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Exercise 3

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Passage 3

New kinds of viruses continue to plague computers and Internet sites around the world. When a virus is destroyed, variants of the same virus may reappear in a few days or weeks. The deviousness of malware developers should encourage computer and Internet users to continue to be vigilant. One way to guard computers against harmful viral strains is to make sure that virus protection programs are up-to-date. It is also helpful to avoid downloading files from unknown sites or unreliable publishers. If file sharing is practiced, then it is best to have reliable firewalls so that information and data shared by networks are properly secured and monitored.

Question

*Answer the following question using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** from the paragraph.*

What security scheme should be employed by people who practice file sharing?

Approach

STEP 1 Identify the keywords and question focus in the question.

STEP 2 Find out the relevant information in the passage.

STEP 3 Write your answer in no more than three words.

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Exercise 4

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Passage 4

Despite movements to defeat sexual discrimination, there is still a marked difference as regards employment conditions between men and women. To illustrate, the percentage of employed men hovers at about seventy-five percent, while the percentage of employed women plays around fifty percent. Discrepancies in salaries can also be observed as men earn fifteen to thirty-five percent more than women, particularly in the industrial sector. Globally, approximately only two to three percent of women hold high positions in businesses. Nevertheless, these numbers are expected to improve as more people and more nations contest issues regarding gender inequalities.

Question

*Answer the following question using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** from the paragraph.*

What is the difference between the percentages of employed men and women?

Approach

STEP 1 Identify the keywords and question focus in the question.

STEP 2 Find out the relevant information in the passage.

STEP 3 Write your answer in no more than three words.

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