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## DETAILED LECTURE NOTES

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### Introduction to Network security

In this modern era organization greatly rely on computer n/w's to share information throughout the organization in an efficient and productive manner.

organizational computer n/w are now becoming a large and new victim assuming that each staff member has a dedicated workstation.

A large scale company would have a few thousand workstations and many servers on the n/w.

It is likely that these workstations may not be centrally managed no

N/w security is an activity designed to protect the usability and integrity of your h/w and data.

It includes both h/w and s/w technologies. Effective n/w security manages access to the n/w. It targets a variety of threats and stops them from entering or spreading on your n/w.

- Diff. to impl<sup>n</sup> in cloud setups.

- simple way of security is assign a unique name and password. (for both personal and professional safety)

What is need of N/w security

Vulnerabilities in TCP/IP → Protocol suite which is most used protocol for comm

1) Transfers are done in plain text

2) weak authentication between client and web-server

(It uses HTTP)

3) No solution to syn-packet flooding

4) IP ~~server~~ <sup>layer</sup> susceptible to many vulnerabilities due to IP spoofing attacks

How does N/w security work?

→ Authentication - checks the rights to access data or infrastructure.

→ Authorization - Determining level of access/permission.

Types of N/w security

N/w Access

Control (NAC) - Physical - Biometric system (small organizations, unauthorized users)

Activities and Antimalware S/Ws.

Technical - (N/w transaction - malware attacks)

Firewall protection - administrative (protects user behaviors)  
- need to change in rules.

unique  
may safety



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### CIA principles

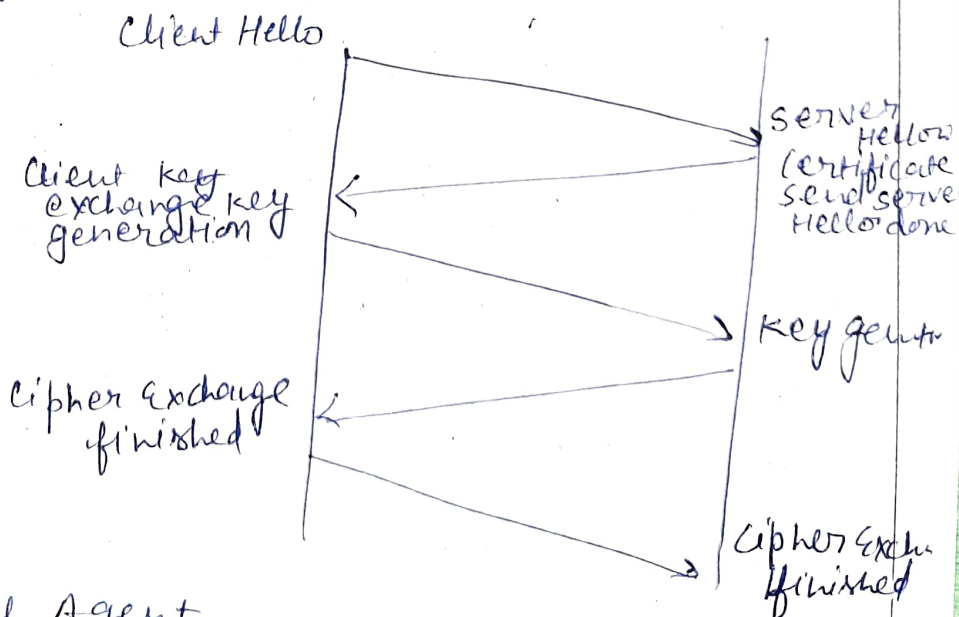
Encryption & decryption → Confidentiality  
- data is available only to the intended and authorized people.

Digital Signature - Integrity - is the maintenance and assurance of accuracy and consistency of data. The data is reliable.

Access Control → Availability - available to use.

### Transport Layer

TLS is a cryptographic protocol designed to provide comm<sup>n</sup> security over a N/W.



### Appli<sup>n</sup> Layer

Mail Agent



## N/w Layer

### IP security

IPsec is a secure n/w protocol suite that authenticates and encrypts the packets of data to provide secure encrypted comm<sup>n</sup> b/w two computers over an IP n/w.

It is used in VPNs (virtual private n/w)

- used to encrypt appl<sup>n</sup> layer data
- Router security (applied protocol)
- Authentication (clauses)
- IPsec tunneling (order to create VPNs)

### Encapsulation security payload (ESP)

- It provides data integrity, encryption, authentication and anti-replay.
- It also provides authentication for payload.

