

NTFS Undelete (and leap year) Test #1

Digital Forensics Tool Testing Image (#7)

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Introduction

This test image is a 6MB NTFS file system with eight deleted files, two deleted directories, and a deleted alternate data stream. The files range from resident files, single cluster files, and multiple fragments. No data structures were modified in this process to thwart recovery. They were created in Windows XP, deleted in XP, and imaged in Linux.

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This test image is a 'raw' partition image (i.e. 'dd') of a NTFS file system. The file system is 6MB and is compressed to 186 KB (lots of zeros). The MD5 of the image is `e7dbb96759d9cd62b729463ebfe61dab`. This image is released under the [GPL](#), so anyone can use it.

- [zip](#)

Files

These are the files that should be recovered, their sizes, and their MD5 values. ([Fill in the blank results form](#))

Num	MFT Entry	Name	Size	MD5	Note
1	37	\res1.dat	101	9036637712b491904cd0bfbdb6e648453	Resident file (data is stored in MFT entry and not in a cluster)
2	31	\sing1.dat	780	59b20779f69ff9f0ac5fcd2c38835a79	single cluster file
3	32- 128-3	\mult1.dat	3801	ffd27bd782bdce67750b6b9ee069d2ef	multiple cluster, non-fragmented file
4	32- 128-6	\mult1.dat:ADS	1234	ba1b9eedb1c091ddca253d35dde8f616	multiple cluster, second data attribute (Alternate Data Stream)
5	29	\frag1.dat	1584	7a3bc5b763bef201202108f4ba128149	fragmented file
6	30	\frag2.dat	3873	0e80ab84ef0087e60dfc67b88a1cf13e	fragmented file with frag1.dat

					mixed in
7	33	\dir1\	1024	N/A	directory
8	36	\dir1\mult2.dat	1715	59cf0e9cd107bc1e75afb7374f6e05bb	multiple cluster, non-fragmented in deleted directory
9	34	\dir1\dir2\	1024	N/A	directory in deleted directory
10	35	\dir1\dir2\frag3.dat	2027	21121699487f3fbbdb9a4b3391b6d3e0	fragmented file in deleted directories
11	38	\dir3\sing2.dat	1005	c229626f6a71b167ad7e50c4f2fccdb1	single cluster file in a directory whose MFT entry has been reallocated (to res1.dat)

Layout

Here is the actual layout of the image.

Cluster	File
4073	\frag1.dat (part 1 of 2)
4074	\frag2.dat (part 1 of 3)
4075	\frag1.dat (part 2 of 2)
4076-4077	\frag2.dat (part 2 of 3)
4078	\sing1.dat
4079-4082	\mult1.dat
4083-4084	\mult1.dat:ADS
4085	\frag2.dat (part 3 of 3)
4086-4089	\\$Secure:\$SDH (Not deleted)
4090	\dir1\dir2\frag3.dat (part 1 of 2)
4091-4092	\dir1\mult2.dat
4093	\dir1\dir2\frag3.dat (part 2 of 2)
4094	\dir3\sing2.dat

Bonus

This image was created on Feb 29, 2004 so check the dates in your tools to see if your tool properly handles leap year.

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Brian Carrier (carrier at cerias.purdue.edu) created the test cases and the test image. This test was released on February 29, 2004.

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Neither Purdue University or CERIAS sponsor this work.

These tests are not a complete test suite. These were the first ones that I thought of and no formal theory was put into their design.

Passing these tests provides no guarantees about a tool. Always use additional test cases (and email them to me so we can all benefit!).

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