Implementing Cisco Catalyst SD-WAN Solutions

Duration: 180 Days Course Code: ENSDWI Version: 3.0 Delivery Method: Elearning (Self-paced)

Overview:

Learn how to design, deploy, configure and manage your Cisco® Software-Defined WAN (SD-WAN) solution in a large-scale live network, including how to migrate from legacy WAN to SD-WAN. You will learn best practices for configuring routing protocols in the data center and the branch, as well as how to implement advanced control, data, and application-aware policies.
The course also covers SD-WAN deployment and migration options, placement of controllers, how to deploy WAN Edge devices, and how to configure Direct Internet Access (DIA) breakout, and how to deploy a Multi-Region Cisco SD-WAN fabric. You will also learn about the various Application Quality of Experience (AppQoE) traffic optimization capabilities. Finally, the training looks at the different Cisco SD-WAN security options available. The course looks at the different Cisco SD-WAN security options available, such as application-aware enterprise firewall, Intrusion Prevention System (IPS), URL filtering, Cisco Advanced Malware Protection (AMP), Secure Sockets Layer/Transport Layer Security (SSL/TLS) proxy, and Cisco Umbrella® Secure Internet Gateway (SIG) and Cisco TrustSec in Cisco SD-WAN.

This course is worth 32 Continuing Education (CE) credits towards recertification.

e-Learning

Interactive self-paced content that provides flexibility in terms of pace, place and time to suit individuals and organisations. These resources also consist of online books, educational podcasts and vodcasts, and video-based learning.

Target Audience:

Engineers involved in the design, planning, deployment, maintenance and troubleshooting of a Cisco SD-WAN solution.

Objectives:

- **After completing this course you should be able to:**
- Describe the Cisco SD-WAN solution and how modes of operation differ in traditional WAN versus SD-WAN.
- Describe options for Cisco SD-WAN cloud and on-premises deployment.
- Explain how to deploy WAN Edge devices.
- Compare the Zero-Touch Provisioning (ZTP) and traditional Plug-n-Play processes and examine technical specifics for on-premises deployment.
- Describe configuration groups and feature profiles for configuration management.
- Describe device and feature configuration templates.
- Describe options for providing scalability, high availability, and redundancy.
- Explain how dynamic routing protocols are deployed in an SD-WAN environment, on the service side and transport side.
- Describe Cisco SD-WAN policy concepts, which includes how policies are defined, attached, distributed, and applied.
- Define and implement advanced control policies, such as policies for custom topologies and service insertion.
- Describe the Multi-Region SD-WAN fabric feature.
- Define and implement advanced data policies, such as policies for traffic engineering and QoS.
- Describe the Application Quality of Experience (AppQoE) capabilities available in Cisco SD-WAN.
- Define and implement an Application-Aware Routing (AAR) policy.
- Implement Direct Internet Access (DIA) and Cisco SD-WAN Cloud OnRamp options.
- Describe Cisco SD-WAN security components and integration.
- Describe how to design pure and hybrid Cisco SD-WAN solutions, as well as how to perform a migration to Cisco SD-WAN.
- Describe the different tools and options available for managing a Cisco SD-WAN fabric.
- Describe the different tools and options available for monitoring the Cisco SD-WAN fabric.
- Describe Cisco SD-WAN support for multicast.

Prerequisites:

Attendees should meet the following prerequisites:

- Knowledge of Software-Defined Networking (SDN) concepts as applied to large-scale live network deployments
- Strong understanding of enterprise WAN design
- Strong understanding of routing protocol operation, including both interior and exterior routing protocol operation
- Familiarity with Transport Layer Security (TLS) and IP Security (IPSec)
- CCNA - Implementing and Administering Cisco Solutions
- ENCOR - Implementing and Operating Cisco Enterprise Network Core Technologies

Testing and Certification

Recommended as preparation for the following exams:

- **300-415** - ENSDWI - Implementing Cisco SD-WAN Solutions

Content:

Examine the Cisco SD WAN Architecture

- Software-Defined Networking for the WAN
- SD-WAN Components and Functions
- Underlay and Overlay Network
- SD-WAN Terminology
- Secure Control Plane
- Secure Data Plane
- SD-WAN Platforms
- IOS XE and IOS XE SD-WAN Software

Examine Cisco SD-WAN Deployment Options

- Flexible Controller Deployment Options
- SD-WAN Cloud Deployment
- SD-WAN Managed Service Provider Deployment
- SD-WAN On-Premises Deployment
- Using an Enterprise CA
- Controller Placement and Challenges

Deploying WAN Edge Devices

- Onboard WAN Edge Devices
- Deploy Cisco Catalyst 8000v IOS XE Devices
- ZTP Process Overview - Pure Play Viptela operating system
- Cisco Plug-and-Play Process Overview
- Working with NAT

Manage Device Configuration

- Configuration Groups Overview
- Configuraion Group Feature Profile Overview
- Device Configuration Template Overview
- Device Configuration Template Features

Explore Redundancy, High Availability, and Scalability

- Horizontal Solution Scale
- Cisco vManage, vSmart and vBond Redundancy
- Routed and Bridged Site Design

Enabling Service-Side and Transport-Side Routing

- Implement OSPF
- Implement BGP
- Impement EIGRP
- Implement TLOC Extensions
- Loop Prevention Mechanism

Explore SD-WAN Policy Configuration Basics

- Policy Configuraton Overview
- Policy Attachment, Distribution and Operation

Define Advanced Control Policies

- Control Policy Overview
- Control Policy Application
- Using Arbitrary VPN Topology
- Using Hierarchical Topology
- VPN Membership Policies
- Multi-Region Fabric
- Implementing Traffic Engineering
- Implementing Service Insertion and Chaining
- Implementing Shared Services
- Dynamic On-Demand Tunnels

Define Advanced Data Policies

- Data Policy Overview
- Implementing Traffic Engineering
- Data Forwarding and Qos
- Implementing Qos in Cisco SD-WAN

Implement Application Quality of Experience

- Application Quality of Experience Overview
- TCP Optimization
- Data Redundancy Elimination
- Packet Duplication
- Forward Error Correction
- AppNav-XE

Implement Application-Aware Routing

- AAR Overview
- Implement AAR Policy

Examine Direct Internet Access and Cloud Deployment Options

- Implement Direct Internet Access
- Cisco SD-WAN Cloud OnRamp for SaaS
- Cisco SD-WAN Cloud onRamp for IaaS
- Cisco SD-WAN Cloud onRamp for Multicloud
- Cisco SD-WAN Cloud OnRamp for Colocation
- Cisco Enterprise NFV Infrastructure Software (NFVIS) SD-Branch

Explore Cisco SD-WAN Security

- Cisco SD-WAN Intent Based Security Use Cases
- Cisco SD-WAN Security Components
- Cisco Umbrella DNS Security and SIG Integration
- Cisco Legacy and Unified Policy
- Describe Cisco SD-WAN TrustSec

Design and Migrate to Cisco SD-WAN

- Design Considerations for Hybrid Scenarios
- Enabling Cisco SD-WAN in the Data Center
- Migrating the Branch to Pure SD-WAN
- Migrating a Branch to a Hybrid Model

Perform Cisco SD-WAN Network Management and Troubleshooting

- Managing Cisco SD-WAN
- Monitoring Cisco SD-WAN
- Troubleshooting Cisco SD-WAN
- Upgrading Cisco SD-WAN Components

Examine Cisco SD-WAN Multicast Support

- Multicast Overlay Routing
- Multicast Protocol Support
- Traffic Flow in Multicast Overlay Routing

Lab outline

- Lab 1: Deploy Cisco SD-WAN Controllers
- Lab 2: Manage Cisco SD-WAN Device Configuration
- Lab 3: Configure Cisco SD-WAN Controller Affinity
- Lab 4: Implement Service Side Routing Protocols
- Lab 5: Implement Transport Location (TLOC) Extensions
- Lab 6: Implement Control Policies
- Lab 7: Implement Data Policies
- Lab 8: Implement Application-Aware Routing
- Lab 9: Implement Branch and Regional Internet Breakouts
- Lab 10: Configure Application Firewall
- Lab 11: Migrate Branch Sites
- Lab 12: Perform Cisco SD-WAN Software Upgrade

Further Information:

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