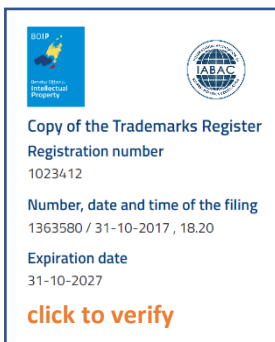




# Artificial Intelligence Certified Executive (AICE) CODE: AI3090 Syllabus and Examination



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# 1 INTRODUCTION

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This document is intended to provide information on Artificial Intelligence Certified Executive (AICE-DS3020) certification for IABAC registered training providers to structure the course curriculum as per IABAC syllabus guidelines and for individuals, who are preparing for AICE certification exam.

It includes:

1. Artificial Intelligence Certified Executive (AICE) Examination Overview – general information and overview of the exam format
2. Artificial Intelligence Certified Executive (AICE) Syllabus for Candidates – detailing:
  - o The format of the exam and the learning outcomes from the delegates' course of study that will be assessed in each section
  - o The specific criteria by which each learning outcome is assessed

## 2 COURSE SYLLABUS

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### 2.1 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) EVOLUTION

- Brief history of Artificial Intelligence
- Key researchers in the field of AI

### 2.2 WHY ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) NOW?

- Big Data disruption
- Is this the right time for AI in your Business?

### 2.3 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) DOMAINS

- AI Domains Introduction
- Machine Learning
- Deep Learning
- Computer Vision
- Natural Language Processing
- Decision Making
- Robotics

### 2.4 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) IN BUSINESS - A TECHNOLOGY VIEW

- Overview of technology aspects of AI: Tools and Platforms

### 2.5 ANALYTICS VS ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI)

- Analytics in Business: Descriptive, Predictive and Prescriptive

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- How is AI different from Analytics?

## 2.6 ECONOMICS OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI)

- Introduction to Economics of AI
- Incremental to Transformational
- Harnessing the power of low-cost prediction

## 2.7 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) DATA STRATEGY

- Traditional Data Strategy
- AI Data Strategy: Data Lakes vs Data Warehouses

## 2.8 PITFALLS IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) INITIATIVES

- Top pitfalls of AI initiatives from the industry

## 2.9 LIMITATIONS AND CHALLENGES OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI)

- Availability of Data.
- AI outcomes are difficult to explain
- Risk of Bias in Data and Algorithm
- Societal concerns and regulations

## 2.10 INDUSTRY USE CASES IN PRACTICE

- Curated industry use cases in practice

## 2.11 INSIGHTS AND FUTURE.

- Insights from think tanks and research organizations
- How to align future businesses with AI disruption.

# 3 EXAMINATION

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## 3.1 PRE-REQUISITE QUALIFICATIONS

1. No mandatory prerequisite
2. High level Business Management experience is recommended
3. Training: Though formal training is not mandatory; it is recommended to attend IABAC® registered course for Artificial Intelligence Certified Executive through Registered Education Partners

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### 3.2 MATERIALS PERMITTED

1. The examination is 'closed book'
2. No material permitted and No Internet Access

### 3.3 EXAM DURATION

1. The computer-based exam is timed for 60 mins
2. No breaks allowed

### 3.4 EXAM MODE

1. IABAC® certification exam is computer based and conducted through IABAC® Exam portal only
2. Candidates require a computer with internet and webcam (video and audio) to take the exam
3. Computer screen recording permission should be granted

### 3.5 EXAM FORMAT

1. The exam consists of 25 **Multiple-Choice** Questions with three difficulty levels: easy, medium and difficult questions
2. Each question carries **5 Marks / 10 Marks**
3. No Negative marking

### 3.6 PASS CRITERIA

1. The candidate needs to score **60% or higher** in order to pass the examination
2. The results will be declared after validation of the exam recording video session and identity proof verification.

### 3.7 RESULTS TIMELINE

1. The preliminary results are usually released within **9 days** of the exam date
2. The official results are usually released within **15 days** from the exam date

### 3.8 CERTIFICATE ISSUANCE

- IABAC® e-certificate will be issued through the candidates registered email
- The e-certificate is digital verifiable at <https://www.iabac.org/verify-certificate>
- The candidate has license to share digital certificate validation in professional networking portals such as [www.linkedin.com](http://www.linkedin.com)
- The candidate has a license to print physical copy (hardcopy) of the certificate

## 4 IABAC® KNOWLEDGE AREAS MAPPING

Knowledge Area	Syllabus Details	Bloom's Index
<p><b>KAG1-DSDA:</b> Data Analytics group including Machine Learning, Statistical Methods, and Business Analytics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Case Study on Statistical Analysis</li> <li>● Curating the Data and performing, Discrete Mathematics, Probabilistic Reasoning</li> <li>● Statistical Methods, including Descriptive Statistics, Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) and Confirmatory Data Analysis (CDA)</li> <li>● Case Study &amp; Creating Machine Learning Model</li> <li>● With detailed implementation of algorithms: Artificial Intelligence, Natural Language Processing</li> <li>● Knowledge Representation and Reasoning</li> <li>● Data Mining and knowledge discovery</li> <li>● Text analysis, Data Mining, Text Analytics including Statistical, Linguistic, and Structural Techniques to analyse Structured and Unstructured data</li> <li>● Creating Predictive Forecasting Models</li> <li>● Decision Analysis and Decision Support Systems</li> <li>● Data Mining</li> </ul>	6
<p><b>KAG2-DSENG:</b> Data Science Engineering group including Software and Infrastructure Engineering</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Set Up Infrastructure and Big Data Applications</li> <li>● Computer Networks for high-performance computing and Big Data Infrastructure</li> <li>● Cloud Enabled Applications development</li> <li>● Modelling and Simulation</li> <li>● Modelling and Simulation Theory and Techniques (general and domain oriented)</li> <li>● Large Scale Modelling and Simulation Systems</li> <li>● Set up Big Data (Data Science) Applications Design</li> <li>● Programming Languages for Big Data Analytics: R, Python, others</li> <li>● Models and Languages for complex interlinked Data Presentation and Visualisation</li> </ul>	5
<p><b>KAG3-DSDM:</b> Data Management group including Data Curation, Preservation and Data Infrastructure</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Creating Database Models and Data Curation</li> <li>● Data Modelling, Databases and Database Management Systems, Data Models and Query Languages, Database Administration</li> <li>● Set up Data Management and Enterprise Data Infrastructure</li> </ul>	4

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Data management, including Reference and Master Data, Data Warehousing and Business Intelligence, Data storage and Operations</li> <li>• Data Archives/Storage Compliance and Certification Metadata, Linked data, Provenance</li> <li>• Data Infrastructure, Data Management and Organisation Research Data Infrastructure, Open Science, Open Data, Open Access, Data Infrastructure Compliance and Certification, Ethical Principle and Data Privacy</li> </ul>	
<b>KAG4-DSRM:</b> Scientific and Research Methods group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scientific/Research Methods</li> <li>• Research Methodology, Paradigms and Research Cycle, Modelling and Experiment Planning</li> <li>• Data Selection and Quality Evaluation</li> <li>• Use Case Analysis: Research Infrastructures and Projects Research Data Management plan and Ethical Issues</li> </ul>	6
<b>KAG5-DSBPM:</b> Business Process Management group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Business Process Management</li> <li>• Business Processes and Operations, Project Scope and Risk Management</li> <li>• Business Analysis - Organisation and Management</li> <li>• Business Analysis - Planning and Monitoring</li> <li>• Requirements Analysis and Design Definition</li> <li>• Requirements Life Cycle Management (from inception to retirement) Solution Evaluation and Improvements Recommendation</li> <li>• Business analysis and Enterprise Organisation</li> <li>• Agile Data Driven Methodologies, Processes and Enterprises</li> <li>• Use Case Analysis: Business and Industry</li> </ul>	4
<b>KAG6-DSDK:</b> Data Science Domain Knowledge group includes domain specific knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applied Data Science use cases in Domains, HR, Retail, Fraud Analytics, Finance Trends, Health Care, Infrastructure Management</li> </ul>	2

## 5 BLOOM'S TAXONOMY REFERENCE

Bloom's Learning Index	Description
1	Remembering: Recall or retrieve previous learned information.
2	Understanding: Comprehending the meaning, translation, interpolation, and interpretation of instructions and problems. State a problem in one's own words.
3	Applying: Use a concept in a new situation or unprompted use of an abstraction. Applies what was learned in the classroom into novel situations in the workplace.
4	Analysing: Separates material or concepts into component parts so that its organizational structure may be understood. Distinguishes between facts and inferences.
5	Evaluating: Make judgments about the value of ideas or materials.
6	Creating: Builds a structure or pattern from diverse elements. Put parts together to form a whole, with emphasis on creating a new meaning or structure.

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