

Aim: Using Forensic Toolkit (FTK) & Writing report using FTK (AccessData FTK).

Step 1: Open AccessData FTK 1.81.0 DEMO VERSION and Click on Start a new case and Click on OK

Step 2: Type Investigator Name and Case Number, Case Name and Set the Case Path and Click on Next

Step 3: Keep Default Setting and Click on Next

Step 4: Keep Default Setting and Click on Next

Step 5: Select Data Carve and Registry Report and Click on Next

Step 6: Keep Default Setting and Click on Next

Step 7: Click on Add Evidence Within Type of Evidence to Add to Case Select Acquired Image of Drive and Click on Continue

- **Within Add Evidence Select evidence 1.dd and click on open**
- **Click on OK**
- **Click on Next**
- **Click on Finish**
- **It Start the Processing Files**

Step 8: Data Carving Files in an Existing Case

- **Select Tools, and then Data Carving.**
- **Select BMP Files, GIF Files, and PNG Files and Click on OK**
- **It Will Start Carving BMP Files**
- **After Carving BMP Files It Will Start Carving GIF Files**
- **After Carving BMP and GIF Files and then Next It Will Start Carving PNG Files**
- **After Carving BMP and GIF, PNG Files and then Next It Will Start Initializing the list**
- **After Initializing the list Here, We Can See the Data Carving Results**

Step 9: Modifying or Creating a Filter

- **Select View, and then File Filter Manager**
- **Select the filter that you want to modify**
- **If you are modifying an existing filter, click Save/Apply. Or If you are creating a new filter, click Save As, enter the name, and click OK.**

Step 10: Deleting a Filter

- **You can delete a filter if you no longer need it. To delete a filter:**
- **Select View, and then File Filter Manager.**
- **Click Delete**
- **Deleted Files**

Step 12: Searching the Registry

- **Launching Registry Viewer as a Separate Application:**
- **To run Registry Viewer as a separate application, select Start, then Programs, then AccessData, and then Registry Viewer, and then Registry Viewer**
- **Launching Registry Viewer from FTK:**

- To run Registry Viewer from FTK:
- In FTK, open an existing case by selecting File, and then Open Case.
- Or if you have chosen to always display the FTK Startup screen, select Open an Existing Case and click OK
- **Select** the case you want to open.
- **Select File**, and then **Registry Viewer** to **open Registry Viewer**.
- (Can't perform ahead of this step because Registry viewer is disabled in demo version)

Step 13: Obtaining Protected Registry Files Using FTK Imager

- To obtain the protected **registry files** using **FTK Imager**:
- **Launch FTK Imager**.
- **Click File**, and then Obtain **Protected Files**
- Select the destination folder (**Here it is 001-2024**) and **Click on OK**
- **Under System Files Options Select Password recovery and all registry files and Click on OK**
- **Scanning MFT**

Step 14: Generating a Report

- From the menu, **select Report**, and then **Generate Report** or **click the button on the toolbar**
- **Click on OK**
- Under **Case Information** Enter Following Information and **Click on Next**
- **Keep the Default Setting** and **Click on Next**
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- **Click on Next**
- **Click on Next**
- **Click on Add Files and Select the Supplementary Files and Click on Next**
- **Click on Finish**
- **Click on OK**
- **Generated Report**
- **File Overview**
- **Evidence List**