

ArchiMate® 3 Certification Program Summary

The objective of the program is to make certification available to individuals who have knowledge and understanding of the ArchiMate modeling language, and the capability to use the ArchiMate language for modeling.

The ArchiMate 3 Certification program includes two certification levels defined for the ArchiMate 3.2 Specification:

- ArchiMate 3 Foundation
- ArchiMate 3 Practitioner

ArchiMate 3 Foundation

The purpose of certification for ArchiMate 3 Foundation is to provide validation that the Candidate has gained knowledge of the notation, terminology, structure, and basic concepts of the ArchiMate modeling language. The learning objectives at this level focus on knowledge and comprehension. Certification for ArchiMate 3 Foundation is achieved by passing the ArchiMate 3 Part 1 Examination. This is a simple multiple-choice examination with 40 questions.¹

ArchiMate 3 Practitioner

The purpose of certification for ArchiMate 3 Practitioner is to provide validation that, in addition to the knowledge and comprehension of ArchiMate 3 Foundation, the Candidate is able to analyze and apply this knowledge. The learning objectives at this level therefore focus on application and analysis. Certification for ArchiMate 3 Practitioner is achieved by passing the ArchiMate 3 Part 2 Examination.

The path to certification is shown in the following diagram:



¹ For the latest information on examinations, see the ArchiMate Certification website at: www.opengroup.org/certifications/archimate.