

JNCIS-ENT Exam Objectives (Exam: JN0-343)

This list provides a general view of the skill set required to successfully complete the specified certification exam. Topics listed are subject to change.

Layer 2 Switching and VLANs

- Identify the concepts, operation, and functionality of Layer 2 switching for the Junos OS
 - o Enterprise switching platforms
 - o Bridging components
 - o Frame processing
- Identify the concepts, benefits, and functionality of VLANs
 - o Ports
 - o Tagging
 - o Native VLANs and voice VLANs
 - o Inter-VLAN routing
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, monitor and troubleshoot Layer 2 switching and VLANs
 - o Interfaces and ports
 - o VLANs
 - o Routed VLAN interfaces (RVI)

Spanning Tree

- Identify the concepts, benefits, operation, and functionality of the Spanning Tree Protocol
 - o STP and RSTP concepts
 - o Port roles and states
 - o BPDUs
 - o Convergence and reconvergence
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure and monitor STP and RSTP
 - o STP
 - o RSTP

Layer 2 Security

- Identify the concepts, benefits and operation of various protection and security features
 - o BPDU, loop and root protection

- o Port security, including MAC limiting, DHCP snooping, Dynamic ARP inspection (DAI) and IP source guard
- o Storm control
- Identify the concepts, benefits and operation of Layer 2 firewall filters
- o Filter types
- o Processing order
- o Match criteria and actions
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure and monitor Layer 2 security
- o Protection
- o Port security
- o Storm control
- o Firewall filter configuration and application

Protocol Independent Routing

- Identify the concepts, operation and functionality of various protocol-independent routing components
- o Static, aggregate, and generated routes
- o Martian addresses
- o Routing instances, including RIB groups
- o Load balancing
- o Filter-based forwarding
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure and monitor various protocol-independent routing components
- o Static, aggregate, and generated routes
- o Load balancing
- o Filter-based forwarding

Open Shortest Path First (OSPF)

- Identify the concepts, operation and functionality of OSPF
- o Link-state database
- o OSPF packet types
- o Router ID
- o Adjacencies and neighbors
- o Designated router (DR) and backup designated router (BDR)
- o OSPF area and router types
- o LSA packet types
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, monitor and troubleshoot OSPF
- o Areas, interfaces and neighbors
- o Additional basic options
- o Routing policy application
- o Troubleshooting tools

Intermediate System to Intermediate System (IS-IS)

- Identify the concepts, operation and functionality of IS-IS
 - o Link-state database
 - o IS-IS PDUs
 - o TLVs
 - o Adjacencies and neighbors
 - o Levels and areas
 - o Designated intermediate system (DIS)
 - o Metrics
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure, monitor and troubleshoot IS-IS
 - o Levels, interfaces and adjacencies
 - o Additional basic options
 - o Routing policy application
 - o Troubleshooting tools

Border Gateway Protocol (BGP)

- Identify the concepts, operation and functionality of BGP
 - o BGP basic operation
 - o BGP message types
 - o Attributes
 - o Route/path selection process
 - o IBGP and EBGP functionality and interaction
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure and monitor BGP
 - o Groups and peers
 - o Additional basic options
 - o Routing policy application

Tunnels

- Identify the concepts, requirements and functionality of IP tunneling
 - o Tunneling applications and considerations
 - o GRE
 - o IP-IP
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure and monitor IP tunnels
 - o GRE
 - o IP-IP

High Availability

- Identify the concepts, benefits, applications and requirements for high availability in a Junos OS environment
 - Link aggregation groups (LAG)
 - Redundant trunk groups (RTG)
 - Virtual Chassis
 - Graceful restart (GR)
 - Graceful Routing Engine switchover (GRES)
 - Nonstop active routing (NSR)
 - Nonstop bridging (NSB)
 - Bidirectional Forwarding Detection (BFD)
 - Virtual Router Redundancy Protocol (VRRP)
 - Unified In-Service Software Upgrade (ISSU)
- Demonstrate knowledge of how to configure and monitor high availability components
 - LAG and RTG
 - Virtual Chassis
 - GR, GRES, NSR, and NSB
 - VRRP
 - ISSU