

## **Cisco Networking Academy APJC NetAcad Riders 2026 Official Rules**

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. A PURCHASE WILL NOT INCREASE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED OR RESTRICTED.

The Cisco Networking Academy APJC NetAcad Riders 2026 Competition (the "Competition") begins February 5, 2026 at 9:00 A.M. Singapore time (GMT/UTC+8) and ends on May 7, 2026 at 12:00 P.M. Singapore time (GMT/UTC+8), or if earlier, until there are no more available prizes (the "Contest Competition Period"). Entry into this Competition is acceptance of these Official Rules. This Competition is sponsored by Cisco Systems, Inc., 170 West Tasman Drive, San Jose, CA 95134 USA ("Sponsor" or "Cisco").

These Terms and Conditions govern participation in the Competition. Cisco may, in its sole but good faith discretion, amend or supplement these Terms and Conditions at any time, which change shall be effective to Contestants three business days after posting notice of such change on the Competition Site. [https://www.americadigital.org/2023/01\\_NetAcad/12/APJCNNetAcadRiders24/01\\_Website/index.html](https://www.americadigital.org/2023/01_NetAcad/12/APJCNNetAcadRiders24/01_Website/index.html)

The Competition consists of two periods: the "Registration Period" and the "Competition Period" which consists of three rounds. Eligible entrants ("Contestant") may register for the Competition beginning February 5, 2026 at 9:00 A.M. Singapore time (GMT/UTC+8) and ending March 20, 2026 at 6:00 P.M. Singapore time (GMT/UTC+8) (the "Registration Period"). Details are more fully described in the "How to Participate" Section 2 below. The details for the 3 Rounds in the Competition Period are described in Section 3 below titled "Competition Period".

### **1. ELIGIBILITY.**

To be eligible to participate in the Competition, entrants must satisfy all of the following criteria: (a) must be a current Cisco Networking Academy student who is or will be currently and validly\* enrolled between January 1, 2025 and January 31, 2026 in a CCNA version 7\*\* class at a Cisco Networking Academy within a country listed below; (b) must provide a valid Cisco NetAcad screen name and password when registering for the Competition; (c) must have Internet access that supports participation; and (d) must be a full-time resident\*\*\* of a country/region in the list below ("Contestants"):

Australia	India	Myanmar	Sri Lanka
Bangladesh	Indonesia	Nepal	Taiwan
Bhutan	Japan	New Zealand	Thailand
Brunei	Laos	Papua New Guinea	Tonga
Cambodia	Macau	Philippines	Vietnam
China	Maldives	Samoa	
Fiji	Malaysia	Singapore	
Hong Kong	Mongolia	South Korea	

Cisco reserves the right to modify the list of eligible countries.

While Contestants may reside in a different country on the list above, Contestants will represent and compete for the country where their academy is located. Both the full-time residence of the Contestant and the location of the academy must be within the country list above to be eligible for this Competition.

\*Validly enrolled students have activity in their course gradebook and are either taking the course for the first time or re-taking it because they did not pass it the first time.

**\*\*Eligible CCNA version 7 classes are CCNA Introduction to Networks, CCNA Switching, Routing, and Wireless Essentials, or CCNA Enterprise Networking, Security, and Automation.**

**\*\*A resident need not have legal citizenship in the country to be eligible, but they do need to be legally residing (includes student and work visas) in that country during the competition period.**

This Competition is not open to: (1) employees or internally contracted vendors of Sponsor or its parent/subsidiaries, agents and affiliates; (2) the immediate family members or members of the same household of any such employee or vendor; (3) anyone professionally involved in the development or administration of this Competition; (4) employees or internally contracted vendors of governments and government-affiliated companies or organizations; or (5) any employee whose employer's guidelines or regulations do not allow entry in the Competition or acceptance of the prize(s).

**NOTE:** Any employee of a federal, regional, or municipal government entity or state owned/controlled entity must verify acceptance of any prize won by a participant does not violate their organization's ethics policy.

## **2. HOW TO ENTER.**

Entering this Competition requires actions by both the participating Cisco Networking Academy Instructors (“Instructor”) and the individual students also known as Contestants. The Registration process begins after Qualifying Round has taken place within the individual participating academies.

1. Instructor receives a form link from their country’s Cisco Networking Academy Business Development Manager (BDM) along with the number of Contestants they can include from their academy as detailed in Qualifying Round description below. Registration links will be provided by February 6, 2026. If an instructor has not received this information by said date, they should contact their BDM directly.
2. Instructor fills out the form and submits the names and email addresses of the qualified student Contestants. Emails must match the Contestant’s NetAcad.com profile. This must be completed by March 20, 2026.
3. The BDM will then enroll the qualifying student Contestants in the NetAcad Riders competition course.
4. Contestants must open the email invitation to the NetAcad Riders course and login to NetAcad.com and find the class in their “My Classes” section on NetAcad.com.
5. In the class, they will need to complete the assignment asking them to agree to the legal terms and conditions of the Competition. The competition course will be used in Round 1 as described below.

## **3. COMPETITION PERIOD**

The Competition consists of three Rounds; Qualifying Round, Round 1 and Round 2.

Contestants compete as individuals.

### **Qualifying Round:**

The Qualifying Round will be conducted by participating Cisco Networking Academies, who will conduct their own competition and provide the names of the winners to progress to Round 1 of the competition.

### **ALTERNATIVELY**

Instructors may nominate student Contestants to participate in Round 1. If this option is chosen by the academy, then there is no need to conduct the academy qualifying round competition, and a direct nomination of student Contestants will be accepted to Round 1.

Instructors must provide the list of student Contestants who are eligible for Round 1 by submitting by March 20, 2026 the registration form using the link provided by country's Cisco Networking Academy Business Development Manager.

The academy may nominate one student for every 100 class participants in CCNA version 7 classes taught during the period from January 1, 2025 through January 31, 2026. A maximum of 10 students may compete in Round 1 from any one academy:

CCNA Class Contestants vs. number of Seats allowed for Round 1 per academy:

<b>CCNA Class Participants per Academy within the qualifying dates</b>	<b>Number of Contestant Seats</b>
1 – 100 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	1 Contestant seat for Round 1
101 – 200 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	2 Contestant seats for Round 1
201 – 300 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	3 Contestant seats for Round 1
301 – 400 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	4 Contestant seats for Round 1
401 – 500 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	5 Contestant seats for Round 1
501 – 600 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	6 Contestant seats for Round 1
601 – 700 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	7 Contestant seats for Round 1
701 – 800 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	8 Contestant seats for Round 1
801 – 900 CCNA Class Participants (CP)	9 Contestant seats for Round 1
901 or more CCNA Class Participants (CP)	10 Contestant seats for Round 1

### **Round 1:**

Round 1 will be conducted virtually via Cisco Webex, and will include:

- 60 Multiple Choice questions designed to be answered in 60 minutes on NetAcad Riders competition class on NetAcad.com. (Incorrect answers will not be penalized in Round 1 or Round 2.)

The dates of Round 1 differ per region and are listed below:

<b>Group</b>	<b>Countries or Regions</b>	<b>Date of Round 1</b>	<b>Time of Round 1</b>
A	Brunei, Cambodia, Japan, Laos, Myanmar, Philippines, Thailand, and Singapore	March 26, 2026	11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. (noon) Singapore time GMT/UTC +8
B	Australia, Fiji, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Macau, Malaysia, Mongolia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, South Korea, Taiwan, Tonga, and Vietnam	April 2, 2026	11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. (noon) Singapore time GMT/UTC +8
C	Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, and Sri Lanka	April 2, 2026	4:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. Singapore time GMT/UTC +8

D	Mainland China	April 3, 2026	1:30 P.M. to 2:30 P.M. Singapore time GMT/UTC +8
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The top 3 scoring Contestants from each country/region from Round 1 will be invited to represent their country/region in Round 2.

### Round 2:

Round 2 will be conducted virtually via Cisco Webex. The top 3 scoring Contestants in each country/region from Round 1 will represent their country/region in the Round 2 of this APJC NetAcad Riders 2026 Competition which will take place on May 7, 2026 from 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M (noon) Singapore time (GMT/UTC+8).

Round 2 will include:

- Cisco Packet Tracer Activity (“PT”) to be completed in 60 minutes and will include Multiple Choice Questions using Cisco Packet Tracer Version 9.0.0 or later. The link to the competition site will be provided in the Round 2 Webex session.
- At the end of Round 2, each Contestant must email their completed PT file to [netacad-riders2026@external.cisco.com](mailto:netacad-riders2026@external.cisco.com) by 12:15 P.M. Singapore time GMT/UTC+8 to be checked by the Cisco Networking Academy team. Contestant must email from the same email address they use to login to the competition site.
- Contestant must use the following file name format:
  - Student first name \_last name \_academy name \_country
  - Example: John\_Doe\_ABC academy\_USA
- The Contestant who gains the maximum score will be selected as the winner. In the event of a tie, the student who has completed in the fastest time will be selected as the winner.

Entries must be received during the Competition Period. Sponsor is not responsible for late, lost, delayed, damaged, misdirected, incomplete, void, corrupted, garbled, illegible, and/or unintelligible entries, or for any problems, bugs or malfunctions Participants may encounter when submitting their entry. Only complete valid entries will be accepted. Sponsor will not verify receipt of entries. Participants must provide all information requested to be eligible to win. Sponsor reserves the right to disqualify false entries or entries suspected of being false. Incomplete, unreadable, or unintelligible entries, in the sole discretion of Sponsor, will be disqualified. All entries submitted become the sole property of Sponsor and will not be acknowledged or returned.

**Online Access.** In all Rounds of the Competition, Exams, PT Activities and PT Activity Exams are only available online. In the event online access is not available, for any reason, Contestants will not be eligible to receive a score or otherwise advance in the Competition. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, Cisco cannot guarantee online access for all Contestants. Cisco is under no obligation to provide an offline substitute for any test or activity.

### JUDGING CRITERIA

Round 1 Scoring:

Round 1 consists of 60 Multiple Choice questions to be completed in 60 minutes. Each question is valued at 20 points for a total of 1200 points. Contestants do not get penalized for an incorrect answer. The top 3 scores per country/region advance to Round 2. In the event of a tie, the Contestant who has completed in the fastest time will be selected as the winner.

Round 2 Scoring:

Round 2 consists of a Cisco Packet Tracer Activity which Contestant must complete using Cisco Packet Tracer 9.0.0 or higher before moving on to answer 10 Multiple Choice Questions. Each question is valued at 20 points for a total of 200 points.

<mailto:netacad-riders2026@external.cisco.com>

#### **PRIZES.**

All participants in Cisco Networking Academy APJC NetAcad Riders 2026 Round 1 competition will receive a Certificate of Recognition according to the criteria by country/region describe below:

- Gold Certificate (Top 5% in Round 1)
- Silver Certificate (Top 6%-15% in Round 1)
- Bronze Certificate (Top 16%-30% in Round 1)
- Certificate of Participation (All other students)

Subject to the terms of these Official Rules, once confirmed by Sponsor, Round 1 trophies will be awarded at the country/region level for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> placed winners for the following countries or groups of countries/regions:

- ANZPI: Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Tonga
- South Asia: Bangladesh, Bhutan, Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka
- Brunei, Singapore
- Indochina: Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar
- China
- Hong Kong, Macau
- India
- Indonesia
- Japan
- Malaysia
- Mongolia
- Philippines
- South Korea
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- Vietnam

APJC regional trophies will be awarded after Round 2 for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> placed winners.

Limit one (1) prize per Participant per Round. The Round 2 Winners will receive a total of 2 trophies as they will have also received a Trophy prize for Round 1 as their country/region top achiever. The approximate retail values are subject to change based on current market conditions at the time of prize fulfilment in each country/region. Winners are not entitled to any surplus between actual retail value (ARV) of prize and stated ARV and any difference between stated ARV and actual value of the prize will not be awarded. No substitution, assignment, transfer, or cash redemption of any prize is allowed by Winner. Sponsor reserves the right to substitute a prize with another prize of equal or greater value should the advertised prize become unavailable for any reason. If applicable, prizes may be awarded in the form of voucher(s), coupon(s) and/or gift card(s) in Sponsor's sole discretion. If a potential winner is unable to participate in or accept the prize or any portion of the prize for any reason, Sponsor shall have no further obligation to such potential winner. Neither Sponsor nor any of its prize suppliers will replace any lost or stolen prizes, cards or certificates after being awarded to winners. In no event will Sponsor be responsible for awarding more than the stated number of prizes.

**NOTIFICATION OF WINNER(S).** Winners will be notified by phone, mail and/or email, at Sponsor's discretion. Sponsor's decision will be final in all matters. Sponsor may also send potential winner(s) a declaration of eligibility / liability / publicity release ("Release"). Unless restricted by law, potential winners receiving such a Release may be required to complete and return it within the time period specified therein. The prize may be forfeited and, in such case, an alternate potential winner may in Sponsor's discretion be selected from among the remaining eligible entries (using the criteria described above), if a potential winner: (i) cannot be reached; (ii) fails to obtain all signatures on the Release and to return the documents in a timely manner as required pursuant to these Official Rules; or (iii) cannot accept or receive the prize for any reason. Prizes will be sent to winner as quickly as practicable following notification (and receipt of any Release and related document, if applicable).

**OFFICIAL RULES AND WINNERS' LIST.** For a copy of these Official Rules or the names of winners, please send your request to [netacad-riders2026@external.cisco.com](mailto:netacad-riders2026@external.cisco.com).

The winners list will be available after May 14, 2026 on the website:  
[https://www.americadigital.org/2023/01\\_NetAcad/12/APJCNNetAcadRiders24/01\\_Website/index.html](https://www.americadigital.org/2023/01_NetAcad/12/APJCNNetAcadRiders24/01_Website/index.html)

## **CONTENT AND LICENSE TERMS.**

**Originality:** By participating in this Competition, Contestant warrants and represents that his or her entry:

- is original and has been legally created, and that Contestant owns all rights to the entry;
- does not infringe the intellectual property, privacy or publicity rights or any other legal or moral rights of any third party;
- has not been entered in any previous Competition or won any previous award;
- has not been published or distributed previously in any media; and
- complies in all respects with the requirements set out in these Official Rules.

**Third Party Rights.** No part of any entry may depict recognizable third party marks, copyrights, brands or other property, unless Participant has obtained all proper licenses. The entry must not contain any elements that would infringe upon any third party's rights (intellectual property or otherwise), and must not include any commercial content that: (1) promotes any product or service, other than one owned or branded by Sponsor, or (2) disparages Sponsor, its affiliates, partners, customers, competitors or any third party in any way. Sponsor's determination as to whether Participant's Submission potentially violates the rights of any third party is final.

**Permissions and Releases.** Participant acknowledge and agrees that he or she is responsible for obtaining any and all documents, policies and authorizations necessary to submit the entry to Sponsor in connection with this Competition, including but not limited to publicity releases, permits and venue permissions, as may be necessary; and Contestant represents and warrants that he or she has done so and can make written copies of such permissions available to Sponsor upon request.

If applicable: Contestant represents and warrants that he or she has obtained permission from each person whose name, image, likeness and/or voice ("Likeness") is included in any entry, and that such person(s) has/have granted Contestant all necessary rights to use the person's Likeness as described in these rules, and that Contestant can make written copies of such permissions available to Sponsor upon request. If the Likeness of a minor is included, such grant of rights must include written permission from the minor's parent or legal guardian authorizing the use of the minor's likeness on behalf of the minor. Contestant represents and warrants that he or she has obtained written permission when filming or photographing any part of his or her entry on private property not owned or controlled by Contestant, where such permission is required.

**Additional Content Limitations.** Contestant's entry must not include anything in its theme or language that would offend parents whose young children view the entry, and must not include any nudity, sex, explicit activity, violence or drug use, nor any references to same.

**License Grant.** By submitting any entry in this Competition, Contestant irrevocably grants Sponsor and its affiliates, legal representatives, assigns, agents and licensees, the unconditional, irrevocable and perpetual right and permission, royalty-free, to reproduce, encode, store, copy, transmit, publish, post, broadcast, display, publicly perform, adapt, exhibit and/or otherwise use or reuse (without limitation as to when or to the number of times used), for any purpose, the Contestant's entry and ideas and materials contained therein, including, but not limited to, any recordings and performances contained therein (in each case, as submitted or as edited/modified in any way by the Sponsor, in its sole discretion), as well as to use Contestant's Likeness, and/or statements regarding his/her participation in this Contest (with or without using the Participant's name) in any and all media without limitation as to time or territory, and without additional compensation or approval from the Contestant, or any other party. Contestant waives all intellectual property rights, privacy/publicity rights or other legal or moral rights that might preclude the Sponsor's use of the Submission, and agrees not to sue or assert any claim against Sponsor for the use of the Submission or Contestant's Likeness or statements. The grant of rights under these Official Rules includes all rights of paternity, integrity, disclosure, and withdrawal and any other rights that may be known as or referred to as "moral rights" ("Moral Rights"). If Moral Rights cannot be assigned under applicable law, then to the full extent allowed by law, Contestant hereby waives such Moral Rights in favor of Sponsor and consents to any action of Sponsor which would violate such Moral Rights in the absence of such consent.

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS.**

The Competition is subject to applicable federal, state and local laws, and these Official Rules.

Each winner will be solely responsible for any local, provincial, country or any other applicable taxes, and any other costs, expenses and fees in connection with the prize. If applicable, the winner(s) may be issued an IRS Form 1099 or other tax documentation for the approximate retail value of any awarded prize.

Contestant grants permission to Sponsor and its authorized representatives to use his/her name, address (city and state/province/territory/country), photograph, voice, and/or other likeness for advertising, trade and promotional purposes without further compensation, in all media now known or hereafter discovered, worldwide, and on the Internet and world wide web, in perpetuity, without notice, consideration, review or approval.

Following the Competition Period, Sponsor shall not be required to retain records of any Entries.

By participating, Contestant hereby: (a) agrees bound by these Official Rules, and the decisions of Sponsor, which shall be final and binding; and (b) waives any right to claim ambiguity in the Competition or these Official Rules, except where prohibited by law. Once submitted, an Entry cannot be deleted or cancelled.

If any prize involves travel, all potential winners are responsible for obtaining all necessary travel documents, including valid passports, visas and travel insurance, and complying with all health or other government regulations.

Contestant acknowledges and agrees that Sponsor has neither made, nor is in any manner responsible or liable for, any warranty, representation or guarantee, expressed or implied, in fact or in law, relative to any prize or the Competition. All warranties are hereby disclaimed; and each potential winner will accept the Prize "AS IS." All costs and expenses, including support services, not specifically listed above as part of the prize, are solely the winner's responsibility.

In the event of a dispute as to the source of any Entry, the authorized account holder of the email address used to enter will be deemed to be the person making the Entry. The authorized "account holder" is the natural person assigned an email address by an Internet access provider, online service provider or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the submitted address.

Subject to applicable law, Sponsor reserves the right in its discretion, to (a) cancel, terminate, modify or suspend this Competition and these Official Rules, for any reason, at any time and without any liability, and (b) limit or restrict participation in the Competition, upon notice.

All Contestants are solely responsible for compliance with any applicable laws, rules and regulations, contractual limitations and/or office or company policies, if any, regarding Contestant's participation in trade promotions or acceptance of promotional prizes; and by entering this Contest, Contestant confirms that he or she is not in violation of any of the foregoing and has obtained the consent of his or her employer to participate, if applicable. If a Contestant is not permitted to accept any received prize, then the Contestant may return such prize to Sponsor; and Sponsor will refund the cost of shipment, as appropriate.

Use of any automated entry device or software is prohibited. Creation or use of multiple accounts for registration or participation in the Competition is prohibited. To the extent the Competition uses or requires functionality of any third party website (e.g., social media sites or platforms that enable broad communications, collaboration and/or posting of videos), you understand that the Competition is not sponsored by such third parties, and further agree to follow the policies on such website(s), as applicable. Sponsor reserves the right to disqualify any Contestant it finds to be tampering with the entry process or the operation of the Competition or violating these Official Rules, or otherwise acts in an uncooperative, unsportsmanlike, disruptive, abusive, or threatening manner; and Sponsor reserves the right to cancel the Competition should it suspect fraud or for reasons out of the control of Sponsor. Disputes regarding these Official Rules and/or this Competition will be governed by the internal laws of California. **CAUTION: ANY ATTEMPT TO DELIBERATELY DAMAGE OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THE CONTEST MAY BE IN VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS AND WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION FROM PARTICIPATION IN THE COMPETITION. SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, SPONSOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO SEEK REMEDIES AND DAMAGES (INCLUDING ATTORNEY FEES) TO THE FULLEST EXTENT OF THE LAW, INCLUDING CRIMINAL PROSECUTION.**

Sponsor is not responsible for: (a) lost, late, misdirected, undeliverable, incomplete or indecipherable entries due to system errors or failures, or faulty transmissions or other telecommunications malfunctions and/or entries; (b) technical failures of any kind; (c) failures of any of the equipment or programming associated with or utilized in the Competition; (d) unauthorized human and/or mechanical intervention in any part of the submission process or the Contest administration; (e) technical or human error which may occur in the administration of the Contest or the processing of entries; or (f) other factors beyond Sponsor's reasonable control. Sponsor is not responsible for injury or damage to any Participant's or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participating in the Contest or downloading materials from or use of the Site.

If for any reason the Competition is not capable of running as planned by Sponsor, including infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures, or any other causes which, in Sponsor's sole determination, corrupts or affects the administration, security, fairness, integrity, or proper conduct of this Contest, Sponsor reserves the right at its sole discretion to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Contest. If Contest is cancelled prior to the end of the Contest Period, for the reasons stated above, notice will be posted on the Contest website; and some or all of the prizes may, in Sponsor's sole discretion, be awarded to potential winners to be selected

(using the judging criteria described above) from among all the remaining uncorrupted entries received up until the time of modification or cancellation.

Sponsor shall not be liable to any Contestant or other person for failure to supply any prize or any part thereof, by reason of the prize becoming, for reasons beyond the reasonable control of Sponsor, unavailable or impracticable to award, or for any force majeure event, technical or equipment failure, terrorist acts, labor dispute, or act/omission of any kind (whether legal or illegal), transportation interruption, civil disturbance, or any other cause similar or dissimilar beyond Sponsor's control.

**LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY AND RELEASE.** PARTICIPANT AGREES THAT SPONSOR, ITS AFFILIATES, DIVISIONS, SUBSIDIARIES, RESELLERS, DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, ADVERTISING/PROMOTION AGENCIES, AND ALL OF THEIR RESPECTIVE OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, CONTRACTORS, REPRESENTATIVES AND AGENTS ("RELEASED PARTIES") WILL HAVE NO LIABILITY WHATSOEVER FOR, AND WILL BE RELEASED AND HELD HARMLESS BY PARTICIPANT FOR ANY CLAIMS, LIABILITIES, OR CAUSES OF ACTION OF ANY KIND OR NATURE FOR ANY INJURY, LOSS OR DAMAGES OF ANY KIND INCLUDING DIRECT, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES TO PERSONS, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION DISABILITY OR DEATH. WITHOUT LIMITING THE FOREGOING, EVERYTHING ON THE SITE AND IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONTEST IS PROVIDED "AS IS" WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, AND NON-INFRINGEMENT. SOME JURISDICTIONS MAY NOT ALLOW THE LIMITATIONS OR EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY FOR INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OR EXCLUSION OF IMPLIED WARRANTIES, IN WHICH CASE SUCH LIMITATION OR EXCLUSION SHALL APPLY ONLY TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY THE LAW IN THE RELEVANT JURISDICTION.

**PUBLICITY.** Participant acknowledges and agrees that Sponsor may use the Competition (including any submission) for publicity, advertising or other marketing purposes, in any media, and may use the name, likeness, and hometown name and/or prize information of potential winners as part of that publicity, without additional compensation to the potential winners.

**PRIVACY.** All personal information collected by Sponsor will be used for the administration of the Competition and in accordance with Sponsor's privacy policy. Any questions regarding privacy matters should be directed to the address set out below. Please refer to Sponsor's privacy policy located at <http://cisco.com/web/siteassets/legal/privacy.html> for important information regarding the collection, use and disclosure of personal information by Sponsor.

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