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Instructions

1. *This paper consists of two sections, Section A and Section B*
 2. *Answer all questions in Section A*
 3. *Answer any one question from Section B*
 4. *Write your answers in the answer booklet provided*
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SECTION A (40 MARKS)

QUESTION 1

- a) What is cybercrime? [2 MARKS]
- b) Explain how computers may be used to commit crime. [4 MARKS]
- c) Explain how *user created data* and *machine created data* may be used as electronic evidence in a forensic investigation. [4 MARKS]

QUESTION 2: Describe a typical digital forensics process model. [10 MARKS]

QUESTION 3

- a) What is a virtual digital forensics laboratory? [2 MARKS]
- b) Explain the components of a quality assurance program for digital forensic. [4 MARKS]
- c) Why is accreditation and certification important requirement for a digital forensic laboratory? [4 MARKS]

QUESTION 4

- a) Identify the components of a digital forensics report. [5 MARKS]
- b) Identify any five digital forensic tools and explain what each may be used for. [5 MARKS]

SECTION B (10 MARKS)

QUESTION 5

- a) Explain two common types of digital forensic image file formats. [2 MARKS]
- b) Describe one technique you would use to validate a forensic image file. [2 MARKS]
- c) Explain the following non-volatile memory acquisition methods: physical acquisition, logical acquisition, and sparse acquisition. [6 MARKS]

QUESTION 6

- a) Why is it important to perform analysis on a forensic image of a file instead of doing so on the original suspect device or data? [2 MARKS]
- b) Explain any three types of forensic analysis. [6 MARKS]
- c) What is email forensic and web browser forensics? [2 MARKS]

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