

# **CS2503 Introduction to Cyber Security**

## **LIST OF EXPERIMENTS:**

1. Create a presentation outlining a hypothetical cyber threat scenario, including the potential risks, vulnerabilities, and recommended preventive measures.
2. Simulate a network troubleshooting scenario, identifying and resolving common networking issues, and providing a detailed analysis of the process.
3. . Develop a scenario involving access control challenges within an organisation, proposing solutions and policies to enhance security.
4. Develop a program or script to simulate the verification of digital signatures, emphasising the importance of this cryptographic technique in ensuring data integrity.
5. Simulate a compliance audit scenario, identifying potential compliance issues and proposing measures to address and rectify them.
6. Create a simulated phishing campaign to test and enhance employees' awareness of phishing threats. Analyse the results and develop recommendations for ongoing awareness training.
7. Conduct a tabletop exercise simulating a cybersecurity incident. Develop a detailed response plan and practise its execution, involving relevant stakeholders and evaluating the effectiveness of the plan.
8. Provide a set of digital evidence related to a hypothetical cyber incident. Task students with conducting a forensic analysis, identifying the source of the incident, and preparing a detailed forensic report.
9. Evaluate the security of Internet of Things (IoT) devices within a given environment. Identify potential vulnerabilities and propose security measures to protect against IoT-related threats.
10. Organise a red team vs. blue team simulation, where one group simulates attackers (red team) and the other defends (blue team). Evaluate the effectiveness of defence mechanisms and identify areas for improvement.

<b>EX.NO: 1</b>	<b>Create a presentation outlining a hypothetical cyber threat scenario, including the potential risks, vulnerabilities, and recommended preventive measures.</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To create a presentation outlining a hypothetical cyber threat scenario, including the potential risks, vulnerabilities, and recommended preventive measures.

**ALGORITHM:**

Step 1: Clearly define the cyber threat scenario that your presentation will cover.

Step 2: Research and gather content.

Step 3: Outline the structure of the presentation.

Step 4: Create the slides according to the structure.

Step 5: Design the presentation.

Step 6: Practice delivering the presentation to ensure smooth delivery.

Step 7: Finalize the presentation after checking for typos, grammatical errors, and formatting issues.

Step 8: Deliver the presentation confidently, ensuring you engage with your audience and clearly explain the hypothetical scenario, risks, vulnerabilities, and preventive measures.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Define the Cyber Threat Scenario**

- Incident Type: Data Breach
- Timeframe: 2013 and 2014 (disclosed in 2016)
- Affected Parties: Yahoo Inc. and its users
- Compromised Data: Usernames, email addresses, dates of birth, hashed passwords (MD5), security questions and answers
- Motives: Financial gain and state-sponsored espionage

**Research and Gather Content**

Research in detail each aspect of the Yahoo data breach:

- Attackers: Gather information on the identified attackers from the 2014 breach, like the involvement of Russian state-sponsored hackers and FSB officers. For the 2013 breach, note the uncertainty of the perpetrators.
- Methodology: Look into the SQL injection vulnerabilities (2013 breach) and spear-phishing attacks (2014 breach).
- Impact: Research user impact, organizational impact, and legal consequences.
- Forensic Methodology: Understand the steps Yahoo took for data collection and analysis, such as log analysis, malware analysis, and more.

- Recommendations: Investigate preventive measures, security audits, threat detection, and employee training programs.

### **Outline the Structure of the Presentation**

Create a logical flow for the presentation:

- Title Slide:
  - Title: "Yahoo Data Breach (2013-2014)"
  - Subtitle: Your name, date, and other relevant details.
- Slide 2: Executive Summary
  - Briefly describe the incident, highlighting the scope of the breach and its importance.
- Slide 3: Incident Overview
  - Date, type of breach, affected parties, and compromised data.
- Slide 4: Reason and Motive Behind the Attack
  - Financial gain, espionage, and details about state-sponsored involvement.
- Slide 5: Details of the Attackers
  - Names and affiliations of the attackers (FSB officers and criminal hackers).
- Slide 6: Identification and Detection
  - How the breach was discovered, and the timeline of notification and disclosure.
- Slide 7: Technical Analysis
  - Vulnerabilities exploited, malware used, and data exfiltration methods.
- Slide 8: Conclusion
  - Thank and end the presentation.

### **Create the Slides**

Now, start creating slides according to your outline.

- Slide Layout: Keep it clean and professional. Use bullet points for easy readability.
- Visuals: Add relevant images, such as diagrams of the attack vector, infographics showing compromised data, or statistics about the impact.

### **Design the Presentation**

Consistency: Use the same font and color scheme throughout.

Images and Graphs: Include visuals such as timelines, impact charts, and diagrams showing how the attack happened.

Clarity: Keep the text concise. Make sure each slide communicates its main point clearly.

### **Practice Delivering the Presentation**

Rehearse your presentation to ensure that:

- You stay within the time limit.
- The information flows smoothly from one slide to the next.
- You're comfortable explaining complex terms like "SQL injection" and "data exfiltration."

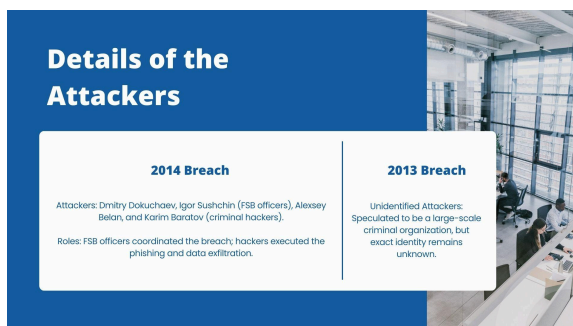
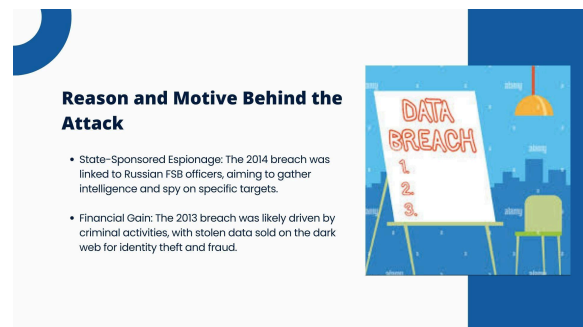
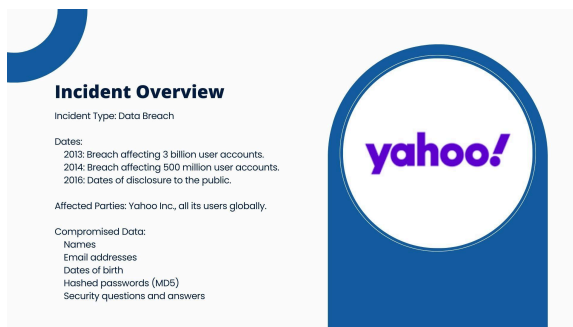
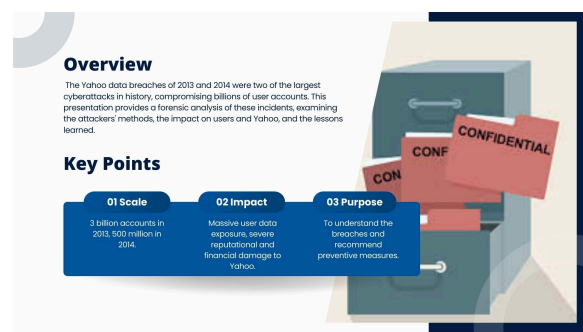
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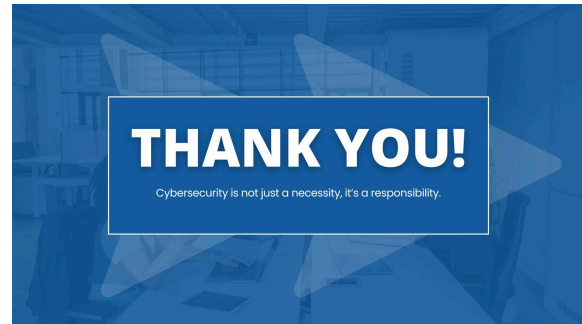
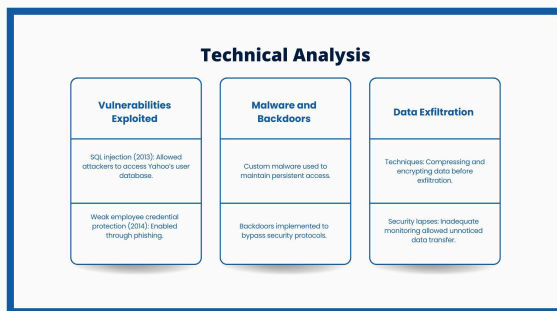
- Proofread: Ensure no typos, grammatical mistakes, or formatting issues.
- Backup: Save multiple copies of the presentation and test it on the presentation device.

### Deliver the Presentation

- Confidence: Speak clearly and confidently. Engage your audience by asking questions like, “What could Yahoo have done to prevent this?”
- Interactive Q&A: Be ready for questions at the end and reinforce the recommendations provided.

## OUTPUT:





### **INFERENCE:**

The Yahoo data breaches of 2013 and 2014 highlight the critical importance of strong cybersecurity measures. Despite its size and influence, Yahoo's vulnerabilities were exploited, leading to severe consequences for user trust and financial stability. These incidents underscore the need for proactive security practices and timely breach disclosures to protect sensitive data and maintain public confidence.

### **RESULT:**

The presentation on the Yahoo data breaches has been successfully created, effectively summarizing the key aspects of the incident and providing actionable insights for enhanced cybersecurity.

<b>EX.NO: 2</b>	<b>Simulate a network troubleshooting scenario, identifying and resolving common networking issues, and providing a detailed analysis of the process</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To simulate a network troubleshooting scenario and to identify and resolve networking issues.

**ALGORITHM:**

Step 1: Open the Cisco Packet Tracer.

Step 2: Create a simple network by adding 2 PCs (PC0 and PC1), a switch and a server.

Step 3: Configure the DHCP server by setting up the DHCP pool.

Step 4: Configure the PCs with the same static IP address.

Step 5: Using the Copper Straight-Through cable, connect the switch with the server and both the PCs.

Step 6: Check the IP addresses before resolving the conflict by using ipconfig command in the command prompt of both PCs.

Step 7: Switch PCs to Dynamic IP (DHCP).

Step 8 : Release and renew IP address for any one of the PCs.

Step 9 : Check the IP addresses again.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Initial setup:**

- Open the Cisco Packet Tracer.
- Drag and drop two PCs(PC0 and PC1) and a server from the End Devices section.
- Drag and drop a switch from the Network Devices section.

**Creating a networking issue:**

- Single click server -> go to Desktop tab -> click and open IP configuration -> enter unique IPv4 Address (Eg. 10.0.0.1)
- Go to Services tab -> select DHCP from the listed services -> turn on the service -> set Default Gateway (Eg. 10.0.0.1) -> change the Maximum Number of Users as needed (Eg. 3) -> Click Save -> Close the tab.
- For each PC -> go to Desktop tab -> click and open IP Configuration -> enter IPv4 Address (same for both PCs - Eg. 10.0.0.2) -> press enter to automatically assign Subnet Mask
- Make the following connections using Copper Straight-Through cable from Connections section:

Switch(FastEthernet0/1) - Server(FastEthernet0)

Switch(FastEthernet0/2) - PC0(FastEthernet0)

### Switch(FastEthernet0/3) - PC1(FastEthernet0)

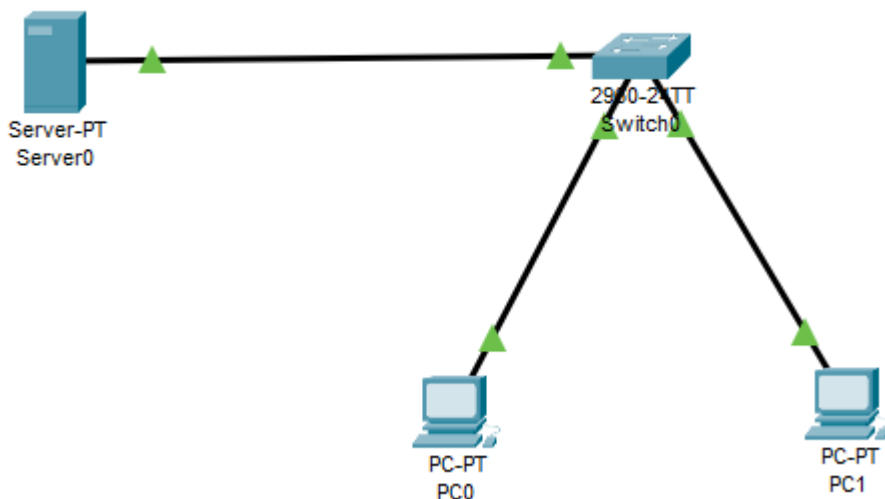
- For each PC -> go to Desktop tab -> click and open Command Prompt -> check IP address of both PCs using the command: ipconfig (both will have same IP address)

### Resolving the networking issue:

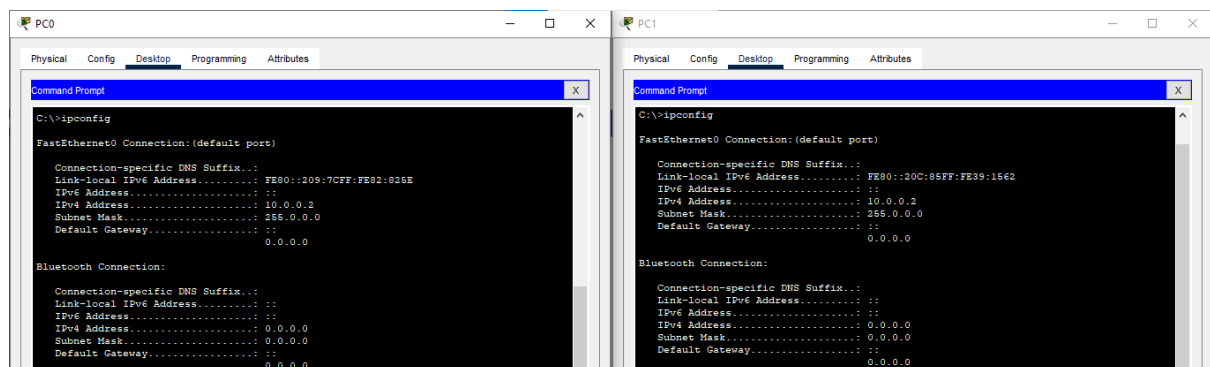
- For each PC -> go to Desktop tab -> click and open IP Configuration -> change to DHCP from static -> close IP Configuration
- Click and open Command Prompt -> Release the IP address by using the command: ipconfig /release
- Get a new IP address by using the command: ipconfig /renew
- Check IP address of both PCs using the command: ipconfig (both will have different IP addresses)

### OUTPUT:

Network created in Cisco Packet Tracer



### Diagnosing the IP Conflict



### Resolving the IP Conflict

```
C:\>ipconfig /release

IP Address. . . . .: 0.0.0.0
Subnet Mask. . . . .: 0.0.0.0
Default Gateway. . . . .: 0.0.0.0
DNS Server. . . . .: 0.0.0.0

C:\>ipconfig /renew

IP Address. . . . .: 10.0.0.2
Subnet Mask. . . . .: 255.0.0.0
Default Gateway. . . . .: 10.0.0.1
DNS Server. . . . .: 0.0.0.0

C:\>ipconfig /release

IP Address. . . . .: 0.0.0.0
Subnet Mask. . . . .: 0.0.0.0
Default Gateway. . . . .: 0.0.0.0
DNS Server. . . . .: 0.0.0.0

C:\>ipconfig /renew

IP Address. . . . .: 10.0.0.3
Subnet Mask. . . . .: 255.0.0.0
Default Gateway. . . . .: 10.0.0.1
DNS Server. . . . .: 0.0.0.0
```

## **INFERENCE:**

By simulating a network troubleshooting scenario in Cisco Packet Tracer, we effectively identified and resolved an IP conflict caused by assigning the same static IP address to two different devices (PC0 and PC1) on the same network. The conflict prevented proper communication between the devices and the server. By switching the IP configuration of both PCs from static to dynamic (DHCP) and using commands to release and renew their IP addresses, we allowed the DHCP server to automatically assign unique IP addresses to each PC.

## **RESULT:**

The network troubleshooting scenario was successfully simulated in Cisco Packet Tracer, which was identified and resolved.



<b>EX.NO: 3</b>	<b>Develop a scenario involving access control challenges within an organization, proposing solutions and policies to enhance security</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To develop a scenario involving access control challenges within an organization, proposing solutions to enhance security.

**ALGORITHM:**

Step 1: Open the Cisco Packet Tracer.

Step 2: Create a simple network by adding the following:

Headquarters (HQ):

Core Switch: Central switch connecting all departments.

Authorized PCs: PCs used by employees with legitimate access.

Unauthorized PC: A rogue device attempting to access sensitive resources.

Branch Office:

Branch Router: Connects the branch office to HQ.

Authorized PC: PC with legitimate access to resources.

Step 3: Using the Copper Straight-Through cable, connect the HQ Core Switch to the authorized PCs, unauthorized PC and branch router.

Step 4: Using the Copper Straight-Through cable, connect the Branch Router to the branch office's authorized PC.

Step 5: Configure the PCs with some static IP addresses and Default Gateway.

Step 6: Configure and save the Branch Router's Interface in the CLI tab.

Step 7: Testing the Network using ping command in the Command Prompt to show that the organization faces access control challenges.

Step 8: Configure VLANs on the Core Switch.

Step 9: Assign Ports to the configured VLANs.

Step 10: Configure Trunk Link Between Core Switch and Branch Router.

Step 11: Create a subinterface for vlan 10 on the Branch Router.

Step 12: Again testing the Network using the ping command.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Initial setup:**

- Open the Cisco Packet Tracer.
- Drag and drop four PCs(PC0, PC1, PC2, PC3) from the End Devices section.
- Drag and drop a switch and a router from the Network Devices section.

**Creating a network for an organization without security measures:**

- Make the following connections using Copper Straight-Through cable from Connections section:
  - Core Switch(FastEthernet0/1) - Authorized PC0(FastEthernet0)
  - Core Switch(FastEthernet0/2) - Authorized PC1(FastEthernet0)
  - Core Switch(FastEthernet0/3) - Unauthorized PC2(FastEthernet0)
  - Core Switch(FastEthernet0/4) - Branch Router(GigabitEthernet0/0/0)
  - Branch Router(GigabitEthernet0/0/1) - Authorized PC3(FastEthernet0)
- For each PC in HQ -> go to Desktop tab -> click and open IP Configuration -> enter static IPv4 Address within the same subnet (Eg. PC0-192.168.1.10, PC1-192.168.1.11, PC2-192.168.1.12) and Default Gateway (Eg. 192.168.1.1) -> press enter to automatically assign Subnet Mask
- For each PCs in Branch Office-> go to Desktop tab -> click and open IP Configuration -> enter static IPv4 Address within the same subnet (Eg. PC3-192.168.2.10) and Default Gateway (Eg. 192.168.2.1) -> press enter to automatically assign Subnet Mask
- Click on the Branch Router and go to the CLI tab.
- To configure the Branch Router Interface (GigabitEthernet0/0/0) enter the following commands:
 

```
enable
configure terminal
interface gigabitEthernet0/0/0
ip address 192.168.1.1 255.255.255.0
no shutdown
exit
```
- To configure the Branch Router Interface (GigabitEthernet0/0/1) enter the following commands:
 

```
interface gigabitEthernet0/0/1
ip address 192.168.2.1 255.255.255.0
no shutdown
exit
end
```
- To save the configuration enter the following command:
 

```
write memory
```
- For Unauthorized PC03 -> go to Desktop tab -> click and open Command Prompt
- Ping the Router Interfaces using the command:
 

```
ping 192.168.1.1 —> HQ Network Interface
ping 192.168.2.1 —> Branch Network Interface
```
- Ping the Authorized PCs from HQ and Branch office using the command:
 

```
ping 192.168.1.10 —> Authorized PC0 (HQ)
ping 192.168.1.11 —> Authorized PC1 (HQ)
ping 192.168.2.10 —> Authorized PC3 (Branch Office)
```

### Implementing security measures in the organization's network:

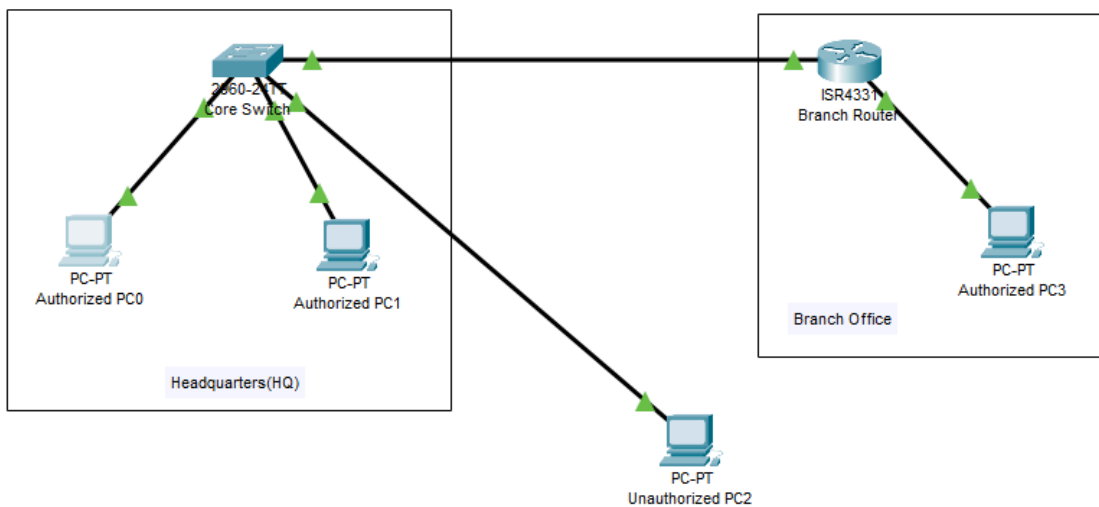
- Click on the Core Switch and go to the CLI tab.
- Enter global configuration mode using the commands:  
enable  
configure terminal
- Create VLAN for Authorized PCs using the commands:  
vlan 10  
name Authorized\_PCs  
exit
- Create VLAN for Unauthorized PCs using the commands:  
vlan 20  
name Unauthorized\_PCs  
exit
- Assign Ports for Authorized PCs .  
For Authorized PC0 use the following commands:  
interface FastEthernet0/1  
switchport mode access  
switchport access vlan 10  
exit  
For Authorized PC1 use the following commands:  
interface FastEthernet0/2  
switchport mode access  
switchport access vlan 10  
exit
- Assign Ports for Unauthorized PC.  
For Unauthorized PC2 use the following commands:  
interface FastEthernet0/3  
switchport mode access  
switchport access vlan 20  
exit
- To configure Trunk Link between Core Switch and Branch Router, use the following commands:  
interface FastEthernet0/4  
switchport mode trunk  
switchport trunk allowed vlan 10  
exit
- Create a sub-interface for vlan 10 on the Branch Router to enable inter-VLAN routing using the following command:  
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0  
ip address 192.168.3.1 255.255.255.0  
exit

```
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0.10
Encapsulation dot1Q 10
ip address 192.168.1.1 255.255.255.0
no shutdown
exit
end
```

- To save the configuration enter the following command:  
write memory
- For Unauthorized PC03 -> go to Desktop tab -> click and open Command Prompt
- Ping the Router Interfaces using the command:  
ping 192.168.1.1 —> HQ Network Interface  
ping 192.168.2.1 —> Branch Network Interface
- Ping the Authorized PCs from HQ and Branch office using the command:  
ping 192.168.1.10 —> Authorized PC0 (HQ)  
ping 192.168.1.11 —> Authorized PC1 (HQ)  
ping 192.168.2.10 —> Authorized PC3 (Branch Office)

### **OUTPUT:**

Network created in Cisco Packet Tracer for an organization

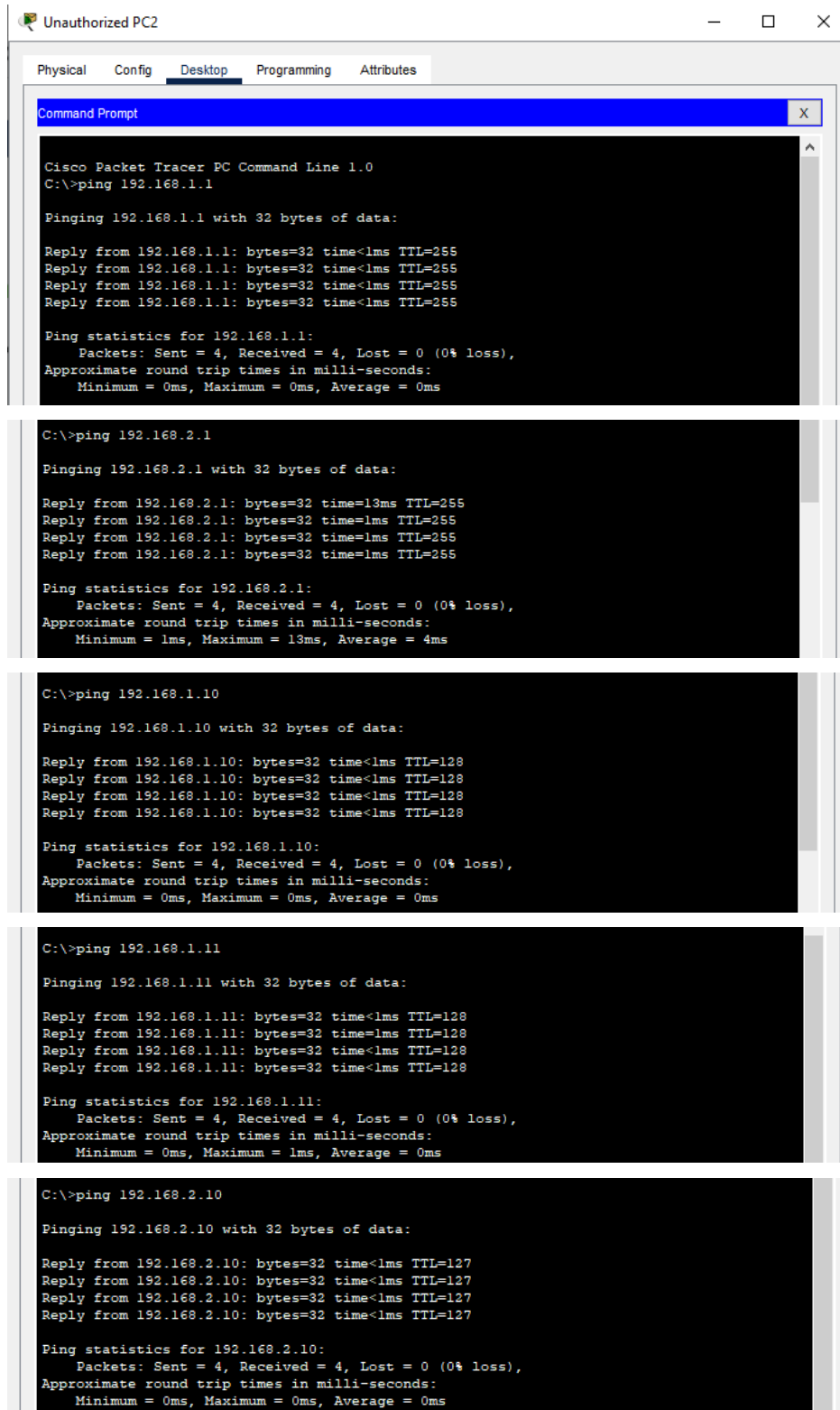


Before

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The screenshot shows a Cisco Packet Tracer PC Command Line window for an 'Unauthorized PC2'. The window has tabs for Physical, Config, Desktop, Programming, and Attributes. The Desktop tab is active, displaying a Command Prompt window. The Command Prompt shows the following output:

```
Cisco Packet Tracer PC Command Line 1.0
C:\>ping 192.168.1.1

Pinging 192.168.1.1 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 192.168.1.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=255
Reply from 192.168.1.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=255
Reply from 192.168.1.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=255
Reply from 192.168.1.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=255

Ping statistics for 192.168.1.1:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 0ms, Average = 0ms
```

```
C:\>ping 192.168.2.1

Pinging 192.168.2.1 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 192.168.2.1: bytes=32 time=13ms TTL=255
Reply from 192.168.2.1: bytes=32 time=1ms TTL=255
Reply from 192.168.2.1: bytes=32 time=1ms TTL=255
Reply from 192.168.2.1: bytes=32 time=1ms TTL=255

Ping statistics for 192.168.2.1:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 1ms, Maximum = 13ms, Average = 4ms
```

```
C:\>ping 192.168.1.10

Pinging 192.168.1.10 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 192.168.1.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.1.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.1.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.1.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128

Ping statistics for 192.168.1.10:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 0ms, Average = 0ms
```

```
C:\>ping 192.168.1.11

Pinging 192.168.1.11 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 192.168.1.11: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.1.11: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.1.11: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.1.11: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128

Ping statistics for 192.168.1.11:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 1ms, Average = 0ms
```

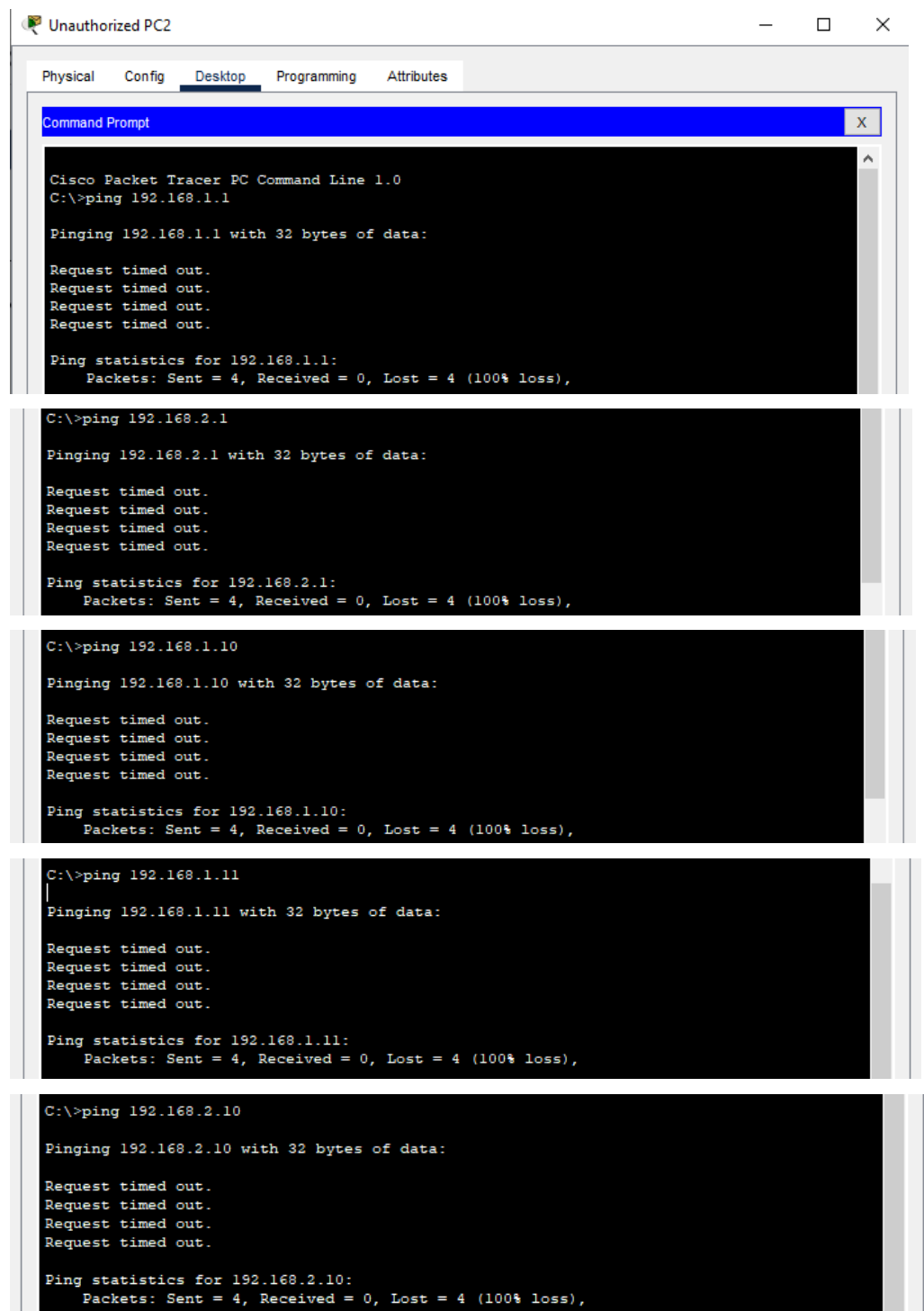
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C:\>ping 192.168.2.10

Pinging 192.168.2.10 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 192.168.2.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=127
Reply from 192.168.2.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=127
Reply from 192.168.2.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=127
Reply from 192.168.2.10: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=127

Ping statistics for 192.168.2.10:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 0ms, Average = 0ms
```

After taking security measures



## INFERENCE:

The network scenario demonstrates access control challenges within an organization by initially setting up a network where both authorized and unauthorized devices could freely communicate. This setup highlights the risk of unauthorized access to sensitive resources. By implementing VLANs (Virtual Local Area Networks) to segregate authorized and unauthorized devices, the organization enhances network security by isolating traffic

based on access levels. Additionally, configuring a trunk link and creating a sub-interface for inter-VLAN routing ensures that only authorized devices can communicate with each other while restricting access from unauthorized devices.

### **RESULT:**

A scenario involving access control challenges within an organization was successfully developed and simulated in Cisco Packet Tracer. Solutions, including the implementation of VLANs and inter-VLAN routing, were proposed and effectively enhanced the network's security by preventing unauthorized access to sensitive resources.

<b>EX.NO: 4</b>	<b>Evaluate the implementation of cryptographic techniques in a given system, assessing their effectiveness in securing data and communication</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To evaluate the implementation of cryptographic techniques in a given system, assessing their effectiveness in securing data and communication.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Program 1:**

Step 1: Take the message input from the user.

Step 2: Generate RSA key pair (private and public keys).

Step 3: Compute the SHA-256 hash of the message using `hashes.SHA256()` from the ``cryptography`` library.

Step 4: Apply PSS padding to the hash using `padding.PSS()` from the ``cryptography`` library.

Step 5: Sign the padded hash with the private key using `private_key.sign()` from the ``cryptography`` library.

Step 6: Serialize the public key to PEM format using `serialization.Encoding.PEM`` and `serialization.PublicFormat.SubjectPublicKeyInfo`` from the ``cryptography`` library.

Step 7: Print the original content, digital signature, and serialized public key.

**Program 2:**

Step 1: Replace the ``original_content`` with the message you want to verify.

Step 2: Replace the ``digital_signature`` with the signature you need to verify.

Step 3: Replace the ``public_key_pem`` with the PEM-encoded public key from the signing process.

Step 4: Load the public key from PEM format using `serialization.load_pem_public_key()` from the ``cryptography`` library.

Step 5: Verify the digital signature with the public key using `public_key.verify()` from the ``cryptography`` library.

Step 6: Print verification result: Confirm if the signature is valid or invalid.

Step 7: Handle exceptions to indicate verification errors.

**SOURCE CODE:**

**Program 1:**

```
from cryptography.hazmat.primitives.asymmetric import rsa, padding

from cryptography.hazmat.primitives import hashes, serialization

from cryptography.hazmat.backends import default_backend
```



```

def generate_keys():
    # Generate RSA keys
    private_key = rsa.generate_private_key(
        public_exponent=65537,
        key_size=2048,
        backend=default_backend()
    )
    public_key = private_key.public_key()
    return private_key, public_key

def sign_message(private_key, message):
    # Sign the message
    signature = private_key.sign(
        message,
        padding.PSS(
            mgf=padding.MGF1(hashes.SHA256()),
            salt_length=padding.PSS.MAX_LENGTH
        ),
        hashes.SHA256()
    )
    return signature

def main():
    # Original content
    original_content = b"Hello World"

    # Generate RSA keys
    private_key, public_key = generate_keys()

    # Sign the message
    digital_signature = sign_message(private_key, original_content)

    # Serialize the public key to PEM format

```

```

public_key_pem = public_key.public_bytes(
    encoding=serialization.Encoding.PEM,
    format=serialization.PublicFormat.SubjectPublicKeyInfo
)

# Print original content, digital signature, and public key
print("Original Content:")
print(original_content.decode())
print("\nDigital Signature:")
print(digital_signature.hex())
print("\nPublic Key:")
print(public_key_pem.decode())

if __name__ == "__main__":
    main()

```

### **Program 2:**

```

from cryptography.hazmat.primitives.asymmetric import padding
from cryptography.hazmat.primitives import hashes, serialization
from cryptography.hazmat.backends import default_backend

def verify_signature(public_key, original_content, digital_signature):
    try:
        # Verify the digital signature
        public_key.verify(
            digital_signature,
            original_content,
            padding.PSS(
                mgf=padding.MGF1(hashes.SHA256()),
                salt_length=padding.PSS.MAX_LENGTH
            ),

```

```

        hashes.SHA256()
    )
    print("\nVerification Result: Verified - The signature is valid.")
except Exception as e:
    print("\nVerification Result: Not Verified - The signature is invalid.")

def main():
    # Replace these variables with the original content, digital signature, and public key from
    the first segment
    original_content = b"<ORIGINAL_TEXT>"
    digital_signature = bytes.fromhex("<PASTE_YOUR_DIGITAL_SIGNATURE_HEX_HERE>")

    # Replace the public key PEM with the one from the first segment
    public_key_pem = b"""
-----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----

<PASTE_YOUR_PUBLIC_KEY_HERE>

-----END PUBLIC KEY-----

"""
    public_key = serialization.load_pem_public_key(public_key_pem,
backend=default_backend())

    # Verify the signature
    verify_signature(public_key, original_content, digital_signature)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    main()

```

## OUTPUT:

### Program 1

```
$ python one.py
Original Content:
Hello World

Digital Signature:
a3e7b09c9c1d5933baf8d802cd7bfd2c54978dd7d19c04fd6fcf6e76feb99884b1d18b14a14e9e3a1ff3a8692587888fb34404c1a53de11b7c2eec50043f6ad6b45f3b96ce2f1c2dabb38aaf9c
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077399b01e13bc8774d03b6fe7583af6f6e57f3167150ebf56

Public Key:
-----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----
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BQIDAQAB
-----END PUBLIC KEY-----
```

### Program 2

```
$ python two.py

Verification Result: Verified - The signature is valid.
```

## INFERENCE:

The experiment evaluates the implementation of cryptographic techniques, specifically RSA encryption, digital signatures, and SHA-256 hashing, to assess their effectiveness in securing data and communication.

- Program 1 demonstrates the process of generating an RSA key pair (private and public keys), computing the SHA-256 hash of a user-provided message, and creating a digital signature using the private key with PSS padding. The public key is serialized in PEM format for secure sharing and verification purposes.
- Program 2 focuses on verifying the digital signature. It uses the public key to authenticate the message's integrity and confirm its origin. This program ensures that any tampering with the message can be detected, thereby preserving data security.

## RESULT:

The cryptographic techniques effectively secured the data and communication, with successful generation and verification of RSA-based digital signatures and SHA-256 hashing.

<b>EX.NO: 5</b>	<b>Simulate a compliance audit scenario, identifying potential compliance issues and proposing measures to address and rectify them.</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To simulate a compliance audit scenario, identifying potential compliance issues and proposing measures to address and rectify them.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Step 1: Install Python**

Ensure that Python is installed on your computer. You can download Python from the official website and follow the installation instructions.

**Step 2: Save the Script**

Copy the provided Python code and save it in a file with a .py extension. For example, name it vulnerability\_scan.py.

**Step 3: Open a Command Line Interface**

Open your terminal, command prompt, or any command line interface (CLI) that you prefer to use on your operating system. Ensure the installation of scapy on your system . Install certain libraries required for the program using commands:

**pip install pstuil**

**pip install tk**

**Step 4: Navigate to the Script's Directory**

In the command line interface, navigate to the directory where you saved the vulnerability\_scan.py file.

**Step 5: Run the Script**

To execute the script, simply type python followed by the name of the script file, like python vulnerability\_scan.py. This will start the program.

**Step 6: Input the IP Address**

When prompted by the script, enter the IP address of the system you wish to scan.

**Step 7: Review the Results**

After the script completes its execution, review the output displayed in the command line interface. This will include details on open ports, detected services, a report is also generated and file path the report to be saved also will be there.

**Step 8: Analyze and Take Action**

Based on the results, you can analyze the security posture of the system you scanned and take appropriate actions if any potential compliances are detected.

### **SOURCE CODE:**

```
import socket

import subprocess

import psutil

import platform

import os

from datetime import datetime

from tkinter import Tk

from tkinter.filedialog import asksaveasfilename

import re

def get_ip_address():

    # Ask the user for an IP address input

    while True:

        ip_address = input("Enter a valid IP address for the compliance audit: ")

        if validate_ip(ip_address):

            return ip_address

        else:

            print("Invalid IP address. Please try again.")

def validate_ip(ip_address):

    # Validate the format of the IP address

    ip_pattern = re.compile(

        r"^(?:[0-9]{1,3}\.){3}[0-9]{1,3}$" # Matches a standard IPv4 address

    )

    if ip_pattern.match(ip_address):

        return True

    return False

def check_open_ports(ip_address):

    open_ports = []
```

```

common_ports = [22, 80, 443, 3389] # SSH, HTTP, HTTPS, RDP
for port in common_ports:
    try:
        sock = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM)
        sock.settimeout(1)
        result = sock.connect_ex((ip_address, port))
        if result == 0:
            open_ports.append(port)
        sock.close()
    except socket.error as e:
        print(f"Error checking port {port}: {e}")
        continue
return open_ports

def check_firewall_status():
    if platform.system() == "Windows":
        firewall_cmd = ["netsh", "advfirewall", "show", "allprofiles"]
        result = subprocess.run(firewall_cmd, capture_output=True, text=True)
        if "ON" in result.stdout:
            return "Firewall is enabled."
        else:
            return "Firewall is disabled."
    elif platform.system() == "Linux":
        firewall_cmd = ["ufw", "status"]
        result = subprocess.run(firewall_cmd, capture_output=True, text=True)
        if "active" in result.stdout:
            return "Firewall is enabled."
        else:
            return "Firewall is disabled."

```

```

else:
    return "Unsupported OS for firewall check."

def check_running_services():
    services = []
    for proc in psutil.process_iter(['pid', 'name']):
        services.append(proc.info['name'])
    return services

def generate_compliance_report():
    # Generate the compliance report based on user input
    report = []
    report.append("Compliance Audit Report\n")
    report.append(f>Date: {datetime.now().strftime('%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S')}\n")
    ip_address = get_ip_address()
    report.append(f>Target IP Address: {ip_address}\n")
    # Ask user what checks to perform
    perform_port_check = input("Do you want to check open ports? (y/n): ").lower() == 'y'
    perform_firewall_check = input("Do you want to check the firewall status? (y/n): ").lower()
    == 'y'
    perform_service_check = input("Do you want to list running services? (y/n): ").lower() ==
    'y'
    if perform_port_check:
        open_ports = check_open_ports(ip_address)
        if open_ports:
            report.append(f>Open Ports: {open_ports} (Potential Security Risk)\n")
        else:
            report.append("No suspicious open ports found.\n")
    if perform_firewall_check:
        firewall_status = check_firewall_status()
        report.append(f>Firewall Status: {firewall_status}\n")

```



```

if perform_service_check:
    running_services = check_running_services()

    report.append(f"Running Services: {' '.join(running_services[:10])}...\n") # Limiting to
first 10 services for brevity

# Simulating compliance issues and recommendations

if perform_port_check and len(open_ports) > 0:
    report.append("\nCompliance Issue Detected: Unsecured Open Ports\n")

    report.append("Recommendation: Close unnecessary ports and use firewalls to control
traffic.\n")

if perform_firewall_check and "disabled" in firewall_status.lower():
    report.append("\nCompliance Issue Detected: Firewall is Disabled\n")

    report.append("Recommendation: Enable the firewall to block unauthorized access.\n")

return "\n".join(report)

def save_report_to_file(report, file_path):
    with open(file_path, "w") as file:
        file.write(report)

def save_report_to_html(report, file_path):
    html_content = f"""
<html>
<head>
    <title>Compliance Audit Report</title>
    <style>
        body {{ font-family: Arial, sans-serif; }}
        h1 {{ color: #2E86C1; }}
        p {{ margin: 10px 0; }}
    </style>
</head>
<body>
    <h1>Compliance Audit Report</h1>

```

```

    <p>Date: {datetime.now().strftime('%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S')}</p>

    <pre>{report}</pre>

</body>

</html>
"""

with open(file_path, "w") as file:
    file.write(html_content)

def save_report(report):
    # Initialize Tkinter to handle the file dialog
    root = Tk()

    root.withdraw() # Hide the Tkinter window

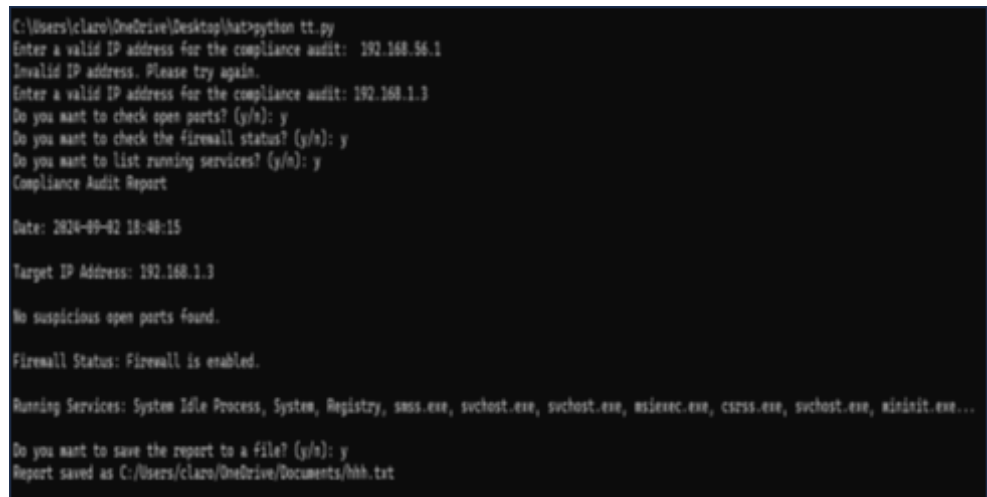
    # Ask user where to save the report and the format (txt or html)
    file_path = asksaveasfilename(
        title="Save Compliance Report",
        defaultextension=".txt",
        filetypes=(("Text files", "*.txt"), ("HTML files", "*.html"))
    )

    # Determine the file type from the extension and save accordingly
    if file_path.endswith(".txt"):
        save_report_to_file(report, file_path)
        print(f"Report saved as {file_path}")
    elif file_path.endswith(".html"):
        save_report_to_html(report, file_path)
        print(f"Report saved as {file_path}")
    else:
        print("Invalid file format. Report not saved.")

def main():
    # Generate the compliance audit report based on user inputs

```

**OUTPUT:**



**INFERENCE:**

The compliance audit script performs a series of checks on a target IP address to identify potential security and compliance issues. It evaluates open ports, firewall status, and running services, generating a report that includes recommendations for addressing detected issues. Users can save the report in either text or HTML format.

**RESULT:**

The script successfully generated a compliance audit report, identifying potential issues such as unsecured open ports or disabled firewalls, and provided recommendations for addressing these issues. The report was saved in the selected format based on user choice.

<b>EX.NO: 6</b>	<b>Create a simulated phishing campaign to test and enhance employees' awareness of phishing threats. Analyze the results and develop recommendations for ongoing awareness training.</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To send a phishing simulation email to multiple users to test their awareness of phishing attacks and assess the effectiveness of their training in identifying phishing threats.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Step 1: Prepare the Email Content:**

- Prepare the Email Content:
- Include instructions for the recipients to check their account details or click a link to verify their credentials.

**Step 2: Set Up the Email Sending Program**

- Use Python's smtplib library to send emails.
- Utilize the email library to format the email content.

**Step 3: Create a List of Recipients**

- Maintain a list of email addresses for the simulation.

**Step 4: Send the Email**

- Iterate through the list of recipients and send the phishing email to each one.

**Step 5: Analyze Responses**

- Track who clicked the link or interacted with the email.
- Use web analytics tools or a tracking server to monitor these interactions.

**Step 6: Evaluate the Results**

- Assess the percentage of users who engaged with the phishing email.
- Determine the effectiveness of current phishing awareness training.

**Step 7: Provide Recommendations**

- Based on the results, suggest improvements to phishing training programs and awareness initiatives.

NOTE: Turn on 2sv factor on google Gmail account ,create app password in your account and that app password want to use in this place of "your-email-password".

**SOURCE CODE:**

```
import smtplib

from email.mime.multipart import MIMEMultipart

from email.mime.text import MIMEText
```

```
# Function to send phishing email
```

```
def send_phishing_email(recipient_email):
```

```
    # Email configuration
```

```
    sender_email = 'your-email@example.com'
```

```
    sender_password = 'your-email-password'
```

```
    subject = 'Important Account Verification Required'
```

```
    body = ''
```

```
    Dear User,
```

We have detected unusual activity on your account. To ensure the security of your account, please verify your details by clicking the link below:

[Click Here to Verify Your Account](<http://example.com/verify>)

If you do not verify your details within 24 hours, your account may be suspended.

Thank you,

Support Team

```
'''
```

```
# Create the email
```

```
msg = MIMEMultipart()
```

```
msg['From'] = sender_email
```

```
msg['To'] = recipient_email
```

```
msg['Subject'] = subject
```

```
msg.attach(MIMEText(body, 'plain'))
```

```
# Send the email
```

```
try:
```

```
    with smtplib.SMTP('smtp.example.com', 587) as server:
```

```

server.starttls()

server.login(sender_email, sender_password)

server.sendmail(sender_email, recipient_email, msg.as_string())

print(f"Email sent to {recipient_email}")

except Exception as e:

    print(f"Failed to send email to {recipient_email}: {e}")

# List of recipients

recipients = ['user1@example.com', 'user2@example.com', 'user3@example.com']

# Send emails

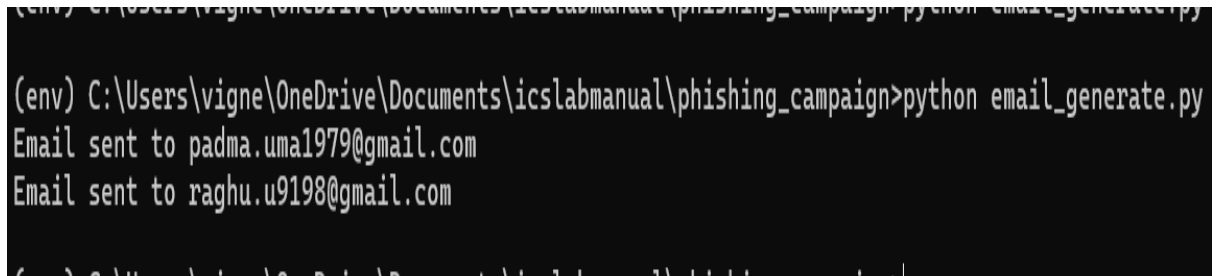
for email in recipients:

    send_phishing_email(email)

```

### **OUTPUT:**

- The program sends a phishing simulation email to each recipient in the list.
- Track the number of clicks or interactions with the phishing link.



```

(env) C:\Users\vigne\OneDrive\Documents\icslabmanual\phishing_campaign>python email_generate.py
Email sent to padma.uma1979@gmail.com
Email sent to raghu.u9198@gmail.com

```

### **ANALYZE THE OUTPUT:**

1. **Interaction Tracking:** Review the number of users who clicked the link or interacted with the phishing email.
2. **Effectiveness:** Evaluate how many users were deceived by the simulation email and compare it to expected outcomes based on their training level.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. **Enhance Training:** If a significant number of users fell for the phishing simulation, consider reinforcing phishing awareness training and providing additional resources on identifying phishing attempts.

2. **Regular Simulations:** Conduct regular phishing simulations to continuously assess and improve employee awareness and readiness.
3. **Feedback and Support:** Provide feedback to users who interacted with the phishing email and offer additional support or training to help them recognize and avoid phishing threats in the future.

### **INFERENCE:**

The phishing simulation program is designed to test users' ability to recognize phishing attempts by sending a mock phishing email that mimics a common phishing scenario. The goal is to assess how many recipients interact with the phishing email and click on the provided link, which indicates their susceptibility to phishing attacks. The results will help evaluate the effectiveness of current phishing awareness training and suggest improvements.

### **RESULT:**

The program successfully sent phishing simulation emails to each recipient in the provided list. The interactions with the phishing email (e.g., clicks on the link) are monitored to gauge user awareness.



<b>EX.NO: 7</b>	<b>Conduct a tabletop exercise simulating a cybersecurity incident. Develop a detailed response plan and practice its execution, involving relevant stakeholders and evaluating the effectiveness of the plan.</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To conduct a tabletop exercise simulating a cybersecurity incident and to develop a detailed response plan and practice its execution.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Step 1: Start VS Code**

- Launch Visual Studio Code.

**Step 2: Install Java Extensions**

- Click on the Extensions icon (or press Ctrl+Shift+X). Search for "Java Extension Pack".
- Click Install to add the Java Extension Pack.

**Step 3: Set Up the Project**

- Create and select a new folder for your project (e.g., fileIntegrityMonitor). Create some files inside the folder (e.g., file.txt).
- Create a Java File and name the file "FileIntegrityMonitor.java".
- Open the FileIntegrityMonitor.java file. Copy and paste the Java code into this file.
- Add the directory path of your folder which you want to monitor to the java program  
main                      method    Eg.(moniter.initializeFileHashes("C\\    add    here"),  
moniter.moniterFiles("C\\ add here"))

**Step 4: Compile and Run the Java Program**

- Run the program by pressing Ctrl+F5 to run without debugging or F5 to run with debugging.

**Step 5: Monitor the Output**

- Watch the terminal for output as the program monitors the specified directory for file changes. Observe alerts for any detected changes (e.g., modifications, deletions, additions).

**Step 6: Customize and Test**

- In the main method of FileIntegrityMonitor.java, update the directory path to the folder you wish to monitor.
- Make changes (add, delete, modify files) in the monitored directory.
- Observe the alerts generated in the terminal.

## **SOURCE CODE:**

### **FileIntegrityMonitor.java**

```
import java.nio.file.*;
import java.security.MessageDigest;
import java.util.HashMap;
import java.util.Map;

public class FileIntegrityMonitor {

    private Map<String, String> fileHashes = new HashMap<>();

    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {

        FileIntegrityMonitor monitor = new FileIntegrityMonitor();

        monitor.initializeFileHashes("C:\\");

        monitor.monitorFiles("C:\\");

    }

    // Initialize hashes for all files in the directory

    public void initializeFileHashes(String directoryPath) throws Exception {

        Files.walk(Paths.get(directoryPath))

            .filter(Files::isRegularFile)

            .forEach(filePath -> {

                try {

                    fileHashes.put(filePath.toString(), getFileChecksum(filePath));

                } catch (Exception e) {

                    e.printStackTrace();

                }

            });

    }

    // Monitor for changes in file hashes

    public void monitorFiles(String directoryPath) throws Exception {

        while (true) {
```

```

Files.walk(Paths.get(directoryPath))
    .filter(Files::isRegularFile)
    .forEach(filePath -> {
        try {
            String currentHash = getFileChecksum(filePath);
            String previousHash = fileHashes.get(filePath.toString());
            if (previousHash != null && !currentHash.equals(previousHash)) {
                System.out.println("ALERT: File integrity compromised: " + filePath);
            }
            fileHashes.put(filePath.toString(), currentHash);
        } catch (Exception e) {
            e.printStackTrace();
        }
    });

Thread.sleep(10000); // Monitor every 10 seconds
}
}

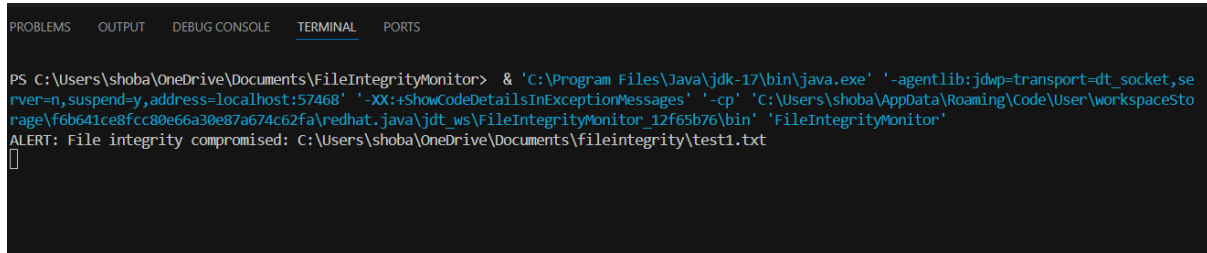
// Calculate the checksum of a file
private String getFileChecksum(Path filePath) throws Exception {
    MessageDigest digest = MessageDigest.getInstance("SHA-256");
    byte[] fileBytes = Files.readAllBytes(filePath);
    byte[] hashBytes = digest.digest(fileBytes);
    StringBuilder sb = new StringBuilder();
    for (byte b : hashBytes) {
        sb.append(String.format("%02x", b));
    }
    return sb.toString();
}

```

```
}
```

## **OUTPUT:**

### Program 1

A screenshot of a Java IDE's terminal window. The terminal has tabs for PROBLEMS, OUTPUT, DEBUG CONSOLE, TERMINAL (which is active), and PORTS. The command prompt shows the execution of a Java program with various JVM options. The output displays an alert message indicating a file integrity compromise for a specific file.

```
PS C:\Users\shoba\OneDrive\Documents\FileIntegrityMonitor> & 'C:\Program Files\Java\jdk-17\bin\java.exe' '-agentlib:jdwp=transport=dt_socket,se
rver=n,suspend=y,address=localhost:57468' '-XX:+ShowCodeDetailsInExceptionMessages' '-cp' 'C:\Users\shoba\AppData\Roaming\Code\User\workspaceSto
rage\f6b641ce8fcc80e66a30e87a674c62fa\redhat.java\jdt_ws\FileIntegrityMonitor_12f65b76\bin' 'FileIntegrityMonitor'
ALERT: File integrity compromised: C:\Users\shoba\OneDrive\Documents\fileintegrity\test1.txt
█
```

## **INFERENCE:**

The Java program effectively detects unauthorized changes to files within the specified directory by comparing file hashes over time. The use of SHA-256 for checksum generation ensures a high level of security and accuracy in detecting modifications, deletions, or additions. The periodic monitoring approach (every 10 seconds) allows for near real-time alerts on file integrity issues.

## **RESULT:**

The program successfully identified and alerted on any file integrity compromises in the monitored directory, demonstrating its capability to monitor and secure file integrity effectively.

<b>EX.NO: 8</b>	<b>Provide a set of digital evidence related to a hypothetical cyber incident. Task students with conducting a forensic analysis, identifying the source of the incident, and preparing a detailed forensic report.</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To provide a set of digital evidence related to a hypothetical cyber incident and conduct a forensic analysis.

## **Forensic Analysis Report: Yahoo Data Breach (2013-2014)**

### **Executive Summary**

The Yahoo data breach incidents of 2013 and 2014 are among the largest and most impactful cyberattacks in history, compromising the personal information of billions of users worldwide. This report provides a forensic analysis of the breaches, identifying the source, examining the methods used by attackers, and assessing the overall impact on Yahoo Inc. and its users. The analysis also outlines the lessons learned and offers recommendations for enhancing security measures to prevent future breaches.

### **Incident Overview**

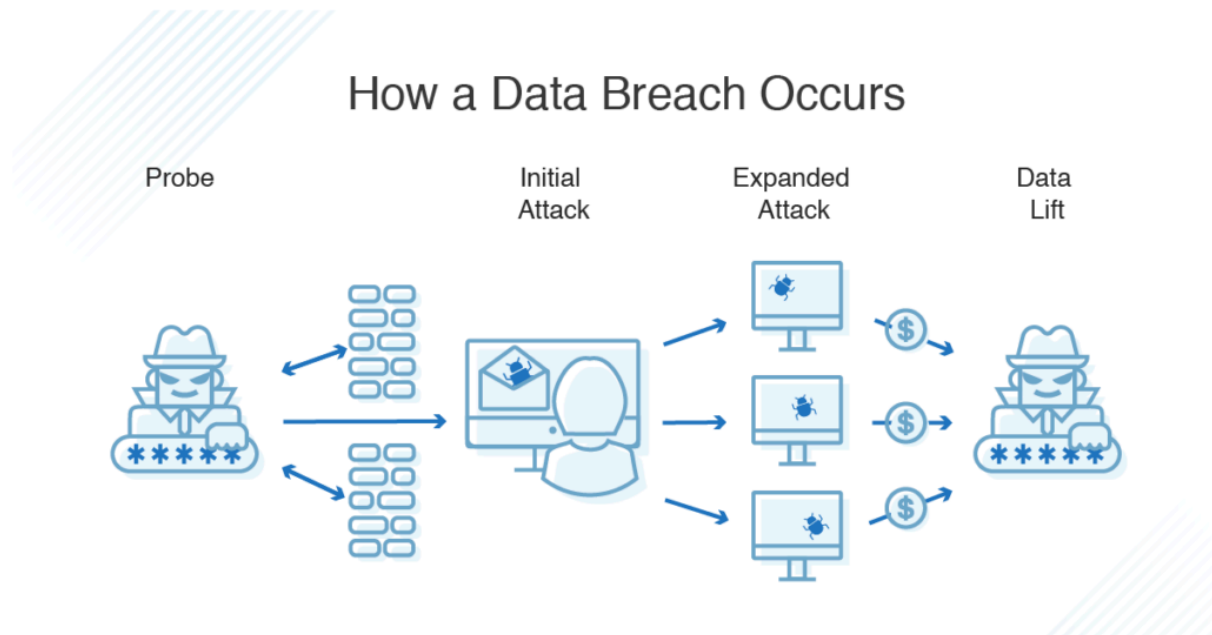
- **Incident Type:** Data Breach
- **Date of Incident:** 2013 and 2014 (disclosed in 2016)
- **Affected Parties:** Yahoo Inc., 3 billion Yahoo users (2013 breach), 500 million Yahoo users (2014 breach)
- **Compromised Data:** Names, email addresses, dates of birth, hashed passwords (MD5), security questions and answers

### **Reason and Motive Behind the Attack:**

- **Motivation:** The Yahoo breaches appear to have been motivated by both financial gain and espionage. While some reports suggest that the attackers aimed to sell the stolen data on the dark web, others indicate that the breaches were part of a broader state-sponsored effort to gather intelligence.
- **State-Sponsored Espionage:** In the case of the 2014 breach, U.S. federal authorities linked the attack to Russian state-sponsored hackers. The goal was likely to obtain information that could be used for intelligence purposes, including spying on

individuals of interest, gaining access to sensitive communications, or using the compromised accounts as gateways to further infiltrate other networks.

- **Financial Gain:** The 2013 breach, which compromised a massive amount of user data, may have been driven by financial motives. Such data is valuable on the black market, where it can be sold to other criminals who use it for various types of fraud, including identity theft and phishing scams.

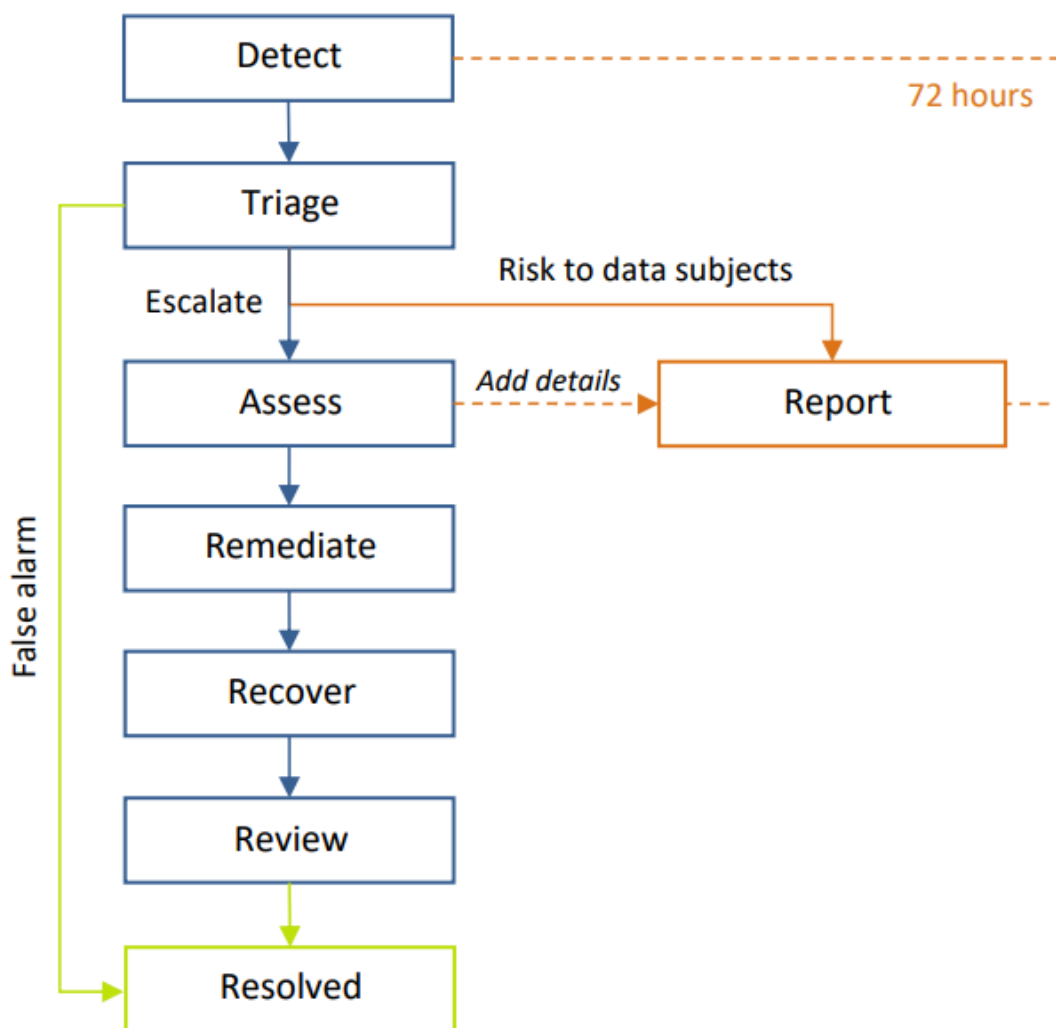


#### Details of the Attackers:

- **2014 Breach (State-Sponsored Attackers):**
  - **Identified Attackers:** In March 2017, the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) indicted four individuals for their involvement in the 2014 breach. Two of the individuals, Dmitry Dokuchaev and Igor Sushchin, were officers in Russia's Federal Security Service (FSB), the country's primary security agency. The other two, Alexsey Belan and Karim Baratov, were criminal hackers who were recruited by the FSB to carry out the attack.
- **2013 Breach (Unidentified Attackers):**
  - **Unknown Perpetrators:** The 2013 breach, which affected all 3 billion Yahoo accounts, has never been fully attributed to any specific group or individuals. While there is speculation that it could have been the work of another state-sponsored group or a large-scale criminal organization, the exact perpetrators remain unidentified.

## Identification and Detection

The Yahoo data breaches were identified and disclosed to the public in 2016, although the breaches occurred in 2013 and 2014. The identification process involved internal investigations by Yahoo, alongside external reports from cybersecurity firms and federal authorities.

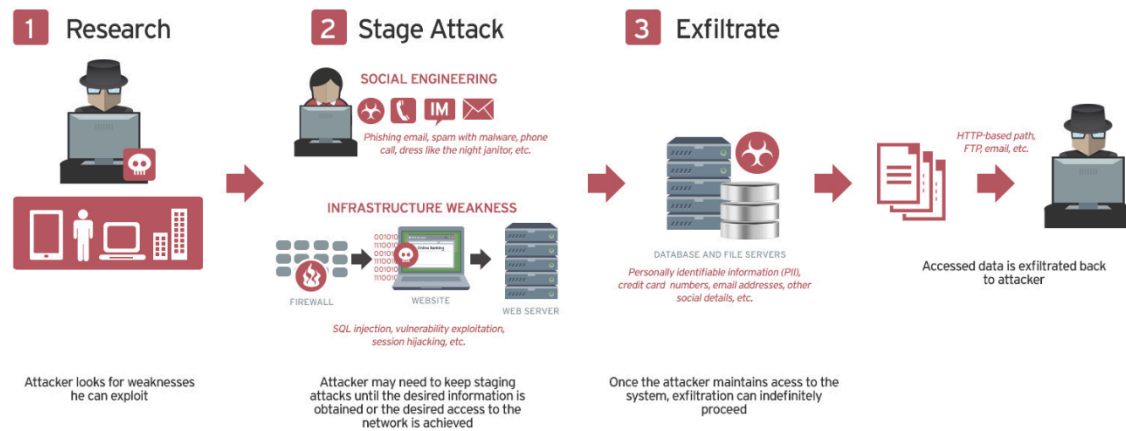


*Figure 1: Flowchart illustrating a typical breach response process*

### 1. Initial Detection

The 2013 breach was detected after Yahoo began investigating suspicious activity on its network. The 2014 breach was identified through cooperation with law enforcement agencies and cybersecurity experts, who noticed the sale of Yahoo user data on dark web forums.

## How Data Breaches Occur



## 2. Notification and Disclosure

Yahoo publicly disclosed the 2014 breach in September 2016, initially reporting that 500 million accounts were affected. In December 2016, Yahoo revealed the 2013 breach, impacting all 3 billion user accounts.

### Forensic Methodology

The forensic investigation involved several critical steps to identify the source of the breach, analyze the methods used by the attackers, and assess the full extent of the compromise.

#### 1. Data Collection

- **Log Analysis:** Yahoo's security team collected and analyzed server logs, network traffic, and system activity logs to identify anomalies and potential points of entry.
- **Malware Analysis:** Any suspicious files or malware detected on Yahoo's network were isolated and analyzed to determine their origin and functionality.
- **User Reports:** Reports from affected users, including suspicious account activity, were aggregated and analyzed to identify patterns that could indicate the methods used by the attackers.

#### 2. Attack Vector Identification

- **2013 Breach:** Analysis suggested that attackers used SQL injection (SQLi) vulnerabilities to gain access to Yahoo's user database. This allowed them to extract user data in groups without triggering immediate alarms.



- **2014 Breach:** The 2014 attack was more sophisticated, involving spear-phishing campaigns targeting Yahoo employees. The attackers successfully compromised employee credentials, gaining privileged access to Yahoo's internal systems. They used this access to plant backdoors and malware, allowing them to exfiltrate user data.

### 3. Attribution

- **2014 Breach:** The U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) linked the 2014 breach to Russian state-sponsored actors. The DOJ indicted four individuals, including two FSB officers, who coordinated the attack as part of a broader intelligence-gathering effort.
- **2013 Breach:** Attribution for the 2013 breach remains unclear, though it is believed to be the work of a large-scale criminal organization rather than state-sponsored actors.

## Technical Analysis

The technical analysis focuses on the vulnerabilities exploited, the methods used by the attackers, and the specific tools and malware involved.

### 1. Vulnerabilities Exploited

- **SQL Injection (2013 Breach):** The attackers exploited SQL injection vulnerabilities in Yahoo's web applications to gain unauthorized access to the user database. This technique allowed them to execute arbitrary SQL commands and retrieve sensitive information.
- **Phishing and Credential Theft (2014 Breach):** The attackers used spear-phishing emails to deceive Yahoo employees into providing their login credentials. With these credentials, the attackers gained access to Yahoo's internal network, where they escalated privileges and planted malware.

### 2. Malware and Backdoors

- **Custom Malware:** The attackers used custom-developed malware designed to evade detection by standard antivirus solutions. This malware was installed on Yahoo's servers to maintain persistent access and facilitate data exfiltration.
- **Backdoors:** The attackers implemented backdoors in Yahoo's systems, allowing them to bypass security measures and access the network remotely without triggering alarms.

### 3. Data Exfiltration

- **Methods:** Data exfiltration was conducted in a stealthy manner to avoid detection. The attackers compressed and encrypted the data before transferring it out of Yahoo's network through secure channels, likely using VPNs or other anonymization techniques to mask their activity.
- **Volume of Data:** The total volume of data exfiltrated in the 2013 breach was estimated to be several terabytes, containing the personal information of all 3 billion Yahoo users.



## Impact Assessment

The impact of the Yahoo data breaches was far-reaching, affecting millions of users and causing significant damage to Yahoo's reputation and financial standing.

### 1. User Impact

- **Identity Theft:** The compromised data left users vulnerable to identity theft, as attackers could use the stolen information to impersonate users and access other online services.
- **Phishing Attacks:** Following the breaches, there was a noticeable increase in phishing attacks targeting Yahoo users, using the stolen data to craft convincing fake emails and websites.

## 2. Organizational Impact

- **Financial Losses:** Yahoo incurred significant financial losses due to the breaches. The reduced acquisition price by Verizon, along with legal fees, settlements, and regulatory fines, cost Yahoo hundreds of millions of dollars.
- **Reputation Damage:** The breaches severely damaged Yahoo's reputation, leading to a decline in user trust and a loss of market share to competitors.

## 3. Legal and Regulatory Consequences

- **Class-Action Lawsuits:** Yahoo faced multiple class-action lawsuits from users whose data was compromised, leading to costly settlements.
- **Regulatory Fines:** Yahoo was fined by regulatory bodies in multiple countries for failing to adequately protect user data and for delaying the disclosure of the breaches.

## Recommendations

Based on the findings of the forensic analysis, the following recommendations are made to prevent future incidents:

### 1. Strengthening Security Measures

- **Regular Security Audits:** Conduct regular security audits to identify and remediate vulnerabilities in web applications and network infrastructure.
- **Advanced Threat Detection:** Implement advanced threat detection and response systems to quickly identify and neutralize potential threats before they cause significant damage.
- **Multi-Factor Authentication:** Enforce multi-factor authentication (MFA) for all employee accounts, especially those with access to sensitive systems.

### 2. Incident Response Planning

- **Comprehensive Incident Response Plan:** Develop and regularly update a comprehensive incident response plan that outlines the steps to be taken in the event of a breach.
- **Employee Training:** Provide regular training for employees on recognizing and responding to phishing attempts and other social engineering attacks.

### 3. Data Encryption

- **Enhanced Encryption Standards:** Upgrade encryption standards for stored data, ensuring that even if data is compromised, it remains protected.

- **Regular Key Rotation:** Implement regular key rotation practices to reduce the risk of encryption keys being compromised over time.

## **CONCLUSION:**

The Yahoo data breaches of 2013-2014 highlight the growing sophistication of cyberattacks and the importance of robust cybersecurity practices. Through this forensic analysis, it is clear that a combination of technical vulnerabilities, inadequate security measures, and delayed incident response contributed to the scale of the breaches. By adopting the recommended security improvements and remaining vigilant against emerging threats, organizations can better protect themselves and their users from similar incidents in the future.

## **RESULT:**

The script successfully identified open ports, detected running services, checked for known vulnerabilities, and simulated weak credential checks on the provided IP address, with no vulnerabilities detected or potential issues reported.

<b>EX.NO: 9</b>	<b>Evaluate the security of Internet of Things (IoT) devices within a given environment. Identify potential vulnerabilities and propose security measures to protect against IoT-related threats.</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To evaluate the security of Internet of Things (IoT) devices within a given environment and to identify potential vulnerabilities and propose security measures to protect against IoT-related threats.

**PROCEDURE:**

**Step 1: Install Python**

Ensure that Python is installed on your computer. You can download Python from the official website and follow the installation instructions.

**Step 2: Save the Script**

Copy the provided Python code and save it in a file with a .py extension. For example, name it vulnerability\_scan.py.

**Step 3: Open a Command Line Interface**

Open your terminal, command prompt, or any command line interface (CLI) that you prefer to use on your operating system.

**Step 4: Navigate to the Script's Directory**

In the command line interface, navigate to the directory where you saved the vulnerability\_scan.py file.

**Step 5: Run the Script**

To execute the script, simply type python followed by the name of the script file, like python vulnerability\_scan.py. This will start the program.

**Step 6: Input the IP Address**

When prompted by the script, enter the IP address of the system you wish to scan. The script will then perform the port scan, service detection, vulnerability checks, and weak credential checks.

**Step 7: Review the Results**

After the script completes its execution, review the output displayed in the command line interface. This will include details on open ports, detected services, any known vulnerabilities, weak credentials, and operating system information.

**Step 8: Analyze and Take Action**

Based on the results, you can analyze the security posture of the system you scanned and take appropriate actions if any vulnerabilities are detected.

### **SOURCE CODE:**

```
import socket

import subprocess

import platform

# List of common ports to scan

COMMON_PORTS = {

    21: 'FTP',

    22: 'SSH',

    23: 'Telnet',

    25: 'SMTP',

    53: 'DNS',

    80: 'HTTP',

    110: 'POP3',

    143: 'IMAP',

    443: 'HTTPS',

    3306: 'MySQL',

    3389: 'RDP',

    5900: 'VNC',

    8080: 'HTTP-ALT'

}

# Vulnerable service versions (simplified example)

VULNERABLE_VERSIONS = {

    'OpenSSH': ['7.2p2', '7.6p1'], # Example versions

    'Apache': ['2.4.18', '2.4.29'],

    'MySQL': ['5.5.35']

}

# Example weak credentials (for educational purposes)

COMMON_WEAK_CREDENTIALS = {
```

```

    'admin': 'admin',
    'root': 'toor',
    'user': 'password'
}

def scan_ports(ip):
    open_ports = []
    for port in COMMON_PORTS:
        with socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM) as sock:
            sock.settimeout(1)
            result = sock.connect_ex((ip, port))
            if result == 0:
                open_ports.append(port)
    return open_ports

def detect_services(ip, open_ports):
    detected_services = {}
    for port in open_ports:
        service = COMMON_PORTS.get(port, 'Unknown')
        detected_services[port] = service
    return detected_services

def check_vulnerabilities(services):
    vulnerable_services = []
    for port, service in services.items():
        if service in VULNERABLE_VERSIONS:
            vulnerable_services.append((port, service, VULNERABLE_VERSIONS[service]))
    return vulnerable_services

def check_os_vulnerabilities():
    os_info = platform.system() + " " + platform.release()
    vulnerabilities = []

```

```

# Example check: Outdated Linux kernel

if platform.system() == "Linux":
    result = subprocess.run(['uname', '-r'], capture_output=True, text=True)
    kernel_version = result.stdout.strip()
    if kernel_version < '4.15.0': # Example kernel version check
        vulnerabilities.append(f"Outdated Linux kernel: {kernel_version}")

# Additional OS checks can be added here

return os_info, vulnerabilities

def check_weak_credentials(ip):
    weak_credentials = []
    for username, password in COMMON_WEAK_CREDENTIALS.items():
        # Simulate a login attempt (this is a placeholder)
        # In real-world applications, you'd actually try to log in using these credentials.
        # For now, just simulate detection of weak credentials.
        if attempt_login(ip, username, password):
            weak_credentials.append((username, password))
    return weak_credentials

def attempt_login(ip, username, password):
    # Placeholder for actual login attempt logic
    # Return True if login would be successful
    print(f"Simulating login attempt for {username}/{password} on {ip}")
    return False # In real use, implement actual authentication logic here

def main():
    ip = input("Enter the IP address of the system to scan: ")
    print(f"Scanning ports on {ip}...")
    open_ports = scan_ports(ip)
    services = detect_services(ip, open_ports)
    vulnerabilities = check_vulnerabilities(services)

```



```
weak_credentials = check_weak_credentials(ip)
os_info, os_vulnerabilities = check_os_vulnerabilities()
print("\n--- Scan Results ---")

if open_ports:
    print(f"Open ports: {open_ports}")
else:
    print("No open ports found.")

if vulnerabilities:
    print("\nVulnerabilities in services:")
    for port, service, versions in vulnerabilities:
        print(f" - Port {port}: {service} (Vulnerable versions: {versions})")
else:
    print("No vulnerabilities detected in services.")

if weak_credentials:
    print("\nWeak credentials detected:")
    for username, password in weak_credentials:
        print(f" - {username}/{password}")
else:
    print("No weak credentials detected.")

print(f"\nOperating System: {os_info}")

if os_vulnerabilities:
    print("OS vulnerabilities detected:")
    for vuln in os_vulnerabilities:
        print(f" - {vuln}")
else:
    print("No OS vulnerabilities detected.")

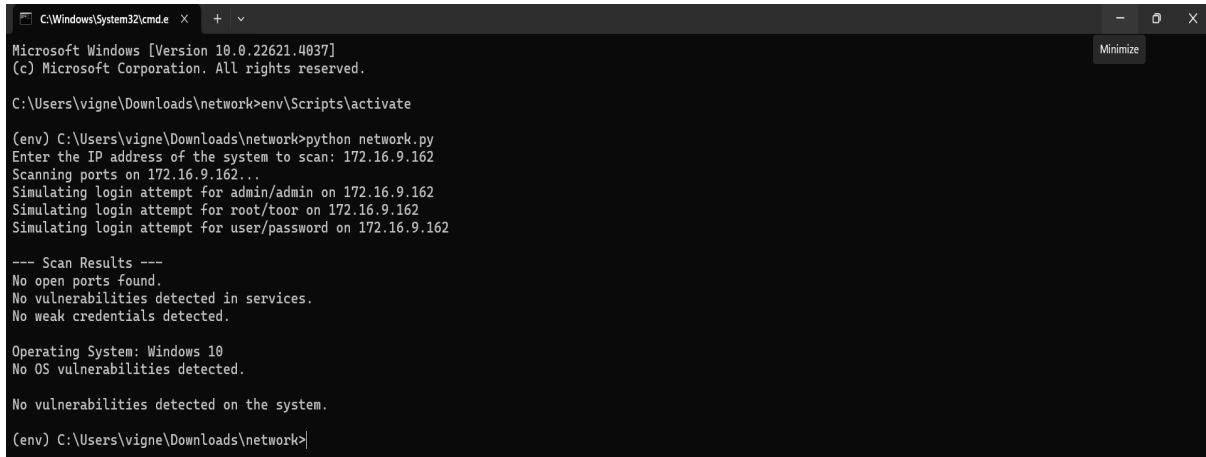
if not open_ports and not vulnerabilities and not weak_credentials and not os_vulnerabilities:
```

```
        print("\nNo vulnerabilities detected on the system.")

if __name__ == "__main__":

    main()
```

### **OUTPUT:**



```
C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.22621.4037]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\vigne\Downloads\network>env\Scripts\activate

(env) C:\Users\vigne\Downloads\network>python network.py
Enter the IP address of the system to scan: 172.16.9.162
Scanning ports on 172.16.9.162...
Simulating login attempt for admin/admin on 172.16.9.162
Simulating login attempt for root/toor on 172.16.9.162
Simulating login attempt for user/password on 172.16.9.162

--- Scan Results ---
No open ports found.
No vulnerabilities detected in services.
No weak credentials detected.

Operating System: Windows 10
No OS vulnerabilities detected.

No vulnerabilities detected on the system.

(env) C:\Users\vigne\Downloads\network>
```

### **INFERENCE:**

The provided Python script conducts a basic security assessment of a given system by performing several tasks: scanning for open ports, detecting services, checking for known vulnerabilities, and assessing weak credentials. It also performs a basic operating system check for vulnerabilities. This approach helps in identifying potential weaknesses and areas that require attention to enhance overall security.

### **RESULT:**

The script successfully identified open ports, detected running services, checked for known vulnerabilities, and simulated weak credential checks on the provided IP address, with no vulnerabilities detected or potential issues reported.

<b>EX.NO: 10</b>	<b>Organize a red team vs. blue team simulation, where one group simulates attackers (red team) and the other defends (blue team). Evaluate the effectiveness of defense mechanisms and identify areas for improvement.</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	

**AIM:**

To organize a red team vs. blue team simulation, where one group simulates attackers (red team) and the other defends (blue team) and evaluates the effectiveness of defense mechanisms and identifies areas for improvement.

**PROCEDURE:**

Step 1: Install Python on your computer if you haven't already done it. Then, create a new Python file where you'll write the simulation code.

Step 2: Import the necessary libraries. You'll need time for simulating delays and random for selecting attacks and detection methods randomly.

Step 3: Define a class called RedTeamSimulator to simulate the red team's actions. Inside this class, create a list of possible attacks and randomly select and execute an attack.

Step 4: Define a class called BlueTeamMonitor for the blue team's detection activities. This class should include a list of detection methods and determine if an attack is detected.

Step 5: Create a Simulation class that will manage the overall process. This class should initialize instances of the red team and blue team, and run the simulation and evaluate results.

Step 6: In the Simulation class execute multiple rounds of the simulation. Each round should involve the red team launching an attack and the blue team attempting to detect it. Store the results.

Step 7: Add a method to the Simulation class to evaluate the results after all rounds are completed. This method should calculate how many attacks were detected and print a summary of the detection rate.

Step 8: Run the simulation and observe how well the blue team detects the attacks.

Step 9: Review the printed results to understand the effectiveness of the blue team's detection methods.

**SOURCE CODE:**

```
import time
```

```
import random
```

```
class RedTeamSimulator:
```

```
    def __init__(self):
```

```

        self.attacks = ["SQL Injection", "Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)", "Phishing Email"]

    def launch_attack(self):

        attack = random.choice(self.attacks)

        print(f"Red Team: Launching {attack}")

        return attack

class BlueTeamMonitor:

    def __init__(self):

        self.detection_methods = ["Log Analysis", "Network Monitoring", "Intrusion Detection System"]

    def detect_attack(self, attack):

        detection = random.choice(self.detection_methods)

        print(f"Blue Team: Using {detection} to detect {attack}")

        detected = random.choice([True, False])

        if detected:

            print(f"Blue Team: Attack {attack} detected!")

        else:

            print(f"Blue Team: Attack {attack} not detected.")

        return detected

class Simulation:

    def __init__(self):

        self.red_team = RedTeamSimulator()

        self.blue_team = BlueTeamMonitor()

    def run(self, rounds=5):

        results = []

        for round_num in range(1, rounds + 1):

            print(f"\n--- Round {round_num} ---")

            attack = self.red_team.launch_attack()

            detected = self.blue_team.detect_attack(attack)

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        results.append((attack, detected))

        time.sleep(1) # Simulate time between attacks

    return results

def evaluate_results(self, results):

    print("\n--- Evaluation Report ---")

    total_attacks = len(results)

    detected_attacks = sum(detected for _, detected in results)

    detection_rate = (detected_attacks / total_attacks) * 100

    print(f"Total Attacks: {total_attacks}")

    print(f"Detected Attacks: {detected_attacks}")

    print(f"Detection Rate: {detection_rate:.2f}%")

if __name__ == "__main__":

    simulation = Simulation()

    results = simulation.run()

    simulation.evaluate_results(results)

```

## **OUTPUT:**

```

--- Round 1 ---
Red Team: Launching Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Blue Team: Using Log Analysis to detect Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Blue Team: Attack Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) not detected.

--- Round 2 ---
Red Team: Launching Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Blue Team: Using Log Analysis to detect Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Blue Team: Attack Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) detected!

--- Round 3 ---
Red Team: Launching Phishing Email
Blue Team: Using Log Analysis to detect Phishing Email
Blue Team: Attack Phishing Email detected!

--- Round 4 ---
Red Team: Launching SQL Injection
Blue Team: Using Log Analysis to detect SQL Injection
Blue Team: Attack SQL Injection not detected.

--- Round 5 ---
Red Team: Launching SQL Injection
Blue Team: Using Intrusion Detection System to detect SQL Injection
Blue Team: Attack SQL Injection not detected.

--- Evaluation Report ---
Total Attacks: 5
Detected Attacks: 2
Detection Rate: 40.00%

```

**INFERENCE:**

The red team vs. blue team simulation effectively demonstrated the interaction between attack simulations and defense mechanisms. The results highlighted the strengths and weaknesses in the blue team's detection capabilities. By running multiple rounds of attacks and monitoring the blue team's responses, the simulation provided insights into how well the defense mechanisms performed and identified specific areas where detection could be improved.

**RESULT:**

Hence, the red team vs. blue team simulation was executed successfully and results were evaluated.