

1) Who has the greatest influence over access security in a password authentication environment?

- A. System administrators
- B. Business executives
- C. Users
- D. Security managers

2) Which of the following interpret requirements and apply them to specific situations?

- A. Policies
- B. Standards
- C. Guidelines
- D. Procedures

3) Business continuity plans (BCPs) associated with organizational information systems should be developed primarily on the basis of:

- A. Available resources
- B. Levels of effort
- C. Projected costs
- D. Business needs

4) A segmented network:

- A. Offers defense in depth superior to a concentric-layers model
- B. Consists of two or more security zones
- C. Maximizes the delay experienced by an attacker
- D. Delivers superior performance for internal applications

5) Which cybersecurity principle is most important when attempting to trace the source of malicious activity?

- A. Availability
- B. Integrity
- C. Nonrepudiation
- D. Confidentiality

6) Which of the following offers the strongest protection for wireless network traffic?

- A. Wireless Protected Access 2 (WPA2)
- B. Wireless Protected Access-Advanced Encryption Standard (WPA-AES)
- C. Wired Equivalent Protection 128-bit (WEP-128)
- D. Wireless Protected Access-Temporary Key Integrity Protocol (WPA-TKIP)

7) Outsourcing poses the greatest risk to an organization when it involves:

- A. Business support services
- B. Technology infrastructure
- C. Cybersecurity capabilities
- D. Core business functions

8) Risk assessments should be performed:

- A. At the start of a program
- B. On a regular basis
- C. When an asset changes
- D. When a vulnerability is discovered

9) Maintaining a high degree of confidence regarding the integrity of evidence requires a(n):

- A. Power of attorney
- B. Sworn statement
- C. Chain of custody
- D. Affidavit

10) A firewall that tracks open connection-oriented protocol sessions is said to be:

- A. State-sponsored
- B. Stateless
- C. Stateful
- D. Stated

11) During which phase of the system development lifecycle (SDLC) should security first be considered?

- A. Planning
- B. Analysis
- C. Design
- D. Implementation

12) A cybersecurity architecture designed around the concept of a perimeter is said to be:

- A. Data-centric
- B. User-centric
- C. Integrated
- D. System-centric

13) A passive network hub operates at which layer of the OSI model?

- A. Data Link
- B. Physical
- C. Network
- D. Transport

14) Updates in cloud-computing environments can be rolled out quickly because the environment is:

- A. Homogeneous
- B. Distributed
- C. Diversified
- D. Secure

15) During which phase of the six-phase incident response model is the root cause determined?

- A. Recovery
- B. Identification
- C. Containment
- D. Eradication

16) The attack mechanism directed against a system is commonly called a(n):

- A. Exploit
- B. Vulnerability
- C. Payload
- D. Attack Vector

17) Where should an organization's network terminate virtual private network (VPN) tunnels?

- A. At an interior router, to reduce network traffic congestion
- B. At a dedicated "honey pot" system in the demilitarized zone (DMZ)
- C. At the destination system, to prevent loss of confidentiality
- D. At the perimeter, to allow for effective internal monitoring

18) In practical applications:

- A. Symmetric key encryption is used to securely distribute asymmetric keys
- B. Asymmetric key encryption is used to securely obtain symmetric keys
- C. Symmetric key encryption is used only for short messages, such as digital signatures
- D. Asymmetric key encryption is used in cases where speed is important

19) Which two factors are used to calculate the likelihood of an event?

- A. Threat and vulnerability
- B. Vulnerability and asset value
- C. Asset count and asset value
- D. Threat and asset count

20) What kind of anti-malware program evaluates system processes based on their observed behaviors?

- A. Heuristic
- B. Signature-based
- C. Stateful
- D. Polymorphic

21) A business continuity plan (BCP) is not complete unless it includes:

- A. Dedicated resources
- B. Detailed procedures
- C. Network diagrams
- D. Critical processes

22) Under the US-CERT model for incident categorization, a CAT-3 incident refers to which of the following?

- A. Improper usage
- B. Investigation
- C. Denial of service (DoS)
- D. Malicious code

23)An interoperability error is what type of vulnerability?

- A.Technical
- B.Process
- C.Emergent
- D.Organizational

24)Securing Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) systems can be challenging because they:

- A.Operate in specialized environments and often have non-standard design elements
- B.Are subject to specialized requirements established for national security systems
- C.Support critical infrastructure processes for which any risk of compromise is unacceptable
- D.Cannot be replaced due to aging infrastructure and the complexity of included components

25) Virtual systems should be managed using a dedicated virtual local area network (VLAN) because:

- A.Network topologies do not always properly identify the locations of virtual servers
- B.VLAN encryption provides a double layer of protection for virtual system data
- C.Insecure protocols could result in a compromise of privileged user credentials
- D.Segregation of management traffic and use traffic dramatically improves performance