

GLOSSARY

IT Security Foundations: Operating System Security

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Term	Definition
biometric security	Authentication systems based on an individual's biological measurements, such as fingerprints
Microsoft Baseline Security Analyzer	A free tool used either on a PC or server operating system that identifies all security issues and ensures current updates have been applied
NTFS	New Technology File System. A file system used in today's Windows operating systems
PTR record	A reverse lookup that maps an IP address to a name
RADIUS	Remote Authentication Dial-In User Service. Provides authentication and authorization using a client-server model
smart card	A card that contains information about the user on an embedded chip