

ISTQB® CTAL Test Management – v3.0

Develop the leadership and strategic skills to manage, control, and improve testing activities.

Duration	Format	Language	Price
5 Days	In-person / Virtual	EN / FR	2600€/participant, tax excl.

About this Training

This advanced training focuses on test management principles, strategies, and leadership skills required to plan, monitor, and control testing activities in complex software projects. It follows the ISTQB® CTAL-TM v3.0 syllabus and prepares participants for the official certification exam.

Learning Objectives

- Define and implement effective test strategies and policies.
- Plan, estimate, and control test activities.
- Apply risk-based testing techniques.
- Monitor testing progress using metrics and KPIs.
- Manage defects, reporting, and stakeholder communication.
- Lead and organize test teams in different project contexts.

Program

Day 1	Introduction to test management, SDLC integration, test policies, test strategies, and risk-based testing fundamentals
Day 2	Test planning, estimation techniques, test design strategy, entry/exit criteria, and test documentation
Day 3	Monitoring & control, metrics and KPIs, defect management, reporting, and stakeholder communication
Day 4	Team management, test organization models, outsourcing strategies, agile & distributed teams, and leadership practices
Day 5	Continuous improvement, test process optimization, maturity models, advanced risk-based testing, recap, and full mock exam

Prerequisites

Participants should hold the ISTQB® Certified Tester Foundation Level (CTFL) certification. Practical experience in software testing or test coordination is strongly recommended.

Exam Information

- The ISTQB® CTAL Test Management exam consists of 50 multiple-choice questions assessing advanced knowledge of test strategy, planning, monitoring, and leadership.
- A passing score of approximately 65% is required according to ISTQB® guidelines.
- Duration: 120 minutes (plus extra time for non-native language candidates where applicable).