



# CompTIA

## Exam Questions 220-1002

CompTIA A+ Certification Exam: Core 2

#### NEW QUESTION 1

A technician receives an invalid certificate error when visiting a website with port 443 enabled. Other computers on the same LAN do not exhibit this symptom. Which of the following needs to be adjusted on the workstation to fix the issue?

- A. Date and time
- B. UEFI boot mode
- C. Logon times
- D. User access control

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 2

A user's mobile device appears to be losing battery life rapidly and often feels warm to the touch, even when it is put away. The device is relatively new, so the user is concerned it is defective. A technician inspects the device and see the following: Which of the following should be changed to resolve this issue?

Storage Settings:	26GB Used (6GB Free) Photos 15GB Music 5GB Messages 3GB Apps 2GB
Usage Settings:	Calls 800MB Maps 3.2GB Messages 120MB News 250MB Weather 40MB
Mail Settings:	WorkPush PersonalFetch(15 minutes)
Privacy Settings:	App Store While Using Maps Always Email Never Weather Always Calendar While Using Messages While Using Photos Always
Display Settings:	Brightness Auto Auto-Lock Never Night Mode Disabled

- A. Privacy – Maps
- B. Display – Brightness
- C. Storage – Photos
- D. Mail – Work

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 3

A customer purchased a 3TB HDD to use with a Windows 7 PC and wants to have letter “J” assigned only to the drive. Which of the following types of partitioning should be performed to give the customer full use of the 3 TB drive?

- A. GPT
- B. Dynamic
- C. Basic
- D. Extended

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 4

A company has hired a new IT firm to manage its network switches and routers. The firm is geographically separated from the company and will need to be able to securely access the devices. Which of the following will provide the ability to access these devices?

- A. Telnet
- B. SSH
- C. RDP
- D. VNC

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 5

An employee contacts the help desk because the battery in a company-provided smartphone lasts only a short period of time when the worker is in the office.

Which of the following would MOST likely reduce this symptom? (Select TWO).

- A. Close applications when tasks are completed.
- B. Increase the time to dim the screen automatically.
- C. Increase the frequency for syncing corporate email.
- D. Set the smartphone display to maximum brightness.
- E. Connect to the office WiFi network automatically.
- F. Disable 802.11ac and use mobile data exclusively.

**Answer:** AE

#### NEW QUESTION 6

A company's security policy does not allow USB drives to be available in workstations. However, an exception needs to be made for a user. The network administrator changes the policy for the user. Which of the following commands should the administrator run on the user's workstation?

- A. chkdsk
- B. netstat
- C. gpupdate
- D. diskpart

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 7

A user is trying to install a very large .dmg file on a Windows computer but is receiving an error message. Which of the following is causing the error?

- A. Small hard drive
- B. Insufficient RAM
- C. OS compatibility
- D. Folder permissions

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 8

Which of the following installation methods will allow a technician to resolve issues that may arise while the installation is being performed?

- A. Unattended installation
- B. Remote installation
- C. Repair installation
- D. Image deployment installation

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 9

Which of the following must be enabled to configure 20 new machines to be booted over a network?

- A. Multi-boot
- B. Dynamic
- C. PXE
- D. GPT

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 10

A technician is disposing of computer hardware that contains PHI. The drive must be reusable. Which of the following methods should be used?

- A. Degauss
- B. Drive wipe
- C. Standard format
- D. Low-level format

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 10

A user is requesting a solution that will prevent file corruption and ensure a graceful shutdown while providing at least one hour of uptime in case of extreme weather conditions. Which of the following should a technician recommend?

- A. Uninterruptible power supply
- B. Surge protector
- C. Power strip
- D. Power distribution unit

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 13

An employee is unable to view in-office network folders while working at home. Which of the following is the MOST likely cause of the problem?

- A. Untrusted software
- B. Outdated antivirus
- C. MDM policies
- D. Inactive VPNs

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 14

Which of the following is the amount of memory a user is limited to with a 32-bit version of Windows?

- A. 2GB
- B. 4GB
- C. 8GB
- D. 16GB

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 15

A technician wants to deploy a solution to manage a computer remotely. The technician is not allowed to modify any network configuration and is not able to forward any ports on the router to internal devices. Which of the following remote access technologies would be BEST suited for this situation?

- A. Remote desktop protocol
- B. Telnet client
- C. Virtual network computer
- D. Third-party tools
- E. Secure shell

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 17

An office manager emails a technical support contractor about a new desktop for one of the workers. The office manager provides a specific configuration for the desktop. The technician notes the request will require the purchase of a new system. New system purchases are not in the scope of the support agreement. Which of the following should the technician do NEXT?

- A. Create a risk analysis report for review
- B. Submit a change order for approval
- C. Insist the worker accepts the standard desktop
- D. Document the request and place the order

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 21

Ann, an end user, is working with highly regulated data and often notices the high volume of traffic in her work area. Ann requests help with limiting the exposure of data as people walk by. Which of the following security measures should be used?

- A. Biometric device
- B. Common access card
- C. Cable lock
- D. Privacy screen
- E. Mantrap

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 24

Which of the following Windows OS technologies is used to store remote data accessed via a WAN connection on local servers for user access?

- A. BranchCache
- B. Swap partition
- C. Domain access
- D. Proxy server

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 28

Joe, a technician, receives notification that a share for production data files on the network is encrypted. Joe suspects a crypto virus is active. He checks the rights of the network share to see which departments have access. He then searches the user directories of those departmental users who are looking for encrypted files. He narrows his search to a single user's computer. Once the suspected source of the virus is discovered and removed from the network, which of the following should Joe do NEXT?

- A. Educate the end user on safe browsing and email habits.
- B. Scan and remove the malware from the infected system.
- C. Create a system restore point and reboot the system.
- D. Schedule antivirus scans and perform Windows updates.

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 32

A client wants a technician to create a PC naming convention that will make the client's PCs easier to track and identify while in use. Which of the following naming convention formats should the technician follow?

- A. Domain name, location, IP address
- B. Domain name, location, asset ID
- C. Asset ID, MAC address
- D. Location, RFID

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 36

Which of the following can be applied directly to an organizational unit In Active Directory to provide security to both the user and the machine?

- A. Folder Redirection
- B. Group Policy
- C. Security Groups
- D. Home Folder

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 38

A technician is installing Windows 7 64-bit OS on a VM but keeps getting errors. The specifications for the malware are:  
Two 1GHz CPUs 2GB of memory 15GB hard drive

800x600 screen resolution

Which of the following should the technician do to resolve the problem?

- A. Increase the number of CPUs
- B. Increase the amount of memory
- C. Increase the amount of hard drive space
- D. Increase the screen resolution

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 42

Which of the following is a reason to use WEP over WPA?

- A. Device compatibility
- B. Increased security
- C. TACACS
- D. Multifactor authentication

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 46

Which of the following steps should a technician take FIRST to prevent an electrical hazard when repairing a PC?

- A. Put on an ESD strap.
- B. Place components on an ESD mat
- C. Disconnect the power before servicing the PC
- D. Place the PC on a grounded work bench

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 47

Which of the following BEST describes the Guest account on a Windows system?

- A. This account is designed to have the ability to set permissions for other users on the syste
- B. Users of this account have the capability to perform any operation or task on the system.
- C. This account is designed to provide basic permission for completing common daily task
- D. Users of this account are restricted from performing things like installing new software.
- E. This account is designed for users who require specific administrator rights or permission
- F. Users of this account are restricted from installing software but can change time zones.
- G. This account is designed for users who require temporary access to a computer and do not need to store user-specific setting
- H. Users of this account have very limited permissions.

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 52

A user's corporate email is missing the shared inbox folders that were present before the user went on vacation. The technician verifies the user is connected to the domain and can still send and receive email. Which of the following is MOST likely causing the missing folders issue?

- A. The Internet security options have changed

- B. The operating system updates have changed
- C. The network directory permissions have changed
- D. The user account permissions have changed

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 57

Which of the following would MOST likely contain troubleshooting guides?

- A. Acceptable use policy
- B. Topology diagram
- C. Knowledge base
- D. Incident documentation

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 61

Corporate management is concerned about the security of the company's mobile phones, in the event they are lost or stolen. Management instructs the IT staff to ensure the data on the devices is not accessible by unauthorized users. Which of the following would provide the BEST level of protection in this scenario? (Choose two.)

- A. Use full device encryption
- B. Enable a pattern lock
- C. Implement remote wipe features
- D. Use device lockout policies
- E. Require complex administrator passwords
- F. Disable unknown application installations

**Answer:** AC

#### NEW QUESTION 65

Which of the following features has undergone the most significant changes from Windows 7 to Windows 10 and greatly simplified the operating system installation process?

- A. Driver detection
- B. Metro interface
- C. Account control
- D. PXE installation

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 70

Ann, a user, calls the help desk regarding an issue on her laptop. While working remotely, she appears to be connecting to WiFi but is unable to retrieve her corporate email. The wireless name is listed as "ConnectMe" and appears as unsecure. Which of the following should the help desk perform to fix the issue?

- A. Remote into Ann's system and restart the wireless adapter
- B. Ask Ann to open a browser and watch for a redirect page
- C. Advice Ann to pug an Ethernet cable into her laptop
- D. Direct Ann to run an antivirus program on her laptop

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 72

Joe, a technician, has his daily plans forwarded to him by his supervisor. Upon arrival to the external to the second support call of the day, Joe realizes the issue will require much more time than initially scheduled, and several support calls will not be completed. Which of the following would be the appropriate action for Joe?

- A. Contact his supervisor so the supervisor can make schedule changes.
- B. Move the appoints to the next business day.
- C. Reach out to a colleague to assist in completing the jobs.
- D. Continue to work on the current call, and get to the others as soon as possible.

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 73

A wireless access point is going to be configured in a small office located in a crowded building. Which of the following should the installation technician perform to increase the security of the wireless network? (Select two.)

- A. Reduce the transmit power
- B. Reduce the channel availably
- C. Disable the DHCP server
- D. Enable QoS management
- E. Disable the SSID broadcast
- F. Implement WPA encryption

**Answer:** AE



#### NEW QUESTION 74

A technician is investigating an application that has crashed on a workstation. The application is displaying a generic error. Which of the following tools should the technician use?

- A. Performance Monitor
- B. Component Services
- C. Task Manager
- D. Event Viewer

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 79

Which of the following types of scripts would be seen on the user end of a web page?

- A. .bat
- B. .js
- C. .sh
- D. .vbs

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 83

A Linux user report that an application will not open and gives the error only one instance of the application may run at one time. A root administrator logs on ot the device and opens terminal. Which of the following pairs of tools will be needed to ensure no other instance of the software are correctly running?

- A. Pad and chmod
- B. Node and vi
- C. Is an chown
- D. Ps and kill
- E. Op and rm

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 85

A user reports malware activity on an isolated workstation used for testing It is running an end-of-life OS. and a USB drive is the only method used to transfer files After removing the malware and replacing the USB drive with a brand new one. the technician gives the approval to use the equipment. The next day the user reports the same malware activity is present after powering on the system Which of the following did the technician forget to do to prevent reinfection?

- A. Connect to the network and update the OS with the latest security patches
- B. Scan and dean the USB device used to transfer data from the equipment
- C. Disable System Restore and remove all restore points from the system
- D. Update the local antivirus and set it to scan automatically every evening

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 87

Which of the following is considered government-regulated data?

- A. PII
- B. End-user license agreement
- C. Digital Millennium Copyright Act
- D. DRM

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 88

A technician is troubleshooting a printer issue on a Windows computer and wants to disable the printer to test a theory. Which of the following should the technician use to accomplish this?

- A. Devices and Printers
- B. Sync Center
- C. Device Manger
- D. Power Options

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 93

A security administrator does some network testing and identifies significant issues with security on desktop computers. As part of remediation, the network administrator is developing documentation based on best practices for applying updates to end users' computers. The network administrator must create the process documentation needed to submit back to the security administrator for approval. Which of the following process documents would the network administrator MOST likely create? (Choose two.)

- A. Risk analysis
- B. End-user acceptance
- C. Backout plan
- D. Plan for change
- E. Business processes

F. Request for proposal

**Answer:** CD

#### NEW QUESTION 94

A technician is setting up a kiosk. The technician needs to ensure the kiosk is secure and users will have access to only the application needed for customer interaction. The technician must also ensure that whenever the computer is rebooted or powered on it logs on automatically without a password. Which of the following account types would the technician MOST likely set up on this kiosk machine?

- A. Guest
- B. Administrator
- C. Power User
- D. Remote Desktop User

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 98

In which of the following file extension types would a user expect to see the command. "net use T:\ \\server\files'?

- A. .bat
- B. .vbs
- C. .js
- D. .py

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 100

After a virus has been spread unknowingly via USB removable hard drives, a technician is tasked with limiting removable hard drive access to certain network users. USB ports are used for many devices, including scanners, printers, and signature pads, so a policy is created to deny access to removable hard drives only. When testing the policy, a removable drive is plugged in but can still be accessed. Which of the following command-line tools should the technician use to apply the new policy?

- A. grupdate
- B. diskpart
- C. gpresult
- D. net use

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 104

Which of the following is the memory limitation of a 32-bit OS?

- A. 16MB
- B. 2048MB
- C. 4GB
- D. 1024GB
- E. 2TB
- F. 8TB

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 105

A network administrator needs to be able to securely connect to a local router from within the office. Which of the following protocols should the administrator ensure is enabled on the router?

- A. RDP
- B. SSH
- C. TFTP
- D. HTTP

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 106

A company brings in contractors several times a year to perform inventory, and the contractors use company supplied laptops. The company's security policy states that once the inventory is completed, the contractors should not be able to log in to the laptops until the next inventory. Which of the following BEST enforces this policy?

- A. Delete the user accounts
- B. Disable the user accounts
- C. Restrict the user accounts
- D. Reset the user accounts

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 108



Which of the following would a technician use to store memory chips from a laptop safely after an upgrade?

- A. Mylar bags
- B. Cardboard boxes
- C. Antistatic containers
- D. Paper envelopes

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 112

A small business has an open WiFi network for employees but does not want customers to connect to the access point. A technician has been dispatched to address the business's concerns. Which of the following configuration settings should the technician change to satisfy the requirements of the business? (Select two.)

- A. Default SSID
- B. MAC filtering
- C. NAT
- D. QoS
- E. Signal strength
- F. Encryption

**Answer:** BE

#### NEW QUESTION 115

A technician has installed a second monitor for a customer, but the desktop font sizes do not match. Which of the following display settings should be technician adjust to correct this issue?

- A. Resolution
- B. Refresh rate
- C. Extended monitor
- D. Color depth

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 120

Which of the following devices provides protection against brownouts?

- A. battery backup
- B. surge suppressor
- C. rack grounding
- D. line conditioner

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 121

Which of the following Windows Enterprise OS version Offers BitLocker as a feature that can be enabled?

- A. Windows 7
- B. Windows 8
- C. Windows 8.1
- D. Windows 10

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 123

A technician logs on to a Linux computer and runs the following command: `ps -aux | grep vi`  
Which of the following MOST accurately describes the effect of the command?

- A. It kills any running programs starting with the letters vi.
- B. It opens a list of directories that start with the letters vi.
- C. It creates a new file named grep in the current working directory.
- D. It finds a list of processes running a text editor.

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 125

Which of the following BEST describes the purpose of an ESD mat?

- A. Protects against accidental static discharge
- B. Protects against dust/dirt contamination
- C. Protects against accidental scratches
- D. Protects against accidental water damage

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 128

A technician is troubleshooting a print issue on a Windows computer and want to disable the printer to test a theory, Which of the following should the technician use to accomplish this?

- A. Devices and Printer
- B. Sync Center
- C. Device Manager
- D. Power Option

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 130

Joe, a customer, has informed a Tier 2 help desk technician that a computer will not boot up. After about ten minutes of troubleshooting, Joe is increasingly concerned and claims that the technician is wasting his time because he has already tried everything that has been suggested. Which of the following should the technician do?

- A. Since Joe is concerned about time, suggest calling back later when Joe has more time to troubleshoot
- B. Record the call and send it to the local intranet for future technicians to learn how to deal with calls like this one
- C. Ask more open-ended questions to see if the issue can be narrowed down in order to properly identify the issue and save time
- D. Inform the customer that there is a troubleshooting script that must be followed to get the issue resolved

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 134

A technician needs to connect to a network switch in a remote location. The technician wants to make sure the data passed over the wire is encrypted so it cannot be read by someone using a sniffer. Which of the following connection protocols should the technician use?

- A. Telnet
- B. SSH
- C. SMB
- D. HTTP
- E. SFTP

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 137

A technician has been asked to recommend antivirus software for a home PC, but the user does not want to pay for a license. Which of the following license type should the technician recommend?

- A. Open license
- B. Personal license
- C. Corporate license
- D. Enterprise license

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 138

A junior Linux system administrator needs to update system software. Which of the following shell commands would allow the administrator to gain the necessary permissions to update the software?

- A. sudo
- B. chmod
- C. grep
- D. pwd

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 143

After a security audit, a technician is tasked with implementing new measures to help secure company workstations. The new policy states that all workstations must be signed off at night, a password is necessary to boot the computer, and encryption must be enabled. Which of the following features should the technician implement to BEST meet these requirements? (Choose three.)

- A. Screen locks
- B. Screensaver passwords
- C. UEFI passwords
- D. Login time restrictions
- E. Strong passwords
- F. Multifactor authentication
- G. BitLocker
- H. Credential Manager
- I. Smart card
- J. Biometric authentication

**Answer:** ABG

#### NEW QUESTION 144

A technician must remove data from the human resources computers. The technician plans to reuse the drives in the computers. Which of the following data destruction methods should the technician perform to ensure the data is removed completely?

- A. Degaussing
- B. Standard format
- C. Overwrite
- D. Low-level format

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 148

Joe, a systems administrator, is setting up a risk management plan for the IT department. Part of the plan is to take daily backups of all servers. The server backups will be saved locally to NAS.

Which of the following can Joe do to ensure the backups will work if needed?

- A. Frequently restore the servers from backup files and test them
- B. Configure the backups to restore to virtual machines for quick recovery
- C. Set up scripts that automatically rerun failed backup jobs
- D. Set up alerts to let administrators know when backups fail
- E. Store copies of the backups off-side in a secure datacenter

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 150

A network administrator wants to plan a major OS upgrade of the router, which acts as a default gateway in an organization. The administrator has documented the purpose of the change, scoped the change, and completed a comprehensive risk analysis. Which of the following is an important part of the change request process for which the administrator still must plan?

- A. Inform management regarding the anticipated amount of downtime
- B. Document a backout plan to roll back changes to the router
- C. Configure a redundant data path to eliminate downtime
- D. Make the downtime window larger than actually anticipated

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 151

A user has reported that a computer is running extremely slow when opening applications. A technician checks the computer and needs to verify memory utilization. Which of the following tools should the technician use to begin troubleshooting the issue?

- A. Task Scheduler
- B. Device Manager
- C. Drive Status
- D. Performance

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 152

A network administrator notifies a technician that the company is experiencing a DDoS attack. Several internal Windows PCs are the source of the traffic. The network administrator gives the technician the Windows computer names and states they be scanned and cleaned immediately. With which of the following types of infections are the PCs MOST likely infected? (Select two.)

- A. Spyware
- B. Zombies
- C. Virus
- D. Ransomware
- E. Worm
- F. Botnet

**Answer:** BE

#### NEW QUESTION 157

A user contacts a technician to troubleshoot server errors. The user explains that some files will not open on the server, the data backups are operational, and the weather has been bad. The technician notices missing time slots in the event log.

Which of the following should the technician replace to prevent these issues in the future?

- A. System memory
- B. Surge protector
- C. Hard drives
- D. Battery backup

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 162

An end user's PC is taking a long time to boot. Which of the following operations would be the BEST to resolve this issue with minimal expense? (Select two.)

- A. Remove applications from startup
- B. Defragment the hard drive
- C. Install additional RAM
- D. Install a faster hard drive
- E. End the processes in Task Manager

F. Run the Disk Cleanup utility

**Answer:** AB

#### NEW QUESTION 164

A user's smartphone is making the camera shutter noise even when the user is not taking pictures. When the user opens the photo album, there are no new pictures. Which of the following steps should be taken FIRST to determine the cause of the issue?

- A. Uninstall the camera application
- B. Check the application permissions
- C. Reset the phone to factory settings
- D. Update all of the applications on the phone
- E. Run any pending OS updates

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 166

Ann, an employee at a company, calls the help desk to report issues logging on to a vendor's website. Joe, the technician, is able to log in successfully with his credentials before going to Ann's office. However, when he attempts to log in from Ann's office, Joe experiences the same issue. Ann asks Joe questions about the new software installed on the laptop from the pop-up notification.

Which of the following are the NEXT steps Joe should take to resolve the issue? (Select two.)

- A. Ask Ann for her credentials to verify and log on to the vendor's website from Ann's laptop
- B. Verify Ann's laptop has the correct browser settings
- C. Check all browser cached files on Ann's laptop and log on to another vendor's website
- D. Attempt to log on to another vendor's website from Ann's laptop
- E. Ask Ann about the notification and review the installed programs
- F. Reinstall the browser, reboot the laptop, and check the vendor's website again

**Answer:** CE

#### NEW QUESTION 170

A technician is PXE booting a computer. Which of the following is the technician MOST likely performing on the computer?

- A. Image deployment
- B. Multiboot configuration
- C. In-place upgrade
- D. System repair

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 172

A customer's computer is having difficulty opening programs and regularly receives error messages regarding low system resources. Which of the following performance settings changes would BEST help customer temporarily until upgrade can be made?

- A. Data execution prevention
- B. Page-file size
- C. Visual effects
- D. Processor scheduling

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 177

Which of the following is the MOST secure wireless security protocol?

- A. AES
- B. WPA
- C. WPA2
- D. WEP

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 178

Following an incident, an administrator is gathering forensic evidence from a server for a human resources investigation. Which of the following best practices is MOST important to document throughout the process to maintain integrity of the findings?

- A. Acceptable use policy violations
- B. Server configuration
- C. Chain of custody
- D. Data loss incidents

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 181

A user's computer reports it has many virus infections and directs the user to call a phone number for assistance. A technician removes the hard drive and virus

scans the drive with another computer. The scan does not identify any viruses Which of the following is MOST likely the problem?

- A. Rootkit
- B. Zero-day malware
- C. Rogue antivirus
- D. Old virus definitions

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 183

A technician is running updates on a Windows PC. Some of the updates install properly, while others appear as failed. While troubleshooting, the technician restarts the PC and attempts to install the failed updates again. The updates continue to fail. Which of the following is the FIRST option to check?

- A. Visit the Microsoft Update website to see if there is an issue with a specific update
- B. Look up the error number associated with the failed update
- C. Look at the system Event Viewer to find more information on the failure
- D. Download the failed update to install manually

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 185

A Windows user is attempting to install a local printer and is unsuccessful on permissions. Which of the following user types BEST describes this user?

- A. Guest
- B. Power User
- C. Administrator
- D. Standard User

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 186

A user's computer is running slow even when only one program is open. A technician discovers the CPU is running at 100%, and there is a significant amount of outgoing network traffic. Which of the following is MOST likely causing the high resource usage?

- A. A keylogger is running
- B. The computer is part of a botnet.
- C. The computer is receiving a DDOS attack
- D. A software is blocking traffic

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 190

A technician has set up a new computer for a customer and needs to add a login with administrative privileges. Which of the following tools should the technician use?

- A. Component Services
- B. System Configuration
- C. Security Policy
- D. Local Users and Groups

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 195

Which of the following installation types would require the use of an answer file to install the OS?

- A. Unattended
- B. Clean
- C. Repair
- D. Upgrade

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 200

Ann, an external user, has received several calls from a company asking why she has been sending the company communications with internal users' names in the "from" field. Ann calls a technician and explains she has not been sending any communications and would like this issue fixed The technician investigates and determines the PC is not infected with any viruses or malware. Which of the following should the technician check NEXT?

- A. Hijacked email
- B. DNS entries
- C. Hosts file
- D. POP3 errors

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 203

Joe, a customer, calls a technician to report a remote computer is demonstrating erratic behavior while he is working on it. The technician verifies the files and directories. Joe is working on locally cannot be opened in any application, and the computer is running extremely slow. Which of the following is the MOST likely cause of this issue?

- A. Files disappearing
- B. File permission changes
- C. Application crash
- D. Too many startup items

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 207

A corporate network was recently infected by a malicious application on a flash drive that downloaded sensitive company files and injected a virus, which spread onto the network Which of the following best practices could have prevented the attack?

- A. Implementing strong passwords
- B. Changing default credentials
- C. Disabling AutoRun
- D. Removing Guest account
- E. Encrypting data

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 212

Ann, an end user, is utilizing a styles on her table. The recognition point is off when she uses the stylus, but it registers In the correct spool when she her finger. Which of the following would be the BEST resolution to issue?

- A. Restart the table
- B. Disable and then renewable Bluetooth
- C. Calibrate the touchscreen sensor
- D. Disconnect and then reconnect the stylus

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 213

A technician is setting up a SOHO wireless network for a healthcare office that does not have a server. The user requires the highest level of wireless security and various levels of desktop authentication to access cloud resources.

Which of the following protocols and authentication methods should the technician implement? (Select two.)

- A. WPA
- B. WPA2
- C. WEP
- D. TKIP
- E. RADIUS
- F. Multifactor
- G. TACACS
- H. SSO

**Answer:** BF

#### NEW QUESTION 218

Which of the following technologies is used by malicious employees to obtain user passwords?

- A. Main-in-the-middle
- B. Phishing
- C. Tailgating
- D. Shoulder surfing

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 221

A user reports that a cell phone application is loading slowly and not functioning properly Which of the following should a technician do FIRST to remedy this issue?

- A. Remove and reinstall the application.
- B. Hard reset the cell phone.
- C. Reconnect the wireless network connection
- D. Close all running applications

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 224

A technician needs to edit a protected .dll file but cannot find the file in the System32 directory. Which of the following Control Panel utilities should the technician use?

- A. System
- B. Display



- C. Folder Options
- D. Indexing Options

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 229**

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