



## Review Test Submission: Quiz #5a

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## Question 1

1 out of 1 points



A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is a performance value or metric used to compare changes in the object being measured.

Selected Answer: ☒ baseline

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

☒ Exact Match

baseline

## Question 2

1 out of 1 points



Management of classified data includes its storage and \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer: ☒ d. All of the above

Answers: a. distribution

b. portability

c. destruction

☒ d. All of the above

## Question 3

1 out of 1 points



Overriding an employee's security clearance requires that the employee meet the \_\_\_\_\_ standard be met.

Selected Answer: ☒ need-to-know

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

☒ Exact Match

need-to-know

☒ Exact Match

need to know

#### Question 4

1 out of 1 points



Using the simplified information classification scheme outlined in the text, all information that has been approved by management for public release has a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ classification.

Selected Answer: ☒ external

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

☒ Exact Match

external

#### Question 5

1 out of 1 points



The first phase of risk management is \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer: ☒ c. risk identification

Answers:

a. risk evaluation

b. design

☒ c. risk identification

d. risk control

#### Question 6

1 out of 1 points



The \_\_\_\_\_ control strategy that attempts to eliminate or reduce any remaining uncontrolled risk through the application of additional controls and safeguards.

Selected Answer: ☒ a. defense

Answers:

☒ a. defense

b. termination

c. transfer

d. mitigate

#### Question 7

1 out of 1 points



A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is a formal access control methodology used to assign a level of confidentiality to an information asset and thus restrict the number of people who can access it..

Selected Answer: ☒ d. data classification scheme

Answers:

- a. security clearance scheme
- b. data recovery scheme
- c. risk management scheme
- ☒ d. data classification scheme

### Question 8

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ equals the probability of a successful attack times the expected loss from a successful attack plus an element of uncertainty.

Selected Answer: ☒ d. Risk

Answers:

- a. Loss Frequency
- b. Loss
- c. Loss Magnitude
- ☒ d. Risk

### Question 9

1 out of 1 points



A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is an authorization issued by an organization for the repair, modification, or update of a piece of equipment.

Selected Answer: ☒ a. FCO

Answers:

- ☒ a. FCO
- b. CTO
- c. HTTP
- d. IP

### Question 10

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ measures are generally less focused on numbers and are more strategic than metrics-based measures.

Selected Answer: ☒ Process-based

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

☒ Exact Match

**Correct Answer**

process-based

**Case Sensitivity**

### Question 11

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ is an asset valuation approach that uses categorical or non-numeric values rather than absolute numerical measures.

Selected Answer: ☒ b. Qualitative assessment

- Answers:
- a. Quantitative assessment
  - ☒ b. Qualitative assessment
  - c. Value-specific constant
  - d. Metric-centric model

**Question 12**

1 out of 1 points



☒ \_\_\_\_\_ is the process of identifying risk, as represented by vulnerabilities, to an organization's information assets and infrastructure, and taking steps to reduce this risk to an acceptable level.

Selected Answer: ☒ Risk management

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	Risk management	

**Question 13**

1 out of 1 points



☒ Behavioral feasibility is also known as \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer: ☒ operational feasibility

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	operational feasibility	

**Question 14**

1 out of 1 points



☒ \_\_\_\_\_ plans usually include all preparations for the recovery process, strategies to limit losses during the disaster, and detailed steps to follow when the smoke clears, the dust settles, or the flood waters recede.

Selected Answer: ☒ c. DR

- Answers:
- a. BR
  - b. BC
  - ☒ c. DR
  - d. IR

**Question 15**

1 out of 1 points



☒ Risk \_\_\_\_\_ defines the quantity and nature of risk that organizations are willing to accept as they evaluate the tradeoffs between perfect security and unlimited accessibility.

Selected Answer: ☒ d. appetite

- Answers:
- a. acceptance
  - b. avoidance

- c. benefit
- ☒ d. appetite

**Question 16**

1 out of 1 points



The combination of an asset's value and the percentage of the asset that might be lost in an attack is known as the loss \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer: ☒ magnitude

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

☒ Exact Match

**Correct Answer**

magnitude

**Case Sensitivity**

**Question 17**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ addresses are sometimes called electronic serial numbers or hardware addresses.

Selected Answer: ☒ c. MAC

Answers:

- a. HTTP
- b. IP
- ☒ c. MAC
- d. DHCP

**Question 18**

1 out of 1 points



The \_\_\_\_\_ strategy is the choice to do nothing to protect a vulnerability and to accept the outcome of its exploitation.

Selected Answer: ☒ c. acceptance

Answers:

- a. defense
- b. transfer
- ☒ c. acceptance
- d. mitigation

**Question 19**

1 out of 1 points



The \_\_\_\_\_ plan specifies the actions an organization can and should take while an adverse event (that could result in loss of an information asset or assets, but does not currently threaten the viability of the entire organization) is in progress.

Selected Answer: ☒ b. IR

Answers:

- a. BR
- ☒ b. IR
- c. BC

d. DR

**Question 20**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ assigns a status level to employees to designate the maximum level of classified data they may access.

Selected Answer: ☒ b. security clearance scheme

Answers:

- ☐ a. data recovery scheme
- ☒ b. security clearance scheme
- ☐ c. data classification scheme
- ☐ d. risk management scheme

**Question 21**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ is the process of comparing other organizations' activities against the practices used in one's own organization to produce results it would like to duplicate..

Selected Answer: ☒ Benchmarking

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

☒ Exact Match

Benchmarking

**Question 22**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ is the process of assigning financial value or worth to each information asset.

Selected Answer: ☒ Asset valuation

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

☒ Exact Match

Asset valuation

☒ Exact Match

Information asset  
valuation

**Question 23**

1 out of 1 points



The \_\_\_\_\_ is the difference between an organization's observed and desired performance.

Selected Answer: ☒ a. performance gap

Answers:

- ☒ a. performance gap
- ☐ b. objective
- ☐ c. issue delta
- ☐ d. risk assessment

**Question 24**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ is simply how often you expect a specific type of attack to occur.

Selected Answer: ☒ d. ARO

- Answers:
- a. SLE
  - b. ALE
  - c. CBA
  - ☒ d. ARO

**Question 25**

1 out of 1 points



Risk \_\_\_\_\_ is the application of security mechanisms to reduce the risks to an organization's data and information systems.

Selected Answer: ☒ d. control

- Answers:
- a. management
  - b. security
  - c. identification
  - ☒ d. control

**Question 26**

1 out of 1 points



When organizations adopt security measures for a legal defense, they may need to show that they have done what any prudent organization would do in similar circumstances. This is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer: ☒ c. standards of due care

- Answers:
- a. baselining
  - b. benchmarking
  - ☒ c. standards of due care
  - d. best practices

**Question 27**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ is the probability that a specific vulnerability within an organization's assets will be successfully attacked.

Selected Answer: ☒ Likelihood

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	Likelihood	

**Question 28**

1 out of 1 points



Federal agencies such as the NSA, FBI, and CIA use specialty classification schemes. For materials that are not considered 'National Security Information', \_\_\_\_\_ data is the lowest level classification.

Selected Answer: ☒ c. Unclassified

- Answers:
- a. Sensistive
  - b. Confidential
  - ☒ c. Unclassified
  - d. Public

**Question 29**

1 out of 1 points



Once the inventory and value assessment are complete, you can prioritize each asset using a straightforward process known as \_\_\_\_\_ analysis.

Selected Answer: ☒ weighted factor

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	weighted factor	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	weighted table	

**Question 30**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ feasibility analysis is an assessment of which controls can and cannot occur based on the consensus and relationships among communities of interest.

Selected Answer: ☒ Political

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	Political	

**Question 31**

6 out of 6 points (Extra Credit)



One of the first components of risk identification is identification, inventory and categorization of assets, including all elements, or attributes, of an organization's information system. List and describe these asset attributes.

Selected  
Answer:



Asset attributes can include:

- 1) People: Can be accounted towards employees (trusted employees and other staff) and nonemployees (people at trusted organizations or strangers and visitors). Includes the position name, number, and ID of people, supervisor, security clearance level, and special skills.
- 2) Procedures: Can be split between IT and business standard procedures or IT and business-sensitive procedures. Includes a description, purpose, relation of software, hardware, and network, storage location for reference and update. They either don't expose knowledge useful to a potential attacker, or are sensitive and could allow adversaries to gain advantage.
- 3) Data: Involves the management of information within the transmission, processing, and storage states. Includes the classification, manager, size of data structure, location, and backup procedures.
- 4) Software: Can be assigned towards applications, operating systems, and security components.
- 5) Hardware: Involves usual system devices and peripherals (security devices and peripherals), or information security control systems and networking components (intranet, internet, or DMZ components).

Correct



Answer:

People comprise employees and nonemployees.  
 Procedures fall into two categories: IT and business standard procedures, and IT and business sensitive procedures.  
 Data components account for the management of information in all its states: transmission, processing, and storage.  
 Software components are assigned to one of three categories: applications, operating systems, or security components.  
 Hardware is assigned to one of two categories: the usual systems devices and their peripherals, and the devices that are part of information security control systems.  
 Hardware components are separated into two categories: devices and peripherals, and networks.

Response [None Given]

Feedback:

### Question 32

1 out of 1 points



The \_\_\_\_\_ control strategy attempts to shift risk to other assets, other processes, or other organizations.

Selected Answer: a. transfer

Answers: a. transfer

b. defend

c. accept

d. mitigate

### Question 33

1 out of 1 points



After identifying and performing the preliminary classification of an organization's information assets, the analysis phase moves on to an examination of the \_\_\_\_\_ facing the organization.

Selected Answer: threats

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method****Correct Answer****Case Sensitivity** *Exact Match*

threats

**Question 34**


1 out of 1 points



There are individuals who search trash and recycling — a practice known as \_\_\_\_\_ — to retrieve information that could embarrass a company or compromise information security.

Selected Answer:  b. dumpster diving

Answers:

- a. corporate espionage
-  b. dumpster diving
- c. pretexting
- d. shoulder surfing

**Question 35**


1 out of 1 points



The formal decision making process used when considering the economic feasibility of implementing information security controls and safeguards is called a(n) \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer:  d. CBA

Answers:

- a. ARO
- b. SLE
- c. ALE
-  d. CBA

**Question 36**


1 out of 1 points



The concept of competitive \_\_\_\_\_ refers to falling behind the competition.

Selected Answer:  d. disadvantage

Answers:

- a. drawback
- b. failure
- c. shortcoming
-  d. disadvantage

**Question 37**


1 out of 1 points



The calculation of the likelihood of an attack coupled with the attack frequency to determine the expected number of losses within a specified time range is called the \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer:  a. loss frequency

Answers:

-  a. loss frequency
- b. benefit of loss

- c. annualized loss expectancy
- d. likelihood

**Question 38**

1 out of 1 points



A single loss \_\_\_\_\_ is the calculation of the value associated with the most likely loss from an attack.

Selected Answer: ☒ expectancy

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	expectancy	

**Question 39**

1 out of 1 points



\_\_\_\_\_ feasibility analysis examines user acceptance and support, management acceptance and support, and the overall requirements of the organization's stakeholders.

Selected Answer: ☒ b. Operational

- Answers:
- a. Technical
  - ☒ b. Operational
  - c. Political
  - d. Organizational

**Question 40**

1 out of 1 points



You can determine the relative risk for each of the organization's information assets by a process called risk \_\_\_\_\_.

Selected Answer: ☒ assessment

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	assessment	

**Question 41**

1 out of 1 points



Of the three types of mitigation plans, the \_\_\_\_\_ plan is the most strategic and long term, as it focuses on the steps to ensure the continuation of the organization.

Selected Answer: ☒ business continuity

Correct Answer:

Evaluation Method	Correct Answer	Case Sensitivity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	BC	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exact Match	BC (business	

 *Exact Match*

continuity)


business continuity  
(BC)

## Question 42

1 out of 1 points



Cost \_\_\_\_\_ is the process of preventing the financial impact of an incident by implementing a control.

Selected Answer:  avoidance

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

 *Exact Match*


avoidance

## Question 43

1 out of 1 points



The \_\_\_\_\_ control strategy attempts to reduce the impact caused by the exploitation of vulnerability through planning and preparation.

Selected Answer:  mitigation

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

 *Exact Match*


mitigation

## Question 44

1 out of 1 points



A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ policy requires that employees secure all information in appropriate storage containers at the end of each day.

Selected Answer:  clean desk

Correct Answer:

**Evaluation Method**

**Correct Answer**

**Case Sensitivity**

 *Exact Match*

clean desk

## Question 45

6 out of 6 points



When valuing information assets, what criteria could be considered in establishing or determining the value of the assets?

Selected  
Answer:

One should consider whether the information asset:

- 1) Is the most critical to the organization's success.
- 2) Generates the most revenue and profitability.
- 3) Plays the biggest role in generating revenue or delivering services.
- 4) Would be the most expensive to replace or protect.
- 5) Would be the most embarrassing or cause the greatest liability if ever revealed.

Correct  
Answer:



Which information asset is most critical to the organization's success?  
Which information asset generates the most revenue?  
Which of these assets plays the biggest role in generating revenue or delivering services?  
Which information asset would be the most expensive to replace?  
Which information asset would be the most expensive to protect?  
Which information asset would most expose the company to liability or embarrassment if revealed?

Response [None Given]  
Feedback:

### Question 46

1 out of 1 points



In a(n) \_\_\_\_\_, assets or threats can be prioritized by identifying criteria with differing levels of importance, assigning a score for each of the criteria and then summing and ranking those scores.

Selected Answer: ☒ d. weighted factor analysis

- Answers:
- a. threat assessment
  - b. data classification scheme
  - c. risk management program
  - ☒ d. weighted factor analysis

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