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Unit 3: Cyber security

**Time allowed: 1 hour plus your additional
time allowance**

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INSTRUCTIONS

Use black ink.

Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If you need extra space use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.

Answer ALL the questions.

Use the Insert to answer the questions in Section A.

INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 60.

The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].

Quality of extended response will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).

ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

SECTION A

Use the case study on PEN PERIMETER in the INSERT to answer the questions in this section.

Pen Perimeter has a variety of clients from different organisations.

1 (a) Pen Perimeter has been hired by a government department to report on the security of the data it stores.

(i) Describe ONE type of state's data that needs to be PROTECTED.

[2]

(ii) Identify ONE OTHER type of state's data that needs to be PROTECTED.

[1]

(b) One of Pen Perimeter's clients is a healthcare provider.

Identify TWO reasons why an organisation, such as a healthcare provider, might be a TARGET for a cyber security threat.

Reason 1 _____

Reason 2 _____

[2]

2 Pen Perimeter carried out tests for a charity.

A Test Report was created which included recommendations for improvements for the charity's cyber security.

(a) (i) Identify THREE DIFFERENT PHYSICAL based cyber security controls that Pen Perimeter would have tested.

Control 1 _____

Control 2 _____

Control 3 _____

[3]

(ii) Identify TWO DIFFERENT SOFTWARE based cyber security controls that Pen Perimeter would have tested.

Control 1 _____

Control 2 _____

[2]

(b)* Using examples, explain how the cost of implementing the recommendations of the report could OUTWEIGH the benefits. [7]

3 Pen Perimeter has been hired by a financial business to carry out a simulated cyber security attack on their network.

(a) After containing the incident, the financial business needs to ERADICATE it.

Identify TWO ways the incident could be ERADICATED.

Way 1 _____

Way 2 _____

[2]

The financial business uses the attack to practise its production of a cyber security incident report.

(b) (i) Why is it important to understand if the TARGET of the incident was a particular department or individual?

[2]

- (ii) The incident is given a category.

Draw a line to match EACH incident category to the correct definition. [3]

Critical

Inconvenient, loss of efficiency but able to provide services.

Loss of reputation, disruption to services, financial loss.

Minor

Organisation is no longer able to provide some critical services to users, lives may be lost.

Significant

Minimal impact on systems, services and users.

(iii) Describe TWO DIFFERENT ways the capability of the attackers could be ESTABLISHED.

Way 1 _____

Way 2 _____

[4]

(c) After the incident the financial business UPDATES its documentation.

Identify TWO DIFFERENT items of documentation it would UPDATE to assist in future cyber security attacks.

Item 1 _____

Item 2 _____

[2]

SECTION B

You do NOT need the case study to answer these questions.

4 (a) (i) What does CONFIDENTIALITY of information mean?

[1]

(ii) Identify TWO measures that can be implemented to ensure the CONFIDENTIALITY of information.

Measure 1 _____

Measure 2 _____

[2]

(b) (i) What does INTEGRITY of information mean?

[1]

(ii) Identify TWO measures that can be implemented to ensure the INTEGRITY of information.

Measure 1 _____

Measure 2 _____

[2]

5 (a) Identify TWO motivations of a cyber-criminal.

Motivation 1 _____

Motivation 2 _____

[2]

(b) For each cyber security incident, identify the TYPE of ATTACKER who would most likely be involved. [3]

Cyber Security Incident	Type of Attacker
Changing grades in a school	
Employee releasing customer information to a rival firm	
Hacking a company and releasing information on salary gender imbalance	

(c) One of the targets for cyber security incidents is INFORMATION.

Explain how a hacker could use INFORMATION about an individual obtained from a cyber security incident.

[3]

6 (a) Explain how ENCRYPTION can be used to protect data.

[3]

(b) Describe characteristics of PHYSICAL cyber security controls that make them suitable for preventing cyber security incidents.

[3]

END OF QUESTION PAPER



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