

# Exam Questions PT0-001

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### NEW QUESTION 1

A security consultant is trying to attack a device with a previous identified user account.

```

Module options (exploit/windows/smb/psexec):

Name                               Current Setting                               Required
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RHOST                               192.168.1.10
RPORT                               445
SERVICE_DESCRIPTION               yes
SERVICE_DISPLAY_NAME              no
SERVICE_NAME                       no
SHARE                              no
SMBDOMAIN                          ADMIN$
SMBPASS                            ECorp
SMBPASS                            aad3b435b51404eeaad3b435b5140ee:ghb5n356b58700ggppd6m2433p no
SMBUSER                            Administrator
SMBUSER                            no

```

Which of the following types of attacks is being executed?

- A. Credential dump attack
- B. DLL injection attack
- C. Reverse shell attack
- D. Pass the hash attack

**Answer: D**

## NEW QUESTION 2

A client is asking a penetration tester to evaluate a new web application for availability. Which of the following types of attacks should the tester use?

- A. TCP SYN flood
- B. SQL injection
- C. xss
- D. XMAS scan

**Answer: A**

### NEW QUESTION 3

During a penetration test, a tester runs a phishing campaign and receives a shell from an internal PC running Windows 10 OS. The tester wants to perform credential harvesting with Mimikatz. Which of the following registry changes would allow for credential caching in memory?

A)

```
reg add HKLM\System\ControlSet002\Control\SecurityProviders\WDigest /v UseLogonCredential /t  
REG_DWORD /d 0
```

B)

```
reg add HKCU\System\CurrentControlSet\Control\SecurityProviders\WDigest /v UseLogonCredential /t  
REG_DWORD /d 1
```

```
reg add HKLM\Software\CurrentControlSet\Control\SecurityProviders\WDigest /v UseLegacyCredential /t REG_DWORD /d 1
```

D)

```
reg add HKLM\System\CurrentControlSet\Control\SecurityProviders\WDigest /v UseLogonCredential /t  
REG_DWORD /d 1
```

- A. Option A  
B. Option B  
C. Option C  
D. Option D

**Answer: D**

## NEW QUESTION 4

In which of the following components is an exploited vulnerability MOST likely to affect multiple running application containers at once?

- A. Common libraries
- B. Configuration files
- C. Sandbox escape
- D. ASLR bypass

**Answer: D**

## NEW QUESTION 5

If a security consultant comes across a password hash that resembles the following b117 525b3454 7Oc29ca3dBaeOb556ba8

Which of the following formats is the correct hash type?

- A. Kerberos  
B. NetNTLMv1

- C. NTLM
- D. SHA-1

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 6

A penetration tester was able to retrieve the initial VPN user domain credentials by phishing a member of the IT department. Afterward, the penetration tester obtained hashes over the VPN and easily cracked them using a dictionary attack Which of the following remediation steps should be recommended? (Select THREE)

- A. Mandate all employees take security awareness training
- B. Implement two-factor authentication for remote access
- C. Install an intrusion prevention system
- D. Increase password complexity requirements
- E. Install a security information event monitoring solution.
- F. Prevent members of the IT department from interactively logging in as administrators
- G. Upgrade the cipher suite used for the VPN solution

**Answer:** BDG

#### NEW QUESTION 7

An assessor begins an internal security test of the Windows domain internal.comptia.net. The assessor is given network access via DHCP, but is not given any network maps or target IP addresses. Which of the following commands can the assessor use to find any likely Windows domain controllers?

A)

```
dig -q any _kerberos._tcp.internal.comptia.net
```

B)

```
dig -q any _lanman._tcp.internal.comptia.net
```

C)

```
dig -q any _ntlm._tcp.internal.comptia.net
```

D)

```
dig -q any _smtp._tcp.internal.comptia.net
```

- A. Option A
- B. Option B
- C. Option C
- D. Option D

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 8

While prioritizing findings and recommendations for an executive summary, which of the following considerations would be MOST valuable to the client?

- A. Levels of difficulty to exploit identified vulnerabilities
- B. Time taken to accomplish each step
- C. Risk tolerance of the organization
- D. Availability of patches and remediations

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 9

A penetration tester notices that the X-Frame-Options header on a web application is not set. Which of the following would a malicious actor do to exploit this configuration setting?

- A. Use path modification to escape the application's framework.
- B. Create a frame that overlays the application.
- C. Inject a malicious iframe containing JavaScript.
- D. Pass an iframe attribute that is malicious

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 10

Given the following Python script:

```
import socket
s=socket.socket()
s.connect(("192.168.1.1",22))
s.send("str")
b=s.recv(1024)
print b
```

Which of the following actions will it perform?

- A. ARP spoofing
- B. Port scanner
- C. Reverse shell
- D. Banner grabbing

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 10

A penetration tester runs the following from a compromised box 'python -c -import pty;Pty.sPawn( "/bin/bash").' Which of the following actions is the tester taking?

- A. Removing the Bash history
- B. Upgrading the shell
- C. Creating a sandbox
- D. Capturing credentials

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 12

Given the following script:

```
import pyHook, pythoncom, logging, sys
f="f.txt"
def OnKeyboardEvent(event):
    logging.basicConfig(filename=f,level=logging.DEBUG,format='% (messages) ')
    chr(event.Ascii)
    logging.log(10,chr(event.Ascii))
    return True

hm = pyHook.HookManager()
hm.KeyDown=OnKeyboardEvent
hm.HookKeyboard()
pythoncom.PumpMessages()
```

Which of the following BEST describes the purpose of this script?

- A. Log collection
- B. Event logging
- C. Keystroke monitoring
- D. Debug message collection

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 14

Which of the following has a direct and significant impact on the budget of the security assessment?

- A. Scoping
- B. Scheduling
- C. Compliance requirement
- D. Target risk

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 15

During an internal network penetration test, a tester recovers the NTLM password hash for a user known to have full administrator privileges on a number of target systems. Efforts to crack the hash and recover the plaintext password have been unsuccessful. Which of the following would be the BEST target for continued exploitation efforts?

- A. Operating system Windows 7 Open ports: 23, 161
- B. Operating system Windows Server 2016 Open ports: 53, 5900
- C. Operating system Windows 8 Open ports 445, 3389
- D. Operating system Windows 8 Open ports 514, 3389

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 18

A client requests that a penetration tester emulate a help desk technician who was recently laid off. Which of the following BEST describes the abilities of the threat actor?

- A. Advanced persistent threat
- B. Script kiddie
- C. Hacktivist
- D. Organized crime

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 22

Joe, a penetration tester, is asked to assess a company's physical security by gaining access to its corporate office. Joe is looking for a method that will enable him to enter the building during business hours or when there are no employees on-site. Which of the following would be MOST effective in accomplishing this?

- A. Badge cloning
- B. Lock picking
- C. Tailgating
- D. Piggybacking

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 23

Which of the following CPU registers does the penetration tester need to overwrite in order to exploit a simple buffer overflow?

- A. Stack pointer register
- B. Index pointer register
- C. Stack base pointer
- D. Destination index register

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 27

A penetration test was performed by an on-staff technician's junior technician. During the test, the technician discovered the application could disclose an SQL table with user account and password information. Which of the following is the MOST effective way to notify management of this finding and its importance?

- A. Document the findings with an executive summary, recommendations, and screenshots of the web application disclosure.
- B. Connect to the SQL server using this information and change the password to one or two noncritical accounts to demonstrate a proof-of-concept to management.
- C. Notify the development team of the discovery and suggest that input validation be implemented on the web application's SQL query strings.
- D. Request that management create an RFP to begin a formal engagement with a professional penetration testing company.

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 32

A penetration tester has been asked to conduct OS fingerprinting with Nmap using a company-provided text file that contains a list of IP addresses. Which of the following are needed to conduct this scan? (Select TWO).

- A. -O
- B. -iL
- C. -sV
- D. -sS
- E. -oN
- F. -oX

**Answer:** EF

#### NEW QUESTION 36

Which of the following commands would allow a penetration tester to access a private network from the Internet in Metasploit?

- A. set rhost 192.168.1.10
- B. run autoroute -a 192.168.1.0/24
- C. db\_nmap -iL /tmp/privatehosts.txt
- D. use auxiliary/servlet/aocka^a

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 40

A tester has captured a NetNTLMv2 hash using Responder. Which of the following commands will allow the tester to crack the hash using a mask attack?

- A. hashcat -m 5600 -r rulea/beat64.rule hash.txt wordlist.txt
- B. hashcat -m 5600 hash.txt
- C. hashcat -m 5600 -a 3 hash.txt ?a?a?a?a?a?a
- D. hashcat -m 5600 -o result.txt hash.txt wordlist.txt

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 43

A penetration tester successfully exploits a Windows host and dumps the hashes. Which of the following hashes can the penetration tester use to perform a pass-



A)

B)

C)

D)

**Answer: D**

**Answer: C**

**Answer: A**

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