**TAPPI Professional Certificate**

**Value**

Why should I get a TAPPI Professional Certificate?

TAPPI is respected and recognized as an IACET accredited education provider and major contributor to worldwide standards for the worldwide pulp, paper, packaging, tissue, and converting industries.

What is the value of a TAPPI Professional Certificate?

- Confirm your knowledge and experience upon completing the corresponding TAPPI Online or Face-to-Face learning course
- Assure employers and clients of subject mastery
- Serve as a springboard for continued professional development
- Demonstrate competency in critical tissue manufacturing knowledge, skills and abilities including: Improving overall tissue machine efficiency; Increasing production; and enhancing product softness and bulk
- Elevate your reputation among peers, in the workplace and among clients

**Taking My Exam**

What content is covered on the test?

Certificate exams assess competence in the areas covered in the online and face-to-face courses.

What is the test format?

Certificate tests are presented as multiple choice questions. The questions are segmented by topic depending on the amount of the course content. The candidate taking the certification exam has 24 hours to complete their test. Candidates will receive a result of "pass" or "fail". TAPPI requires a passing score of 80% or greater.

How will I know if I’m ready?
TAPPI Academy’s elearning modules provide the learner with review questions to access the learner’s comprehension of the material. TAPPI face-to-face courses allow registrants to communicate with instructors and ask questions.

Since no two exam candidates have the exact same education and work experience background, it must be up to the individual to identify areas of improvement for test preparation.

**What score do I need to pass my exam?**

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**If I fail the exam, can I reapply to take it?**

Yes, candidates are advised to wait 7 days to retake the certificate test at the expense of the candidate.

**Exam Development**

**How are test questions developed?**

Professional Certificate test questions were created by Subject Matter Experts and vigorously peer-reviewed by colleagues within the pulp, paper, and tissue industry. All certificate test questions undergo a peer-review process, ensuring the highest quality results.

**Additional Questions?**

**What if I have additional questions?**
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