

# Hitachi Data Systems Certified Architect

This certification is designed primarily for Hitachi Data Systems personnel and authorized partners, storage architects who assess, plan and design storage solutions with Hitachi products and technology.

Storage solution architects examine data and information requirements from a business perspective and respond with solutions, defined as hardware and software architecture, that meet the requirements.

The architects prepare technical architecture implementation strategies and plans and apply new technologies. They also prepare detailed implementation plans in association with and for execution by implementation specialists.

Solution architects maintain a broad knowledge of storage concepts, including interoperability of storage networking, as well as detailed implementation knowledge. They also can design best storage practices in the context of a client's infrastructure.

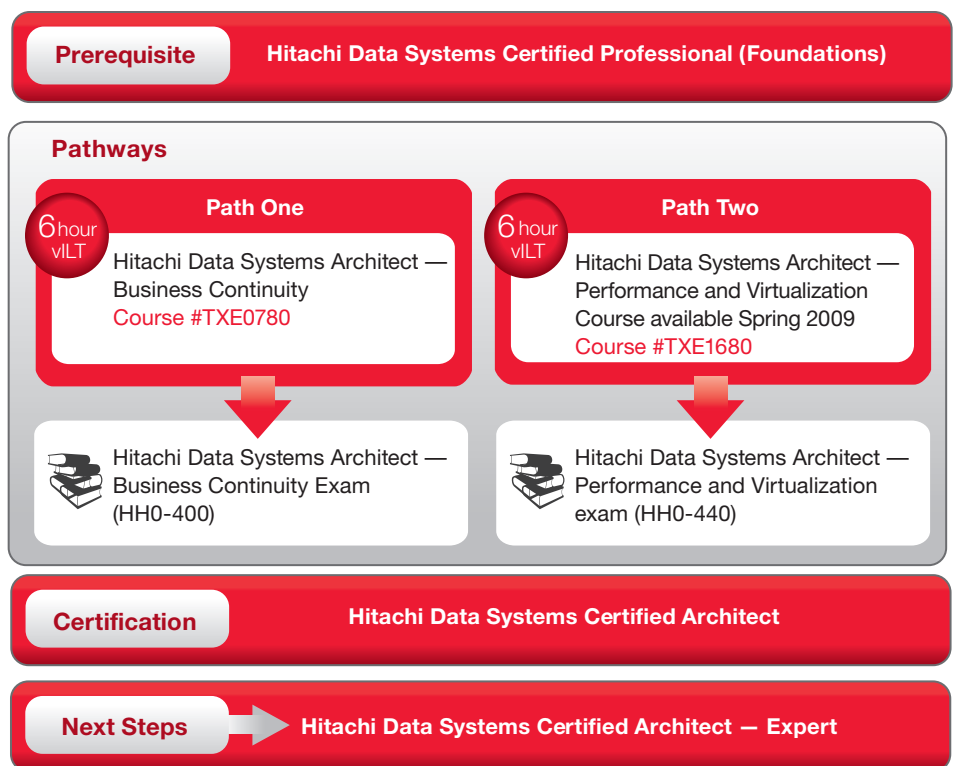
## Exam Requirements

### Hitachi Data Systems Certified Architect

- Pass one Hitachi Data Systems Storage Foundations certification exam
- Pass the Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Business Continuity exam (HH0-400) or the Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Performance and Virtualization exam (HH0-440)

### Hitachi Data Systems Certified Architect — Expert

- Achieve the Hitachi Data Systems Certified Architect status



- Pass the SNIA Architect exam (S10-300) ([www.snia.org/education/certification](http://www.snia.org/education/certification))

- Test duration: 60 minutes; 90 minutes for non-English speaking countries
- Exam style: proctored and closed book

## Exam Specifics

### Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Business Continuity Exam (HH0-400)

- Cost: US\$200 in North America; US\$225 outside of North America (or equivalent in local currency)
- Passing score: 64 percent
- Test questions: 57

This test will validate that the successful candidate has the knowledge required to architect a Hitachi Data Systems business continuity solution. Exam topics include: Understanding Business and Recovery Requirements, Replication Architectures, Making Technology Recommendations, Workload Analysis, Connectivity Design and Configuration Sizing.

## Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Performance and Virtualization Exam (HH0-440)

- Cost: US\$200 in North America; US\$225 outside of North America (or equivalent in local currency)
- Passing score: 64 percent
- Test questions: 59
- Test duration: 60 minutes; 90 minutes for non-English-speaking countries
- Exam style: proctored and closed book

This test will verify the successful candidate has knowledge of storage performance concepts, Hitachi storage performance tools and products, standard performance analysis tools, optimal storage design principles and bottleneck analysis and resolution.

## Supporting Training

The following supporting training for the Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Business Continuity exam (HH0-400) includes:

### Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Business Continuity

*TXE0780 — Six hour Virtual Instructor-led Training (vILT)*

This vILT course covers Understanding Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery Requirements, Replication Architectures, Making Technology Recommendations, Workload Analysis, Connectivity Design and Configuration Sizing.

For more information on the Hitachi Data Systems Certification Program, please visit <http://www.hds.com/certification> or e-mail [HDSCertifications@hds.com](mailto:HDSCertifications@hds.com).

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**Register for Instructor-led Training (ILT) through the Hitachi Data Systems Learning Center.** Search by course number or title to view course descriptions and available sessions.

- Customers: <https://learningcenter.hds.com>
- Partners (via PartnerXchange): <https://extranet.hds.com/http://aim.hds.com/portal/dt>.

The following supporting training for the Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Performance and Virtualization exam (HH0-440) includes:

### Hitachi Data Systems Architect — Performance and Virtualization

*TXE1680 — Six hour Virtual Instructor-led Training (vILT)*

This vILT course builds upon the practical working knowledge of storage professionals who have implemented Hitachi performance and virtualization solutions. In addition it refreshes existing knowledge of performance and virtualization architecture concepts.

The course covers performance concepts and tools, design principles, storage-related equipment and applications, I/O concepts, storage configurations, and assessment, planning, and design of storage solutions.

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