Serveis de Seguretat

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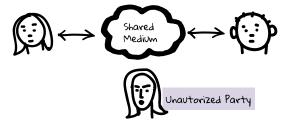
Security+ Services



Confidentiality

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Confidentiality refers to **protecting information** from being accessed by unauthorized parties (specially when using a shared medium).

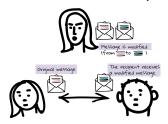


Once the secret has been revealed, there's no way to un-reveal it.

Integrity



Integrity takes care of the **consistency** and accuracy of data during its entire life-cycle. A message that keeps its integrity means no process-in-the-middle has modify it.



An unauthorized party could modify a message. Integrity ensures that the message was originated from the intended sender and was **not modified** in transit.

Authentication

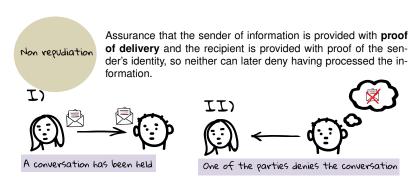


Authentication is the process of recognizing a **user's identity**. It is important the processes remain authenticated, otherwise, a process could be implementing a certain protocol with another process different from the thought one.



As in this figure, an impersonation attack is an attack in which an adversary successfully **assumes the identity** of one of the legitimate parties in a system or in a communications protocol.

Non-repudiation



In order to implement this service, a **tangible evidence** connecting the identified party to a particular communication or action must be created.

Anonymity



Anonymity refers to distributed systems where the user's **identity is unknown**. This can be a security service that eventually a process would like to implement. Anonymity can also be for both parties of the communication.



To Read:

The reasons you can't be anonymous anymore (By Bryan Lufkin 29th May 2017) https://www.bbc.com/future/article/20170529-the-reasons-you-can-never-be-anonymous-again



Privacy



Digital privacy is the ability of the users to **seclude themselves** or information about themselves, and thereby express themselves selectively.



Digital Privacy is a collective definition that encompasses three sub-related categories; information privacy, communication privacy, and individual privacy.

Consensus



A consensus mechanism is used in distributed systems to achieve the necessary **agreement** on decisions among distributed processes or multi-agent systems.



This decisions may include single **data** values or a single **state** of the network.

Censorship



Digital censorship is the **control** or **suppression** of what can be accessed, published, or viewed digitally enacted by regulators, or on their own initiative.



It may affect at the service itself or others that **announce** or help to **discover** them.



Cryptographical Tools



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