

ArchiMate® 3 Practitioner

The purpose of certification for ArchiMate 3 Practitioner is to provide validation that the Candidate has gained knowledge of the notation, terminology, structure, and concepts of the ArchiMate modeling language, and has the capability to use the ArchiMate language for modeling. The learning objectives at this level focus on knowledge, comprehension, including advanced concepts, and the ability to apply the ArchiMate modeling language.

Target Audience

- Individuals who require to demonstrate practical usage and knowledge of the ArchiMate modeling language
- Individuals who will be responsible for developing architecture artifacts using ArchiMate language notation
- Individuals who want to achieve a recognized qualification to demonstrate their practical ability to apply the ArchiMate modeling language

The Value of this Certification

Individuals certified at this level will have demonstrated their understanding of:

- The language structure, including its advanced concepts
- How to apply and use the generic metamodel
- How to apply the set of relationships defined in the language
- How to apply the Motivation elements of the language
- How to apply the Strategy elements of the language
- How to apply the elements of the Business Layer
- How to apply the elements of the Application Layer
- How to apply the elements of the Technology Layer
- How to apply the Physical elements
- How to apply the concepts of cross-layer modeling
- How to apply the Implementation and Migration elements of the language
- How to apply the viewpoint mechanism
- How to apply the Language customization mechanisms

Examination

Certification is achieved by passing the two examinations.

Examination Name	ArchiMate 3 Part 1
Examination Type	Multiple-choice examination, 40 questions/60 minutes
Supervised	YES
Open Book	NO
Delivery Options	1. Accredited training organizations provide access to the examination via Internet-based delivery. 2. Open Group Authorized test centers
Examination Name	ArchiMate 3 Part 2
Examination Type	Complex multiple-choice scenario-based examination, 8 questions/90 minutes
Supervised	YES
Open Book	YES
Delivery Options	1. Accredited training organizations provide access to the examination via Internet-based delivery. 2. Open Group Authorized test centers

For individuals who have previously achieved the ArchiMate 2 Certified qualification, there is an alternative examination path available for a limited period of 12 months after the introduction of the program:

Examination Name	ArchiMate 3 Advanced Bridge
Examination Type	Section 1: Multiple-choice examination, 20 questions/30 minutes Section 2: Complex multiple-choice scenario-based examination, 4 questions/45 minutes
Supervised	YES
Open Book	Section 1: NO; Section 2: YES ¹
Delivery Options	1. Accredited training organizations provide access to the examination via Internet-based delivery. 2. Open Group Authorized test centers

Study Track

Candidates may choose how they wish to learn about the ArchiMate modeling language. Courses will be available from The Open Group accredited training organizations and other training organizations.

Prerequisites

Candidates who have previously qualified to ArchiMate 2 Certified are eligible to take the ArchiMate 3 Advanced Bridge examination. This is valid for 12 months only.

¹ Please note that once you start Section 2 you cannot return to Section 1.