

**ADVANCED CERTIFICATE IN INFORMATION
SECURITY (ACISE)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2014

OSEI-041 : INFORMATION SECURITY

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Note : *Section A : Answer **all** the objective type questions.*

*Section B : Answer **all** the very short answer type questions.*

*Section C : Answer any **two** questions out of three.*

*Section D : Answer any **two** questions out of three.*

SECTION A

(Objective type questions)

Attempt *all* the questions.

10×1=10

1. What occurs when an organization uses software, that filters content to prevent the transmission of unauthorized information ? 1

- (a) Biometrics
- (b) Encryption
- (c) Firewalls
- (d) Content filtering

2. A _____ is anything that can cause harm. 1
- (a) Vulnerability
 - (b) Phish
 - (c) Threat
 - (d) Spoof
3. What floods a web-site with so many requests for service that it slows down or crashes the site? 1
- (a) Denial of service attack
 - (b) Spoofing
 - (c) Sniffer
 - (d) None of the above
4. Before discarding a financial document, you should 1
- (a) copy it
 - (b) shred it
 - (c) file it
 - (d) post it
5. Hackers often gain entry to a network by pretending to be at a legitimate computer. This is termed as 1
- (a) Spoofing
 - (b) Forging
 - (c) IP Spoofing
 - (d) ID theft

6. A hacker contacts you by phone or e-mail and attempts to acquire your password. This is termed as

- (a) Phishing
- (b) Spoofing
- (c) Spamming
- (d) Bugging

7. To create a copy of files in the event of system failure, you create a

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- (a) restore file
- (b) backup
- (c) firewall
- (d) redundancy

8. A _____'s main purpose is to prohibit unauthorized access to your computer via the Internet.

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- (a) Popup blocker
- (b) Spyware blocker
- (c) Spam assassin
- (d) Firewall

9. People who are involved in doing cyber crimes are known as 1
- (a) Designers
 - (b) Administrators
 - (c) Crackers
 - (d) Developers
10. The phrase _____ describes viruses, worms, Trojan horse, attack applets and attack scripts. 1
- (a) malware
 - (b) spam
 - (c) phish
 - (d) virus

SECTION B

(Very short answer type questions)

11. Write short notes on the following : *5×2=10*

- (a) Antivirus software
- (b) Wireless network security
- (c) Spyware
- (d) White box testing
- (e) Firewall

SECTION C

(Short answer type questions)

Attempt any 2 out of 3 short answer type questions.

2×5=10

12. Describe the functions of SMTP. 5
13. What are the advantages of using information security to provide web security? 5
14. List the characteristics of a good firewall implementation. 5

SECTION D
(Long answer type questions)

Attempt any 2 out of 3 long answer type questions.

2×10=20

15. Every enterprise must adopt a uniform security policy to ensure network security. Explain in detail. 10
 16. Explain the various ways and protocols that can be used to transmit information from one computer to another. 10
 17. E-mails are great sources of virus. Do you agree ? Explain in detail. 10
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