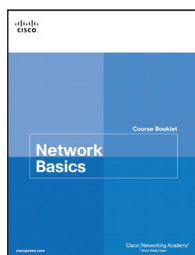


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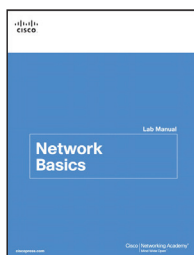
QUESTION: The course is released, when will the books be available?

All of our Academy course books are built from the final Academy course files. When the course is released by NetAcad, Cisco Press receives the files and then begins the process to convert the content into each of our book formats:



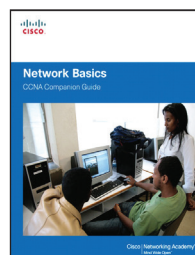
Course Booklet

An offline reading resource that contains only the narrative from the online course.



Lab Manual

Complete collection of all the course lab exercises.



Companion Guide

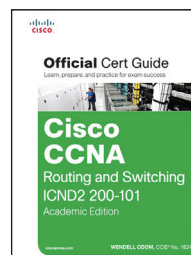
Full-featured textbook for the course.

The **Course Booklets** and the **Lab Manuals** are able to be published within 6-8 weeks of the release of each course. The **Companion Guides** require more work to be done so it takes us about 16-20 weeks to produce the full-featured, hardcover textbooks. (Publication dates are on the AT-A-GLANCE flyer or updated on the links at ciscopress.com/academy.)

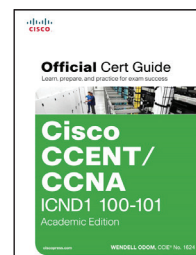
QUESTION: I am starting my course right away. I need a textbook!

If the **Companion Guide** is not yet available, we suggest you have your students use the **Course Booklet** the first time you teach one of the new courses. If you are not familiar with this format, which is just the text from the course, ask your Pearson rep for a deskcopy of any Course Booklet to review.

Alternatively, **Wendell Odom** has created textbook versions of his best-selling Certification Guides that can be used if you need something more full-featured. These books do not follow the outline of the Academy courses but you can be sure they include all the relevant CCNA topics.



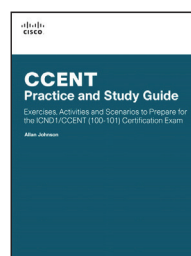
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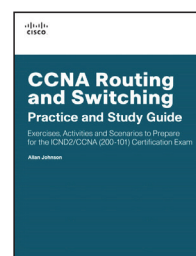
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QUESTION: Why do the Cisco Press Lab Manuals no longer include “Study Guide” sections?

The **Lab Manuals** now just contain all the course lab exercises. The primary reason is that with the staggered release of the CCNA Routing & Switching courses we wanted to make sure we published a **Lab Manual** as soon as possible after each course. Adding the Study Guide exercises, activities, and scenarios takes time. Never fear, we are taking that time – but outside the production of a Lab Manual. We are producing two **“Practice and Study Guide”** books by Allan Johnson that will coordinate with the curriculum sequence – one focusing on courses 1 and 2 (CCENT/ICND1 topics) and the second focusing on courses 3 and 4 (ICND2/CCNA topics). You can bundle these with your course lab manuals or work with our custom department to merge the two to your liking.



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