

# Certification Outline

## Alibaba Cloud Associate (ACA) Cloud Native

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### Description

The Alibaba Cloud Associate (ACA) Cloud Native certification, commonly known as ACA Cloud Native certification, is the associate-level Alibaba Cloud Native Certification. It covers all of Alibaba Cloud's Cloud Native products from containers such as Kubernetes and Docker, to automation, scaling and security.

### Intended Audience

This certification exam is not for Alibaba Cloud absolute beginners, prior experience is required. We recommend to start first with the ACA Cloud Computing certification before starting with the ACA Cloud Native certification, since it provides an overview of all Alibaba Cloud core products. Additionally, experience with containers, Kubernetes and Docker is a plus to better understand all the concepts.

### Certification Overview

| Certification Name  | Alibaba Cloud Associate (ACA) Cloud Native Certification |
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| Test Type           | Online Registration                                      |
| Exam Duration       | 90 minutes   |
| Number of Questions | 50   |
| Total Mark          | 100  |
| Passing Score       | 60   |
| Exam Fee            | \$120  |
| Exam Language       | English  |
| Validation          | 2 years  |

### Type of Questions

Note that the Alibaba Cloud Associate (ACA) Cloud Native certification is not like other common certification exam that consists of all the randomly placed multiple choice or multiple select questions. In the ACA Cloud Native certification, the questions are placed in the following sequence and marks are fixed for each question:

| Questions | Type               | Points |
|-----------|--------------------|--------|
| 28        | Single Selection   | 2      |
| 10        | Multiple Selection | 2      |
| 12        | True-False         | 2      |

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### Exam Blueprint

The exam blueprint for the Alibaba Cloud Associate consists of a number of products with their percentage content in the examination. Here is the blueprint for Alibaba Cloud Associate (ACA) Cloud Native certification as mentioned in the official document of the ACA Cloud Native certification:

| Product name                         | % of Exam |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Cloud Native Basics                  | 10%       |
| Application Containerization         | 10%       |
| Multi-cloud Management with ACL      | 10%       |
| Container Registry                   | 10%       |
| Resource Orchestration Automation    | 10%       |
| Resource Auto Scaling                | 10%       |
| Build AI and Machine Learning on ACK | 10%       |
| Cloud Native Security                | 10%       |
| Serverless Infrastructure            | 10%       |
| Resource Observation                 | 10%       |