

Privacy Manager Certification

Examination Blueprint for the Certified Information Privacy Manager (CIPM)



The examination blueprint indicates the minimum and maximum number of question items that are included on the CIPM examination from the major areas of the Body of Knowledge. Questions may be asked from any of the listed topics under each area. You can use this blueprint to guide your preparation for the CIPM examination.

I. Privacy Program Governance	26	39
A. Organization Level Create a company vision, establish a privacy program, structure the privacy team	8	11
B. Develop the Privacy Program Framework Develop organizational privacy policies, standards and/or guidelines, define privacy program activities	9	13
C. Implement the Privacy Policy Framework Communicate the framework to internal and external stakeholders, ensure continuous alignment to applicable laws and regulations to support the development of an organizational privacy program framework	6	9
D. Metrics Identify intended audience for metrics, define reporting resources, define privacy metrics for oversight and governance per audience, identify systems/application collection points	3	6
II. Privacy Operational Lifecycle	29	42
A. Assess Your Organization Document current baseline of your privacy, processors and third-party vendor assessment, physical assessments, mergers, acquisitions and divestitures, conduct analysis and assessments, as needed or appropriate	8	11
B. Protect Data life cycle, information security practices, Privacy by Design	2	5
C. Sustain Measure, align, audit, communicate, monitor	10	14
D. Respond Information requests, privacy incidents	9	12