ALASKA AIRLINE CITY CODES PRACTICE (SAMPLE)

STUDY GUIDE



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Introduction

Preparing for a certification exam can feel overwhelming, but with the right tools, it becomes an opportunity to build confidence, sharpen your skills, and move one step closer to your goals. At Examzify, we believe that effective exam preparation isn't just about memorization, it's about understanding the material, identifying knowledge gaps, and building the test-taking strategies that lead to success.

This guide was designed to help you do exactly that.

Whether you're preparing for a licensing exam, professional certification, or entry-level qualification, this book offers structured practice to reinforce key concepts. You'll find a wide range of multiple-choice questions, each followed by clear explanations to help you understand not just the right answer, but why it's correct.

The content in this guide is based on real-world exam objectives and aligned with the types of questions and topics commonly found on official tests. It's ideal for learners who want to:

- Practice answering questions under realistic conditions,
- Improve accuracy and speed,
- Review explanations to strengthen weak areas, and
- Approach the exam with greater confidence.

We recommend using this book not as a stand-alone study tool, but alongside other resources like flashcards, textbooks, or hands-on training. For best results, we recommend working through each question, reflecting on the explanation provided, and revisiting the topics that challenge you most.

Remember: successful test preparation isn't about getting every question right the first time, it's about learning from your mistakes and improving over time. Stay focused, trust the process, and know that every page you turn brings you closer to success.

Let's begin.

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How to Use This Guide

This guide is designed to help you study more effectively and approach your exam with confidence. Whether you're reviewing for the first time or doing a final refresh, here's how to get the most out of your Examzify study guide:

1. Start with a Diagnostic Review

Skim through the questions to get a sense of what you know and what you need to focus on. Your goal is to identify knowledge gaps early.

2. Study in Short, Focused Sessions

Break your study time into manageable blocks (e.g. 30 – 45 minutes). Review a handful of questions, reflect on the explanations.

3. Learn from the Explanations

After answering a question, always read the explanation, even if you got it right. It reinforces key points, corrects misunderstandings, and teaches subtle distinctions between similar answers.

4. Track Your Progress

Use bookmarks or notes (if reading digitally) to mark difficult questions. Revisit these regularly and track improvements over time.

5. Simulate the Real Exam

Once you're comfortable, try taking a full set of questions without pausing. Set a timer and simulate test-day conditions to build confidence and time management skills.

6. Repeat and Review

Don't just study once, repetition builds retention. Re-attempt questions after a few days and revisit explanations to reinforce learning. Pair this guide with other Examzify tools like flashcards, and digital practice tests to strengthen your preparation across formats.

There's no single right way to study, but consistent, thoughtful effort always wins. Use this guide flexibly, adapt the tips above to fit your pace and learning style. You've got this!

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Questions

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1. What is the city code for Bozeman?

A. BZN

B. BOZ

C. BNO

D. BVT

2. What city does the code LIH refer to?

A. Los Angeles, California

B. Lihue, Hawaii

C. Little Rock, Arkansas

D. Lubbock, Texas

3. Which city is represented by the code ADK in Alaska Airlines city codes?

A. Adak

B. Anchorage

C. Dutch Harbor

D. Juneau

4. What is the city code for Adak?

A. ADK

B. ANC

C. BRW

D. FAI

5. Kodiak is represented by which code?

A. KTN

B. OTZ

C. ADQ

D. YAK

6. The city code PSG stands for which Alaskan city?

A. Palmer, AK

B. Petersburg, AK

C. Portland, OR

D. Phoenix, AZ

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7. What does SMF stand for?

A. San Diego

B. San Francisco

C. Sacramento

D. San Jose

8. What does GEG stand for?

A. Spokane

B. Syracuse

C. Santa Fe

D. Springfield

9. Which city is represented by the airport code TUS?

A. Tacoma

B. Tulsa

C. Tuscarawas

D. Tuscon

10. What is the city code for Billings, MT?

A. BLL

B. BZN

C. BIL

D. BOI

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Answers

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1. A
2. B
3. A
4. A
5. C
6. B
7. A
8. A
9. A
10. C

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Explanations

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1. What is the city code for Bozeman?

A. BZN

B. BOZ

C. BNO

D. BVT

Bozeman's city code, or airport code, is BZN. This is an abbreviation used by the FAA to identify airports, and it stands for Gallatin Field Airport in Bozeman, Montana. Option B, BOZ, is incorrect because the airport code cannot begin with the same three letters as the city name. Option C, BNO, is incorrect because the last letter does not match the city name. Option D, BVT, is incorrect because the last two letters do not match the city name. As a result, A is the only option that correctly matches the city code for Bozeman.

2. What city does the code LIH refer to?

A. Los Angeles, California

B. Lihue, Hawaii

C. Little Rock, Arkansas

D. Lubbock, Texas

The code LIH refers specifically to Lihue, Hawaii, which is the primary airport serving the island of Kauai. This three-letter code is part of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) airport coding system, where each code is unique to a specific airport, allowing for efficient identification and booking of flights. In this case, LIH is derived from the name of the city itself, making it straightforward for travelers to recognize. The other options represent different cities and their respective airports. For instance, Los Angeles, California, is known by the code LAX, Little Rock, Arkansas, has the code LIT, and Lubbock, Texas uses LBB. Each of these codes is distinct and pertains to different locations, reinforcing the uniqueness of LIH for Lihue.

3. Which city is represented by the code ADK in Alaska Airlines city codes?

A. Adak

B. Anchorage

C. Dutch Harbor

D. Juneau

Adak, Alaska is represented by the code ADK in Alaska Airlines city codes because it is the correct city identified in their official listing of airport codes. In this case, Adak is the only city in the list of choices that begins with "A", so it is the most likely option. Anchorage (B), Dutch Harbor (C), and Juneau (D) might seem like plausible options, as they are also cities in Alaska, but they do not match the given code. Anchorage's code is ANC, Dutch Harbor's code is DUT, and Juneau's code is JNU. Therefore, they are not the correct answers.

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4. What is the city code for Adak?

A. ADK

B. ANC

C. BRW

D. FAI

Adak, Alaska is a remote city located in the Aleutian Islands near the International Date Line. The city code for Adak is ADK, which stands for its airport, Adak Airport. Option B, ANC, stands for the city of Anchorage, which is the largest city in Alaska but is not the city code for Adak. Options C and D, BRW and FAI, stand for the cities of Barrow and Fairbanks, respectively, which are both located on the mainland of Alaska and are also not the city code for Adak. Therefore, the correct answer is A, ADK.

5. Kodiak is represented by which code?

A. KTN

B. OTZ

C. ADQ

D. YAK

Kodiak is represented by the code ADQ. This code is derived from the city's name, Kodiak, which is located on Kodiak Island in Alaska. The use of "ADQ" is part of the IATA (International Air Transport Association) coding system, which assigns three-letter designators to airports and cities worldwide. In this case, ADQ specifically refers to Kodiak's airport, enabling travelers and airlines to easily identify the location within their systems. The other codes correlate to different locales or airports in Alaska but do not represent Kodiak.

6. The city code PSG stands for which Alaskan city?

A. Palmer, AK

B. Petersburg, AK

C. Portland, OR

D. Phoenix, AZ

The city code PSG stands for Petersburg, AK. This is the correct answer because Alaskan city codes typically consist of three letters that represent the city's name; in this case, PSG represents Petersburg, an Alaskan city. Option A (Palmer, AK), Option C (Portland, OR), and Option D (Phoenix, AZ) are incorrect choices because they do not correspond to the city code PSG, which specifically belongs to Petersburg, AK.

7. What does SMF stand for?

A. San Diego

B. San Francisco

C. Sacramento

D. San Jose

SMF usually stands for "Sacramento International Airport" as known by travelers. Though, don't get confused between SMF and other similar airport codes like "San Francisco International Airport (SFO)" or "San Jose International Airport (SJC)." These smaller airports may be closer to your final destination, so make sure to double check before booking your flight.

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8. What does GEG stand for?

A. Spokane

B. Syracuse

C. Santa Fe

D. Springfield

The correct answer is Spokane, which is represented by the airport code GEG. Each airport has a unique three-letter code assigned by the International Air Transport Association (IATA), and GEG specifically refers to Spokane International Airport located in Spokane, Washington. This code is utilized for ticketing, baggage handling, and flight scheduling, making it essential for identifying airports within the airline industry. The other options represent locations that do not correspond with the GEG airport code. Syracuse, Santa Fe, and Springfield each have their own distinct airport codes that differentiate them from Spokane.

9. Which city is represented by the airport code TUS?

A. Tacoma

B. Tulsa

C. Tuscarawas

D. Tuscon

The airport code TUS represents Tucson, Arizona. Tucson International Airport is the primary airport serving the city, and its code reflects the city's name in a shortened format. Tacoma, while a city located in Washington, is served by Seattle-Tacoma International Airport, which has a completely different code, SEA. Tulsa is in Oklahoma and is served by Tulsa International Airport with the code TUL. Tuscarawas is a lesser-known location in Ohio and does not have a significant airport associated with its name. Hence, Tucson is the only city in this list that corresponds correctly with the TUS airport code.

10. What is the city code for Billings, MT?

A. BLL

B. BZN

C. BIL

D. BOI

The city code for Billings, MT is BIL. This code is part of the IATA (International Air Transport Association) airport code system, which assigns unique three-letter identifiers to airports around the world. Billings Logan International Airport, located in Billings, uses the code BIL. Other options such as BLL, BZN, and BOI represent different locations. BLL does not correspond to any U.S. airport and is actually assigned to Billund Airport in Denmark. BZN is the city code for Bozeman Yellowstone International Airport, which serves the Bozeman area in Montana, while BOI is the airport code for Boise Airport in Idaho. Therefore, BIL is the correct city code for Billings, MT.

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Next Steps

Congratulations on reaching the final section of this guide. You've taken a meaningful step toward passing your certification exam and advancing your career.

As you continue preparing, remember that consistent practice, review, and self-reflection are key to success. Make time to revisit difficult topics, simulate exam conditions, and track your progress along the way.

If you need help, have suggestions, or want to share feedback, we'd love to hear from you. Reach out to our team at hello@examzify.com.

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We wish you the very best on your exam journey. You've got this!

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