

Practice test 1

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Non persistent ODE - system reverts back to previous state on log off

Type I hypervisors - run directly on system hardware

suffers break and learns lesson on proper approach of maintaining actual data

focus on which areas of report?

- lessons learned
- retention policies

geotagging - add location metadata onto data = files or devices

help ensure app is secure before release

- proper auth/auth
- error handling
- input validation

app audits - occur after app's first commission or when app gets upgraded and at regular intervals

help ensure not vuln to new threats

check status of online cert w/out revealing id of cert requester

OCSP stapling

OCSP responder - accepts requests

OCSP w/out stapling means requestor

OCSP without stapling means request
goes to responder directly

production = end users have access

junior pen tester in black box env =
testing as external threat

Lessons learned = review and anal response
and possibly integrate changes

Nxlog - open source log normalization tool

Windows

journalctl

Systemd - manage log files

Journald - format to write logs from
processes

journalctl views logs

syslog - open format/proto/server software
for logging event messages

Rsyslog - update to syslog; can work
over TCP and use secure connection

identification = who stakeholders and
point of contact for IR team

data at rest = keys need to be stored
for longer

application layer = most processing
capacity needed

- - - - - firewall state connection

transport layer = firewall state connection
states and role to allow
established or related traffic

AAA

- access through smart card
- access data w/ privileges
- all events recorded in logs

OWASP = info of critical app sec risks

transit gateway - cloud net hub
that allows users to interconnect
VPC and on-prem nets through
console

nat gateway - allows cloud resources

NAT gateway - allows cloud resources access to internet w/out revealing IP to inc internet connections

gateway endpoint - config as route to service in VPC route table to connect to AWS

Cloud storage gateway - integrate cloud storage repos w/ on-prem servers as infra

How can site auto upload img to world map?

- geotagging
- geo location

curl command = download files to
or from server

MitB - compromise browser by install
plugins, scripts, or intercept API
calls

HTTP response splitting - craft malicious
URL and convince user to submit
to web server

Locally shared objects or LSO - flash
cookies stored on pc frame to be
able to track user's browsing
behavior

Data steward = quality of data

- ensure label
- id w/ appropriate metadata
- collected and stored in format containing values that comply w/ laws/regs

data owner - label asset and ensure protected w/ correct controls

data custodian - manage system on which data assets are stored

data processor - entity engaged by data controller to assist w/ collection, storage, actual tasks

VLAN = separate net resources or def

level

"does not run code" = compiler

NFC = "bump" + no encryption

IV - used in stream ciphers
ensures key produces unique cipher
from same plaintext

ECC

- asymm
- more efficient

homomorphic - allows computation
directly on encrypted data w/out
secret key

NIOS + sensors

correlation engine - part of SIEM

push noti = off not SMS

multiparty - adverse event impacts multi orgs

flow analysis

- IPFix or NetFlow
- collect metadata about net traffic w/out capture frames
- good for trend analysis

Namespaces - isolate containers;
prevent read/write between
containers

Control groups - ensure one container
can't overwhelm others in PaaS

public subnets - allow service or
container to connect directly w/
internet gateway

Sniff all traffic on net = APP

. poison to reroute traffic to

Attacker's MAC addr

TCP/IP hijacking - attacker dk's
host then replaces w/ their
machine; spoof host's IP addr

Machine; spoof hosts IP addr

MSA or measurement systems anal =
quality management processes

LTE = base band radio; support
higher bandwidth

narrowband - low power version of
LTE

Field programmable gate arrays FPGAs
semiconductor devices that have
programmable logic blocks

Zigbee - two way wireless radio freq
come between sensor and control
system

UAVs can drop USB

EU certs can't be issued for
wildcards

TXT record - DNS record used for
variety of reasons
may provide string of chars for
verify

most clients can trust multiple root
CAs

CA brought online to add or update
intermediate CAs

HSM - perform centralized PKI
... key gen., or key escrow

Manage, key gen, or key escrow

can be implemented as plug-in
PCIe adapter card

TPM - spec for hardware-based

Storage of encryption keys, hashed
passwords, other user/platform Id info

motherboard

continuous integration - commit and

test updates often

continuous deployment - making changes
to prod env

continuous delivery - staging, testing
infra that supports app

continuous monitoring - detect service failures and incidents

continuous validation - revalidate after every change

port security - allows certain # of MAC addresses to access port

flood guard - feature of circuit-level firewall that prevents malicious open connections from forming

data controller - entity responsible for determining why/ how data is stored, collected, and used

WPA vs WPA2

WPA2 uses AES rather than

- WPA2 uses AES rather than RC4
- WPA2 reqs much longer passwords

Metadata associated w/ CDR
 call detail records

- list of towers connected to
- SMS text timestamps
- call durations

HTTP strict transport security HSTS

forces browsers to connect via

HTTPS only

mitigates downgrade attacks

like SSL Stripping

content security policy CSP - mitigates

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clickjacking, script inject, and
other client-side attacks

cache-control - determines if browser
can cache responses
good for when device is shared

Secure cookies - defend against
client-side attacks like
session hijacking and data
exposure

Secure attr of cookie can
prevent from being sent
over http

Secure multifunction printer
· delete queued data
· disclosure of

- delete queue -
protect from disclosure of
info stored on hard drive
- change default password
- enable logging to review sys
activity

software compliance and licensing -

legally binding agreement to

only use software in
accordance w/ conditions of

usage

terms of agree = user data collect

inherent risk - level of risk before
any measures in place

any
result of qual/quant analysis
SLA contains cloud right to audit

forensics investigation organisation

apply tags

timestamps help w/ timeline
to establish provenance of
evidence and non-rep but
not to organize

folders with read access for everyone
default settings

web server hardening
... L minimal files

Web server

- use SSH to upload files
- use config templates provided
- Secure a guest account
 - most web servers must allow guests

Evil twin = WiPhishing

Registration Authority RA - function of cert enrollment
combined w/ CA in single CA hierarchy
Validates and submit request on behalf of end user

Conditional access to system

- MAC

- Sudo restrictions

non-discretionary - each subject account has no right to mod ACL,
only system owner

playbook

- query strings to id incident types

Signatures

- When to report compliance incident
- incident cat and det

Two-person integrity/control - continuous surveillance and control of controlled env or material by min of 2 auth individuals

attackers take advantage of company site redirects

- add redirects to .htaccess file
 - .htaccess file contains high-level config of site runs on apache server and can be edit to redirect users
- craft phishing links

baseline configuration - documented and agreed upon sets of specs for info systems

change management - process for system mod/upgrade to ensure changes are documented

configuration control - manage system, related docs

Configuration cont...

deliverables and related docs
throughout lifecycle of system

Benchmarking - measure business
metrics and practices and
comparing to improve

Local replication - replicates data
in single data center region
where storage account was
created

TACACS+ - auth process w/ mult
challenge/response between client
server

Used when controlling mult
network switches/routers

att to Kerberos

on cloud platform, attacker only
needs 1 account, service, or host
to gain access to an entire
platform

NMAP

basic syntax of nmap is to
provide IP subnet (or IP add)
to scan

default behavior w/out switches
is to ping and send TCP ACK
packet to port 80 and 443

to determine if host is present

on local network segment will

also do ARP and ND
(neighbor discovery) sweeps

When host is detected will
perform port scan against host
and report on state of each
port scanned for each IP

then user can run service discovery
scans on active IPs

-A - fingerprinting w/

- OS type
- service versions

- traceroute

default scan will scan 1000 ports

- T4 = fast, stable, speed

- helps w/ efficient
net maintain

- TO/-T2 = slow; help
intruders evade
IDS { defenses

- p - scan entire subnet for
a port

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nmap 192.168.1.0/24 -p80
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- PR - send ARP requests since
generally not blocked by
firewall, router, switch

generally not even
firewalls like usual scans

-**SN** - discovery only; show only
hosts responding to probes

No port scan

-**F** - fast port scan of 100 ports
instead of 1000

-**SA** - stealthy, evasive, scan
take advantage of TCP handshake

sends TCP ACK to reveal firewall's
rulesets, which ports are
filtered, and if firewall
is stateful

Network Diagram

remote access server accepts connections from public internet and auth as NAC client

802.1x switch - accepts wired connections for low-privilege workstations and auth as NAC client

WAP - accepts connections from low-privilege wireless connections and auth as NAC client

router/firewall - applies routing and security policies to each interface

Remediation Server (update server)

allows hosts that have not
met health policy to update
isolated from other network
in captive portal

NAC server - operates as type of AAA server

- centralizes account info
- processes auth requests and
health policy attestation
reports passed from

Suplicants = user devices

passed to it by

NAC clients = remote access
..... APs

NAC clients) = remote
servers, switches, APs

Active directory AD server - stores user auth data but can't assume that it does health policy checks

Troubleshooting Kerberos

1. Principle (client user)

goal = verify user creds

task 1 = verify password (PIN)

task 2 = properly with users

2. KDC server (auth & TGS)

Ticket granting ticket TGT or

ticket granting ticket
User ticket is time-stamped

default max age of 10 hours

workstations and servers on net
must sync w/in five min

verify time on pc syncs w/ server

key distribution center KDC operates
on port 88 TCP/UDP

certify time and port connectivity
establishes valid connection

3. Application Server

client must obtain service
ticket and service session
... issued by

Principles

key which are issued by

TGS

uses service ticket to auth to

app server which verifies
ticket has valid service
session key

principle b app can then do
unauth auth

access to app server is decided

by ACL