



A **CTA is a security professional** who has the skills and knowledge to analyze the trust posture of a person, group, company, network, or product and provide the insight on how to improve its trustworthiness.

Purpose

To be able to measure, assess, and design an overall trust strategy detailing specific tactics from a system of trust properties which both operate and feel as trustworthy.

Requirements

Linux Skill: Low

Windows Skill: Low

Networking Knowledge: Low

Security Experience: Low

Business Experience: Low

Training

Average Training Time Required: 16 hours

The exam requires mastering the application of the following trust analysis skills:

- Comprehend application of OSSTMM trust properties.
- Evaluate trust testing techniques and scope to assure proper results.
- Detect and properly act on anomalies, patterns, and weaknesses.
- Evaluate the trust surface and determine appropriate controls.
- Formally measure the level of trust for security testing and posture assessments.
- Make rapid, intelligent trust assessments for specific scopes with limited information.

Exam

Exam time: 2 hours

Questions: 50 multiple choice, single answer, skills-based.

Passing: 60% or better for certification. Scores of 90% or better include a seal of excellence.

