

The topic for this evening  
is part two of authentication  
controls and let's start with the first question:

Password Authentication Protocol - Which  
of the following is true regarding PAP?  
Okay several responses in the chat  
and they're all looks like it looks like  
they're all for response C; it relies on  
plain text password exchange and yes as we  
discussed in the first part it absolutely does  
It was developed as a means of  
authenticating users over a Remote Link  
- possibly but not the best answer. It  
guards against replay attacks no and response  
D it is an encrypted tunnel that passes a  
password from one port to another - it is not.  
In fact it is very weak and because of its use of  
plain text. Let's go on to the next question  
proposed method a lead developer and apple  
technology has proposed an authentication  
mechanism to implement in their new smart  
watches instead of using a fingerprint scanner  
the idea of this authentication mechanism is  
for the smart watch to recognize if the user  
is allowed or not solely by their distinctive  
walking movements what type of authentication  
method is this developer proposing? Okay  
we already have lots of responses here  
and they are perceived and that's  
that is correct - gait analysis.

Somebody's gait refers to how they walk so that  
one was I think pretty easy um it is obviously not  
involved with any kind of swiping patterns  
or RFID or Biometrics although gait analysis.  
Your gait, I suppose, could be considered biometric  
but the best answer here is gait analysis.

Next question -

Security assertion markup language tokens possess  
what kind of data after being granted access?  
That's look at the responses  
and put your choice in the chat.  
Okay let's see what you're thinking.  
So we have a vote for C, B, and  
A kind of hitting all around it.

So the correct Choice here is D - responds to clean  
data security assertion markup language is an XML  
standard designed to allow systems to exchange  
authentication and authorization information  
this is often used with identity Federation and

claims-based authentication so claim data is the correct answer biometric data is incorrect pkc data this is response B public key cryptography that's a cryptographic algorithm and crypto system component implemented widely PKC facilitates confidentiality data Integrity authentication and non-repudiation it's also a digital signature algorithm component and used to authenticate a private Key verifiable by anyone with authorized public key access and of course we're talking about validating messages between origin and sender okay plain text Data no we were talking about security assertion markup language; plain text is incorrect okay let's go on to the next question.

SNMPv3 hashing algorithm - SNMPv3 authentication allows the use of which hashing algorithm below? Your choices are MD5 hashing; SHA; Options A and B incorrect; or None of the options are correct.

Options A and B being correct or dD none of the options are correct Okay so we have some responses coming in and let's see what you're thinking today's favorite Choice a vote for d a vote for a a vote for C and in fact the correct answer is Choice C options A and B are correct so md5 secure hash algorithm these are both used by SNMP version three um if you need greater security than you can use data encryption standard okay so G is incorrect and either A or B by themselves is incorrect options A and B all right let's move to the next question Which of the following is not true regarding SNMP version 3. take a moment look at the response and make your choice.

Okay so we have a single response okay there's another one let's get a few more. okay let's see what everybody's thinking we have votes perceived Choice C and Choice C SNMP version 3 is a network traffic monitoring is the correct choice this is one of those not type question which of the following is not true both A and B are true indeed okay. So what is it about Choice C that makes it the correct answer?

Okay so simple Network management protocol is a protocol used in network monitoring but this response says network traffic monitor and that tends to lead more to

um land analyzers packet sniffers okay so it's  
it's too specific and it's describing something  
that is more Associated closely associated with  
package making okay SNMP3 is a network monitor.

Okay let's move to the next question.

SSH passphrase - Once the sys admin configured  
the Linux file server to allow SSH key based authentication some users  
began complaining  
that their client machines are asking them  
for when logging in causing key based  
Authentication. What is most likely the problem?  
Okay read the responses carefully  
and then make your choice in the chat.

Okay so we've got some responses coming in. As you look at the responses  
think about  
one that you can fairly quickly eliminate.  
Okay so there must be a lot  
of thinking going on out there.  
Let's see what we have in  
the chat we have a vote for B  
Okay and not another you can eliminate deep. okay one of the responses  
that sticks out is  
is wrong in my mind is response C, the SSH  
client used the wrong SSH client options.  
So if you're using the ssh-keygen  
okay which is a command line utility  
and you look at some of the parameters  
like Dash T, their type of key to create,  
or Dash C to put a comment, this  
is kind of a silly answer okay so an option  
perhaps it can lead to  
unexpected behavior but typically  
it's not going to be a reliable  
answer certainly not a good answer  
so the correct answer here is response A - the  
SSH public slash private key pair was likely  
generated using a passphrase by the client. So if you do that you're  
going to get prompted if  
you don't if you leave it blank then you're not  
going to get prompted get prompted for a passphrase.

The SSH server's private key did not  
match the user's private key now someone said  
eliminate deep and that's also a good one to  
eliminate so I would say that's responses C and D  
were the ones that could most easily be eliminated. What's wrong with  
response D?  
Is a server going to contain the private key?

Can't mismatch so the user maintains their  
private key servers typically have the public key.

This SSH server was likely configured by the sysadmin to require passphrases and no okay all right so again public private key pair was likely generated using a passphrase. That's what we'll do it okay; let's move on to the next question. SSH public and private keys - Your organization's network administrator is configuring a Linux server's SSH Authentication to allow key-based authentication. This setup requires that the private key is blank and the public key is blank. What do you think? you just kind of touched on this in the last question. So we have some responses coming in and responses For C and one for D. The correct response is C. The private key is kept with the user and the public key is on the UNIX server and this makes sense and this is how it works okay. So private key kept with the user; public key kept with the user - No, Private key with LINUX host; Public key kept with the LINUX host - No. D - user no private key; public key kept with the LINUX host. . Check Kept with Linus Host., Public key kept wait heh photo. Choice C - So, the correct answer is Choice C - the private key is kept with the user the public key is on the server.

Let's move to the next question.

This one involves security policy. A user logs into their account from their home computer in California; one hour later a login attempt is made from their personal laptop in Virginia but it is denied an alert is sent to the system administrator and the account is disabled What security policy is most likely being utilized in this situation? Okay we have a couple of responses. Again when you're looking at this try to think about which responses can be eliminated or which don't make sense.

It's always helpful when you can narrow down your choices. So it looks like we're holding it two responses let's see where we are. Both votes for D - impossible travel time policy is the correct answer. Time of day policy restricts access to certain resources to the time of day. No, what's obviously strange about this is that there's a three hour time difference between Virginia and California so if one hour later a login attempt is made from Virginia right that doesn't make sense.

Firewall policy - that is not really a reasonable option.  
Location-based policy is a security policy that restricts access to certain

resources based on the location of the user and so as an example a company may restrict access to files or applications based on the network location of a user okay  
The main benefit of setting up location-based policies is to avoid data leakage. Once you have defined trusted Network locations no one can access resources from different say network location or device okay impossible travel time policy is the best and correct answer here.

On to the next question:

Smart card and key fob: Okay so 50/50 chance here of getting this correct. Using a smart card and key fob counts as multi-factor authentication. Is this a true statement or a false statement?  
Okay, I'm going to wait till we get enough responses in the chat and we've got a few. Okay, all right. Let's see what everyone's thinking.  
Okay so it looks like yeah everybody's thinking false. Okay, yeah, this is false.  
Smart cards and key fobs  
Will...you tell me why is it false.  
Something you have - correct they are both something you have and that does not count as multi-factor authentication. So, very good, everyone. Let's go on to the next question.

Something you do - All of the following is true regarding the authentication attribute "something you do" except which of the following?

Okay so one of these responses is not true regarding the authentication attribute "something you do."  
We've got responses coming in let's see what everyone's thinking.  
Okay, so C, B and D.  
Okay so is a user's typing speed and or a pattern of user inputs - is that something you do?  
Yes, yes. Okay.  
This method is subject to higher error rates. Is that a true statement?  
I think so.  
Okay may I ask why?  
Why do you think that?  
I don't know.  
I'm thinking practically so if I'm typing

speed and pattern is like something you do that can change.

Yes, it can, yeah because as humans we you know that can change based on emotion, based on physical, based on so many different things so yeah it can sure when you're in a hurry you know your typing speed may be faster if they're just trying to get something done and get out of it so yes the point very much is that things can change.

Response C - how one holds their smartphone

I mean that that's almost silly because there's so many different ways right okay.

Yes, human error. Too many factors absolutely.

So the best choice of all of these here is response D - this factor is practical to use as a primary way of authentication and it's not because something you do with the way we do things is subject to change for many many different reasons so it's just not reliable.

Okay, good.

Next question - type of model - The \_\_\_\_\_ model is used to allocate labels to objects

and subjects for access control clearances. Okay, take a look at these and let's see what you think.

Okay let's see what everyone's thinking.

Indeed, yep, very good. We touched on this in part one.

That this is more related to mandatory access control and again the text that she will be receiving makes a point of mentioning this so not discretionary access control. Discretionary access control uses what you might call access control Entities. The other term you're going to hear is DACL - discretionary Access Control List - and one of the more common examples of that is as a particular user and even on your own system you can right click on a resource on your computer and bring up the properties dialog on a Windows system and then you can actually see you know in the I believe it's the security tab who has access to one so system administrator your user account which may be an administrator account as well and that's a common example for discretionary access using an access control list. We've talked about role-based and attribute-based and neither of those is correct so mandatory access control is the correct response.

Okay and let's move to the next question:

Type of restriction - What type

of authentication restriction would allow an employee to log into an internet facing employee web portal from the U.S but not from Asia? Which type of authentication restriction.

We have lots of responses on this one because it's pretty obvious we're talking about geolocation restrictions.

Okay and the last question -

Type of security control - A museum already has security guards and security cameras near their exhibit and they just recently upgraded their security controls by installing light fixtures that point to the exhibit and towards the Crowd. Which type of security control is this?

Okay quite a few responses in the chat; let's see what you're thinking.

We have votes for C looks like the majority proceed which is deterrent and this is the correct choice for this question.

Detective controls are security measures implemented by an organization to detect unauthorized activity um or some type of security incident in general and send alerts to concerned individuals.

Would that also include unauthorized access?

Yes, so for example,

I mean actually there are several examples so one of those could be the activation of say a door Alarm, okay, which is physical control right because if you don't have authorization to open the door then you don't have what it takes and we're going to hear an alarm the implementation of an intrusion detection system.

Okay that one's

kind of obvious and that's a technical control.

If you're doing an an audit in internal audit and you find that a user has excessive access rights for example so there's another type which is an administrative control.

So those are detective controls compensating security controls. First of all very widely and and they vary based upon what a particular need is being met so based on the organization's needs and in particular um and one of those could be if you if there's an attack okay and let's say that you know data was destroyed do using a good back backup a good backup after an attack that deleted the data that would be an example of a compensating control and then operational security controls are primary implemented and executed by people as opposed to Systems. They're typically put in place to improve the security of a particular system

or group of systems and supplement the security of an organization in a manner which in which both physical and technical elements are utilized. Let's see, so operational security controls include for example an overarching security policy, certainly acceptable use policy or security awareness training policy and these

are examples of operational controls but in the question the correct answer is C deterrent.

All right and that finishes up authentication controls topic area.