

### NCL Spring 2022 Team Game Scouting Report

Dear Michael Silva (Team "ret2rev"),

Thank you for participating in the National Cyber League (NCL) 2022 Spring Season! Our goal is to prepare the next generation of cybersecurity professionals, and your participation is helping achieve that goal.

The NCL was founded in May 2011 to provide an ongoing virtual training ground for collegiate students to develop, practice, and validate their cybersecurity skills in preparation for further learning, industry certifications, and career readiness. The NCL scenario-based challenges were designed around performance-based exam objectives of CompTIA certifications and are aligned to the National Initiative for Cybersecurity Education (NICE) Cybersecurity Workforce Framework published by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

As you look to a future career in cybersecurity, we hope you find this report to be valuable in both validating skills and identifying areas for improvement across the nine NCL skills categories. You can use this NCL Scouting Report to:

- Validate your skills to employers in any job application or professional portfolio;
- Show case your achievements and strengths by including the Score Card view of your performance as part of your résumé or simply sharing the validation link so that others may view the detailed version of this report.

The NCL 2022 Spring Season had 6,610 students/players and 468 faculty/coaches from more than 500 two- and fouryear schools & 80 high schools across all 50 U.S. states registered to play. The Individual Game Capture the Flag (CTF) event took place from April 8 through April 10. The Team Game CTF event took place from April 22 through April 24. The games were conducted in real-time for students across the country.

NCL is powered by Cyber Skyline's cloud-based skills evaluation platform. Cyber Skyline hosted the scenario-driven cybersecurity challenges for players to compete and track their progress in real-time.

To validate this report, please access: cyberskyline.com/report/GX32F90NHFRP



Based on the the performance detailed in this NCL Scouting Report, you have earned 17 hours of CompTIA. Continuing Education Units (CEUs) as approved by CompTIA. You can learn more about the NCL -CompTIA alignment via nationalcyberleague.org/comptia.

Congratulations for your participation in the NCL 2022 Spring Team Game! We hope you will continue to develop your knowledge and skills and make meaningful contributions as part of the Information Security workforce!

David Zeichick **NCL** Commissioner



#### NATIONAL CYBER LEAGUE SCORE CARD

NCL 2022 SPRING TEAM GAME

**NATIONAL RANK** 21 ST PLACE **OUT OF 3658 PERCENTILE** 100TH

YOUR TOP CATEGORIES **WEB APPLICATION** LOG ANALYSIS **EXPLOITATION 100TH PERCENTILE 100TH PERCENTILE 100TH PERCENTILE** 



CYBER SKYLINE

Average: 60.8%

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## NCL Spring 2022 Team Game

The NCL Team Game is designed for student players nationwide to compete in realtime in the categories listed below. The Team Game promotes camaraderie and evaluates the collective technical cybersecurity skills of the team members.

21 ST PLACE OUT OF 3658 NATIONAL RANK 2530 POINTS OUT OF 3000 PERFORMANCE SCORE

88.4% ACCURACY



100<sup>th</sup> National Percentile

Average: 876.5 Points

Average: 60.8%

Average: 35.7%

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Cryptography	245 POINTS OUT OF 345	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	91.7%
Identify techniques used to encrypt or obfuscate mes extract the plaintext.	ssages and leverage tools to	ACCURACT		
Enumeration & Exploitation	370 POINTS OUT OF 370	94.4% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%
Identify actionable exploits and vulnerabilities and use security measures in code and compiled binaries.	e them to bypass the	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		
Forensics	270 POINTS OUT OF	92.9% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	86.7%
Utilize the proper tools and techniques to analyze, pro investigate digital evidence in a computer-related inci		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		
Log Analysis	250 POINTS OUT OF 300	77.3% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	81.0%
Utilize the proper tools and techniques to establish a operation and identify malicious activities using log fi		ACCONACT		
Network Traffic Analysis	305 POINTS OUT OF 345	76.9% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	95.2%
Identify malicious and benign network traffic to demo potential security breaches.	onstrate an understanding of	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		
Open Source Intelligence	300 POINTS OUT OF	81.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%
Utilize publicly available information such as search e social media, and more to gain in-depth knowledge or		7.00010.01		
Password Cracking	310 POINTS OUT OF 340	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	95.8%
Identify types of password hashes and apply various determine plaintext passwords.	techniques to efficiently	ACCONACT		
Scanning & Reconnaissance	220 POINTS OUT OF 300	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	83.3%
Identify and use the proper tools to gain intelligence a services and potential vulnerabilities.	about a target including its			
Web Application Exploitation	160 POINTS OUT OF 300	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	62.5%

Note: Survey module (100 points) was excluded from this report.





## Cryptography Module

Identify techniques used to encrypt or obfuscate messages and leverage tools to extract the plaintext.

35 TH PLACE OUT OF 3658 NATIONAL RANK

245 POINTS OUT OF 345 PERFORMANCE SCORE

100.0% ACCURACY



Security Control Assessor Secure Software Assessor Exploitation Analyst Cyber Operator Security Architect

100<sup>th</sup> National Percentile

Average: 116.7 Points

Average: 74.2%

Average: 55.7%

Decoding 1 (Easy)	20 POINTS OUT OF	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%
Decoding 2 (Easy)	20 POINTS OUT OF	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%
Decoding 3 (Medium)	35 POINTS OUT OF 35	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%
Decoding 4 (Medium)	45 POINTS OUT OF	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%
Decoding 5 (Hard)	O POINTS OUT OF 100	0.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	0.0%
Stego (Medium)	50 POINTS OUT OF	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%
Signature (Hard)	75 POINTS OUT OF 75	100.0% ACCURACY	COMPLETION:	100.0%



### **Enumeration & Exploitation Module**

Identify actionable exploits and vulnerabilities and use them to bypass the security measures in code and compiled binaries.

9 TH PLACE OUT OF 3658 NATIONAL RANK

ERFORMANCE SCORE

94.4% ACCURACY

100.0% COMPLETION

Average: 35.1%

Cyber Operator Target Developer **Exploitation Analyst** Software Developer Systems Security Analyst

100<sup>th</sup> National

Average: 99.4 Points

Average: 60.9%

Secure Server (Easy)

100.0% **ACCURACY** 

COMPLETION: 100.0%

dSafe (Medium)

90 POINTS OUT OF

100.0% ACCURACY

COMPLETION: 100.0%

Hidden (Hard)

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100.0% **ACCURACY** 

COMPLETION: 100.0%

Speedy (Hard)

100 POINTS OUT OF

85.7% ACCURACY COMPLETION: 100.0%

#### Forensics Module

Utilize the proper tools and techniques to analyze, process, recover, and/or investigate digital evidence in a computer-related incident.

**TH PLACE** OUT OF 3658 NATIONAL RANK

PERFORMANCE SCORE

92.9% ACCURACY

86.7% COMPLETION Average: 36.8%

COMPLETION:

Cyber Defense Forensics Analyst Cyber Crime Investigator Cyber Defense Incident Responder Cyber Defense Analyst

100.0%

100<sup>th</sup> National Percentile

Average: 154.7 Points

Average: 64.8%

Leaky (Easy)

100 POINTS OUT OF

100.0%

100.0%

Registry (Medium)

COMPLETION: 100.0%

Dump (Hard)

70 POINTS OUT OF

85.7%

**ACCURACY** 

COMPLETION: 75.0%



### Log Analysis Module

Utilize the proper tools and techniques to establish a baseline for normal operation and identify malicious activities using log files from various services.

100 POINTS OUT OF

100 POINTS OUT OF

50 POINTS OUT OF

6 TH PLACE OUT OF 3658 NATIONAL RANK

77.3%



Cyber Defense Analyst Systems Security Analyst All-Source Analyst Cyber Defense Forensics Analyst Data Analyst

100<sup>th</sup> National

Average: 106.5 Points

Average: 41.0%

100.0% **ACCURACY** 

75.0% ACCURACY

57.1%

COMPLETION: 100.0% COMPLETION: 100.0% COMPLETION: 50.0%

Entertainment (Easy)

Eventful (Medium)

Oddball (Hard)

# Network Traffic Analysis Module

Identify malicious and benign network traffic to demonstrate an understanding of potential security breaches.

TH PLACE **OUT OF 3658** NATIONAL RANK

PERFORMANCE SCORE

76.9% ACCURACY



Cyber Defense Analyst All-Source Analyst Cyber Defense Incident Responder Target Network Analyst Cyber Operator

99<sup>th</sup> National Percentile

Average: 138.6 Points

Average: 48.6%

Shell (Easy)

Corp Net (Medium)

Wifi Cracking (Medium)

Stream (Hard)

100 POINTS OUT OF

83.3% ACCURACY

60.0% ACCURACY

75.0% **ACCURACY** 

100.0% ACCURACY

COMPLETION:	100.0%
COMPLETION:	100.0%
COMPLETION:	75.0%
COMPLETION:	100.0%



### Open Source Intelligence Module

Utilize publicly available information such as search engines, public repositories, social media, and more to gain in-depth knowledge on a topic or target.

2 ND PLACE OUT OF 3658

PERFORMANCE SCORE

81.0% ACCURACY



Systems Security Analyst Target Developer System Administrator Research & Development Specialist Cyber Intel Planner

NATIONAL RANK

99th National Percentile

Rules of Conduct (Easy)

Average: 182.7 Points

Average: 63.1% 83.3%

50 POINTS OUT OF

 $100^{\frac{\text{POINTS}}{\text{OUT OF}}}$ 

62.5% ACCURACY

100.0% ACCURACY

100.0%

100.0%

COMPLETION:	100.0%
COMPLETION:	100.0%

Blockchain (Easy) Use online resources to identify stolen funds on the blockchain

Banking (Medium) License (Medium)

Rendezvous (Hard)



### Password Cracking Module

Identify types of password hashes and apply various techniques to efficiently determine plaintext passwords.

22 ND PLACE OUT OF 3658 NATIONAL RANK 310 POINTS OUT OF 340 PERFORMANCE SCORE

100.0% ACCURACY



Cyber Operator Exploitation Analyst Systems Security Analyst Cyber Defense Incident Responder Cyber Crime Investigator

100.0%

100.0%

100.0%

100.0%

100.0%

85.7%

100<sup>th</sup> National Percentile

Average: 157.3 Points

Average: 88.2%

COMPLETION: Cracking 1 (Easy) 30 POINTS OUT OF 100.0% **ACCURACY** Crack MD5 password hashes from a known wordlist COMPLETION: 100.0% Cracking 2 (Easy) 30 POINTS OUT OF ACCURACY Crack SHA1 password hashes from a known wordlist COMPLETION: Cracking 3 (Easy) 100.0% **ACCURACY** Crack Windows NTLM password hashes Cracking 4 (Medium) 100.0% COMPLETION: ACCURACY Extract and crack a wordpress admin password from a database dump COMPLETION: Cracking 5 (Medium) 100.0% **ACCURACY** Build a wordlist to crack passwords following a specific pattern

Cracking 6 (Hard)

Zip (Medium)

115 POINTS

100.0% ACCURACY

ACCURAC

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100.0% ACCURACY COMPLETION: 100.0%

COMPLETION:

Crack the password of a ZIP archive file

Build a wordlist to crack passwords not found in common wordlists



### Scanning & Reconnaissance Module

Identify and use the proper tools to gain intelligence about a target including its services and potential vulnerabilities.

4 TH PLACE OUT OF 3658

100.0% ACCURACY

83.3% COMPLETION Average: 36.7%

Vulnerability Assessment Analyst Target Network Analyst Cyber Operations Planner Target Developer Security Control Assessor

NATIONAL RANK

100<sup>th</sup> National Percentile

Average: 125.7 Points

Average: 62.9%

Seeking (Easy)

100 POINTS OUT OF

100.0% **ACCURACY** 

COMPLETION: 100.0%

Public (Medium)

100 POINTS OUT OF

100.0% ACCURACY

COMPLETION: 100.0%

Key (Hard)

20 POINTS OUT OF

100.0% **ACCURACY** 

COMPLETION: 50.0%

### Web Application Exploitation Module

Identify actionable exploits and vulnerabilities and use them to bypass the security measures in online services.

5 TH PLACE OUT OF 3658 TH PLACE NATIONAL RANK

PERFORMANCE SCORE

100.0% ACCURACY



COMPLETION:

Cyber Operator Software Developer **Exploitation Analyst** Systems Security Analyst Database Administrator

100<sup>th</sup> National Percentile

Average: 43.6 Points

Average: 58.2%

Net Admin (Easy)

 $100^{\frac{\text{POINTS}}{\text{OUT OF}}}$ 

100.0% ACCURACY

COMPLETION: 100.0%

Travel Agency (Medium)

0.0% ACCURACY 0.0%

Search (Hard)

60 POINTS OUT OF

100.0% **ACCURACY** 

COMPLETION: 75.0%