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**B.Sc(ECS)- III (Semester – VI) Examination**  
**Computer Science (New w.e.f. Nov 2021) New CBCS**  
**System Security (paper– XIV)**

**Question Bank**

**80 marks**

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**Question For 2 Marks**

- 1) Define computer security
- 2) What is a digital signature?
- 3) What is a public-key certificate?
- 4) What are four means of authenticating a user's identity?
- 5) Define the three classes of subject in an access control system?
- 6) Define the terms database management system and query language?
- 7) What is a "logic bomb"?
- 8) What are typical phases of operation of a virus or worm?
- 9) Define a distributed denial-of-service (DDoS) attack.
- 10) Define a reflection attack.
- 11) What is System Security?
- 12) What is mean by Access Control Principles
- 13) What is a message authentication code?
- 14) What are two common techniques used to protect a password file?
- 15) What is an access right?
- 16) What is a protection domain?
- 17) What is Database Security?
- 18) What is mean by Attacks?
- 19) Define the term Viruses?
- 20) Define the term Spyware
- 21) What is mean by Phishing?
- 23) Define Flooding Attacks
- 24) Define Cloud Security
- 25) What is mean by Database Access Control?
- 26) Define Inference
- 27) Define Statistical Databases
- 28) Define Database Encryption
- 29) Define Subjects and Objects
- 30) What is mean by Access Rights?
- 31) What is mean by Discretionary Access Control?
- 32) What is mean by Application-Based Bandwidth Attacks?
- 33) What is mean by Reflector Attacks?
- 35) Define Amplifier Attacks?

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- 36) How Can i Avoid Spyware?
  - 37) What Is Authenticode?
  - 38) Explain About User Security?
  - 39) Define Rootkits.
  - 40) Define Viruses.

**Question for 3 marks**

- 1) Explain Database Encryption?
- 2) Explain Flooding Attacks?
- 3) Explain Public-Key Encryption?
- 4) Explain Denial-of-Service Attacks?
- 5) Explain Countermeasures?
- 6) Explain Propagation?
- 7) Explain Trojans?
- 8) Explain Payload–System Corruption?
- 9) Explain Payload–Attack Agent–Zombie?
- 10) Explain Bots?
- 11) Payload– Information?
- 12) Theft– Keyloggers?
- 13) Explain Flooding Attacks
- 14) Explain Distributed Denial-of-Service Attacks
- 15) Explain Responding to a Denial-of-Service Attack

**Question For 4 Marks**

- 1) What are two common techniques used to protect a password file?
- 2) Explain the Means of Authentication?
- 3) What is a relational database and what are its principal ingredients?
- 4) In the context of access control, explain a subject and an object?
- 5) List and explain four common techniques for selecting or assigning passwords?
- 6) Explain the difference between a simple memory card and a smart card.
- 7) Explain Role - Based Access Control in access control?
- 8) Explain The Need for Database Security?
- 9) Explain Social Engineering–SPAM E-mail?
- 10) Explain Flooding Attacks with types of Flooding Attacks
- 12) Explain Database Access Control in database Security

**Question For 5 Marks**

- 1) Explain Message Authentication and Hash Functions in detail?
- 2) Define the User Authentication? Explain Electronic Identity Cards and smart card in Token-Based Authentication?

- 3) Explain Access Control Context and Access Control Policies in Access Control Principles?
- 4) What is Confidentiality? Explain Confidentiality with Symmetric Encryption?
- 5) What is Authentication? Explain Password-Based Authentication?
- 6) Explain the Need for Database Security?
- 7) Explain Defenses Against Denial -of-Service Attacks,\
- 8) Explain Propagation–Vulnerability Exploit–Worms
- 9) Explain UNIX File Access Control
- 10) Explain Propagation– Infected Content–Viruses
- 11) Explain Payload–Stealth–Backdoors?
- 12) Explain Cloud Security in database security

### **Question For 8 Marks**

- 1) What is biometric authentication? Explain Physical Characteristics Used in Biometric Applications and Operation of a Biometric Authentication System.
- 2) What is Malicious Software? Explain Types of Malicious Software?
- 3) Explain Denial-of-Service Attacks in detail?
- 4) What is Confidentiality? Explain Confidentiality with Symmetric Encryption?
- 5) Explain DBMS Architecture with suitable diagram.
- 6) Explain Reflector and Amplifier Attacks in details.
- 7) Explain Relational Databases with example in database Security
- 8) Explain Case Study: RBAC System for a Bank in Access Control
- 9) Explain Distributed Denial-of-Service Attacks in detail
- 10) Explain Database Access Control in database security in detail?
- 11) Define Password Explain Password-Based Authentication
- 12) What is Authentication protocol? Explain Electronic Identity Cards with digram?



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**B.Sc. (E.C.S.) (Semester-VI) (New) (CBCS) Examination: Oct/Nov-2023**  
**System Security (ECS0602)**

Day & Date: Tuesday, 21-11-2023  
 Time: 03:00 PM To 06:00 PM

Max. Marks: 80

**Instructions:** 1) All questions are compulsory.  
 2) Figures to right indicate full marks.

**Q.1 A) Multiple choice questions.**

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- 1) Which of the following is not a principle of data security?
  - a) Data Confidentiality
  - b) Data Integrity
  - c) Authentication
  - d) None of the above
- 2) A mechanism used to encrypt and decrypt data \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Cryptography
  - b) Algorithm
  - c) Data flow
  - d) None of these
- 3) To encrypt the plaintext, a cryptographic algorithm works in combination with a key \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Word, number, or phrase
  - b) Special Symbols
  - c) Function Keys
  - d) All of these
- 4) Public key cryptography is a \_\_\_\_\_ cryptosystem.
  - a) Symmetric
  - b) Asymmetric
  - c) Symmetric & Asymmetric both
  - d) None of these
- 5) Which of the following are forms of malicious attack?
  - a) Theft of information
  - b) Modification of data
  - c) Wiping of information
  - d) All of the mentioned
- 6) Which of the following is the least secure method of authentication?
  - a) Key card
  - b) Fingerprint
  - c) retina pattern
  - d) Password
- 7) Which happens first authorization or authentication?
  - a) Authorization
  - b) Authentication
  - c) Authorization & Authentication are same
  - d) None of the mentioned
- 8) A password that is the same for each logon is called a: \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Dynamic password
  - b) Static password
  - c) Passphrase
  - d) One-time password
- 9) Which of the following malware do not replicate or reproduce through infection?
  - a) Worms
  - b) Trojans
  - c) Viruses
  - d) Rootkits
- 10) Which malware has Short for "robot network"?
  - a) ronets
  - b) botnets
  - c) botwork
  - d) rowork

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- B) Fill in the blank/Definition/One sentence answer/One word answer/ Give the name/ Predict the product etc. 06**
- 1) What is another type of Denial of server attack?
  - 2) Malware is a short form of?
  - 3) What is the RBAC System?
  - 4) The process of verifying the identity of a user.
  - 5) What is a computer called when it is infected with a malware bot?
  - 6) Name the malicious software which keeps watch on your activities.
- Q.2 Solve any Eight of the following. 16**
- a) What is Spyware?
  - b) Explain about Digital Signature.
  - c) What is Discretionary Access Control?
  - d) Explain about Database Management Systems.
  - e) What is Buffer Overflow Attack?
  - f) What is phishing?
  - g) What is Inference in database security?
  - h) What are the types of malicious software?
  - i) What is Distributed Denial-of-Service Attack?
  - j) What are Rootkits?
- Q.3 A) Attempt any Two of the following. 10**
- 1) Discuss security issues with Biometric Authentication Systems.
  - 2) Explain Remote User Authentication.
  - 3) Explain payloads - Keyloggers.
- B) Short note/Solve 06**
- Explain in detail about Reflector and Amplifier Attacks.
- Q.4 A) Attempt any Two of the following. 08**
- 1) What are Malicious Software? Explain any four types in detail.
  - 2) Explain Password-Based Authentication with suitable examples.
  - 3) Explain Propagation of Viruses.
- B) Describe/Explain/Solve 08**
- What are means of Authentication & Security issues for User Authentication.
- Q.5 Attempt any Two of the following. 16**
- a) What are payloads? Explain payloads Zombie, Bots, Keyloggers & Backdoors.
  - b) What is the importance of Database Security? Explain Database Encryption & Cloud Database Security.
  - c) What is Access Control? Explain about UNIX File Access Control.