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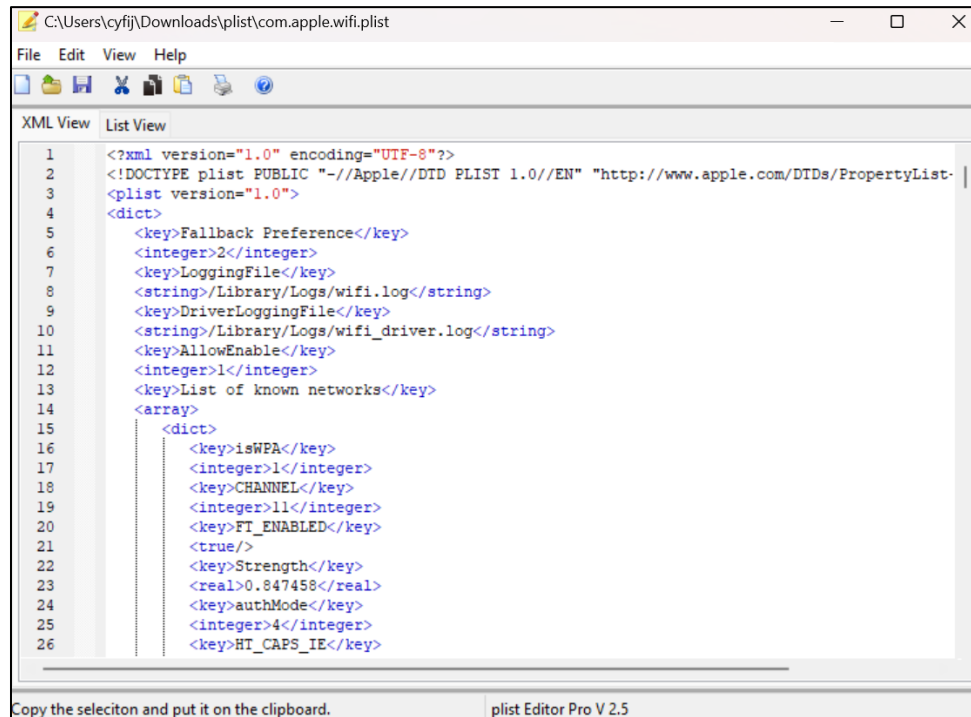
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Instruction:

- Download and Install pList Editor Pro and Extract plist.zip file.
- Open com.apple.wifi.plist file on pList Editor Pro.



```
1 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
2 <!DOCTYPE plist PUBLIC "-//Apple//DTD PLIST 1.0//EN" "http://www.apple.com/DTDs/PropertyList-
3 <plist version="1.0">
4 <dict>
5   <key>Fallback Preference</key>
6   <integer>2</integer>
7   <key>LoggingFile</key>
8   <string>/Library/Logs/wifi.log</string>
9   <key>DriverLoggingFile</key>
10  <string>/Library/Logs/wifi_driver.log</string>
11  <key>AllowEnable</key>
12  <integer>1</integer>
13  <key>List of known networks</key>
14  <array>
15    <dict>
16      <key>isWPA</key>
17      <integer>1</integer>
18      <key>CHANNEL</key>
19      <integer>11</integer>
20      <key>FT_ENABLED</key>
21      <true/>
22      <key>Strength</key>
23      <real>0.847458</real>
24      <key>authMode</key>
25      <integer>4</integer>
26      <key>HT_CAPS_IE</key>
```

- Based on a review of the file's contents, what is contained within this plist file?

Answer: This file contains a list of all the wireless access points to which the IOS device connected.



```
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<integer>1</integer>
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<integer>11</integer>
<key>FT_ENABLED</key>
<true/>
<key>Strength</key>
<real>0.847458</real>
<key>authMode</key>
<integer>4</integer>
<key>HT_CAPS_IE</key>
<dict>
  <key>ASEL_CAPS</key>
  <integer>0</integer>
  <key>CAPS</key>
  <integer>5004</integer>
  <key>EXT_CAPS</key>
  <integer>0</integer>
  <key>MCS_SET</key>
  <data>
    /wAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA==
  </data>
  <key>AMPDU_PARAMS</key>
  <integer>27</integer>
  <key>TXBF_CAPS</key>
  <integer>0</integer>
</dict>
<key>RATES</key>
```

- Search through the plist file and identify the last time the IOS device connected to the wireless access point associated with starbucks or Bernes and Noble, i.e., attwifi?

Answer: The IOS device last connected to attwifi on August 6, 2014 at 12:53:35 Zulu.

```
<key>...</key>
<string>attwifi</string>
<key>BEACON_INT</key>
<integer>20</integer>
<key>CHANNEL_WIDTH</key>
<integer>20</integer>
<key>RSSI</key>
<integer>-51</integer>
<key>IE</key>
<data>
BwZVU0kBCxs=
</data>
<key>CaptiveNetwork</key>
<true/>
<key>CAPABILITIES</key>
<integer>1025</integer>
<key>lastAutoJoined</key>
<date>2014-08-06T12:53:25Z</date>
</dict>
```

Additional Exercise:

- To what network did the IOS device connect on September 14, 2014, at 14:52 Zulu?

Answer: Ritz-Carlton Wireless

```
</dict>
<key>PHY_MODE</key>
<integer>8</integer>
<key>NetworkWasCaptive</key>
<true/>
<key>lastJoined</key>
<date>2014-09-14T00:19:20Z</date>
<key>SSID_STR</key>
<string>Ritz-Carlton Wireless</string>
<key>BEACON_INT</key>
<integer>20</integer>
<key>RSSI</key>
<integer>-76</integer>
<key>CaptiveNetwork</key>
<false/>
<key>CAPABILITIES</key>
<integer>1057</integer>
<key>lastAutoJoined</key>
<date>2014-09-14T14:52:46Z</date>
</dict>
```

- What type of encryption, if any, is used on the network using the SSID of private?

Answer: WPA2 Personal with AES encryption for both

IE_KEY_WPA_MCIPHER is 4 - this means AES encryption.

IE_KEY_WPA_UCIPHERS is 4 - this means AES encryption.

```
<key>PHY_MODE</key>
<integer>16</integer>
<key>SSID_STR</key>
<string>private</string>
<key>BEACON_INT</key>
<integer>20</integer>
<key>CHANNEL_WIDTH</key>
<integer>20</integer>
<key>SecurityMode</key>
<string>WPA2 Personal</string>
<key>IE</key>
<data>
MBQBAAAPrAQBAAAPrAQBAAAPrAIAANOWAFDyAQEAAFDyBAEAAFDy
BAEAAFDyAi0ajBMB/wAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA9FgsI
CAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAHB1VTIAELGw==
</data>
<key>RSSI</key>
<integer>-57</integer>
<key>lastJoined</key>
<date>2014-03-07T02:39:45Z</date>
<key>WPA_IE</key>
<dict>
<key>IE_KEY_WPA_MCIPHER</key>
<integer>4</integer>
<key>IE_KEY_WPA_AUTHSELS</key>
<array>
<integer>2</integer>
</array>
<key>IE_KEY_WPA_UCIPHERS</key>
<array>
<integer>4</integer>
</array>
<key>IE_KEY_WPA_VERSION</key>
<integer>1</integer>
</dict>
```