CS 3710: ICS Exam 1, fall 2019

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> *In theory, there is no difference between theory and practice. But, in practice, there is.*

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Page 2: Intro and Policy

1. [3 points] What is a zombie? When and/or how would it be used?

2. [3 points] As per the security mindset, *briefly* name 4 things you would be looking at if you went into a grocery store.

3. [3 points] *Briefly* describe the biggest problem with U.S. cybersecurity policy today.

4. [3 points] Briefly, how would have SOPA and PIPA broken DNS?

Page 3: RSA

5. [3 points] List the RSA encryption and decryption formulas.

6. [3 points] Briefly, give the two reasons why RSA is considered secure.

7. [3 points] *Briefly,* why do you pad a RSA message to the length of the block size? And what do you pad with?

8. [3 points] *Briefly* describe the steps for one to check the signature of a RSA signed message.

Page 4: Encryption

9. [3 points] Decode this Caesar cipher (with the standard shift): brx duh ehlqj zdwfkhg

10. [3 points] *Briefly,* once a https session is fully established, why is AES used instead of RSA for the encryption?

11. [3 points] Briefly, what does cryptographically secure pseudo-random number generator mean?

12. [3 points] Briefly, what does collision resistant hash mean?

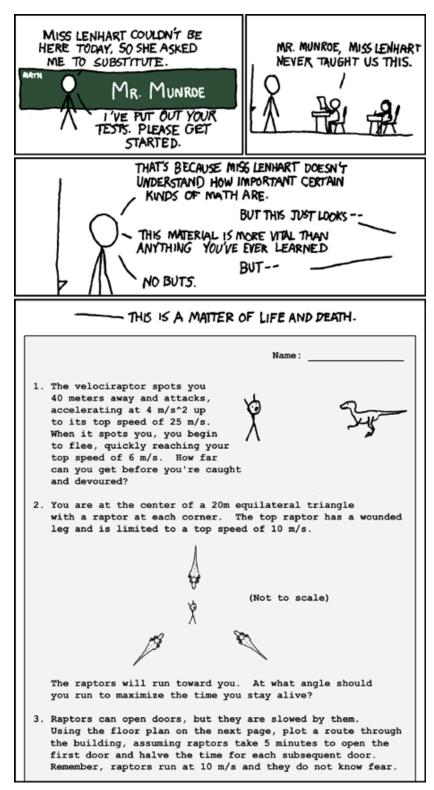
Page 5: Miscellaneous

13. [4 points] Of the four ethical frameworks, which do you find the most useful? *Briefly*, why is that one more useful than the others?

14. [4 points] Given the values a = 5, c = 7, m = 10, and initial seed of 1, what is the random sequence generated via the linear congruential generator (LCG) method? Is this a good sequence? *Briefly*, why or why not?

15. [4 points] List and *briefly* describe the layers in the TCP/IP networking model (NOT the ISO model!).

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