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Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) V7.1

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## **Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) V7.1**

#### **Course Duration**

5 Days

#### **Course Price**

\$4,595.00 46 CLCs

#### **Methods of Delivery**

In-Person ILT Virtual ILT Onsite ILT

## **About this Class**

The Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) V7.0 course shows you how to troubleshoot LAN, SAN, Cisco® Data Center Unified Fabric, Cisco Unified Computing System™ (Cisco UCS®), and Cisco Application-Centric Infrastructure (Cisco ACI®). You will learn methodologies and tools to identify issues that may occur in data center network architecture. You will get extensive hands-on practice troubleshooting installation, configuration and interconnectivity issues on Cisco Multilayer Director Switch (MDS) switches, Cisco Nexus® switches, Cisco Fabric Extenders (FEXs), Cisco UCS, Cisco ACI, and more. This course helps prepare you to take the 300-615 Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) exam.



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# **Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) V7.1**

## How you will benefit

This class will help you:

- Learn how to deploy and troubleshoot various components of Cisco data
  center infrastructure to support performance, resiliency, scalability needs
- Gain knowledge and skills through Cisco's unique combination of lessons and hands-on practice using enterprise-grade Cisco learning technologies, data center equipment, and software
- Qualify for professional-level job roles
- Earn 50 CE credits toward recertification

## Why Attend with Current Technologies CLC

- Our Instructors are the top 10% rated by Cisco
- Our Lab has a dedicated 1 Gig Fiber Connection for our Labs
- Our Labs run up to Date Code for all our courses

## Who Should Attend

The job roles best suited to the material in this course are:

- Network Designers
- Network Administrators
- Network Engineers
- System Engineers
- Data Center Engineers
- Consulting Systems Engineers
- Technical Solutions Architects
- Server Administrators
- Network Managers
- Cisco Integrators and Partners

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# **Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) V7.1**

#### Objectives

After taking this course, you should be able to:

- · Describe how to troubleshoot the data center network
- Describe the troubleshooting tools and methodologies that are available from the Command-Line Interface (CLI) and are used to identify and resolve issues in a Cisco Data Center network architecture
- Identify and resolve issues that are related to Virtual LANs (VLANs) and private VLANs (PVLANs)
- Identify and resolve issues that are related to port channels and virtual port channels
- Identify and resolve issues that are related to VXLAN
- Describe troubleshooting of routing and high-availability protocols
- Describe troubleshooting of the LAN security features
- Identify and resolve issues that are related to a single device
- Identify and resolve issues that are related to Fibre Channel interface
  operation
- Identify and resolve Fibre Channel switching issues when the Cisco NX-OS
  Software is used in switched mode
- Identify and resolve issues that are related to Fibre Channel switching when a Cisco NX-OS switch is used in N-Port Virtualization (NPV) mode
- Identify and resolve issues that are related to FIP and FCoE, including Fibre
  Channel over Ethernet (FCoE) performance
- Describe Cisco UCS architecture, initial setup, tools, and service aids that are
  available for Cisco UCS troubleshooting and interpretation of the output
- Describe Cisco UCS configuration and troubleshooting
- Describe Cisco UCS B-Series Blade Server operation and troubleshoot related
  issues
- Describe Cisco UCS B-Series LAN, SAN, and Fibre Channel operations, including
  in-depth troubleshooting procedures

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#### **Cont. Objectives**

After taking this course, you should be able to:

- Describe Cisco Integrated Management Controller (IMC) tools for validating performance and facilitating data-gathering activities for Cisco UCS C-Series server troubleshooting, and the troubleshooting approach for hardware and firmware failures
- Define the proper procedures for configuring Cisco UCS C-Series LAN and SAN connectivity, avoiding issues with the VIC, and troubleshooting connectivity issues
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series server integration with Cisco UCS Manager
- Identify the tools, protocols, and methods to effectively troubleshoot Cisco ACI
- Describe how to troubleshoot automation and scripting tools
- Describe how to troubleshoot programmability



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# **Course Outline**

## Module 1: Describing the Troubleshooting Process

- Troubleshooting Overview
- Narrow Down the Cause of the Problem

## Module 2: Understanding CLI Troubleshooting Tools

- Ping, Pong, and Traceroute
- Debugging, Event History, and System Monitoring
- Switched Port Analyzer (SPAN) and Encapsulated Remote SPAN
- Ethanalyzer, Embedded Logic Analyzer Module (ELAM), and Data Plane Sampling Capture
- Logging
- Cisco Generic Online Diagnostics
- Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP), Cisco Embedded Event Manager (EEM), and Remote Network Monitor (RMON)

## Module 3: Troubleshooting VLANs and PVLANs

- Troubleshoot VLAN Trunking Protocol (VTP)
- Troubleshoot Layer 2 Issues
- VLANs and Switched Virtual Interfaces (SVIs) on Cisco Nexus Series Switches
- Troubleshoot VLANs, PVLANs, and SVIs
- Troubleshoot Rapid Per VLAN Spanning Tree+ (PVST+)



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## **Course Outline**

#### Module 4: Troubleshooting Port Channels and Virtual Port Channels

- Port Channel Overview
- Virtual Port Channel (vPC) Overview
- Troubleshoot vPCs
- Common vPC Issues

## Module 5: Troubleshooting Virtual Extensible LAN (VXLAN)

- VXLAN Overlay Features
- VXLAN Multiprotocol Border Gateway Protocol (MP-BGP) Ethernet VPN
- Common VXLAN Issues
- VXLAN Troubleshooting

#### Module 6: Troubleshooting Routing and High-Availability Protocols

- Troubleshoot Basic Routing Issues
- Troubleshoot OSPFv2 and OSPFv3
- Troubleshoot EIGRP
- Troubleshoot PIM
- Troubleshoot First Hop Redundancy Protocol (FHRP)



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## Module 7: Troubleshoot Data Center LAN Security

- Troubleshoot Authentication, Authorization, and Accounting (AAA) and Role-Based Access Control (RBAC)
- Troubleshoot First-Hop Security
- Troubleshoot Control Plane Policing (CoPP)
- Troubleshoot Access Control Lists (ACLs)

## Module 8: Troubleshooting Platform-Specific Issues

- Cisco Fabric Services Overview
- Troubleshoot Cisco Fabric Services
- Configure and Troubleshoot Configuration Profiles
- Common Virtual Device Contexts (VDC) Issues
- Troubleshoot VDC
- Troubleshoot Virtual Routing and Forwarding (VRF)
- Cisco FEX Troubleshooting
- Troubleshoot Cisco In-Service Software Upgrade (ISSU)

## Module 9: Troubleshooting Fibre Channel Interfaces

- Fibre Channel Overview
- Troubleshoot Fibre Channel Interfaces and Device Registration
- Troubleshoot Fibre Channel Port Channels
- Troubleshoot Port Security and Fabric Binding



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## Module 10: Troubleshooting Fibre Channel Fabric Services

- Troubleshoot Virtual Storage Area Networks (VSANs)
- Troubleshoot Fibre Channel Domain and Name Services
- Troubleshoot Zoning and Fabric Merges
- Troubleshoot Cisco Fabric Services

#### Module 11: Troubleshooting NPV Mode

- N-Port ID Virtualization (NPIV) and NPV Overview
- Troubleshoot NPV Mode

## Module 12: Troubleshooting FCoE

- FCoE and FIP Overview
- Troubleshoot FIP
- Troubleshoot FCoE- and QoS-Related Issues
- Troubleshoot Data Center Bridging (DCB)



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# **Course Outline**

## Module 13: Troubleshooting Cisco UCS Architecture and Initialization

- Troubleshoot Fabric Interconnect in Standalone and Cluster Mode
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS Management Access
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS Manager CLI
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS with Embedded Tools
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS Hardware Discovery

## Module 14: Troubleshooting Cisco UCS Configuration

- Stateless Computing
- Troubleshoot Service Profile Association Issues Due to Unavailable Addresses
- Other Service Profile Association Issues
- Cisco UCS Manageability
- Troubleshoot Authentication Failures

#### Module 15: Troubleshooting Cisco UCS B-Series Servers

- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS B-Series Blade Server
- Troubleshoot Firmware Upgrade and Operating System Drivers
- Troubleshoot Remote Access
- Troubleshoot Server Hardware



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# **Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) V7.1**

## **Course Outline**

## Module 16: Troubleshooting Cisco UCS B-Series LAN and SAN Connectivity

- Troubleshoot Link-Level Issues
- Troubleshoot Connectivity Issues for Specific Servers
- Troubleshoot Intermittent Connectivity
- Troubleshoot Disjoint Layer 2 Networks
- Troubleshoot Redundant Connectivity
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS B-Series SAN Connectivity
- Troubleshoot Directly Attached Storage
- Troubleshoot Server Boot from SAN and iSCSI
- Use SPAN for Troubleshooting
- Analyze Packet Flow

#### Module 17: Troubleshooting Cisco UCS C-Series Servers

- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series Initialization and Cisco IMC
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series Hardware and Firmware

## Module 18: Troubleshooting Cisco UCS C-Series LAN and SAN Connectivity

- Troubleshoot the Cisco UCS C-Series VIC Module and Connectivity to Cisco IMC
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series LAN Connectivity
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series SAN Connectivity
- Use SPAN to Capture Cisco UCS C-Series Server Traffic
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series Boot from the Fibre Channel Logical Unit Number LUN
- Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series iSCSI Boot

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# **Troubleshooting Cisco Data Center Infrastructure (DCIT) V7.1**

## **Course Outline**

#### Module 19: Troubleshooting Cisco UCS C-Series and Cisco UCS Manager Integration

- Integrate Cisco UCS C-Series Servers with Cisco UCS Manager
- Troubleshoot FEX Discovery and VIC Issues

#### Module 20: Exploring the Tools and Methodologies for Troubleshooting Cisco ACI

- Troubleshoot the Fabric Discovery Process
- Traditional Troubleshooting Methods in Cisco ACI Atomic Counters, Faults, and Health Scores
- Troubleshoot Tenant-Based Policies
- Packet Flow Through Cisco ACI Fabric
- Troubleshoot AAA and RBAC

#### Module 21: Troubleshoot Automation and Scripting Tools

- Troubleshoot Cisco Internetwork Operating System (IOS) EEM
- Troubleshoot the Cisco NX-OS Scheduler

#### Module 22: Troubleshooting Programmability

- Troubleshoot Bash Shell and Guest Shell for NX-OS
- Troubleshoot Representational State Transfer (REST) API, JavaScript
  Object Notation (JSON), and Extensible Markup Language (XML) Encoding



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# Lab Outline

- · Lab 1: Document the Network Baseline
- Lab 2: Troubleshoot Rapid PVST+
- Lab 3: Troubleshoot LACP
- Lab 4: Troubleshoot vPC
- Lab 5: Troubleshoot VXLAN
- Lab 6: Troubleshoot OSPF
- Lab 7: Troubleshoot FHRP
- Lab 8: Troubleshoot Cisco Fabric Services
- Lab 9: Troubleshoot VRF
- Lab 10: Troubleshoot Cisco FEX
- Lab 11: Troubleshoot Fibre Channel Interfaces
- Lab 12: Troubleshoot Fibre Channel VSANs, Zones, and Domain Services
- · Lab 13: Troubleshoot NPV Mode
- Lab 14: Troubleshoot FCoE
- Lab 15: Troubleshoot DCB



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## Lab Outline Cont.

- Lab 16: Troubleshoot Cisco UCS Management and Service Profile
  Deployment
- Lab 17: Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series Server LAN Connectivity
- Lab 18: Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series Server Boot from the Fibre
  Channel LUN
- Lab 19: Troubleshoot Cisco UCS C-Series Server Management Connectivity
- Lab 20: Troubleshoot Cisco ACI Integration with VMware vCenter
- Lab 21: Troubleshoot Contracts in Cisco ACI
- Lab 22: Troubleshoot Cisco ACI External Layer 3 Connectivity
- Lab 23: Troubleshoot Cisco ACI External Layer 2 Connectivity

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