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1. How do indicators of compromise (IoCs) help security analysts detect network traffic abnormalities?

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- ☐ They confirm that a security incident happened.
- ☐ They define the attacker's intentions.
- ☐ They capture network activity.
- ☒ They provide a way to identify an attack.

✓ **Correct**

IoCs help security analysts detect network traffic abnormalities by providing a way to identify an attack. IoCs provide analysts with specific evidence associated with an attack, such as a known malicious IP address, which can help quickly identify and respond to a potential security incident.

2. Fill in the blank: Data _____ is the term for unauthorized transmission of data from a system.

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- ☐ pivoting
- ☒ exfiltration
- ☐ network traffic
- ☐ infiltration

✓ **Correct**

Data exfiltration is the unauthorized transmission of data from a system.

3. An attacker has infiltrated a network. Next, they spend time exploring it in order to expand and maintain their access. They look for valuable assets such as proprietary code and financial records. What does this scenario describe?

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- ☐ Phishing
- ☐ Large internal file transfer
- ☒ Lateral movement
- ☐ Network data

✓ **Correct**

This scenario describes lateral movement. Lateral movement, also called pivoting, describes an attacker exploring a network with the goal of expanding and maintaining their access.

4. What can security professionals use network traffic analysis for? Select three answers.

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- ☐ To secure critical assets
- ☒ To understand network traffic patterns

✓ **Correct**

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