

## Lecture 20: November 8, 2019

**Reading:** *text*, §2.3–2.4, 3.1–3.2, 16.

**Assignments:** Lab 2, due November 8, 2019  
Homework 3, due November 8, 2019

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1. Greetings and felicitations!
2. Puzzle of the Day
3. Access Control Matrix
  - (a) Commands and conditions: *create•file*, various flavors of *grant•right* to show conditions and nested commands
  - (b) Copy flag, own rights
  - (c) Principle of attenuation of privilege
4. Decidability of security
  - (a) Notion of leakage in terms of ACM
  - (b) Determining security of a generic system with generic rights and mono-operational commands is decidable
  - (c) Determining security of a generic system with generic rights is undecidable (HRU result)
  - (d) Meaning: can't derive a generic algorithm; must look at (sets of) individual case
5. Access Control Lists
  - (a) Full access control lists
  - (b) Abbreviations (UNIX method)
  - (c) Issues in the way lists work
  - (d) Revocation issue
6. Capabilities
  - (a) Capability-based addressing
  - (b) Capabilities as security mechanisms
  - (c) Inheritance of C-Lists