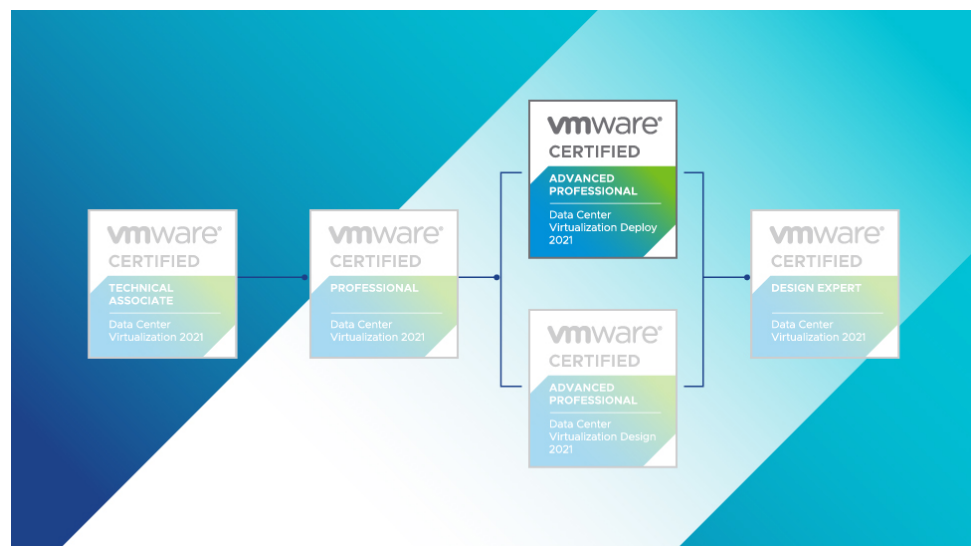
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CERTIFICATION OVERVIEW

The industry-recognized VCAP-DCV Deploy 2021 Deploy certification validates that you know how to deploy and optimize VMware vSphere infrastructures. It proves that you have the knowledge and skills necessary to leverage best practices that provide a scalable and reliable virtualization platform for your organization.

In this document we show the different certification paths available to earn the VCAP-DCV Deploy 2021 certification, depending on what certifications you already hold. You may follow this guide as a learning resource of what is required of you to earn this certification.



Certification Path Requirements

Certification path if you hold no VCAP certifications

1. (Required) Earn the VCP-DCV 2021 (Or hold a VCP-DCV 2020)

[VCP-DCV 2021](#)

2. (Recommended) Attend ONE of the required training courses:

Courses used by VMware to develop this exam and strongly recommended to you for exam preparation:

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

Courses VMware will accept which meet training course requirements (List includes the courses used to develop this exam.):

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\] - On Demand](#)

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale plus Troubleshooting Fast Track \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Troubleshooting \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

3. (Recommended) Practice Exam

[Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x Exam Prep](#)

4. (Required) Review and study the topics and objectives listed in the [Exam Guide](#) and pass the qualifying exam:

[Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x \(3V0-22.21\)](#)

205 Minutes 17 Questions \$450 USD

[Schedule Exam](#)

Certification path if you hold a VCAP-DCV Deploy 2020

1. (Recommended) Practice Exam

[Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x Exam Prep](#)

2. Option 1 - Attend ONE of the training courses in 2021:

Courses used by VMware to develop this exam and strongly recommended to you for exam preparation:

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

Courses VMware will accept which meet training course requirements (List includes the courses used to develop this exam.):

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\] - On Demand](#)

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[VMware vSphere: Troubleshooting \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

3. Option 2 - Review and study the topics and objectives listed in the [Exam Guide](#) and pass the qualifying exam:

[Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x \(3V0-22.21\)](#)

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Certification Path Requirements

Certification path if you hold a VCAP7-CMA Design or Newer OR VCAP-CMA Deploy 2018 or Newer OR VCAP7-DTM Design or Newer OR VCAP6-DTM Deploy or Newer OR VCAP6-NV Deploy or Newer OR VCAP-NV Design 2019 or Newer

1. (Required) Earn the VCP-DCV 2021 (Or hold a VCP-DCV 2020)

[VCP-DCV 2021](#)

2. (Recommended) Attend ONE of the required training courses

Courses used by VMware to develop this exam and strongly recommended to you for exam preparation:

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

Courses VMware will accept which meet training course requirements (List includes the courses used to develop this exam.):

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\]](#)

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[VMware vSphere: Troubleshooting \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

3. (Recommended) Practice Exam

[Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x Exam Prep](#)

4. (Required) Review and study the topics and objectives listed in the [Exam Guide](#) and pass the qualifying exam:

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Certification path if hold a VCAP6.5-DCV Design or Newer OR VCAP-DCV Deploy 2018 or Newer

1. (Recommended) Attend ONE of the training courses

Courses used by VMware to develop this exam and strongly recommended to you for exam preparation:

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

Courses VMware will accept which meet training course requirements (List includes the courses used to develop this exam.):

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\] - On Demand](#)

[VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale plus Troubleshooting Fast Track \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Troubleshooting \[V7\]](#)

[VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]](#)

2. (Recommended) Practice Exam

[Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x Exam Prep](#)

3. (Required) Review and study the topics and objectives listed in the [Exam Guide](#) and pass the qualifying exam:

[Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x \(3V0-22.21\)](#)

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Certification Path Requirements

Certification path if you hold a VCAP6-DCV Design or Older
OR VCAP6-DCV Deploy or Older

1. (Required) Earn the VCP-DCV 2021 (Or hold a VCP-DCV 2020)

[*VCP-DCV 2021*](#)

2. (Recommended) Attend ONE of the required training courses

Courses used by VMware to develop this exam and strongly recommended to you for exam preparation:

[*VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]*](#)

Courses VMware will accept which meet training course requirements (List includes the courses used to develop this exam.):

[*VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\]*](#)

[*VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale \[V7\] - On Demand*](#)

[*VMware vSphere: Optimize and Scale plus Troubleshooting Fast Track \[V7\]*](#)

[*VMware vSphere: Troubleshooting \[V7\]*](#)

[*VMware vSphere: Advanced Administration Workshop \[V7\]*](#)

3. (Recommended) Practice Exam

[*Advanced Deploy VMware vSphere 7.x Exam Prep*](#)

4. (Required) Review and study the topics and objectives listed in the [*Exam Guide*](#) and pass the qualifying exam:

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FAQs

Why does the VCAP-DCV Deploy 2021 have a year designator as its version?

Data Center Virtualization solutions are frequently updated. Having a year as its certification version allows VMware to better maintain the exam and training content, and more importantly, provides certification candidates the ability to communicate how current their skills are in relation to other certifications.

Can I use my VCP-DCV 2019 as a pre-requisite for the VCAP-DCV Deploy 2021 certification?

No, the VCP needs to be the same version as the VCAP you are pursuing. Since this is a new version of the certification, with new objectives, skills, and knowledge required, the VCP-DCV 2020 or VCP-DCV 2021 is required for new candidates to earn the VCAP-DCV Deploy 2021.

Do I have to complete the requirements in the order listed?

No, however we strongly recommend that you do so. Also, please note that successfully registering to take an exam does not imply that you meet the certification requirements in full.

What are the benefits of a badge?

- A single source that combines your credentials and provides a complete overview of your skills.
- Digital badges allow for you to easily share your accomplishments in social media.
- Provides employers with easy, valid verification of your VMware credentials.

How do I share my badge?

When you've earned a VMware badge, you will receive an email notification alerting you to claim your badge. When you accept your badge, you'll be brought immediately into a sharing workflow that allows you to share to Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn, embed in a personal website, or share over email.