

ENTERPRISE ROUTING AND SWITCHING, PROFESSIONAL (JNCIP-ENT)

Exam Preparation

We recommend the following resources to help you prepare for your exam. However, these resources aren't required, and using them doesn't guarantee you'll pass the exam.

Recommended Training

- [Advanced Junos Enterprise Routing \(AJER\)](#)
- [Advanced Junos Enterprise Switching \(AJEX\)](#)

Exam Resources

- Industry/product knowledge
- [Juniper TechLibrary](#)

Additional Preparation

- [Juniper Learning Portal](#)

Exam Objectives

Here's a high-level view of the skillset required to successfully complete the JNCIP-ENT certification exam.

Interior Gateway Protocols (IGPs)

Describe the concepts, operation, or functionality of IGPs:

- IS-IS
- OSPFv2 and OSPFv3
- Routing Policy
- Given a scenario, demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor IGPs.

BGP

Describe the concepts, operation, or functionality of BGP:

- BGP route selection process
- Next hop resolution
- BGP attributes - concept and operation
- BGP communities

- Load balancing - multipath, multihop, forwarding table
- NLRI families - inet, inet6
- Advanced BGP options

Given a scenario, demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor BGP:

- Implement BGP routing policy

IP Multicast

Describe the concepts, operation, or functionality of IP multicast:

- Components of IP multicast, including multicast addressing
- IP multicast traffic flow
- Any-Source Multicast (ASM) vs. Source-Specific Multicast (SSM)
- RPF - concept and operation
- IGMP, IGMP snooping
- PIM sparse-mode
- Rendezvous point (RP) - concept, operation, discovery, election
- Anycast RP
- MSDP
- Routing policy and scoping

Given a scenario, demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor IP multicast:

- IGMP, PIM-SM (including SSM)
- Implement IP multicast routing policy

Ethernet Switching and Spanning Tree

Describe the concepts, operation or functionality of advanced Ethernet switching:

- Filter-based VLANs
- Private VLANs
- Dynamic VLAN registration using MVRP
- Tunnel Layer 2 traffic through Ethernet networks
- Layer 2 tunneling using Q-in-Q and L2PT

Given a scenario, demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor advanced Ethernet switching:

- Filter-based VLANs
- Dynamic VLAN registration using MVRP
- Tunnel Layer 2 traffic through Ethernet networks
- Layer 2 tunneling using Q-in-Q and L2PT

Describe the concepts, operation, or functionality of advanced spanning tree protocols, including MSTP or VSTP.

Given a scenario, demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor MSTP or VSTP.

L2 Authentication and Access Control

Describe the operation of various Layer 2 authentication or access control features:

- Authentication process flow
- 802.1x - concepts and functionality
- MAC RADIUS
- Captive portal
- Server fail fallback
- Guest VLAN
- Considerations when using multiple authentication/access control methods

Given a scenario, demonstrate how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor Layer 2 authentication or access control.

IP Telephony Features

Describe the concepts, operation or functionality of features that facilitate IP telephony deployments:

- Power over Ethernet (PoE)
- LLDP and LLDP-MED
- Voice VLAN

Given a scenario, demonstrate how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor features used to support IP telephony deployments.

Class of Service (CoS)

Describe the concepts, operation, or functionality of Junos CoS for Layer 2/3 networks:

- CoS processing on Junos devices
- CoS header fields
- Forwarding classes
- Classification
- Packet loss priority

- Policers
- Schedulers
- Drop profiles
- Shaping
- Rewrite rules

Given a scenario, demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor CoS for Layer 2 or 3 networks.

EVPN

Describe the concepts, operation, or functionality of Junos EVPN:

- Route types (e.g., Type 1, 2 3)
- VXLAN
- Multi-homing (e.g., active route types)

Given a scenario, demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, troubleshoot, or monitor EVPN.

Exam Details

Exam questions are derived from the recommended training and the exam resources listed above. Pass/fail status is available immediately after taking the exam. The exam is only provided in English.

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JN0-649

Prerequisite Certification

JNCIS-ENT

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Exam Length

90 minutes

Exam Type

65 multiple-choice questions

Software Versions

- Junos OS 21.2

Recertification

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