Exam MS-202: Microsoft 365 Messaging Administrator Certification Transition – Skills Measured

From [MS-200](#): Planning and Configuring a Messaging Platform

Manage modern messaging infrastructure (20-25%)

Manage databases

- plan mailbox database requirements
- create mailbox databases
- configure mailbox databases
- troubleshoot mailbox databases

Manage messaging infrastructure lifecycle

- plan Exchange server installation
- prepare Active Directory (AD) for Exchange
- install and update Exchange services

Manage mail flow topology (5-10%)

Plan the transport pipeline

- plan transport architecture
- design for multi-site mail flow
- plan a high availability mail flow solution

Manage recipients and devices (10-15%)

Manage recipient resources

- manage archive mailboxes
- manage resource mailboxes
- manage groups
- manage mailboxes
- manage mailbox permissions
- configure mailbox policies
- manage shared mailboxes

- evaluate license options

From [MS-201](): Implementing a Hybrid and Secure Messaging Platform

Plan and implement a hybrid configuration and migration (20-25%)

Plan a hybrid environment

- evaluate federation in hybrid coexistence
- evaluate hybrid free/busy access
- decide between Exchange Classic Hybrid and Exchange Modern Hybrid

Deploy a hybrid environment

- deploy and verify OAuth for a hybrid deployment
- install and configure Edge server role
- configure hybrid mail flow
- configure federation in hybrid coexistence
- configure Organization Configuration Transfer (OCT)
- deploy the Exchange Hybrid Agent to one or more Exchange servers
- implement advanced hybrid functionality, including On-premises, OneDrive access, and Outlook for iOS

Secure the messaging environment (35-40%)

Manage message hygiene

- plan for message hygiene
- manage connection filters
- configure malware filters
- configure spam filters
- monitor action center
- monitor quarantined items
- manage protection for phishing
- plan and configure Spam Confidence Levels (SCL)

Manage Advanced Threat Protection (ATP) for messaging

- configure and manage ATP safe attachments
- configure and manage ATP safe links
- configure and manage ATP anti-phishing

- manage ATP anti-spam
- monitor Threat Protection status

Manage compliance

- configure retention policies
- configure data loss prevention policies
- review and analyze audit logs
- manage journal rules
- manage content search
- manage litigation hold