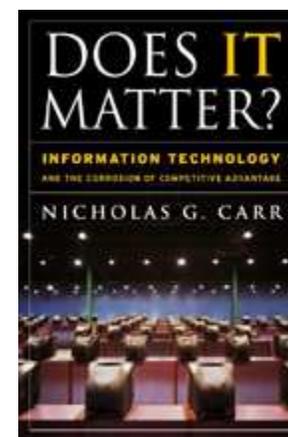


# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?

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# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?

## Theme:

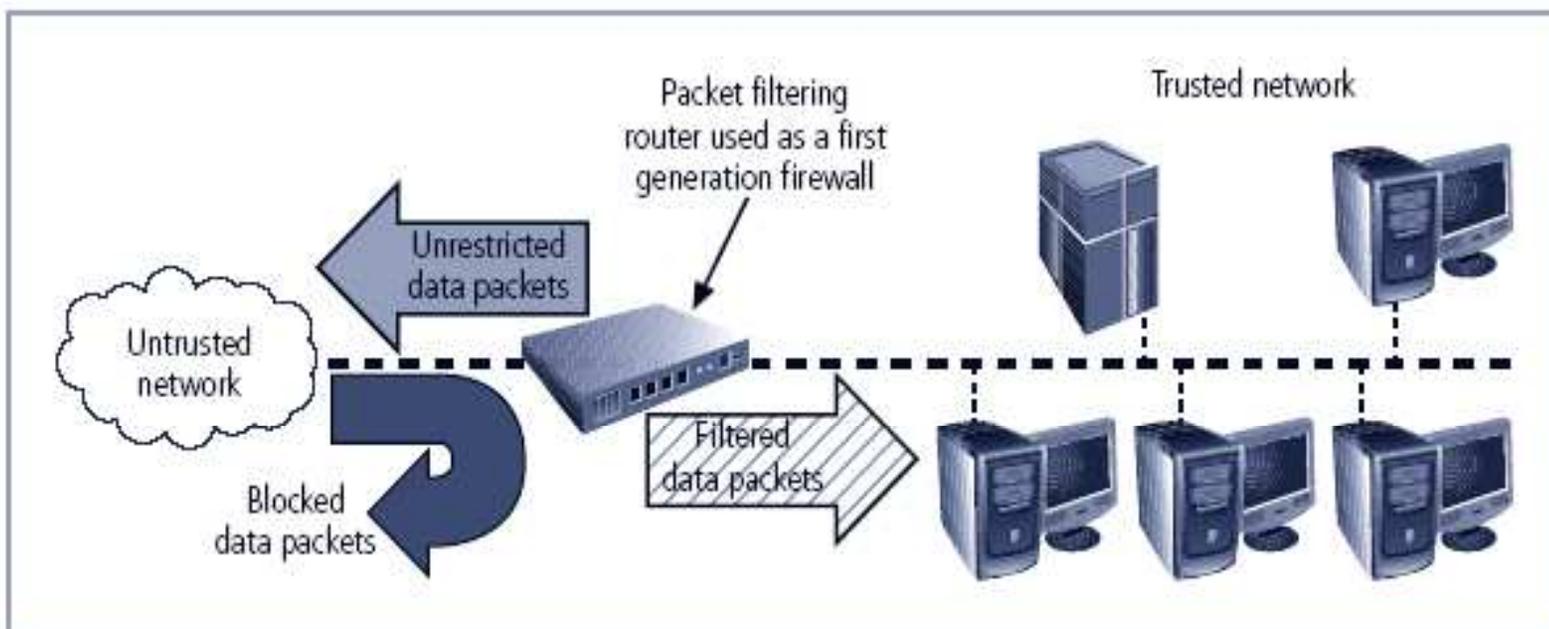
- Global Concern
- Global Response
- African Response
- National Response
- CSIRT

# Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this material, you should be able to:

- Understand Networks and Related security issues
- Describe the technology that enables the
- security environment of Networks
- Trusted Networks
- Cloud computing

# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?



## Trusted Networks... Really?

Global Concern:  
A World Under Attack

## Web War I

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*Estonia: World's most wired nation*

*April 27, 2007: CyberAttack*

*Denial of Service Attack*

*Attack came from various servers from South America, Europe, Asia*

*Swamped the websites of Estonia's private and public organizations*

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## CERT? CSIRT?

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- CERT = Computer Emergency Response Team
- CSIRT = Computer Security Incident Response Team

## The Geeky Side

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- Artifact analysis
- Malware analysis
- Vulnerability analysis
- Network monitoring
- Technology research

# CERT - is there anyone out there?

Asia Pacific CERT  
Economies Covered

Australia  
Bangladesh  
Brunei  
China (PROC)  
Chinese Taipei  
Hong Kong  
India  
Indonesia  
Japan  
Korea  
Malaysia  
Philippines  
Singapore  
Sri Lanka  
Thailand  
Vietnam



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# CERT - Examples from Home ....

## SOCERT

### A member of AFCERT

Point of Contact

Coordination with other CERTs/CSIRTs

Incident handling and Management

Information dissemination

Pass on Alerts, warnings, and advisories

Awareness and Education

Policy Development

Legislative support

Rules and regulation development

Coordination with Law Enforcement

# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?

## Challenges:

- Resolve incidents at the shortest time possible
- relevant/avoid the occurrence of such incidents
- Mitigate impact and minimize damage

# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?

Information Security Practice in Somalia

- Certified information security professionals
- Organizations maintain information system security teams

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# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?

## Why Create CERTs/CSIRTs

- Best practice
- Obligation to stakeholders
- Protection of the organization
- Information Gathering
- Incident coordination

# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?

## Why Create CERTs/CSIRTs

- Quickly respond to security incidents
- Quickly resolve security breaches
- Promote information security awareness, discipline, and practice
- Preparedness and adopting an information security culture are keys to protecting our most valuable information assets.

# CERT - NETWORKS... what networks?

## Incident Handling and Management Process and Practice

- Prepare
- Gather information
- Vulnerability Information
- Security Reports, Bulletins, and Alerts
- Reports on malicious activities
- Malware information

## Incident Handling and Management Process and Practice

- Protect
- Firewalls
- Intrusion Prevention Systems
- Intrusion Detection Systems
- Harden systems and applications
- Update and apply patches

## Incident Handling and Management Process and Practice:

Monitoring =>Detection=>Response=>Resolution

3C Framework : Cooperate => Collaborate => Coordinate

Document

Gather information:

Vulnerability Information =>Security Reports, Bulletins, and Alerts

Reports on malicious activities =>Malware information

Keep watch

Request and exchange information with other CERTs/CSIRTs

if host is in other jurisdiction, request CERT/CSIRT in that jurisdiction for assistance

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## Incident Handling and Management Process and Practice:

- Network Monitor
- Anomalous activities
- Unusual traffic
- Intrusion detection system
- Incident report
- Triage
- Identify
- Categorize
- Prioritize
- Escalate

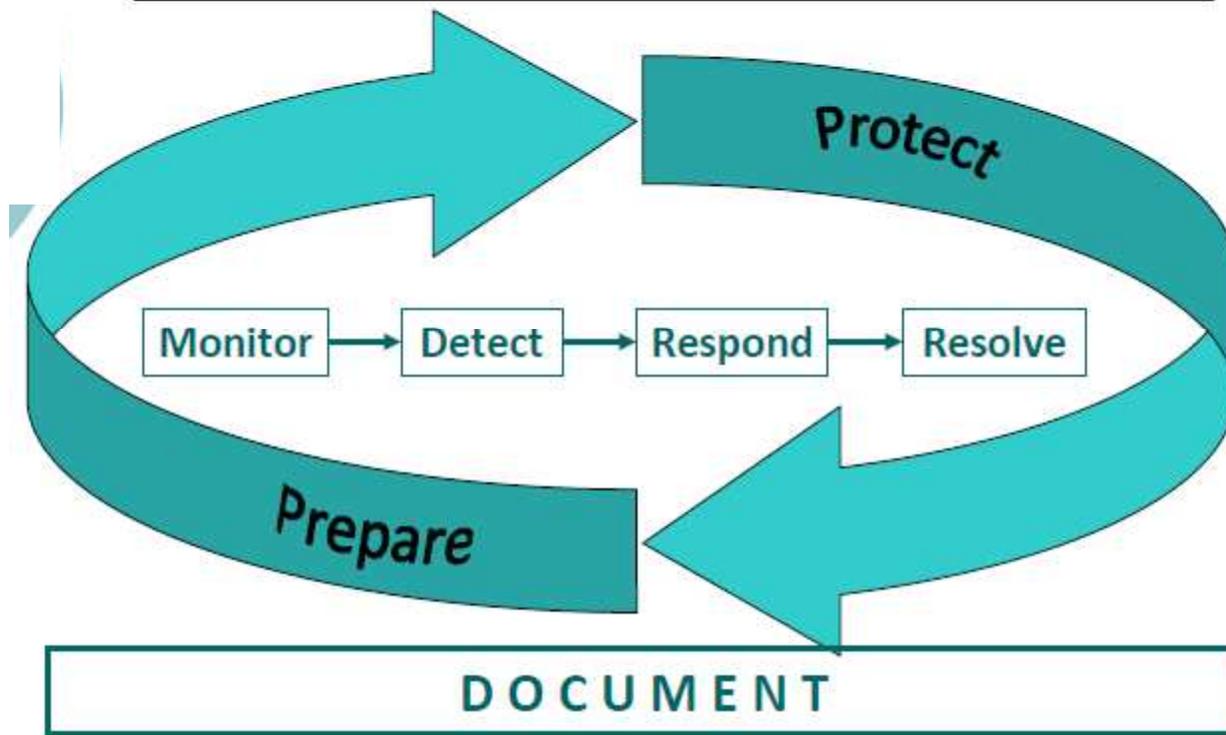
- Known incident: execute appropriate response
- Unknown; Escalate to Malware Analysis
- Capture => Analyze => Develop response => Resolve

## **Incident Handling and Management Document:**

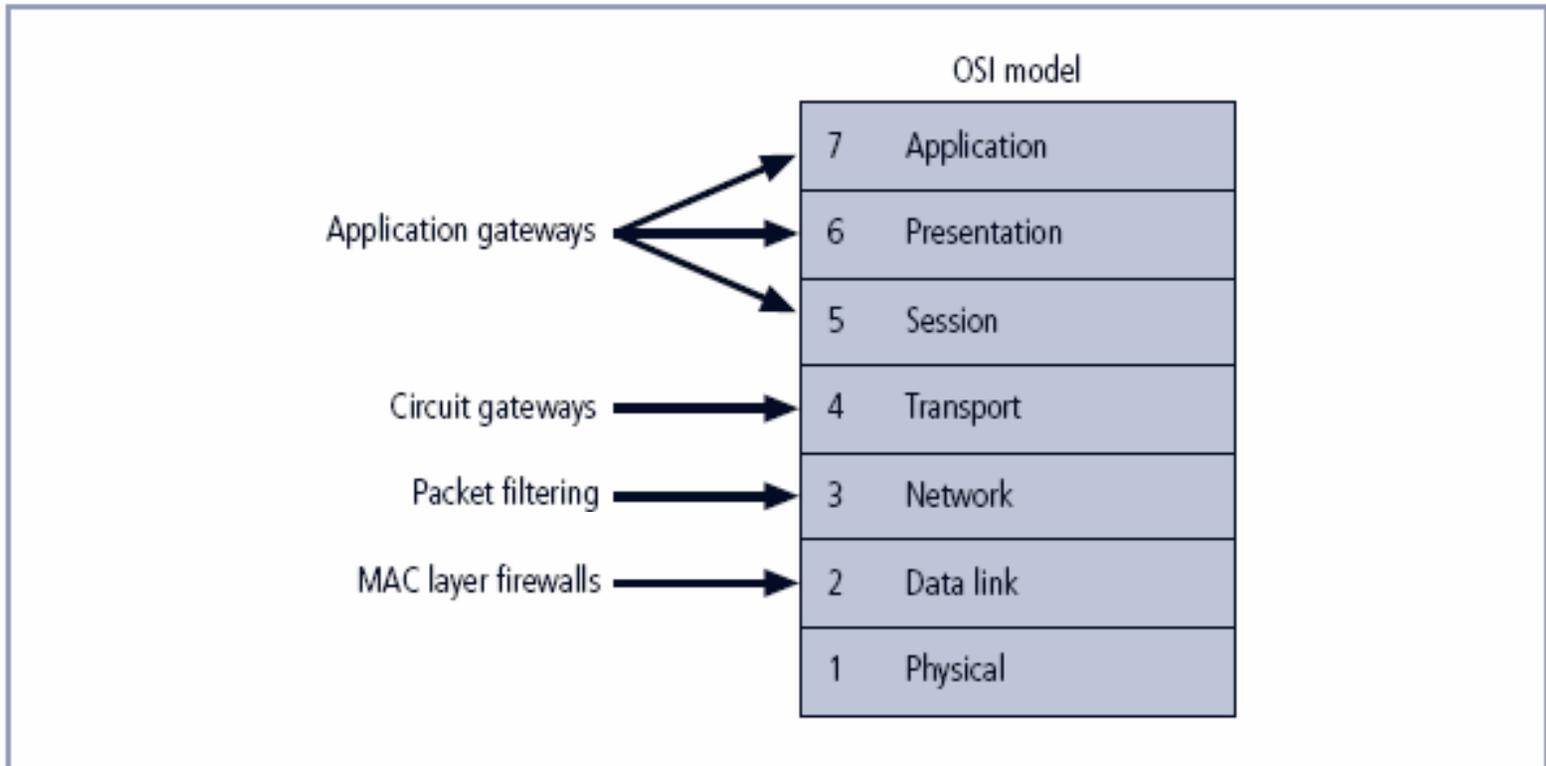
- Incident ticketing system
- Monitor / track incidents until resolution
- Keep / hold in database
- Incident type, description, class, priority
- Keep record of analysis
- Templates
- Acknowledging reports
- Request for information
- Bulletins, Alerts

## Incident Handling and Management

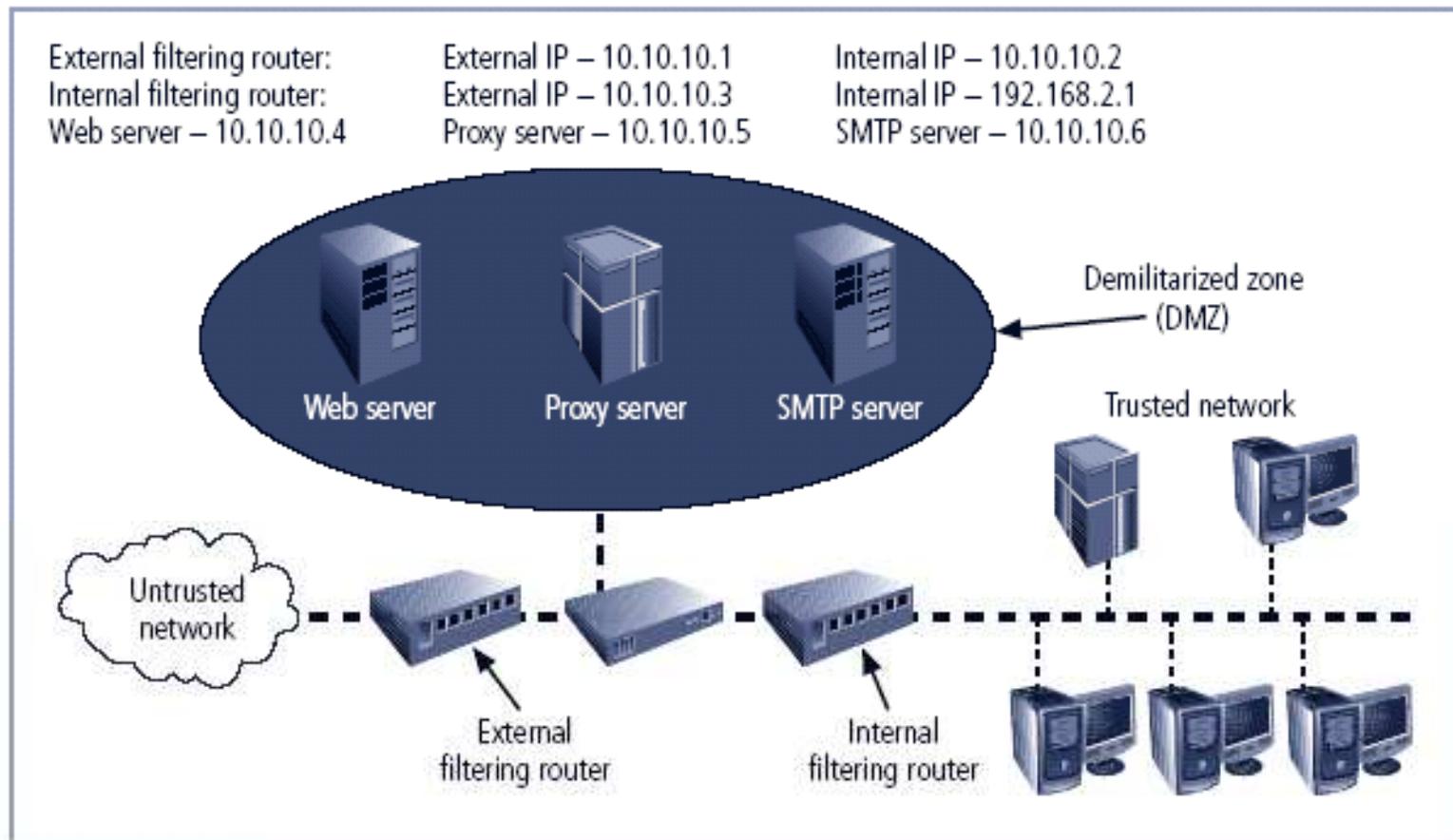
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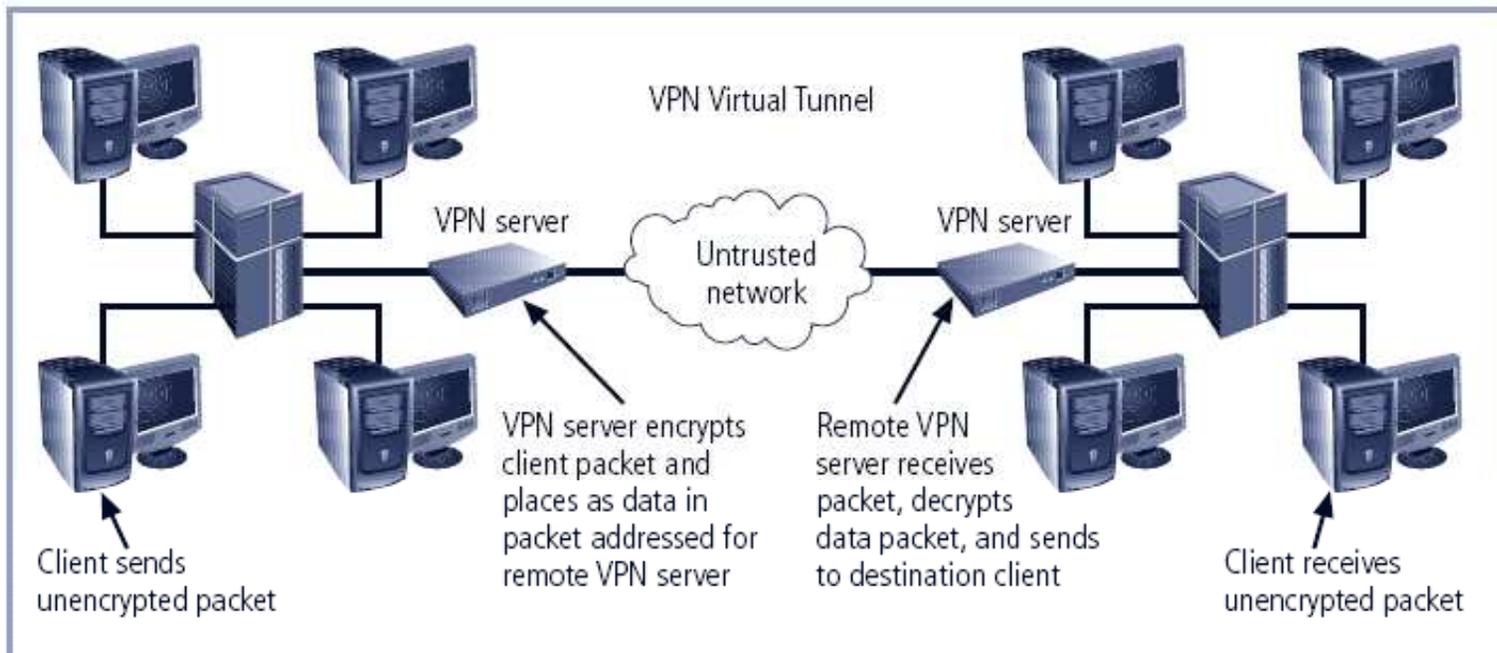
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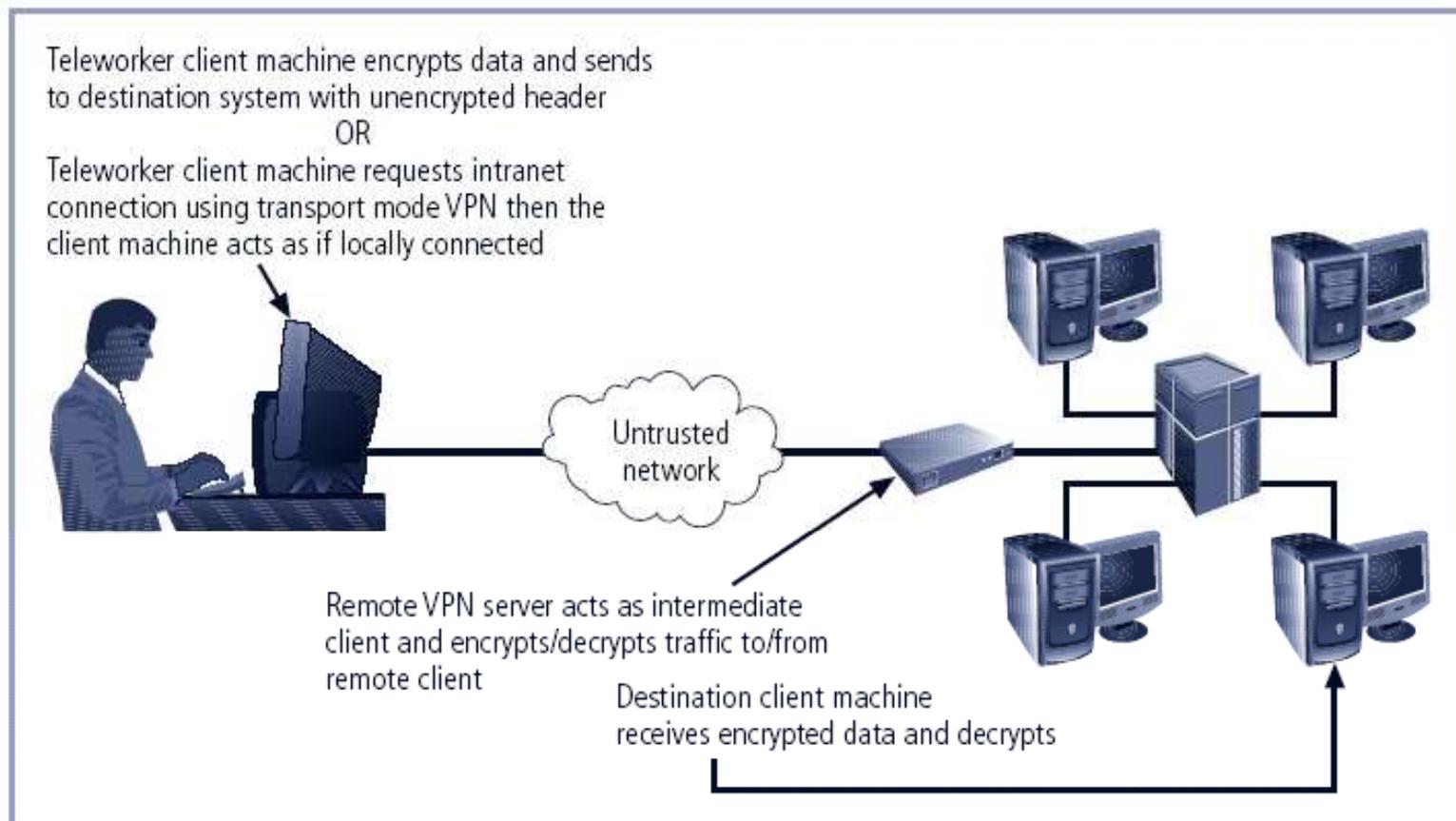
The Open Systems Interconnection model (**OSI model**)



**FIGURE 6-14** Example Network Configuration



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# Virtual Private Networks (VPNs)

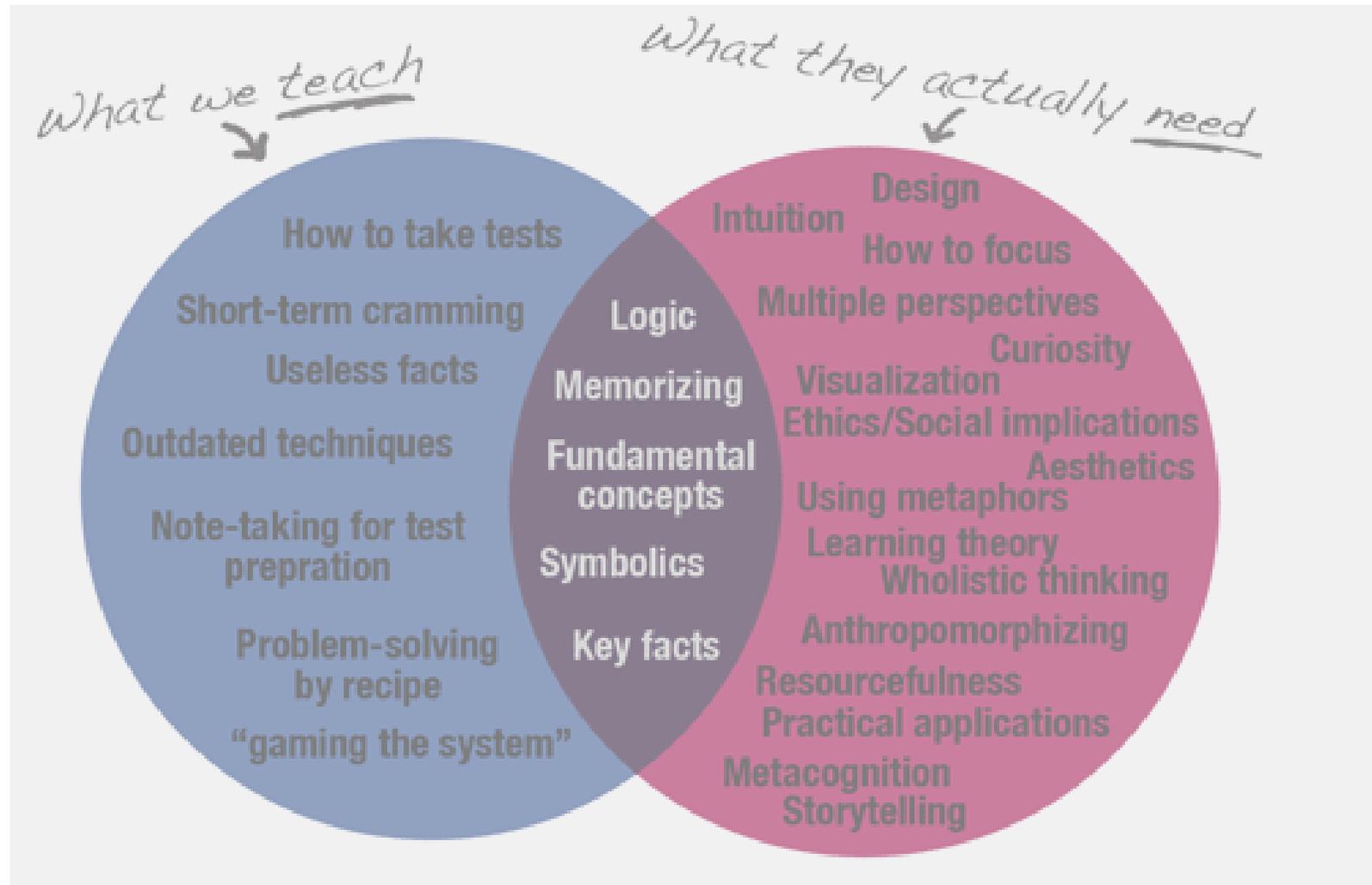
VPN must accomplish:

Encapsulation of incoming and outgoing data

Encryption of incoming and outgoing data

Authentication of remote computer and (perhaps) remote user as well

# Problem? ...what problem?



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Comments welcome

questions.....maybe.



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