



Certification training

Certified Supply Chain Professional

CSCP

An ASCM certification

Training for the ASCM CSCP exam: the supply chain end to end, from demand and forecasting to the global network, sourcing, internal operations, logistics, relationships, risk and optimization.

Delivered by Vertex Business, a professional certification training provider.



8 modules

ASCM 2026 learning
system



From supplier
to customer



Network, risk
and sustainability



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before you enrol

Program details and enrolment

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The whole chain, not a single link.



About the training

Most supply chain staff see one part of it: purchasing, the warehouse or planning. CSCP puts the full picture in front of you: how demand, materials, information and money move between suppliers, the organization and customers, and where the risks sit. The training ties each module to a real company decision.

The exam at a glance

150 questions in a single exam	3.5 hours exam time	8 modules in the 2026 learning system
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Per ASCM's 2026 CSCP brochure, accessed 15 October 2026. Topic weights: check with the issuer.

What the exam measures



Concepts and terms

The precise meaning of each term as ASCM's curriculum and dictionary use it.



Scenario and decision

Reading a short supply chain case, then choosing the most suitable action.

SCENARIO ITEMS

How to work through a supply chain item

01

Place it in the chain

Demand, sourcing, operations or logistics?

02

Find what is affected

Service, cost, risk or the relationship?

03

Look at the whole chain

Pick the decision that does not just push the problem to another link.

For those who run part of the supply chain and want to see all of it.



This suits you if you:

- ✓ **Work in purchasing or sourcing**
And want to see how a supplier choice affects plant and customer.
- ✓ **Manage logistics or warehousing**
And need to connect your work to demand and inventory plans.
- ✓ **Work in planning or operations**
And want a framework linking planning, sourcing and distribution.
- ✓ **Lead a team or transformation**
And need a common language with partners and suppliers.



Roles at this level

Illustrative roles that use this knowledge daily; ASCM does not require a specific job title.

- ✓ **Supply chain manager**
Coordinates planning, sourcing and distribution in one plan.
- ✓ **Procurement manager**
Selects and negotiates with suppliers and tracks their performance.
- ✓ **Logistics manager**
Runs transport, storage and returns between sites.
- ✓ **Supply chain analyst**
Reads demand and inventory data and proposes improvements.

ELIGIBILITY AND EXAM

Before you book the exam

Eligibility

Set by ASCM; check its official page before you apply.

Eligibility and exam on ASCM's official page [↗](#)

Useful background

Work in any link of the chain makes the cases more familiar.

The exam

A single exam: 150 questions in three and a half hours.

The eight CSCP modules for 2026

ASCM divides the 2026 learning system into eight modules, from demand and forecasting to optimization, sustainability and technology.

CSCP 2026 learning system

Supply Chains, Demand Management, and Forecasting

- Supply chain strategy
- Managing demand
- Forecasting methods

Global Supply Chain Networks

- Network design and locations
- International trade
- Information flows

Sourcing Products and Services

- Make-or-buy decisions
- Supplier selection
- Contracts and total cost

Internal Operations and Inventory

- Operations planning
- Inventory levels
- Capacity and scheduling

Forward and Reverse Logistics

- Transport and storage
- Delivery to customers
- Returns and reuse

Supply Chain Relationships

- Customer relationships
- Supplier relationships
- Collaboration and trust

Supply Chain Risk

- Identifying risk
- Assessing and responding
- Continuity and resilience

Optimization, Sustainability, and Technology

- Performance metrics
- Sustainability and responsibility
- Digital technologies

Source: ASCM's CSCP brochure and ECM 5.0 preview, accessed 15 October 2026. Items under each module are an illustrative summary.

Every module is read from inside a real company.

Modules follow the movement of the chain itself, and each part is applied to a short case from a plant, distributor or retailer.

01 Demand and network

Demand management and forecasting, global network design and the flow of information between partners.

Applied example A new product sells twice the forecast in its first month.

02 Sourcing, operations and movement

Supplier selection, operations and inventory planning, transport, distribution and returns.

Applied example The only supplier of a key part announces a month's delay.

03 Relationships, risk and improvement

Customer and supplier relationships, risk assessment, performance metrics, sustainability and technology.

Applied example A major customer asks for a report on shipping emissions.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

What you will be able to do

01 Map a supply chain

From your supplier's supplier to your customer's customer.

02 Evaluate a sourcing decision

On total cost, not price alone.

03 Identify chain risks

And propose a fitting response to each.

04 Use ASCM terminology

As the questions phrase it.

The chain makes sense when you draw it, not when you memorize it.



Map a real chain

Draw the chain of a product you know, from raw material to customer, and place each module's concepts on it.

Links the eight modules into one picture.



Short case analysis

Read a one-page case and name the problem, where it sits in the chain and the decision you would take.

Close to how scenario items are written.

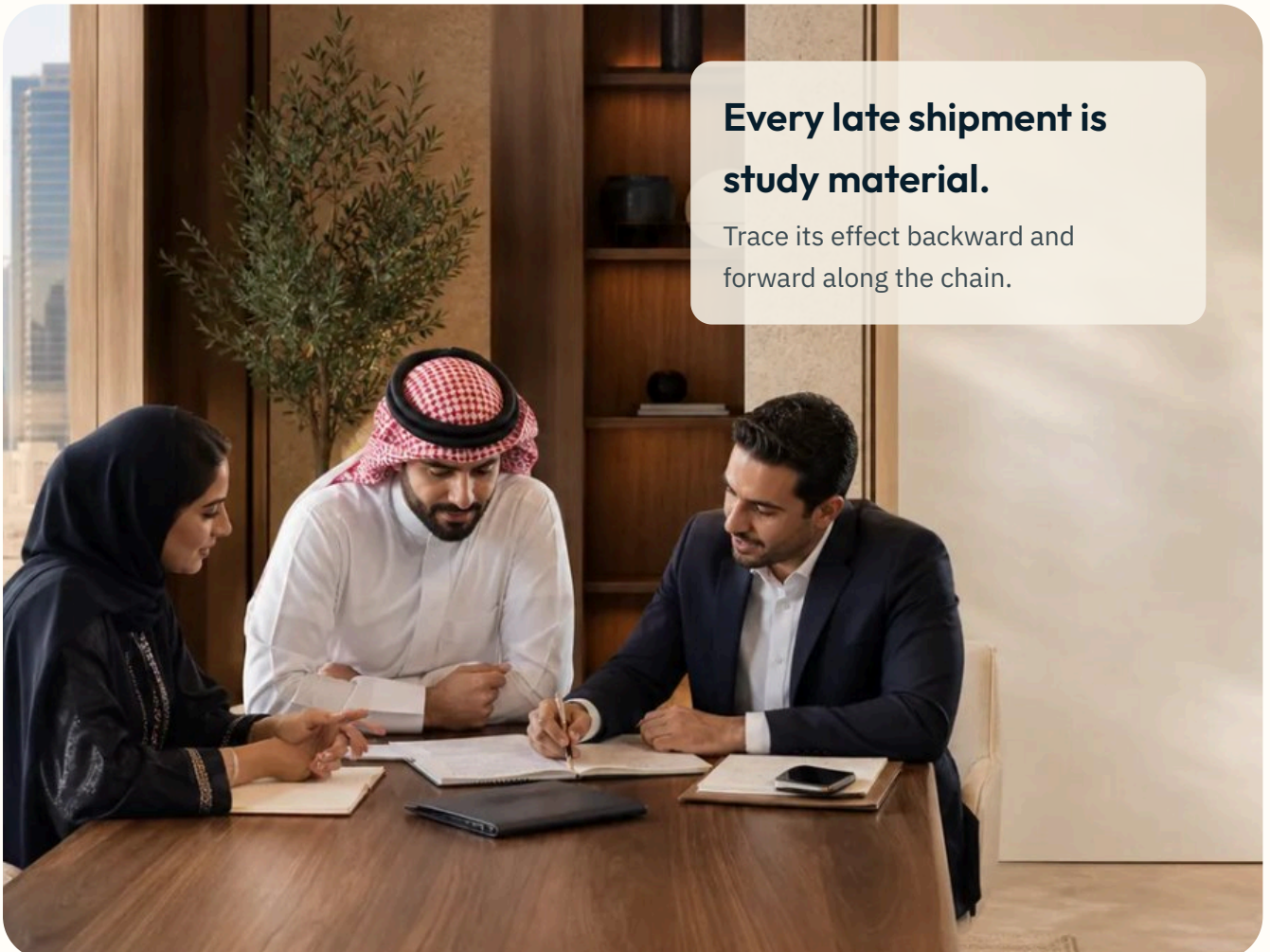


A plan that fits your time

Study format, dates and any accompanying materials are confirmed with the Vertex Business team before enrolment, based on your level and available time.

Every late shipment is study material.

Trace its effect backward and forward along the chain.





STUDY PLAN

A practical plan from your starting point to exam day.

01 Draw the full picture

Flows of materials, information and money before any detail.

02 Start with demand and network

Modules one and two underpin the rest.

03 Study sourcing and operations together

A supplier decision changes inventory and capacity.

04 Complete logistics and relationships

Forward and reverse flows, then partners.

05 Finish with risk and optimization

Two modules that draw on everything before.

06 Revise against time and errors

150 questions in 210 minutes, then redo every miss.

Terminology items

Telling apart two close concepts in the ASCM curriculum.

Case items

Choosing the decision that serves the whole chain, not one link.

“What impressed me most was the trainer’s care that the information landed and that everyone had a chance to take part... and pointing out what matters most in the material.”

— CPTD learner about the trainer after a session · translated from Arabic · published on the Vertex site

“An excellent session. I learned important things about the certification and benefited a lot... everything was explained so clearly that I had no questions left.”

— SHRM learner after a live session · translated from Arabic · published on the Vertex site

“This achievement would not have been possible without the support, guidance and training I received... which prepared me for the exam.”

— Learner who earned CPTD · translated from Arabic · public post shown on the Vertex site



About Vertex Business

Vertex Business provides professional certification training in talent development, human resources and project management, alongside a professional diploma in medical research and team training for organizations. Training pairs Arabic explanation that keeps the exam’s English terminology with application to real workplace decisions.

[Company details](#) 



Booking the exam

Eligibility checks, registration, fees and scheduling for CSCP are handled directly by ASCM.

[Official ASCM CSCP page](#) 

COMPLETION CERTIFICATE AND PROFESSIONAL CREDENTIAL

Training completion requirements and the Vertex Business completion certificate are confirmed in the enrolment details.

The CSCP professional credential itself is awarded by ASCM under its own requirements, after you pass its assessment.



Discuss your goal and choose how to study.



Scan with your phone camera

YOUR NEXT STEP

- ✓ Training topics and outcomes
- ✓ A level that fits your experience
- ✓ Available study formats and dates
- ✓ Details and price confirmed before enrolment

Open the program page →

01

Open the program page

Scan the code or tap the link.

02

Discuss your goal

Use the WhatsApp button on the program page.

03

Confirm the details

Study format, dates and price before enrolment.

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