

M2.2.5 - quiz - Watering Hole Attacks and Typo squatting Quiz

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Cyber Capstone

0. What is the key difference between misinformation and disinformation in the context of cybersecurity?

- A. Misinformation is unintentional, while disinformation is intentional.
- B. Misinformation involves spreading false information with the intent to deceive, while disinformation involves spreading false information without the intent to deceive.
- C. Misinformation is spread through email, while disinformation is spread through social media.
- D. Misinformation is often exaggerated, while disinformation is factual.

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1. What is a key characteristic of watering hole attacks?

- A. They rely on exploiting vulnerabilities in computer systems.
- B. They involve directly targeting specific individuals or organizations.
- C. They leverage common websites or resources frequented by the intended victims.
- D. They require social engineering techniques to spread malware.

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2. How do watering hole attacks take advantage of human behavior?

- A. By exploiting vulnerabilities in browser software.
- B. By relying on users' habitual visits to specific websites.
- C. By tricking users into downloading malicious files.
- D. By manipulating users into providing sensitive information.

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3. What is typo squatting, also known as URL hijacking?

- A. Hiding a button or link on top of another image.
- B. Creating a fake company website with malicious scripts.
- C. Slightly changing the URL of a website to resemble a well-known site.
- D. Stealing cookies to authenticate users on a website.

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4. How can users defend against watering hole attacks?

- A. By installing anti-virus and anti-malware programs.
- B. By avoiding common websites frequented by many users.

- C. By relying on browser extensions to detect malicious URLs.
- D. By being proactive and diligent in updating software and detecting unusual activities.

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5. What is clickjacking in the context of client hijacking attacks?

- A. Stealing cookies used to authenticate users.
- B. Manipulating users into clicking on hidden buttons or links.
- C. Using typosquatting to redirect users to malicious sites.
- D. Exploiting vulnerabilities in browser software.

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6. How does session hijacking occur in client hijacking attacks?

- A. By stealing cookies to authenticate users on a website.
- B. By slightly altering the URL of a legitimate website.
- C. By exploiting vulnerabilities in browser software.

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- D. By hiding malicious scripts on common websites.