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CLASS PREP 2.2

This class prep assignment will be **graded on effort**. Please do not leave any questions blank – if you are stuck, either formulate a question that you believe will help you get unstuck or write down some preliminary ideas.

1. What are the five requirements of network security?

Five requirements of network security is: Confidentiality, Integrity, Availability, Authenticity and Accountability

2. Name and briefly describe some forms of active attacks.

Some forms of active attacks:

- Masquerade Attack: An attacker pretends to be a legitimate user
- Replay Attack: Captured data is resent to trick a system
- Modification of Messages: Intercepting and changing a message's contents before delivery.
- Denial of Service (DoS): Overloading a network or server to make it unavailable to legitimate users

3. What is hash function?

A hash function is any function that can be used to map data of arbitrary size to fixed-size values, though there are some hash functions that support variable-length output. The values returned by a hash function are called hash values, hash codes, (hash/message) digests, or simply hashes.

4. What are your thoughts on security in social media apps (SNS)?

Security in SNS (Social Networking Services) is critical because they store personal data, messages, photos, and even financial information. Some concern of mine including:

- Data privacy: Social media companies often collect and share user data
- Malicious links: Spread of malware and scams through shared posts or message
- Lack of transparency: Users often do not know how their data is used