

# EC-Council

## Exam Questions 312-85

Certified Threat Intelligence Analyst



#### NEW QUESTION 1

An analyst wants to disseminate the information effectively so that the consumers can acquire and benefit out of the intelligence. Which of the following criteria must an analyst consider in order to make the intelligence concise, to the point, accurate, and easily understandable and must consist of a right balance between tables, narrative, numbers, graphics, and multimedia?

- A. The right time
- B. The right presentation
- C. The right order
- D. The right content

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 2

John, a professional hacker, is trying to perform APT attack on the target organization network. He gains access to a single system of a target organization and tries to obtain administrative login credentials to gain further access to the systems in the network using various techniques. What phase of the advanced persistent threat lifecycle is John currently in?

- A. Initial intrusion
- B. Search and exfiltration
- C. Expansion
- D. Persistence

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 3

Lizzy, an analyst, wants to recognize the level of risks to the organization so as to plan countermeasures against cyber attacks. She used a threat modelling methodology where she performed the following stages:

Stage 1: Build asset-based threat profiles

Stage 2: Identify infrastructure vulnerabilities

Stage 3: Develop security strategy and plans

Which of the following threat modelling methodologies was used by Lizzy in the aforementioned scenario?

- A. TRIKE
- B. VAST
- C. OCTAVE
- D. DREAD

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 4

An XYZ organization hired Mr. Andrews, a threat analyst. In order to identify the threats and mitigate the effect of such threats, Mr. Andrews was asked to perform threat modeling. During the process of threat modeling, he collected important information about the threat actor and characterized the analytic behavior of the adversary that includes technological details, goals, and motives that can be useful in building a strong countermeasure.

What stage of the threat modeling is Mr. Andrews currently in?

- A. System modeling
- B. Threat determination and identification
- C. Threat profiling and attribution
- D. Threat ranking

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 5

Joe works as a threat intelligence analyst with Xsecurity Inc. He is assessing the TI program by comparing the project results with the original objectives by reviewing project charter. He is also reviewing the list of expected deliverables to ensure that each of those is delivered to an acceptable level of quality.

Identify the activity that Joe is performing to assess a TI program's success or failure.

- A. Determining the fulfillment of stakeholders
- B. Identifying areas of further improvement
- C. Determining the costs and benefits associated with the program
- D. Conducting a gap analysis

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 6

Karry, a threat analyst at an XYZ organization, is performing threat intelligence analysis. During the data collection phase, he used a data collection method that involves no participants and is purely based on analysis and observation of activities and processes going on within the local boundaries of the organization.

Identify the type data collection method used by the Karry.

- A. Active data collection
- B. Passive data collection
- C. Exploited data collection
- D. Raw data collection

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 7

SecurityTech Inc. is developing a TI plan where it can drive more advantages in less funds. In the process of selecting a TI platform, it wants to incorporate a feature that ranks elements such as intelligence sources, threat actors, attacks, and digital assets of the organization, so that it can put in more funds toward the resources which are critical for the organization's security.

Which of the following key features should SecurityTech Inc. consider in their TI plan for selecting the TI platform?

- A. Search
- B. Open
- C. Workflow
- D. Scoring

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 8

In a team of threat analysts, two individuals were competing over projecting their own hypotheses on a given malware. However, to find logical proofs to confirm their hypotheses, the threat intelligence manager used a de-biasing strategy that involves learning strategic decision making in the circumstances comprising multistep interactions with numerous representatives, either having or without any perfect relevant information.

Which of the following de-biasing strategies the threat intelligence manager used to confirm their hypotheses?

- A. Game theory
- B. Machine learning
- C. Decision theory
- D. Cognitive psychology

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 9

Mr. Bob, a threat analyst, is performing analysis of competing hypotheses (ACH). He has reached to a stage where he is required to apply his analysis skills effectively to reject as many hypotheses and select the best hypotheses from the identified bunch of hypotheses, and this is done with the help of listed evidence. Then, he prepares a matrix where all the screened hypotheses are placed on the top, and the listed evidence for the hypotheses are placed at the bottom.

What stage of ACH is Bob currently in?

- A. Diagnostics
- B. Evidence
- C. Inconsistency
- D. Refinement

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 10

Jame, a professional hacker, is trying to hack the confidential information of a target organization. He identified the vulnerabilities in the target system and created a tailored deliverable malicious payload using an exploit and a backdoor to send it to the victim.

Which of the following phases of cyber kill chain methodology is Jame executing?

- A. Reconnaissance
- B. Installation
- C. Weaponization
- D. Exploitation

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 10

Alice, an analyst, shared information with security operation managers and network operations center (NOC) staff for protecting the organizational resources against various threats. Information shared by Alice was highly technical and include threat actor TTPs, malware campaigns, tools used by threat actors, and so on.

Which of the following types of threat intelligence was shared by Alice?

- A. Strategic threat intelligence
- B. Tactical threat intelligence
- C. Technical threat intelligence
- D. Operational threat intelligence

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 15

Walter and Sons Company has faced major cyber attacks and lost confidential data. The company has decided to concentrate more on the security rather than other resources. Therefore, they hired Alice, a threat analyst, to perform data analysis. Alice was asked to perform qualitative data analysis to extract useful information from collected bulk data.

Which of the following techniques will help Alice to perform qualitative data analysis?

- A. Regression analysis, variance analysis, and so on
- B. Numerical calculations, statistical modeling, measurement, research, and so on.
- C. Brainstorming, interviewing, SWOT analysis, Delphi technique, and so on
- D. Finding links between data and discover threat-related information

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 20**

An attacker instructs bots to use camouflage mechanism to hide his phishing and malware delivery locations in the rapidly changing network of compromised bots. In this particular technique, a single domain name consists of multiple IP addresses.

Which of the following technique is used by the attacker?

- A. DNS zone transfer
- B. Dynamic DNS
- C. DNS interrogation
- D. Fast-Flux DNS

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 21**

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