

N10-008 CompTIA Net+, Part 2 of 7: Network Communication

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Prerequisites: This course assumes the user has some experience with computer hardware, software, and understands the concept of a computer network.

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Course description: This course is a part of the CompTIA Net+ body of knowledge focusing on the N10-008 Exam. This course covers: Cabling and Connectors, Ports and Protocols, as well as IP Addressing.

Course outline:

Cabling and Connectors

- Introduction
- Cabling and Connectors
- Serial vs. Parallel
- Baseband vs. Broadband
- Data Access Methods
- Communication Domains
- Multiplexing
- Digital Signals
- Transmission Media
- Twisted Pair Cabling
- Cable Media Categories
- Twisted PAir Connectors
- Copper Media Types
- Wiring Differences
- Coaxial Cabling
- Demo: Media Types
- Fiber Optic Cabling
- Demo: Cables and Connectors
- Summary

Ports and Protocols

- Introduction
- NP2_TopicB_Slides
- TCP-IP Layers
- Core Protocols
- Transport Protocols
- TCP
- User Datagram Protocol
- What is a Socket

- Internet Layer
- Core Internet Layer Protocols
- IP Diagrams
- Application Layer
- Well Known Ports
- Demo: Ports and Protocols
- Exam Objective 1.5
- Summary

IP Addressing Part 1

- Introduction
- Introduction to IP Addresses
- Subnet Masks
- Demo: Binary IP Addresses
- Demo: Configuring IP address
- IPV4
- Valid Masks
- Default Gateway
- Address Categories
- Public vs. Private
- Classful Addressing
- Classless Addressing
- Demo: CIDR Notation
- Summary

IP Addressing Part 2

- Introduction
- Create IPv4 Subnets
- Simple Subnetting
- complex Subnetting
- Demo: Creating Subnets
- IPv6

- Global Unicast
- Special Addresses
- Demo: viewing and Configuring IPv6
- Summary