

# The journey to Microsoft Certified: Azure Data Engineer Associate

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## Start here

Decide if this is the right certification for you

## Get trained

### This certification is a good fit if your responsibilities include:

- Building and maintaining secure and compliant data processing pipelines by using different tools and techniques.
- Using various Azure data services and languages to store and produce cleansed and enhanced datasets for analysis.

### OR

### If you already have or were working toward this certification:

- MCSA: Data Engineering with Azure

### Brand new? First, master the basics.

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### Exam study guide

- > [DP-203](#)

### Self-paced training

- > [Microsoft Learn](#)

### Instructor-led training

- > [Course DP-203: Data Engineering on Microsoft Azure](#)

### Virtual events

- > [Microsoft Azure Virtual Training Day: Deliver Integrated Analytics with Azure Synapse](#)

## Build confidence

### Exam preparation

- > [Exam Readiness Zone](#)

### Take a practice exam

- > [Practice Assessment on Microsoft Learn DP-203](#)

### Skills measured:

- Design and implement data storage
- Design and develop data processing
- Design and implement data security
- Monitor and optimize data storage and data processing

## Get recognized

- > Pass [Exam DP-203](#) to earn this certification.



Microsoft Certified:  
[Azure Data Engineer Associate](#)

Azure data engineers integrate, transform, and consolidate data from various structured and unstructured data systems into structures that are suitable for building analytics solutions.

### Products featured

- Microsoft Azure

## Apply skills

- > [Cloud Games on Microsoft Learn: Data Feeds](#)