



SOC ANALYST

INTERVIEW QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Category - Raw Logs

What are the reasons for Login failures in Windows?

Status and Sub Status Codes

Description

0xC0000064

User name does not exist

0xC000006A

User name is correct but the password is wrong

0xC0000234

User is currently locked out

0xC0000072

Account is currently disabled

0xC000006F

User tried to logon outside his day of week or time of day restrictions

0xC0000070

Workstation restriction, or Authentication Policy Silo violation

0xC0000193

Account expiration

0xC0000071

Expired password

0xC0000133

Clocks between DC and other computer too far out of sync

0xC000015B

The user has not been granted the requested logon type (aka logon right) at this machine

What logs do you collect from a database?

Audit Logs

Difference between Flows and Events.

Event is a log of a particular action.
A flow records information like number of packets, bytes sent, bytes received and connection time.

Why do we need raw logs?

The raw logs are required for Forensics and Compliance purposes.

Difference between an Event, Alert and Incident

Event is a log of particular action on a server.

Alert is a suspicious (not confirmed) activity in the network.

An incident is a confirmed malicious activity.



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