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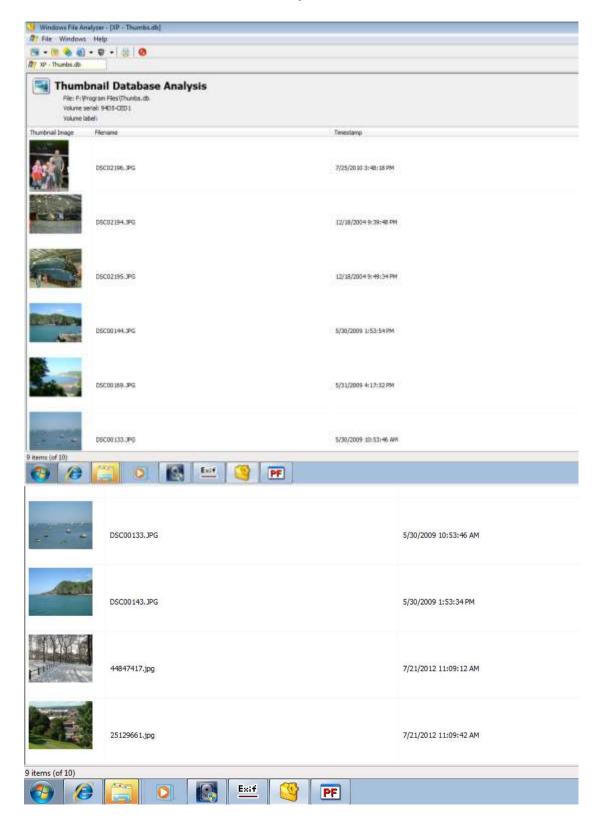
Instructions to candidate:

- ♦ Paper contains 4 Questions. Answer all questions.
- ♦ This paper contains 4 pages including cover page.
- ♦ Exam time is 10.00am to 12.00noon.
- ♦ You are expected to upload report with answers (pdf) to courseweb submission link before 12.10pm

Question 1 (30 marks)

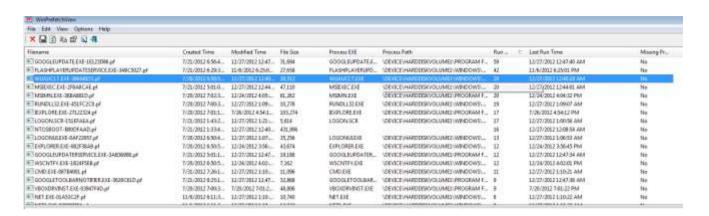
Use the raw image "Accused1_HDD" file to answer the following Questions.

a) Using the "Thmbs.db" file in Programme files folder of the raw image find the file names and file create date time stamp of images, from image folder this thumbnail database acquired.



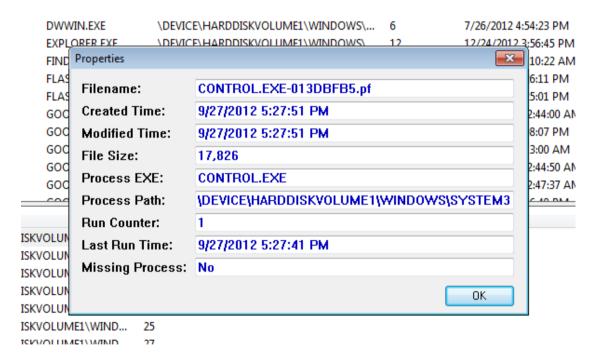
b) Identify the 3rd most frequently executed program on the computer included in the image?

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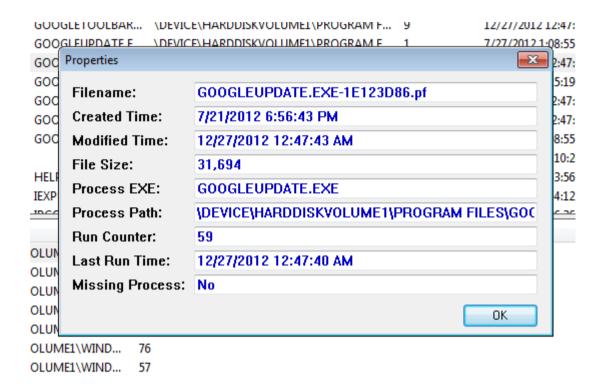
c) When was the "control.exe" was first executed on this computer included in the image?

First executed on 9/24/2012 at 5:27:51 PM



d) When was the "googleupdate.exe" was last executed on this computer included in the image?

File last executed was 12/27/2012 at 12:47:40 AM

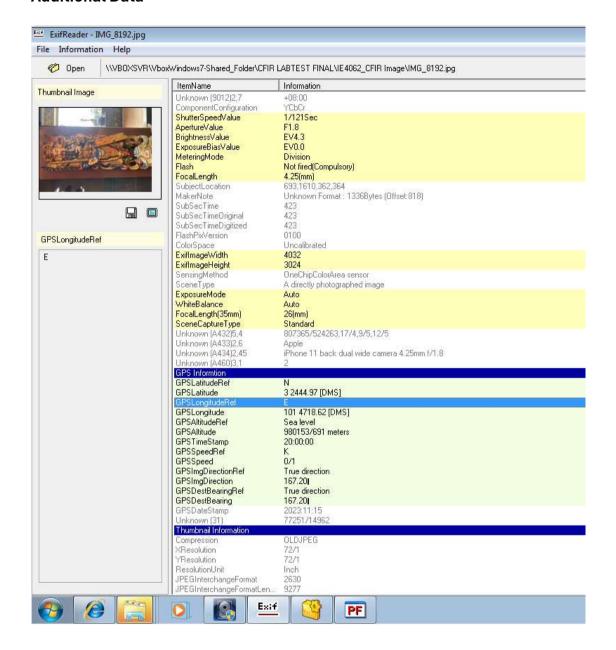


- e) Examine the "IMG_8192.jpg" available to and answer the following questions.
 - i) What is the date and time that the picture was taken?

Date: 2023-11-15Time: 10.25AM

IPTC	
Character-code definition	1B2547
Record version	0002
Taking a picture time	102526+0800
Taking a picture day	2023-11-15
Main Information	
Make	Apple
Model	iPhone 11
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Additional Data



ii) What is the Degrees, Minutes & Seconds and Reference Points (N,S,W,E) of the picture?

GPS Latitude DMS: 3 2444.97

• GPS Longitude DMS: 101 4718.62

3 2444.97

Degrees: 3, Minutes: 24, Seconds: 44.97

• 101 4718.62

- Degrees: 101, Minutes: 24, Seconds: 44.97
- Geolocation: 3°24'45.0"N 101°47'18.6"E

iii) Where, exactly the location of the photo? (Location Name)

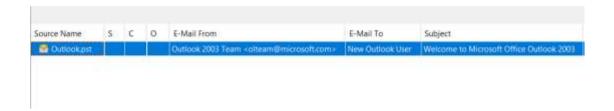
• The location is Chin Swee Caves Temple, 69000 Genting Highlands, Pahang, Malaysia



Question 2 (20 marks)

Use the raw image "Accused1_HDD" file to complete the following.

- a) What is the email client application used by the user? (name the exact client)
 - Microsoft Outlook



b) Determine whether any sensitive information stored in the user email— Justify your answer with the relevant evidence (i.e. user email account details and message artefacts)

Yes ,			
URL	Title	Date Created	Program Name
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&pver	Customize Links.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=h	Free Hotmail.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkId=30857&clcid=0.	Windows Marketplace.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=w	Windows Media.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=w	Windows.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&pver	MSN.com.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=windows	Radio Station Guide.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&pver	Customize Links.url	2012-07-21 2	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=h	Free Hotmail.url	2012-07-21 2	Internet Explorer Analyzer

(5 Marks)

c) Can you identify any document(s) which may contain evidence about the (personal details) user? List the evidence name(s) and the location(s)

(5 Marks)

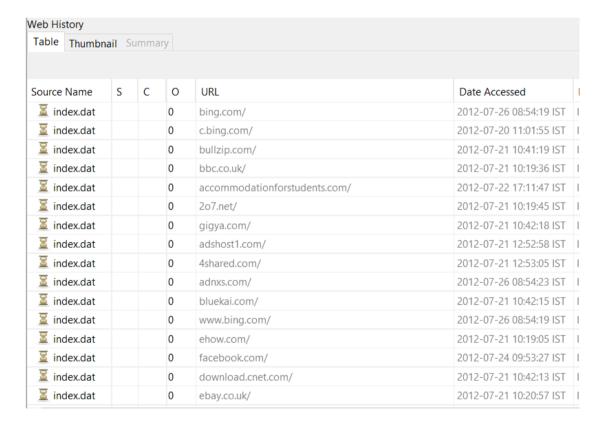
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URL	Title	Date Created	Program Name
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&pver	Customize Links.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=h	Free Hotmail.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?Linkld=30857&clcid=0.	Windows Marketplace.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=w	Windows Media.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
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http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&pver	Customize Links.url	2012-07-21 2	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=h	Free Hotmail.url	2012-07-21 2	Internet Explorer Analyzer

d) Which web browser is used by the user?

• Internet explorer web browser

URL	Title	Date Created	Program Name
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&pver	Customize Links.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=h	Free Hotmail.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkId=30857&clcid=0.	Windows Marketplace.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
http://www.microsoft.com/isapi/redir.dll?prd=ie&ar=w	Windows Media.url	2012-07-20 1	Internet Explorer Analyzer
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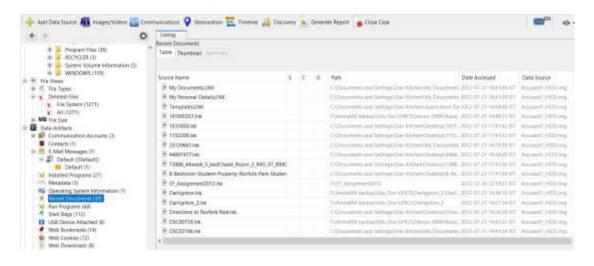
e) Determine the list of typed URL.



Question 3 (20 marks)

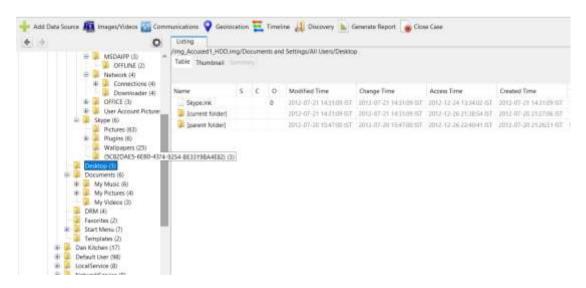
Use the raw image "Accused1_HDD" file to complete the following.

a) Identify list of searched files.

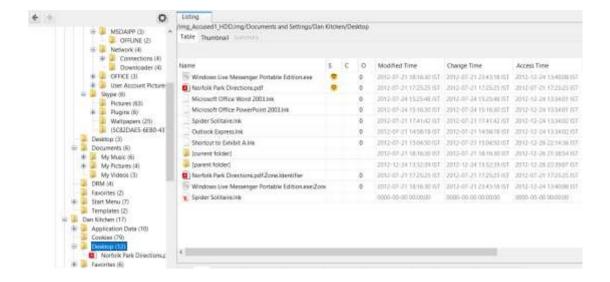


b) Which files are on the user Desktop?

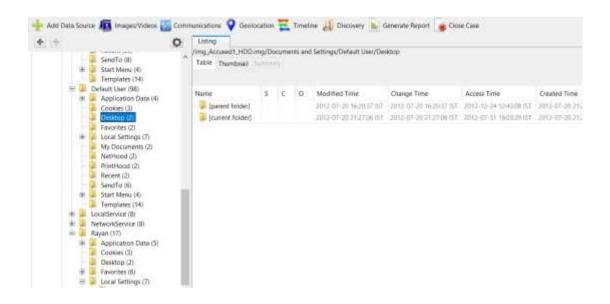
All Users Desktop



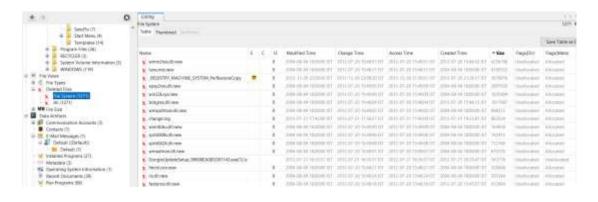
• User: Dan Kitchen Desktop



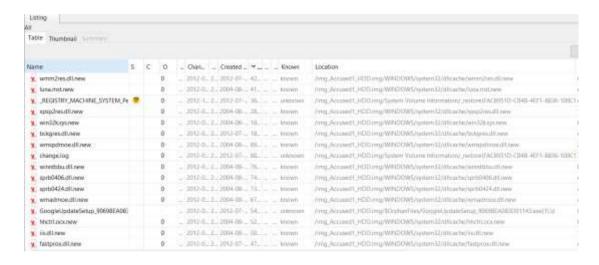
Default User Desktop



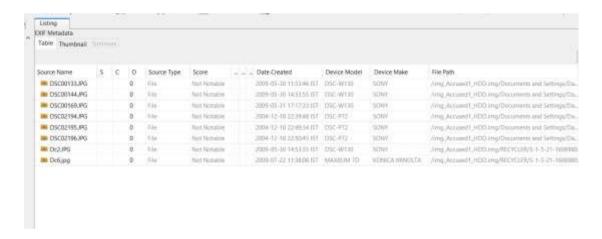
c) Identify which files were deleted and are still in the Recycle bin.



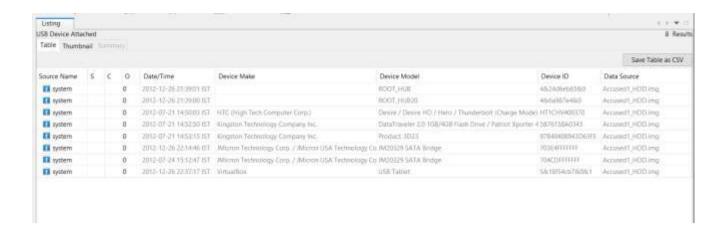
d) List of actual locations of the deleted files.



e) Assuming that the images stored on the disk image were taken with the machine's owner digital camera, what make, and model was the digital camera used?



- f) What information can you gather about that USB mass storage devices plug into this machine?
 - Date/time USB is plugged
 - Device Make
 - Device model
 - Device ID
 - Data Source

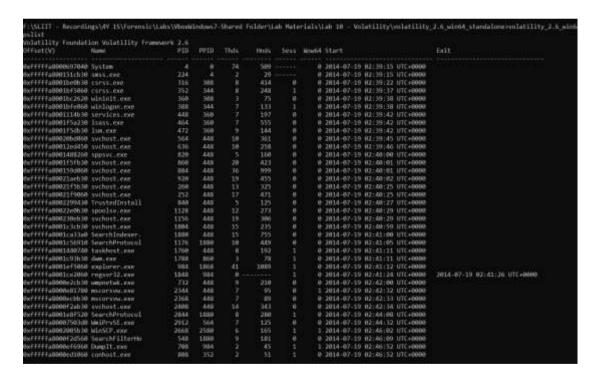


Question 4 (30 marks)

a) Use the windows memory dump file "Victim1_Mem.raw" provided to answer the following Questions.

- i) From which operating system this memory dump is taken? (Name the most probable OS)?
 - Windows 7

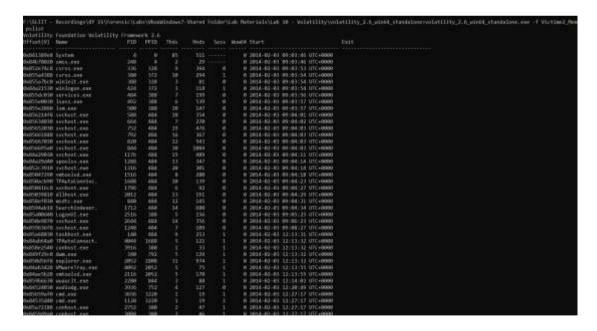
ii) Determine the list of all the processor(s) that were running when the memory was captured.



iii) Determine the TCP connection(s) that were active at the time of the memory acquisition.

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- b) Use the windows memory dump file "Victime2_Mem.raw" to answer the following Questions. You are required to provide a screenshot of your result and command you have executed.
 - i) Determine the list of all the processor(s) that were running when the memory was captured.



- ii) List the suspicious process and explain why it is suspicious.
 - Process csrss.exe is Suspicious.
 - Justification: "csrss.exe is a process that has been flagged as malicious."With
 the help of this Trojan, hackers can remotely access your computer and steal
 personal information, Internet banking credentials, and passwords. It is best to

eliminate this process from your system as it poses a security risk. Csrss.exe and other non-system processes are the result of installed software on your computer. The majority of apps store data in the registry and on your hard drive, so it's possible that your computer has amassed invalid entries and experienced fragmentation, both of which might impair its performance.

Reference: "https://www.processlibrary.com/en/directory/files/csrss/25806/"

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iii) List DLLs from this memory image.

iv) What type of malware is identified? Justify your answer.

- Use "Gmail RE Order Confirmation" to answer the following Questions.
 - i) What is the attacker's email address?
 - chirathdealwis@gmail.com
 - ii) What is the victim's email address?
 - perern44@gmail.com
 - iii) What is the attack that the attacker was planning to conduct? Justify your answer with evidence.

The attacker appears to be attempting a Business Email Compromise (BEC) or phishing attack. Which means the attacker is trying to deceive the recipient into transferring a large sum of money to a fraudulent bank account.

Possible Methods Used:

Impersonation: The attacker impersonates a legitimate sender (in this case, "Chirath Dealwis") and fabricates a context around an order that requires a payment to be processed.

Social Engineering: By referencing a previous communication (real or fabricated) and using details like a specific order and personal names, the attacker tries to establish legitimacy and urgency.

Bank Details: The attacker provides bank details for the recipient to transfer money to, which is controlled by the attacker.

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