

# Splunk

## Exam Questions SPLK-3001

Splunk Enterprise Security Certified Admin Exam



#### NEW QUESTION 1

Which of the following are examples of sources for events in the endpoint security domain dashboards?

- A. REST API invocations.
- B. Investigation final results status.
- C. Workstations, notebooks, and point-of-sale systems.
- D. Lifecycle auditing of incidents, from assignment to resolution.

**Answer: D**

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/User/EndpointProtectionDomaindashboards>

#### NEW QUESTION 2

What feature of Enterprise Security downloads threat intelligence data from a web server?

- A. Threat Service Manager
- B. Threat Download Manager
- C. Threat Intelligence Parser
- D. Therat Intelligence Enforcement

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 3

The Remote Access panel within the User Activity dashboard is not populating with the most recent hour of data. What data model should be checked for potential errors such as skipped searches?

- A. Web
- B. Risk
- C. Performance
- D. Authentication

**Answer: A**

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://answers.splunk.com/answers/565482/how-to-resolve-skipped-scheduled-searches.html>

#### NEW QUESTION 4

What does the risk framework add to an object (user, server or other type) to indicate increased risk?

- A. An urgency.
- B. A risk profile.
- C. An aggregation.
- D. A numeric score.

**Answer: C**

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/User/RiskScoring>

#### NEW QUESTION 5

Which setting is used in indexes.conf to specify alternate locations for accelerated storage?

- A. thawedPath
- B. tstatsHomePath
- C. summaryHomePath
- D. warmToColdScript

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/Splunk/8.0.2/Knowledge/Accelerateddatamodels>

#### NEW QUESTION 6

Which of the following is a way to test for a property normalized data model?

- A. Use Audit -> Normalization Audit and check the Errors panel.
- B. Run a | datamodel search, compare results to the CIM documentation for the datamodel.
- C. Run a | loadjob search, look at tag values and compare them to known tags based on the encoding.
- D. Run a | datamodel search and compare the results to the list of data models in the ES normalization guide.

**Answer: B**

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/CIM/4.15.0/User/UsetheCIMtonormalizedataatsearchtime>

#### NEW QUESTION 7

Which argument to the | tstats command restricts the search to summarized data only?

- A. summaries=t
- B. summaries=all
- C. summariesonly=t
- D. summariesonly=all

**Answer:** C

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/Splunk/8.0.2/Knowledge/Acceleratedatamodels>

#### NEW QUESTION 8

When investigating, what is the best way to store a newly-found IOC?

- A. Paste it into Notepad.
- B. Click the “Add IOC” button.
- C. Click the “Add Artifact” button.
- D. Add it in a text note to the investigation.

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 9

How is it possible to navigate to the list of currently-enabled ES correlation searches?

- A. Configure -> Correlation Searches -> Select Status “Enabled”
- B. Settings -> Searches, Reports, and Alerts -> Filter by Name of “Correlation”
- C. Configure -> Content Management -> Select Type “Correlation” and Status “Enabled”
- D. Settings -> Searches, Reports, and Alerts -> Select App of “SplunkEnterpriseSecuritySuite” and filter by “-Rule”

**Answer:** A

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/Admin/Listcorrelationsearches>

#### NEW QUESTION 10

Which of the following is a risk of using the Auto Deployment feature of Distributed Configuration Management to distribute indexes.conf?

- A. Indexes might crash.
- B. Indexes might be processing.
- C. Indexes might not be reachable.
- D. Indexes have different settings.

**Answer:** A

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/Splunk/8.0.2/Admin/Indexesconf>

#### NEW QUESTION 10

Both “Recommended Actions” and “Adaptive Response Actions” use adaptive response. How do they differ?

- A. Recommended Actions show a textual description to an analyst, Adaptive Response Actions show them encoded.
- B. Recommended Actions show a list of Adaptive Responses to an analyst, Adaptive Response Actions run them automatically.
- C. Recommended Actions show a list of Adaptive Responses that have already been run, Adaptive Response Actions run them automatically.
- D. Recommended Actions show a list of Adaptive Responses to an analyst, Adaptive Response Actions run manually with analyst intervention.

**Answer:** D

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/latest/Admin/Configureadaptiveresponse>

#### NEW QUESTION 12

“10.22.63.159”, “websvr4”, and “00:26:08:18: CF:1D” would be matched against what in ES?

- A. A user.
- B. A device.
- C. An asset.
- D. An identity.

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 14

How should an administrator add a new lookup through the ES app?

- A. Upload the lookup file in Settings -> Lookups -> Lookup Definitions
- B. Upload the lookup file in Settings -> Lookups -> Lookup table files
- C. Add the lookup file to /etc/apps/SplunkEnterpriseSecuritySuite/lookups
- D. Upload the lookup file using Configure -> Content Management -> Create New Content -> Managed Lookup

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/Admin/Createlookups>

**NEW QUESTION 19**

What are the steps to add a new column to the Notable Event table in the Incident Review dashboard?

- A. Configure -> Incident Management -> Notable Event Statuses
- B. Configure -> Content Management -> Type: Correlation Search
- C. Configure -> Incident Management -> Incident Review Settings -> Event Management
- D. Configure -> Incident Management -> Incident Review Settings -> Table Attributes

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/Admin/Customizenotables>

**NEW QUESTION 21**

ES apps and add-ons from \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/apps should be copied from the staging instance to what location on the cluster deployer instance?

- A. \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/master-apps/
- B. \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/system/local/
- C. \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/shcluster/apps
- D. \$SPLUNK\_HOME/var/run/searchpeers/

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

The upgraded contents of the staging instance will be migrated back to the deployer and deployed to the search head cluster members. On the staging instance, copy \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/apps to \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/shcluster/apps on the deployer. 1. On the deployer, remove any deprecated apps or add-ons in \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/shcluster/apps that were removed during the upgrade on staging. Confirm by reviewing the ES upgrade report generated on staging, or by examining the apps moved into \$SPLUNK\_HOME/etc/disabled-apps on staging

**NEW QUESTION 22**

How is notable event urgency calculated?

- A. Asset priority and threat weight.
- B. Alert severity found by the correlation search.
- C. Asset or identity risk and severity found by the correlation search.
- D. Severity set by the correlation search and priority assigned to the associated asset or identity.

**Answer:** D

**Explanation:**

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/User/Howurgencyisassigned>

**NEW QUESTION 25**

What kind of value is in the red box in this picture?

Additional Fields	Value
HTTP Method	GET
Source	10.98.27.195 <b>500</b>
Source Expected	false
Source PCI Domain	untrust
Source Requires Antivirus	false
Source Should Time Synchronize	false
Source Should Update	false
Tag	modaction_result

- A. A risk score.
- B. A source ranking.
- C. An event priority.
- D. An IP address rating.

**Answer:** C

**Explanation:**

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/Splunk/8.0.2/Data/FormateventsforHTTPEventCollector>

#### NEW QUESTION 27

Which of the following threat intelligence types can ES download? (Choose all that apply)

- A. Text
- B. STIX/TAXII
- C. VulnScanSPL
- D. SplunkEnterpriseThreatGenerator

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/Admin/Downloadthreatfeed>

#### NEW QUESTION 29

A site has a single existing search head which hosts a mix of both CIM and non-CIM compliant applications. All of the applications are mission-critical. The customer wants to carefully control cost, but wants good ES performance. What is the best practice for installing ES?

- A. Install ES on the existing search head.
- B. Add a new search head and install ES on it.
- C. Increase the number of CPUs and amount of memory on the search head, then install ES.
- D. Delete the non-CIM-compliant apps from the search head, then install ES.

**Answer:** B

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://www.splunk.com/pdfs/technical-briefs/splunk-validated-architectures.pdf>

#### NEW QUESTION 31

Enterprise Security's dashboards primarily pull data from what type of knowledge object?

- A. Tstats
- B. KV Store
- C. Data models
- D. Dynamic lookups

**Answer:** C

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Splexicon:Knowledgeobject>

#### NEW QUESTION 35

If a username does not match the 'identity' column in the identities list, which column is checked next?

- A. Email.
- B. Nickname
- C. IP address.
- D. Combination of Last Name, First Name.

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 36

Which settings indicated that the correlation search will be executed as new events are indexed?

- A. Always-On
- B. Real-Time
- C. Scheduled
- D. Continuous

**Answer:** C

#### Explanation:

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/Admin/Configurecorrelationsearches>

#### NEW QUESTION 39

Which data model populated the panels on the Risk Analysis dashboard?

- A. Risk
- B. Audit
- C. Domain analysis
- D. Threat intelligence

**Answer:** A

#### Explanation:

Reference: [https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/User/RiskAnalysis#Dashboard\\_panels](https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/User/RiskAnalysis#Dashboard_panels)

#### NEW QUESTION 40

What tools does the Risk Analysis dashboard provide?

- A. High risk threats.
- B. Notable event domains displayed by risk score.
- C. A display of the highest risk assets and identities.
- D. Key indicators showing the highest probability correlation searches in the environment.

**Answer:** C

#### **Explanation:**

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/User/RiskAnalysis>

#### NEW QUESTION 45

Who can delete an investigation?

- A. ess\_admin users only.
- B. The investigation owner only.
- C. The investigation owner and ess-admin.
- D. The investigation owner and collaborators.

**Answer:** A

#### **Explanation:**

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/ES/6.1.0/Admin/Manageinvestigations>

#### NEW QUESTION 46

Which component normalizes events?

- A. SA-CIM.
- B. SA-Notable.
- C. ES application.
- D. Technology add-on.

**Answer:** A

#### **Explanation:**

Reference: <https://docs.splunk.com/Documentation/CIM/4.15.0/User/UsetheCIMtonormalizedataatsearchtime>

#### NEW QUESTION 49

What is the first step when preparing to install ES?

- A. Install ES.
- B. Determine the data sources used.
- C. Determine the hardware required.
- D. Determine the size and scope of installation.

**Answer:** D

#### NEW QUESTION 52

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