CS363 Information Assurance and Security

-- Final Exam Study Guide

(I reserve the right to interpret if a question is covered by this guide. Still, only about 90% of questions are covered by this guide.)

Midterm-study guide

Malware:

- 1. Can explain different types of malware.
 - Can rephrase it.
 - Can give application examples.

Cryptography:

- 1. Can explain terms used in cryptography
- 2. Understand symmetric encryption
 - a. DES, 3DES, AES
 - b. Why 3DES is adopted other than 2DES
 - c. Block cipher modes (ECB, CBC, CTR): pros and cons
- 3. Understand asymmetric encryption
 - a. Diffie-Hellman (key exchange), RSA (encryption and decryption)
 - b. Man-in-the-middle attack of diffie-hellman & defense
 - c. Attacks to RSA & defense

Networking:

- 1. Can explain network attacks: packet sniffing, session hijacking, DOS, DNS caching poison,
- 2. Can explain network defense: IPSEC, S-BGP, DNSSEC, firewall, traffic shaping, IDS/IPS