



AWS Certified SysOps Administrator - Associate

Certification website: [AWS Certified Sysops Administrator - Associate Certification \(amazon.com\)](https://aws.amazon.com/certification/certified-sysops-administrator-associate/)

Credential Summary

This credential helps organizations identify and develop talent with critical skills for implementing cloud initiatives. Earning AWS Certified SysOps Administrator - Associate validates experience in deploying, managing, and operating workloads on AWS.

Overview

- **Related Instructional Hours:** 14
- **Exam details:** AWS Certified SysOps Administrator - Associate exam (SOA-C02)
 - Minimum score of 720/1,000 is passing
- **Third party testing provider:** Pearson Vue
- **Exam cost:** \$150
- **Renewal details:** Certification is good for 3 years
 - Retake certification exam to recertify

Job Opportunities

- **Relevant SOC codes**
 - Network and Computer Systems Managers 15-1244
 - Information Security Analysts 15-1212
 - Computer Network Architects 15-1241
- **Demand information**
 - Average flame ranking = 4.19/5
- **Average Wages**
 - Ranges from \$82,840 (39.83 per hour) to \$97,530 (46.89 per hour)
(Average wages pulled as of October 2023)

Knowledge, Skills, and Competencies

- Experience deploying, managing, and operating workloads on AWS as well as implementing security controls and compliance requirements
- Familiarity with using both the AWS Management Console and the AWS Command Line Interface (CLI)
- Understanding of the AWS Well-Architected Framework as well as AWS networking and security services

Post Secondary Relevance

- **Next level programs of study**
 - Information Technology
 - Networking and Cybersecurity Operations