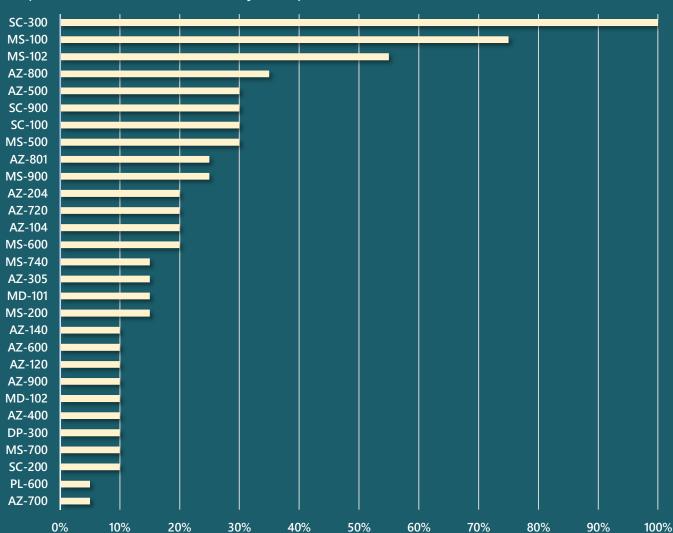
## The Importance of Identity in Microsoft Certifications



An analysis of Microsoft official exam study guides reveal an Azure AD/Entra or Active Directory component on **29** exams. Further, in **10** of these exams, identity has a weight of at least **25% or higher** on the overall score.

Of the **top 20** Microsoft certifications on Credly, **11** of those certifications have a required exam with an identity component.



As of February 2023.

Data is derived from Microsoft official exam study guides under the *Skills measured* section. If the skill category contains a partial identity component, a fractional percentage was derived from the number of identity skills that compose the total skills measured. Microsoft indicates a variance of 5% per skill category in official exam study guides. This data represents the high-end percentage. Expired exams not included in analysis.

Beta exams included in analysis.

