

Tableau Certification

2017 Release



Tableau Certification 2017 release has new benefits, a simplified exam structure, and offers exams on the most current version of Tableau.

Visibility

Once you pass an exam, Tableau will provide opportunities to showcase your title to the public. More details to come.

Simplicity

We are removing the reference to a product version from the certification titles. For example, instead of achieving *Tableau Desktop 10 Qualified Associate* you will simply become a *Tableau Desktop Qualified Associate*. This simplifies the structure for you and helps Tableau better align with the industry.

Duration

Certification titles are moving to a term duration. Once you achieve a certification title, it will be active for the following time period:

- Qualified Associates will be active for 2 years
- Certified Professionals will be active for 3 years

FAQ

When are these changes happening?

October 2017

What if I currently have a versioned title?

Titles that contain a version (ex. Desktop 10 Qualified Associate) will never expire, but you must be sure to reference the product version in your title.

What if I'm scheduled to take a version 10 exam?

Nothing changes. You will still take the v10 exam. Once the new exams release, you will be given a new, non-versioned title and receive further information on new benefits.

If there are no versions, how do I know what product version I will be tested on?

All exams will be taken on the most current version of Tableau at the time of testing.

Are there any pre-requisites to taking a Certified Professional exam at TC17?

Yes. You will need to be an active Qualified Associate before you can take the Certified Professional exam. For TC17, this means you need to have passed the v10 Qualified Associate or the v10 Delta for the associated product.

What happens when my title expires?

As your expiration date approaches, you will want to pass the exam again to reset your active term. Expired titles are unable to receive certification benefits.

Questions? Email certification@tableau.com.