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UNIT I - INTRODUCTION TO SECURITY PRINCIPLES IN CLOUD COMPUTING

Introduction to cloud security lifecycle - Definition of cybersecurity in the cloud context - Roles and responsibilities of a cloud security analyst - Common security tools and automation for cloud environments - Digital transformation and its impact on security - Overview of foundational cloud concepts relevant to security.

UNIT II - STRATEGIES FOR CLOUD SECURITY RISK MANAGEMENT

Risk-management frameworks and security domains in the cloud - Compliance standards such as NIST CSF, HIPAA, SOC - Assessing risk, controls, and the compliance lifecycle in a cloud environment - Governance, policy creation and security controls for cloud infrastructure - Practical strategies to reduce cloud security risk.

UNIT III - CLOUD SECURITY RISKS: IDENTIFY AND PROTECT AGAINST THREATS

Identity management, access control and auditing (AAA) for cloud resources - Credential management, certificate handling and privilege escalation risk - Vulnerability management and threat identification in cloud-native environments - Data protection strategies, asset/inventory management and secure configurations.

UNIT IV - DETECT, RESPOND, AND RECOVER FROM CLOUD CYBERSECURITY ATTACKS

Logging, monitoring, alerting and incident detection in cloud environments - Security Information and Event Management (SIEM) and threat-feed integration - Incident response lifecycle, root cause analysis, business continuity and disaster recovery in the cloud - Post-incident analysis, lessons learned and future mitigation planning.

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UNIT V - PUT IT ALL TOGETHER: PREPARE FOR A CLOUD SECURITY ANALYST JOB

End-to-end capstone simulation of a cloud security scenario – Integrating IAM, risk management, monitoring and incident response into a cloud security solution – Resume, portfolio and interview preparation for cloud security analyst roles – Professional behaviour, stakeholder communication and presentation of findings.