# **CPP Practice Exam**

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### **Domain 1: Security Principles and Practices**

- 1. In the development of a security program using the systems approach, the three general elements that must be given consideration are:
  - A. a vulnerability analysis, implementation of countermeasures, and a test of the operating program
  - B. the installation of fencing, locks, and alarms
  - C. pre-employment screening, policies, and standardized procedure
  - D. a loss prevention program, risk analysis, and recovery documentation.
- 2. With respect to span of control, the greater the degree of sophistication of interaction between supervisors and subordinates, the:
  - A. broader the optimum span of control
  - B. more difficult it is to identify the optimum span of control
  - C. narrower the optimum span of control
  - D. more options there are in choosing the optimum span of control
- 3. In setting up a proprietary investigative unit, the most important aspect to consider is the:
  - A. number of personnel
  - B. budgeting for staff
  - C. selection of professional personnel
  - D. specialized training of the applicant

### **Domain 2: Business Principles and Practices**

- 4. In its basic sense, the investigative process reflects:
  - A. absolute goal-oriented inquiry
  - B. precise controlled examination
  - C. the mindset of the investigator
  - D. a simple statement of all the abstracts encountered
- 5. Copies of investigative reports should be distributed:
  - A. to all affected members of management
  - B. to public law enforcement agencies
  - C. only to members of the security department
  - D. only to those with a need to know

- 6. Inquiries about an investigation can be connected to the investigative results by means of:
  - A. indexing
  - B. grouping
  - C. classification
  - D. ordering

### **Domain 3: Investigations**

- 7. The Law of Torts deals with:
  - A. intentional acts and negligent acts
  - B. negligence and inadvertent conduct that cause damage or injury
  - C. trademark infringement
  - D. torts against persons and torts against property
- 8. Any person may affect an arrest without warrant when he/she:
  - A. has reasonable grounds to believe that an individual has committed a criminal offence and is escaping from and freshly pursued by persons who have lawful authority to arrest that individual
  - B. has reasonable grounds to believe that the individual will fail to attend court
  - C. has reasonable grounds to believe that a person has committed an indictable offence
  - D. finds an individual committing any offence
- 9. A claimant's allegation of invasion of privacy would be appropriately supported in a situation where the alleged perpetrator:
  - A. revealed damaging information from a police file to the claimant's spouse
  - B. revealed further details about a matter that was reported in a published biography of the claimant
  - C. mentioned during a televised interview a rumor about the claimant engaging in criminal activity
  - D. repeated a story that the claimant was overheard telling in a crowded public place

## **Domain 4: Personnel Security**

- 10. Which is the most important type of screening investigation process in a corporate organization?
  - A. Security violation
  - B. Background
  - C. Data security
  - D. Theft
- 11. The cardinal rule in management of a transportation concern is that those assigned to line hauling duties must be:
  - A. in possession of extra cargo seals
  - B. willing and able to discuss their cargo
  - C. capable of lifting more than 50 lbs.
  - D. of the highest integrity
- 12. Selection devices in the personnel selection process used by managers to reduce accept and reject errors include:

- A. application form, pencil and paper tests, performance-simulation tests, interviews
- B. performance-simulation tests, drug screening, applications form, resume
- C. application form, resume, pencil and paper tests, interviews
- D. performance-simulation tests, application forms, resume, interviews

### **Domain 5: Physical Security**

- 13. A capacitance sensor is an electric condenser that radiates:
  - A. energy
  - B. heat
  - C. light
  - D. sound
- 14. The three basic types of glass are:
  - A. tinted, reflective, and insulated
  - B. heavy duty, medium duty, and light duty
  - C. tempered, reinforced, and coated
  - D. sheet, plate, and float
- 15. Wired glass is intended to provide resistance to:
  - A. fire
  - B. bullets or other high-energy missiles
  - C. shattering and fragmentation
  - D. knives and hammers

# **Domain 6: Information Security**

- 16. Which of the following would generally disqualify information from being treated as a trade secret within a company?
  - A. The information has been published in a technical journal
  - B. The information has already been disclosed to another company under a nondisclosure agreement
  - C. The information is part of a contract report that is marked as proprietary
  - D. The information relates to a process used to fabricate items that are commonly available in retail stores
- 17. A technique used to disguise digital data information during transmission is:
  - A. demodulation
  - B. electronic scrambling
  - C. decoding
  - D. encryption
- 18. The statement that best describes the purpose of a scrambler in communications security is:
  - A. it facilitates private key management in a closed communications loop
  - B. it prevents interference during solar flares
  - C. it disguises information so it is unintelligible to those who should not have access to it
  - D. it sends signals over a time domain reflectometer to slow transmission speed

# **Domain 7: Crisis Management**

- 19. The three focus areas required to deal with strikes and labor disputes include all the following EXCEPT:
  - A. complete documentation
  - B. post-strike intelligence
  - C. pre-strike plans
  - D. strike operations
- 20. The term for a strike that occurs when management and unions fail to negotiate an agreement on benefits is:
  - A. wildcat
  - B. right to work
  - C. unfair labor practice
  - D. economic
- 21. The highest priority in any computer security program is:
  - A. exhaustive evaluation of programs
  - B. careful screening of personnel
  - C. restricted access to the facility
  - D. thorough evaluation of employee capability

#### **Answer Key:**

1. A

18. C

2. C

19. A

3. C

20. D

4. B

21. B

- 5. D
- 6. A
- 7. A
- 8. A
- 9. C
- 10. B
- 11. D
- 12. A
- 13. A
- 14. D
- 15. C
- 16. A
- 17. D