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## Exam Questions CCSK

Certificate of Cloud Security Knowledge



#### NEW QUESTION 1

What is known as the interface used to connect with the metastructure and configure the cloud environment?

- A. Administrative access
- B. Management plane
- C. Identity and Access Management
- D. Single sign-on
- E. Cloud dashboard

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 2

What is a core tenant of risk management?

- A. The provider is accountable for all risk management.
- B. You can manage, transfer, accept, or avoid risks.
- C. The consumers are completely responsible for all risk.
- D. If there is still residual risk after assessments and controls are in place, you must accept the risk.
- E. Risk insurance covers all financial losses, including loss of customers.

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 3

When deploying Security as a Service in a highly regulated industry or environment, what should both parties agree on in advance and include in the SLA?

- A. The metrics defining the service level required to achieve regulatory objectives.
- B. The duration of time that a security violation can occur before the client begins assessing regulatory fines.
- C. The cost per incident for security breaches of regulated information.
- D. The regulations that are pertinent to the contract and how to circumvent them.
- E. The type of security software which meets regulations and the number of licenses that will be needed.

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 4

Your SLA with your cloud provider ensures continuity for all services.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 5

To understand their compliance alignments and gaps with a cloud provider, what must cloud customers rely on?

- A. Provider documentation
- B. Provider run audits and reports
- C. Third-party attestations
- D. Provider and consumer contracts
- E. EDiscovery tools

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 6

CCM: A hypothetical company called: "Health4Sure" is located in the United States and provides cloud based services for tracking patient health. The company is compliant with HIPAA/HITECH Act among other industry standards. Health4Sure decides to assess the overall security of their cloud service against the CCM toolkit so that they will be able to present this document to potential clients.

Which of the following approach would be most suitable to assess the overall security posture of Health4Sure's cloud service?

- A. The CCM columns are mapped to HIPAA/HITECH Act and therefore Health4Sure could verify the CCM controls already covered as a result of their compliance with HIPAA/HITECH Act
- B. They could then assess the remaining control
- C. This approach will save time.
- D. The CCM domain controls are mapped to HIPAA/HITECH Act and therefore Health4Sure could verify the CCM controls already covered as a result of their compliance with HIPAA/HITECH Act
- E. They could then assess the remaining controls thoroughly
- F. This approach saves time while being able to assess the company's overall security posture in an efficient manner.
- G. The CCM domains are not mapped to HIPAA/HITECH Act
- H. Therefore Health4Sure should assess the security posture of their cloud service against each and every control in the CCM
- I. This approach will allow a thorough assessment of the security posture.

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 7

When mapping functions to lifecycle phases, which functions are required to successfully process data?

- A. Create, Store, Use, and Share
- B. Create and Store
- C. Create and Use
- D. Create, Store, and Use
- E. Create, Use, Store, and Delete

**Answer:** A

#### **NEW QUESTION 8**

What is true of security as it relates to cloud network infrastructure?

- A. You should apply cloud firewalls on a per-network basis.
- B. You should deploy your cloud firewalls identical to the existing firewalls.
- C. You should always open traffic between workloads in the same virtual subnet for better visibility.
- D. You should implement a default allow with cloud firewalls and then restrict as necessary.
- E. You should implement a default deny with cloud firewalls.

**Answer:** E

#### **NEW QUESTION 9**

What are the encryption options available for SaaS consumers?

- A. Any encryption option that is available for volume storage, object storage, or PaaS
- B. Provider-managed and (sometimes) proxy encryption
- C. Client/application and file/folder encryption
- D. Object encryption Volume storage encryption

**Answer:** B

#### **NEW QUESTION 10**

How can virtual machine communications bypass network security controls?

- A. VM communications may use a virtual network on the same hardware host
- B. The guest OS can invoke stealth mode
- C. Hypervisors depend upon multiple network interfaces
- D. VM images can contain rootkits programmed to bypass firewalls
- E. Most network security systems do not recognize encrypted VM traffic

**Answer:** A

#### **NEW QUESTION 10**

What is true of companies considering a cloud computing business relationship?

- A. The laws protecting customer data are based on the cloud provider and customer location only.
- B. The confidentiality agreements between companies using cloud computing services is limited legally to the company, not the provider.
- C. The companies using the cloud providers are the custodians of the data entrusted to them.
- D. The cloud computing companies are absolved of all data security and associated risks through contracts and data laws.
- E. The cloud computing companies own all customer data.

**Answer:** C

#### **NEW QUESTION 15**

Which of the following is NOT normally a method for detecting and preventing data migration into the cloud?

- A. Intrusion Prevention System
- B. URL filters
- C. Data Loss Prevention
- D. Cloud Access and Security Brokers (CASB)
- E. Database Activity Monitoring

**Answer:** A

#### **NEW QUESTION 16**

Use elastic servers when possible and move workloads to new instances.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** B

#### **NEW QUESTION 18**

Which layer is the most important for securing because it is considered to be the foundation for secure cloud operations?

- A. Infrastructure
- B. Datastructure

- C. Infostructure
- D. Applistructure
- E. Metastructure

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 22**

CCM: In the CCM tool, ais a measure that modifies risk and includes any process, policy, device, practice or any other actions which modify risk.

- A. Risk Impact
- B. Domain
- C. Control Specification

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 23**

When investigating an incident in an Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) environment, what can the user investigate on their own?

- A. The CSP server facility
- B. The logs of all customers in a multi-tenant cloud
- C. The network components controlled by the CSP
- D. The CSP office spaces
- E. Their own virtual instances in the cloud

**Answer:** E

**NEW QUESTION 28**

ENISA: Lock-in is ranked as a high risk in ENISA research, a key underlying vulnerability causing lock in is:

- A. Lack of completeness and transparency in terms of use
- B. Lack of information on jurisdictions
- C. No source escrow agreement
- D. Unclear asset ownership
- E. Audit or certification not available to customers

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 32**

For third-party audits or attestations, what is critical for providers to publish and customers to evaluate?

- A. Scope of the assessment and the exact included features and services for the assessment
- B. Provider infrastructure information including maintenance windows and contracts
- C. Network or architecture diagrams including all end point security devices in use
- D. Service-level agreements between all parties
- E. Full API access to all required services

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 34**

All cloud services utilize virtualization technologies.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 38**

What is the newer application development methodology and philosophy focused on automation of application development and deployment?

- A. Agile
- B. BusOps
- C. DevOps
- D. SecDevOps
- E. Scrum

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 39**

What are the primary security responsibilities of the cloud provider in compute virtualizations?

- A. Enforce isolation and maintain a secure virtualization infrastructure
- B. Monitor and log workloads and configure the security settings
- C. Enforce isolation and configure the security settings
- D. Maintain a secure virtualization infrastructure and configure the security settings
- E. Enforce isolation and monitor and log workloads

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 41**

When designing an encryption system, you should start with a threat model.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 45**

Which cloud security model type provides generalized templates for helping implement cloud security?

- A. Conceptual models or frameworks
- B. Design patterns
- C. Controls models or frameworks
- D. Reference architectures
- E. Cloud Controls Matrix (CCM)

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 48**

Which of the following items is NOT an example of Security as a Service (SecaaS)?

- A. Spam filtering
- B. Authentication
- C. Provisioning
- D. Web filtering
- E. Intrusion detection

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 53**

ENISA: An example high risk role for malicious insiders within a Cloud Provider includes

- A. Sales
- B. Marketing
- C. Legal counsel
- D. Auditors
- E. Accounting

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 56**

ENISA: Which is not one of the five key legal issues common across all scenarios:

- A. Data protection
- B. Professional negligence
- C. Globalization
- D. Intellectual property
- E. Outsourcing services and changes in control

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 57**

Which of the following statements best defines the "authorization" as a component of identity, entitlement, and access management?

- A. The process of specifying and maintaining access policies
- B. Checking data storage to make sure it meets compliance requirements
- C. Giving a third party vendor permission to work on your cloud solution
- D. Establishing/asserting the identity to the application
- E. Enforcing the rules by which access is granted to the resources

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 60**

The containment phase of the incident response lifecycle requires taking systems offline.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 62**

Which statement best describes the impact of Cloud Computing on business continuity management?

- A. A general lack of interoperability standards means that extra focus must be placed on the security aspects of migration between Cloud providers.
- B. The size of data sets hosted at a Cloud provider can present challenges if migration to another provider becomes necessary.
- C. Customers of SaaS providers in particular need to mitigate the risks of application lock-in.
- D. Clients need to do business continuity planning due diligence in case they suddenly need to switch providers.
- E. Geographic redundancy ensures that Cloud Providers provide highly available services.

**Answer:** E

#### NEW QUESTION 66

Your cloud and on-premises infrastructures should always use the same network address ranges.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 69

If the management plane has been breached, you should confirm the templates/configurations for your infrastructure or applications have not also been compromised.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 73

Audits should be robustly designed to reflect best practice, appropriate resources, and tested protocols and standards. They should also use what type of auditors?

- A. Auditors working in the interest of the cloud customer
- B. Independent auditors
- C. Certified by CSA
- D. Auditors working in the interest of the cloud provider
- E. None of the above

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 78

What type of information is contained in the Cloud Security Alliance's Cloud Control Matrix?

- A. Network traffic rules for cloud environments
- B. A number of requirements to be implemented, based upon numerous standards and regulatory requirements
- C. Federal legal business requirements for all cloud operators
- D. A list of cloud configurations including traffic logic and efficient routes
- E. The command and control management hierarchy of typical cloud company

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 82

Cloud services exhibit five essential characteristics that demonstrate their relation to, and differences from, traditional computing approaches. Which one of the five characteristics is described as: a consumer can unilaterally provision computing capabilities such as server time and network storage as needed.

- A. Rapid elasticity
- B. Resource pooling
- C. Broad network access
- D. Measured service
- E. On-demand self-service

**Answer:** E

#### NEW QUESTION 86

In the cloud provider and consumer relationship, which entity manages the virtual or abstracted infrastructure?

- A. Only the cloud consumer
- B. Only the cloud provider
- C. Both the cloud provider and consumer
- D. It is determined in the agreement between the entities
- E. It is outsourced as per the entity agreement

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 91

ENISA: Which is a potential security benefit of cloud computing?

- A. More efficient and timely system updates
- B. ISO 27001 certification
- C. Provider can obfuscate system O/S and versions
- D. Greater compatibility with customer IT infrastructure
- E. Lock-In

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 94**

What of the following is NOT an essential characteristic of cloud computing?

- A. Broad Network Access
- B. Measured Service
- C. Third Party Service
- D. Rapid Elasticity
- E. Resource Pooling

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 96**

Any given processor and memory will nearly always be running multiple workloads, often from different tenants.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 99**

A defining set of rules composed of claims and attributes of the entities in a transaction, which is used to determine their level of access to cloud-based resources is called what?

- A. An entitlement matrix
- B. A support table
- C. An entry log
- D. A validation process
- E. An access log

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 102**

Which of the following is one of the five essential characteristics of cloud computing as defined by NIST?

- A. Multi-tenancy
- B. Nation-state boundaries
- C. Measured service
- D. Unlimited bandwidth
- E. Hybrid clouds

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 103**

Containers are highly portable code execution environments.

- A. False
- B. True

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 108**

Which of the following is NOT a cloud computing characteristic that impacts incidence response?

- A. The on demand self-service nature of cloud computing environments.
- B. Privacy concerns for co-tenants regarding the collection and analysis of telemetry and artifacts associated with an incident.
- C. The possibility of data crossing geographic or jurisdictional boundaries.
- D. Object-based storage in a private cloud.
- E. The resource pooling practiced by cloud services, in addition to the rapid elasticity offered by cloud infrastructures.

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 109**

A cloud deployment of two or more unique clouds is known as:

- A. Infrastructures as a Service
- B. A Private Cloud
- C. A Community Cloud



- D. A Hybrid Cloud
- E. Jericho Cloud Cube Model

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 111**

Which cloud storage technology is basically a virtual hard drive for instanced or VMs?

- A. Volume storage
- B. Platform
- C. Database
- D. Application
- E. Object storage

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 115**

What is known as a code execution environment running within an operating system that shares and uses the resources of the operating system?

- A. Platform-based Workload
- B. Pod
- C. Abstraction
- D. Container
- E. Virtual machine

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 117**

In the Software-as-a-service relationship, who is responsible for the majority of the security?

- A. Application Consumer
- B. Database Manager
- C. Application Developer
- D. Cloud Provider
- E. Web Application CISO

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 122**

CCM: Cloud Controls Matrix (CCM) is a completely independent cloud assessment toolkit that does not map any existing standards.

- A. True
- B. False

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 125**

How is encryption managed on multi-tenant storage?

- A. Single key for all data owners
- B. One key per data owner
- C. Multiple keys per data owner
- D. The answer could be A, B, or C depending on the provider
- E. C for data subject to the EU Data Protection Directive; B for all others

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 130**

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