

Review Questions

- 1.1 What is the OSI security architecture?
- 1.2 What is the difference between passive and active security threats?
- 1.3 List and briefly define categories of passive and active security attacks.
- 1.4 List and briefly define categories of security services.
- 1.5 List and briefly define categories of security mechanisms.
- 1.6 List and briefly define the fundamental security design principles.
- 1.7 Explain the difference between an attack surface and an attack tree.

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- 2.1 What are the essential ingredients of a symmetric cipher?
- 2.2 What are the two basic functions used in encryption algorithms?
- 2.3 How many keys are required for two people to communicate via a symmetric cipher?
- 2.4 What is the difference between a block cipher and a stream cipher?
- 2.5 What are the two general approaches to attacking a cipher?
- 2.6 Why do some block cipher modes of operation only use encryption while others use both encryption and decryption?
- 2.7 What is triple encryption?
- 2.8 Why is the middle portion of 3DES a decryption rather than an encryption?

(ECC)
MAC

private
public key

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- 3.1 List three approaches to message authentication.
- 3.2 What is a message authentication code?

- 3.3 Briefly describe the three schemes illustrated in Figure 3.2.
- 3.4 What properties must a hash function have to be useful for message authentication?
- 3.5 In the context of a hash function, what is a compression function?
- 3.6 What are the principal ingredients of a public-key cryptosystem?
- 3.7 List and briefly define three uses of a public-key cryptosystem.
- 3.8 What is the difference between a private key and a secret key?
- 3.9 What is a digital signature?

Problems

- 3.1 Consider a 32-bit hash function defined as the concatenation of two 16-bit functions, XOR, which are defined in Section 3.2 as “two simple hash functions. caused by an odd number of error b