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Exam Questions 200-201

Understanding Cisco Cybersecurity Operations Fundamentals



NEW QUESTION 1

An analyst received a ticket regarding a degraded processing capability for one of the HR department's servers. On the same day, an engineer noticed a disabled antivirus software and was not able to determine when or why it occurred. According to the NIST Incident Handling Guide, what is the next phase of this investigation?

- A. Recovery
- B. Detection
- C. Eradication
- D. Analysis

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 2

Which signature impacts network traffic by causing legitimate traffic to be blocked?

- A. false negative
- B. true positive
- C. true negative
- D. false positive

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 3

A company encountered a breach on its web servers using IIS 7.5. During the investigation, an engineer discovered that an attacker read and altered the data on a secure communication using TLS 1.2 and intercepted sensitive information by downgrading a connection to export-grade cryptography. The engineer must mitigate similar incidents in the future and ensure that clients and servers always negotiate with the most secure protocol versions and cryptographic parameters. Which action does the engineer recommend?

- A. Upgrade to TLS v1.3.
- B. Install the latest IIS version.
- C. Downgrade to TLS 1.1.
- D. Deploy an intrusion detection system

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 4

Which event is user interaction?

- A. gaining root access
- B. executing remote code
- C. reading and writing file permission
- D. opening a malicious file

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 5

Drag and drop the elements from the left into the correct order for incident handling on the right.

preparation	create communication guidelines for effective incident handling
containment, eradication, and recovery	gather indicators of compromise and restore the system
post-incident analysis	document information to mitigate similar occurrences
detection and analysis	collect data from systems for further investigation

Solution:

preparation	containment, eradication, and recovery
containment, eradication, and recovery	preparation
post-incident analysis	detection and analysis
detection and analysis	post-incident analysis

Does this meet the goal?

- A. Yes
- B. No

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 6

Which event artifact is used to identify HTTP GET requests for a specific file?

- A. destination IP address
- B. TCP ACK
- C. HTTP status code
- D. URI

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 7

Refer to the exhibit.

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Capturing on 'eth0'
  1 0.000000000 ca:4f:4d:4b:38:5a ? Broadcast ARP 42 Who has 192.168.88.149?
Tell 192.168.88.12
  2 0.000055428 82:69:61:3e:fa:99 ? ca:4f:4d:4b:38:5a ARP 42 192.168.88.149 is at
82:69:61:3e:fa:99
  3 0.000080556 192.168.88.12 ? 192.168.88.149 TCP 74 49098 ? 80 [SYN] Seq=0
Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1 TSval=65609529 TSecr=0 WS=128
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What must be interpreted from this packet capture?

- A. IP address 192.168.88.12 is communicating with 192.168.88.149 with a source port 74 to destination port 49098 using TCP protocol
- B. IP address 192.168.88.12 is communicating with 192.168.88.149 with a source port 49098 to destination port 80 using TCP protocol.
- C. IP address 192.168.88.149 is communicating with 192.168.88.12 with a source port 80 to destination port 49098 using TCP protocol.
- D. IP address 192.168.88.149 is communicating with 192.168.88.12 with a source port 49098 to destination port 80 using TCP protocol.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 8

Which system monitors local system operation and local network access for violations of a security policy?

- A. host-based intrusion detection
- B. systems-based sandboxing
- C. host-based firewall
- D. antivirus

Answer: A

Explanation:

HIDS is capable of monitoring the internals of a computing system as well as the network packets on its network interfaces. Host-based firewall is a piece of software running on a single Host that can restrict incoming and outgoing Network activity for that host only.

NEW QUESTION 9

Which two elements of the incident response process are stated in NIST SP 800-61 r2? (Choose two.)

- A. detection and analysis
- B. post-incident activity
- C. vulnerability scoring
- D. vulnerability management
- E. risk assessment

Answer: AB

NEW QUESTION 10

What is a difference between tampered and untampered disk images?

- A. Tampered images have the same stored and computed hash.
- B. Tampered images are used as evidence.
- C. Untampered images are used for forensic investigations.
- D. Untampered images are deliberately altered to preserve as evidence

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 11

An engineer received an alert affecting the degraded performance of a critical server. Analysis showed a heavy CPU and memory load. What is the next step the engineer should take to investigate this resource usage?

- A. Run "ps -d" to decrease the priority state of high load processes to avoid resource exhaustion.
- B. Run "ps -u" to find out who executed additional processes that caused a high load on a server.
- C. Run "ps -ef" to understand which processes are taking a high amount of resources.
- D. Run "ps -m" to capture the existing state of daemons and map required processes to find the gap.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 12

What is the difference between inline traffic interrogation (TAPS) and traffic mirroring (SPAN)?

- A. TAPS interrogation is more complex because traffic mirroring applies additional tags to data and SPAN does not alter integrity and provides full duplex network.
- B. SPAN results in more efficient traffic analysis, and TAPS is considerably slower due to latency caused by mirroring.
- C. TAPS replicates the traffic to preserve integrity, and SPAN modifies packets before sending them to other analysis tools
- D. SPAN ports filter out physical layer errors, making some types of analyses more difficult, and TAPS receives all packets, including physical errors.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 13

What should an engineer use to aid the trusted exchange of public keys between user tom0411976943 and dan1968754032?

- A. central key management server
- B. web of trust
- C. trusted certificate authorities
- D. registration authority data

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 14

What is the difference between a threat and a risk?

- A. Threat represents a potential danger that could take advantage of a weakness in a system
- B. Risk represents the known and identified loss or danger in the system
- C. Risk represents the nonintentional interaction with uncertainty in the system
- D. Threat represents a state of being exposed to an attack or a compromise, either physically or logically.

Answer: A

Explanation:

A threat is any potential danger to an asset. If a vulnerability exists but has not yet been exploited—or, more importantly, it is not yet publicly known—the threat is latent and not yet realized.

NEW QUESTION 15

Which utility blocks a host portscan?

- A. HIDS
- B. sandboxing
- C. host-based firewall
- D. antimalware

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 16

Refer to the exhibit.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1	0.000000	10.0.0.2	10.128.0.2	TCP	54	3341 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
2	0.003987	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	88 - 3222 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29288 Len=0 NSS=1468
3	0.005514	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	88 - 3341 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 NSS=1460
4	0.008429	10.0.0.2	10.128.0.2	TCP	54	3342 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
5	0.010233	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	88 - 3220 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=2988 Len=0 NSS=1468
6	0.014072	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	80 - 3342 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=2900 Len=0 NSS=1460
7	0.016830	10.0.0.2	10.128.0.2	TCP	54	3343 - 88 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
8	0.022220	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	89 - 3343 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460
9	0.023496	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	89 - 3219 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460
10	0.025243	10.0.0.2	10.128.0.2	TCP	54	3344 - 88 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
11	0.026672	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	89 - 3218 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460
12	0.028038	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	80 - 3221 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460
13	0.030523	10.128.0.2	10.0.0.2	TCP	58	88 - 3344 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460

Frame 1: 54 bytes on wire (432 bits), 54 bytes captured (432 bits)
 Ethernet II, Src: 42:01:0a:f0:00:17 (42:01:0a:f0:00:17), Dst: 42:01:0a:f0:00:01 (42:01:0a:f0:00:01)
 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 10.0.0.2, Dst: 10.128.0.2
 Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 3341, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 0, Len: 0
 Source Port: 3341
 Destination Port: 80
 [Stream index: 0]
 [TCP Segment Len: 0]
 Sequence number: 0 (relative sequence number)
 [Next sequence number: 0 (relative sequence number)]
 * Acknowledgement number: 1023350884
 0101 ... = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
 * Flags: 0x002 (SYN)
 Windows Size Value: 512
 [Calculated window size: 512]
 Checksum: 0x8d5a [unverified]
 [Checksum Status: Unverified]
 Urgent pointer: 0
 * [Timestamps]

What is occurring in this network traffic?

- A. High rate of SYN packets being sent from a multiple source IP towards a single destination IP.
- B. High rate of ACK packets being sent from a single source IP towards multiple destination IPs.
- C. Flood of ACK packets coming from a single source IP to multiple destination IPs.
- D. Flood of SYN packets coming from a single source IP to a single destination IP.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 17

How is NetFlow different from traffic mirroring?

- A. NetFlow collects metadata and traffic mirroring clones data.
- B. Traffic mirroring impacts switch performance and NetFlow does not.
- C. Traffic mirroring costs less to operate than NetFlow.
- D. NetFlow generates more data than traffic mirroring.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 18

Refer to the exhibit.

An engineer is analyzing a PCAP file after a recent breach. An engineer identified that the attacker used an aggressive ARP scan to scan the hosts and found web and SSH servers. Further analysis showed several SSH Server Banner and Key Exchange Initiations. The engineer cannot see the exact data being transmitted over an encrypted channel and cannot identify how the attacker gained access. How did the attacker gain access?

- A. by using the buffer overflow in the URL catcher feature for SSH
- B. by using an SSH Tectia Server vulnerability to enable host-based authentication
- C. by using an SSH vulnerability to silently redirect connections to the local host
- D. by using brute force on the SSH service to gain access

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 19

Which security monitoring data type requires the largest storage space?

- A. transaction data
- B. statistical data
- C. session data
- D. full packet capture

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 20

A security expert is working on a copy of the evidence, an ISO file that is saved in CDFS format. Which type of evidence is this file?

- A. CD data copy prepared in Windows
- B. CD data copy prepared in Mac-based system
- C. CD data copy prepared in Linux system
- D. CD data copy prepared in Android-based system

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 21

What is a description of a social engineering attack?

- A. fake offer for free music download to trick the user into providing sensitive data
- B. package deliberately sent to the wrong receiver to advertise a new product
- C. mistakenly received valuable order destined for another person and hidden on purpose
- D. email offering last-minute deals on various vacations around the world with a due date and a counter

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 22

Which type of data collection requires the largest amount of storage space?

- A. alert data

- B. transaction data
- C. session data
- D. full packet capture

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 23

While viewing packet capture data, an analyst sees that one IP is sending and receiving traffic for multiple devices by modifying the IP header. Which technology makes this behavior possible?

- A. encapsulation
- B. TOR
- C. tunneling
- D. NAT

Answer: D

Explanation:

Network address translation (NAT) is a method of mapping an IP address space into another by modifying network address information in the IP header of packets while they are in transit across a traffic routing device.

NEW QUESTION 24

A threat actor penetrated an organization's network. Using the 5-tuple approach, which data points should the analyst use to isolate the compromised host in a grouped set of logs?

- A. event name, log source, time, source IP, and host name
- B. protocol, source IP, source port, destination IP, and destination port
- C. event name, log source, time, source IP, and username
- D. protocol, log source, source IP, destination IP, and host name

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 25

Refer to the exhibit.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protoc	Length	Info
6	16:40:35.636314	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	FTP	104	Response: 227 Entering Passive Mode (195,144,107,198,4,2).
7	16:40:35.637786	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	FTP	82	Request: RETR ResumableTransfer.png
8	16:40:35.638091	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	66	1084 → 1026 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
9	16:40:35.696788	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	FTP	96	Response: 150 Opening BINARY mode data connection.
10	16:40:35.698384	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	TCP	66	1026 → 1084 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=8192 Len=0 MSS=1456 WS=256 SACK
11	16:40:35.698521	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	1084 → 1026 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=132352 Len=0
12	16:40:35.698802	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	[TCP Window Update] 1084 → 1026 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=4194304 Len=0
13	16:40:35.739249	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	1031 → 21 [ACK] Seq=43 Ack=113 Win=513 Len=0
14	16:40:35.759825	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	FTP	2966	FTP Data: 2912 bytes (PASV) (RETR ResumableTransfer.png)
15	16:40:35.759925	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	1084 → 1026 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=2913 Win=4194304 Len=0
16	16:40:35.822152	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	FTP	5878	FTP Data: 5824 bytes (PASV) (RETR ResumableTransfer.png)
17	16:40:35.822263	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	1084 → 1026 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=8737 Win=4194304 Len=0
18	16:40:35.883496	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	FTP	1510	FTP Data: 1456 bytes (PASV) (RETR ResumableTransfer.png)
19	16:40:35.883496	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	FTP	1408	FTP Data: 1354 bytes (PASV) (RETR ResumableTransfer.png)
20	16:40:35.883559	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	1084 → 1026 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11547 Win=4194304 Len=0
21	16:40:35.944841	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	FTP	78	Response: 226 Transfer complete.
22	16:40:35.944841	195.144.107.198	192.168.31.44	TCP	54	1026 → 1084 [FIN, ACK] Seq=11547 Ack=1 Win=66816 Len=0
23	16:40:35.944978	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	1084 → 1026 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11548 Win=4194304 Len=0
24	16:40:35.945371	192.168.31.44	195.144.107.198	TCP	54	1084 → 1026 [FIN, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11548 Win=4194304 Len=0


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Frame 21: 78 bytes on wire (624 bits), 78 bytes captured (624 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_{E75C8230-B09F-4B7C-B722-948D6CF16174}, id 0
Ethernet II, Src: BeijingX_06:3f:00 (50:d2:f5:06:3f:00), Dst: IntelCor_7c:b2:fd (18:26:49:7c:b2:fd)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 195.144.107.198, Dst: 192.168.31.44
Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 21, Dst Port: 1031, Seq: 113, Ack: 43, Len: 24
File Transfer Protocol (FTP)
[Current working directory: ]
    
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Which frame numbers contain a file that is extractable via TCP stream within Wireshark?

- A. 7,14, and 21
- B. 7 and 21
- C. 14,16,18, and 19
- D. 7 to 21

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 26

Which security technology guarantees the integrity and authenticity of all messages transferred to and from a web application?

- A. Hypertext Transfer Protocol
- B. SSL Certificate
- C. Tunneling
- D. VPN

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 27

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