

1.What is a blind SQL injection?

- A.A helper application for SQL injection developed for the partially sighted
- B.A type of attack where the result is not directly visible to attacker
- C.When the attacker is only capable of randomly modifying the SQL query
- D.When the attacker is only capable of modifying the SQL query with the help of a proxy module

2.Interdependent privacy risks for a given user emerge owing to

- A.Negative externalities of data sharing with third parties
- B.High fixed costs of ICT services
- C.Positive externalities of data sharing with third parties
- D.The data sharing decisions of the given user

3.What is Stuxnet?

- A.a malware
- B.An Iranian uranium enrichment plan
- C.An industrial network standard
- D.A network of cyber criminal organizations

4.Which of the following solutions can provide protection against ROP attacks?

- A.ASLR
- B.Harvard architecture
- C.DEP
- D.NX bit

5.Information security is risk management. Assuming that attackers are becoming more skilled over time and other factors affecting the risk of an attack stay the same,

- A.The likelihood of the attack stays the same, but the risk increases
- B.The likelihood of the attack increases, hence the risk decreases
- C.The likelihood of the attack decreases, hence the risk increases
- D.The likelihood of the attack increases, hence the risk increases

6.What does the design principle “complete mediation” say?

- A.The amount of shared mechanisms should be minimized
- B.Software should run with the least amount of privileges necessary to complete its task
- C.Keep it small and simple
- D.Check every access to every object every time access is requested

7.Which of the following attacks is not relevant for key exchange protocols?

- A.Replay of protocol messages
- B.Impersonating a protocol participant
- C.Exhaustive key search attack
- D.Man-in-the-middle attack

8.Which of the following risks is not relevant for IT security?

- A.Denial of services provided by an IT system
- B.Illegal access to data
- C.Illegal modification of data
- D.Random hardware failures

9.What does k-anonymity mean?

- A.The direct identifiers of an individual match at least k records in the anonymized dataset
- B.The sensitive attribute values of an individual match at least k, or 0 records in the anonymized dataset

- C.The quasi-identifiers of an individual match at least  $k$ , or 0 records in the anonymized dataset
- D.The sensitive attribute values of an individual match at most  $k$  records in the anonymized dataset

10.What property of JavaScript makes it dangerous?

- A.a user generated event is equivalent to a code-based event
- B.Every object inherits from a global prototype
- C.The language was developed in about 10 days
- D.Every variable is in the global scope

11.What is a shell code?

- A.a particular type of message integrity checksums
- B.The passcode needed to run the shell
- C.The program code of the OS shell (e.g. bash or cmd.exe)
- D.Attacker input that aims at opening a shell

12.Which of these is not among the most common attacks against browsers?

- A.Stack/heap overflow
- B.Use-after-free
- C.Integer overflow
- D.Compromising the ASLR

13.Which of the following properties characterize cyber criminal groups?

- A.Advanced technical skills, variable information gathering capabilities, rich resources
- B.Advanced technical skills, advanced information gathering capabilities, limited resources
- C.Variable technical skills, limited information gathering capabilities, limited resources
- D.Limited technical skills, limited information gathering capabilities, rich resources

14.Which task is to relay security-related info to the development team?

- A.Security contact
- B.Security advisor
- C.Security team
- D.Security leadership team

15.What is not among the security goals of Google Chrome?

- A.Reducing the spreading of exploits
- B.Reducing the frequency of exposures
- C.Reducing the window of vulnerabilities
- D.Reducing the severity of vulnerabilities

16.What is a stack frame?

- A.Pair of memory addresses referring to the top and the bottom of the stack
- B.A framework for programming the stack
- C.Memory area referenced by the stack pointer
- D.Part of the stack handled by a given function when it is called

17.What does the design principle “least common mechanism” say?

- A.The amount of shared mechanisms should be minimized
- B.Software should run with the least amount of privileges necessary to complete the task
- C.Check every access to every object every time access is requested
- D.Consider the human in the loop

18.What does salting mean in the case of password hashing?

- A.Decreasing the hash computation time by optimization
- B.Increasing the hash computation time artificially
- C.Computing a hash of random length
- D.The hash depends on some random input, besides the password

19.Android device encryption feature protects against which of the following attacks?

- A.Reading user data from the memory of a phone that is tuned on
- B.Ransomware (since everything is already encrypted )
- C.Reading user data from the storage of a phone that is turned on, using a data cable disguised as a USB charging cable
- D.Reading user data from the flash chip of a phone that is turned off

20.Which of the following statements is FALSE?

- A.Developers are faced with constraints during the development process
- B.Measuring security is difficult
- C.Frameworks used during programming do not help the programmer in his/her work
- D.Attackers only need to find a single vulnerability, while developers have to pay attention to everything in order for the software to be secure.

21.What is the goal of browser fingerprinting?

- A.Identify the browser with cookies
- B.Identify the browser with its persistent attributes
- C.Identify the user with his/her direct identifiers
- D.Identify the browser only with its version number

22.Which of these is not a type of XSS?

- A.Reflected XSS
- B.Event based XSS
- C.DOM based XSS
- D.Persistent XSS

23.What is the main cause that computers can be cracked?

- A.They contain vulnerabilities
- B.No antivirus product is installed
- C.Programmers have strict deadlines
- D.The appropriate ports are not closed

24.The lemon market for information security is created by

- A.Information asymmetry
- B.Low demand
- C.High fixed costs
- D.High marginal costs

25.Which of these is performed as a first step during an IOS boot?

- A.The kernel is initialized
- B.The Apple root certificate is loaded
- C.The iBoot code is checked
- D.The low level bootloader is executed

26.Which of the following actions need a dangerous permission on Android?

- A. Sending HTTP POST request to the developer's server
- B. Turning on the vibrator
- C. Turning on the WIFI
- D. Sending an SMS

27. What is black-box testing?

- A. Checking only the input and the output, fuzzing
- B. A pentest where the ethical hacker has the source code
- C. A vulnerability testing where we have only minimal information on the target system
- D. When we use programs for testing that are not known by the developer

28. Why do we hash messages before signing them?

- A. This allows for shorter signature keys
- B. This makes the computation of the signature faster
- C. This ensures that besides signing, the message is also encrypted
- D. This makes it more difficult to forge signatures

29. Which security service is provided by encryption?

- A. Confidentiality
- B. Non-repudiation
- C. Integrity protection
- D. Message authentication

30. Zero-day vulnerabilities are...

- A. Unpublished vulnerabilities which are known to the attacker
- B. Vulnerabilities that can be identified in less than 1 day
- C. Vulnerabilities that can be fixed quickly with no effort
- D. Publicly well-known Vulnerabilities

31. What is a reference monitor in the model of access control?

- A. a dashboard where we can monitor the operation of our access control system
- B. An entity that keeps track of the reference to the objects and helps in garbage collection
- C. An entity that defines the access control rules
- D. An entity that enforces an access control policy

32. What is "lateral movement"?

- A. One element of an attack, where attackers go from one infected host to others
- B. A jump instruction based on memory load instructions
- C. Protected copy of memory arrays
- D. Using LM drivers to raise the level of security

33. How does hybrid encryption work?

- A. The data is encrypted with an asymmetric key cipher whose key is encrypted with symmetric key cipher
- B. The data is encrypted with a symmetric key cipher whose key is encrypted with an asymmetric key cipher
- C. We use the DES cipher in an encrypt-decrypt-encrypt mode (i.e. 3DES in EDE mode)
- D. We compute a MAC besides encrypting the data (like AES-CCM or AES-GCM)

34. What information can be obtained about a website without loading it or communicating with the server?

- A. The kernel's version number

- B.The version of the webserver, sometimes even the kind of the operating system
- C.The number of running threads
- D.The source code of scripts and the security level of the database

35. What is a fingerprint minutiae?

- A.Special area of the fingerprint (core or delta)
- B.A global fingerprint pattern (such as whirl, loop, arch)
- C.The graph defined by the ridge endings and bifurcations
- D.(Type (ending or bifurcation), position, direction) triplet

36.Which protocol do we use for accessing web pages securely?

- A.WPA2
- B.IPsec
- C.SSH
- D.TLS

37.A database contains the age, home address, and the list of visited locations of individuals. Which of these attributes do identify an individual the most in this dataset?

- A.Home address and 2 visited locations
- B.Age, home address and 2 visited locations
- C.Home address
- D.Age and 2 visited locations

38.What happens in case of a stack overflow?

- A.The computer runs out of stack memory
- B.Part of the stack is overwritten in an unexpected way
- C.Too much data is pushed on the stack and it overwrites part of the heap memory
- D.The return address of a function is overwritten on the stack

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1.Which of the following programming languages is sensitive for buffer overflow problems?

- A.Python
- B.Java
- C.Rust
- D.C/C++

2.What is a reduction proof in modern cryptography?

- A.When we prove that breaking a given cipher is at least as hard as efficiently solving a hard (or believed to be hard) mathematical problem
- B.When we prove the security of each component of a cipher, from which it follows that the entire cipher is ...
- C.When we prove that efficiently solving a hard (or believed to be hard) mathematical problem (e.g. factoring) ..... breaking a given cipher
- D.When we trace back the problem of breaking a given cipher to that of breaking one of its components, or ..... prove that it is sufficient to break that single component to break the cipher.

3.What is a botnet?

- A.a network designed as a fractal for robust calculations
- B.Anonymization network with many participants
- C.A cluster of computers used for distributed computing (hard math problems)
- D.A network of infected computers (also named zombies) made by attackers

4. Most important properties of worm attacks is

- A. Needs user interaction and hence spreads slowly
- B. Exploiting network Vulnerabilities they replicate rapidly automatically
- C. Very hard to detect by antivirus tools as they use polymorphic code
- D. Have a very long code structure

5. In fuzzing, the test executor...

- A. Does not use error reports
- B. Instruments the analyzed piece of software
- C. Provides the secure random number generator
- D. Collects data about the execution

6. The cascade (vienna) computer virus ...

- A. One of the first cyber-physical attacks around 2010
- B. Infected DEC machines back in the 1970's
- C. Is one of the first brutal worm attacks in the early 2000's
- D. Is originating from the 1980's and it made big media coverage

7. What is the purpose of secure Enclave coprocessor?

- A. Providing a secure boot for the system
- B. Signature checking for applications
- C. Recording and storing fitness data
- D. Handling the Touch ID sensor

8. What are the links NOT encrypted in TOR?

- A. Between the Entry Onion Router and the Onion Proxy
- B. Between the Exit Onion Router and the destination
- C. Between two Onion Routers
- D. Between the Entry and the Exit Onion Routers

9. Which of the following decisions related to software development must concern itself with the principle of fail-safe defaults?

- A. Deciding how to document the internal structure of the software in the user manual
- B. Creation of the user account via which the software can connect to the database
- C. Designing the buttons on the GUI
- D. Decision concerning the default configuration values