



KAPE

What's all the
Buzz About?

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Overview

- There is a GitHub page at bit.ly/KAPE-Portland that contains:
 - All the code shown in the slides
 - The hands Labs; question and code to get to the solution
 - Lots of helpful links to useful KAPE documentation
 - These slides
- There will be three hands on sections:
 - Targets
 - Target Output & Timeline Explorer
 - Modules
- Demos of KAPE and other tools along the way

If you have not installed KAPE, try to do it as we start the workshop



Agenda

- What is KAPE?
- Targets & Modules Configurations
- Working with Targets
- Hands On – Targets
- Target Output
- Hands on – Target Output
- Working with Modules
- Hands on - Modules
- Batch Mode
- Questions

What does KAPE Stand for?

Kroll Artifact Parser and Extractor (KAPE)



Huge Thanks to Kroll !!

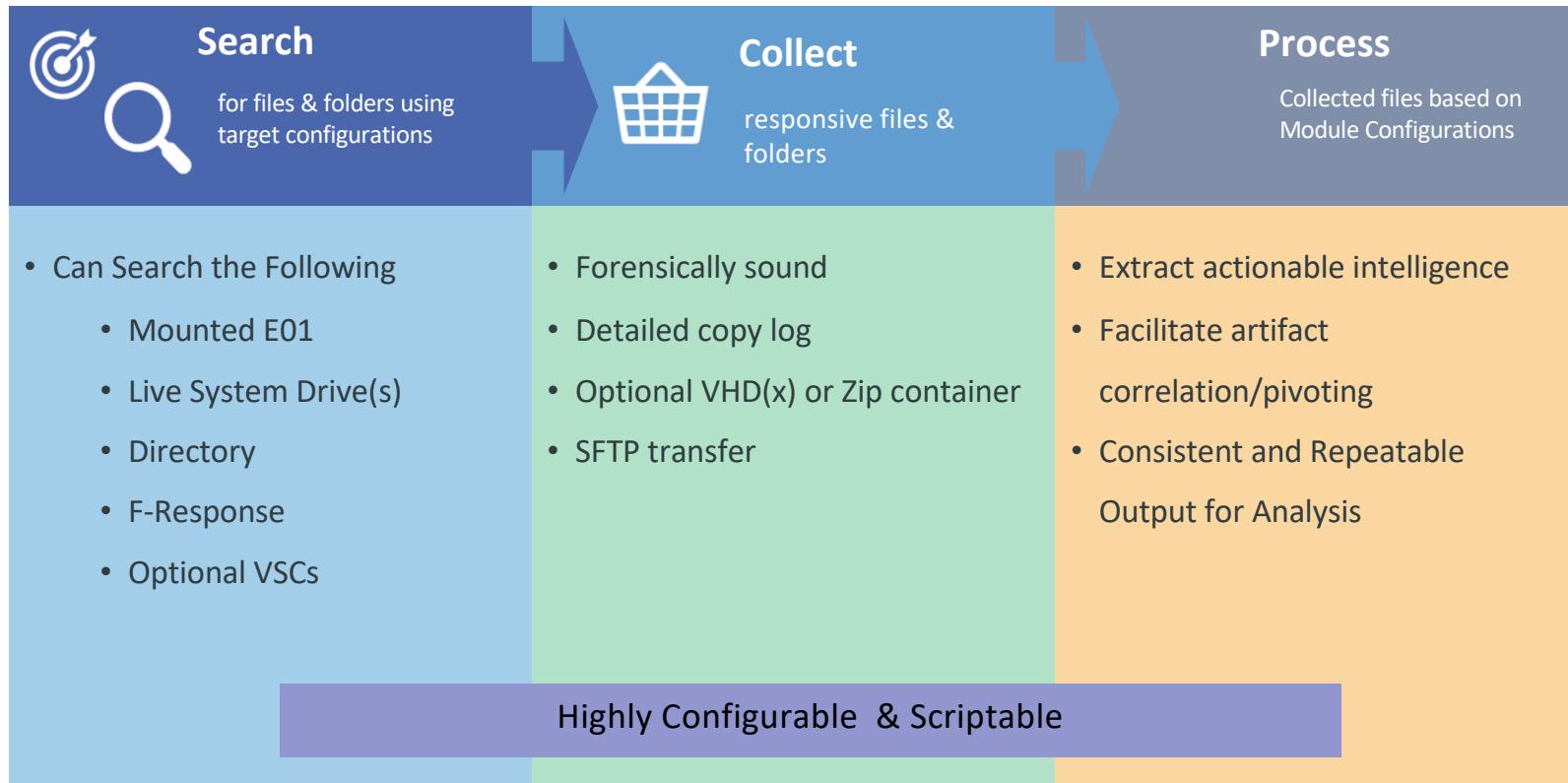
- Allowing Eric to release KAPE to the DFIR community
- Vision and belief that giving back to the DFIR community by supporting/funding projects like KAPE is extremely important



Evolution of Triage Collection Tools

- Pre-Triage – Full Disk Image
- A properly targeted triage image will capture 95%+ evidentiary significant artifacts ... the good stuff
- RoboCopy / Xcopy - copying while maintaining the attributes, timestamps and other properties
 - Scriptable but no Read Only Container
- FTK Imager – Custom Content Images
 - Not Scriptable, but Read Only Container
- CyLR
 - Scriptable, no Read Only Container, limited post collection processing

Introducing KAPE



Targets & Modules

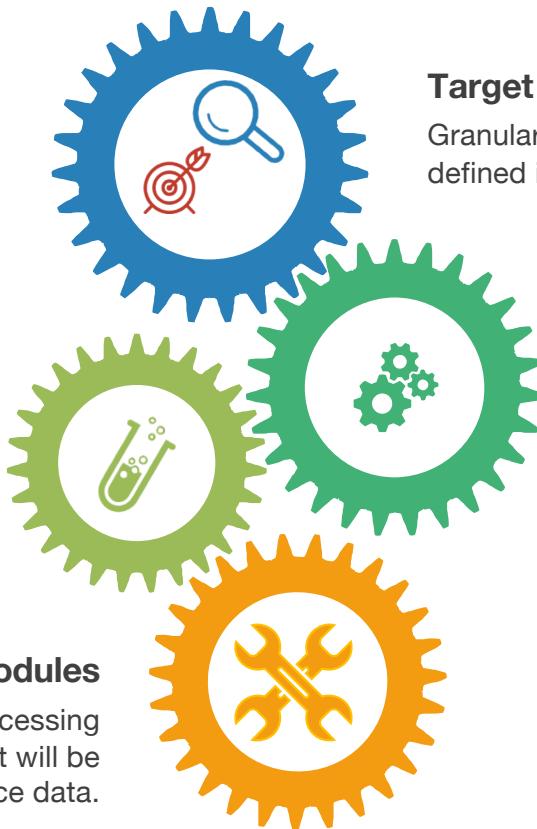
- KAPE divides its functionality into two parts:
 - Targets
 - Modules
- Targets collect files/folders
- Modules process files/folders
 - Can also run programs to collect memory or other live response data
- These operations can be done independently of each other, or combined



KAPE Component Interaction

CLI Options
KAPE command line options pull everything together to produce your results, in the format you choose.

Modules
Modules define the processing tools and options that will be run against source data.



Target Config Files

Granular, targeted searches are defined in these files.

KAPE Engine

KAPE is the engine that makes everything happen, but only with direction via Targets, Modules and command line switches.



Why is it different?

- Fast - Collecting and processing times are measurably faster
- GUI & Command Line – portable, no install
- Can Collect Locked files like registry hives
- Can Process collected data
- Highly Configurable & Scriptable
- Batch Mode
- Output Options including zipped and VHDX
- DFIR Community support - adding new targets and modules
- Eric's openness to feedback and responsiveness to updating the code



Configuration Files

Target Configs

- Define What We Collect
- File and Folder File Masks that Define Artifacts to Search For
- Can be broad or very focused
- Granular == Flexibility == Speed
- Large Set of Existing Configs
- Create your own

\$KAPE_HOME/cape/targets

Module Configs

- Defines the What / How to process
 - Scripts
 - Programs
- Single exe / Module
- Assigned to a Single “Category”



\$KAPE_HOME/cape/modules

Configurations File Examples

Target Configs

```
Description: Amcache.hve
Author: Eric Zimmerman
Version: 1
Id: 13ba1e33-4899-4843-adf1-c7e6b20d759a
RecreateDirectories: true
Targets:
  -
    Name: Amcache
    Category: ApplicationCompatibility
    Path: C:\Windows\AppCompat\Programs\Amcache.hve
    IsDirectory: false
    Recursive: false
    Comment: ""

  -
    Name: Amcache transaction files
    Category: ApplicationCompatibility
    Path: C:\Windows\AppCompat\Programs\Amcache.hve.LOG*
    IsDirectory: false
    Recursive: false
    Comment: ""
```

Module Configs

```
Description: 'AmcacheParser: extract program execution
information'
Category: ProgramExecution ←
Author: Eric Zimmerman
Version: 1
Id: 4190c518-524f-4623-8038-a014784c018c
BinaryUrl:
https://f001.backblazeb2.com/file/EricZimmermanTools/AmcacheP
arser.zip
ExportFormat: csv
FileMask: Amcache.hve
Processors:
  -
    Executable: AmcacheParser.exe
    CommandLine: -f %sourceFile% --csv %destinationDirectory% -i
    ExportFormat: csv
```

Module Categories

- Grouping Module output
Relies on Categories
- SANS Evidence of Categories
are good categories to use
- You can create your own,
but...

Name
EventLogs
FileDeletion
FileFolderAccess
ProgramExecution
Registry
tdest
2019-07-07T14_17_25_5153026_Console_Log.txt



Existing Module Categories

1. AntiVirus
2. EventLogs
3. ExifData
4. FileDeletion
5. FileFolderAccess
6. ProgramExecution
7. Registry
8. IOCs
9. LiveResponse
10. Memory
11. Passwords
12. Webservers
13. RemoteAccess
14. SystemActivity
15. VolumeInformation

User Communications

File Download

Program Execution

Deleted File or File Knowledge

Network Activity / Physical Location

File/Folder Opening

Account Usage

External Device / USB Usage

Browser Usage



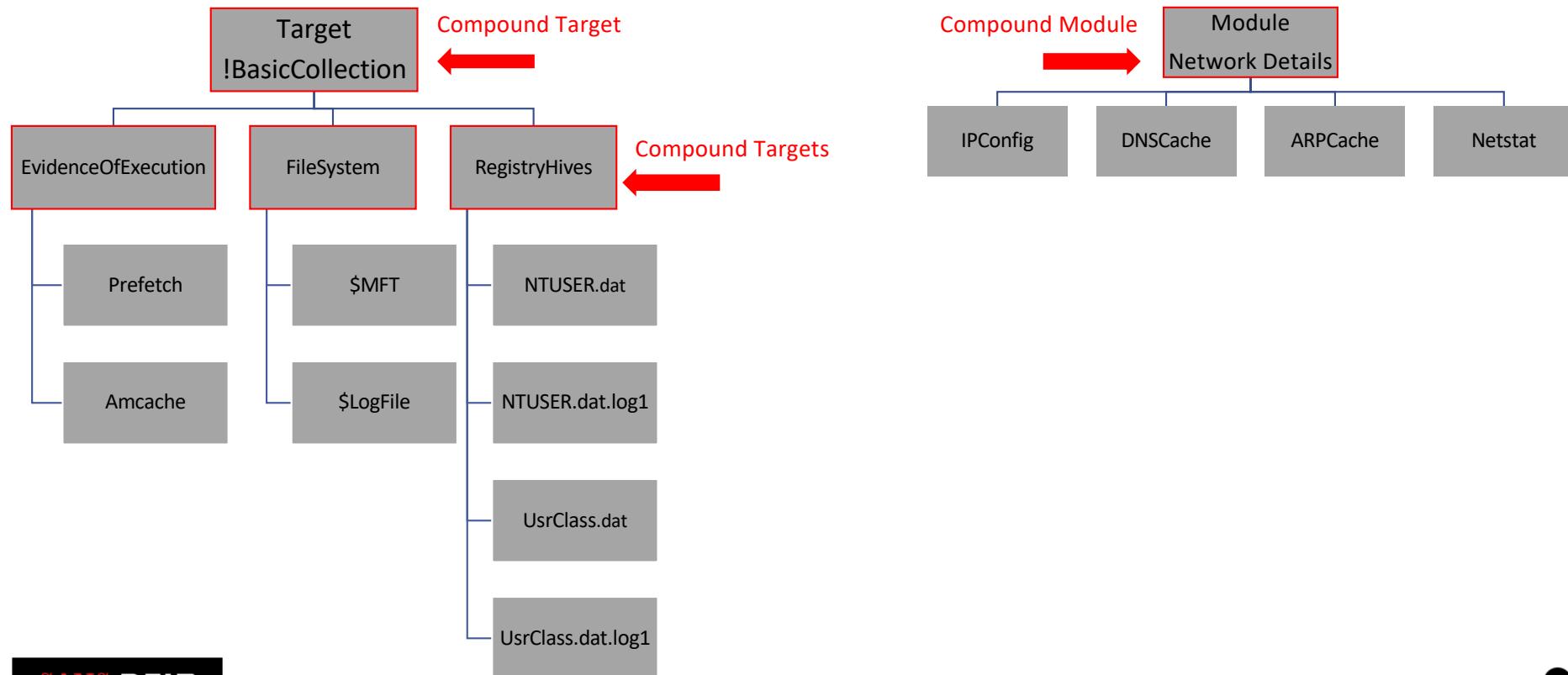
YAML is used for Configuration Files

- Pro Tips

- Copy an Existing Config file and edit
- On-line YAML Validation
 - <https://codebeautify.org/yaml-validator>
 - <https://jsonformatter.org/yaml-validator>
- With YAML, the tiniest things matter
- Tabs == BAD



Compound Target & Module Configs



Current List of Available Targets

ApacheAccessLog.tkape	ExchangeClientAccess.tkape	OutlookPSTOST.tkape	TorrentClients.tkape
BCD.tkape	ExchangeTransport.tkape	PowerShellConsole.tkape	Torrents.tkape
Chrome.tkape	FileSystem.tkape	RDPCache.tkape	USBDevicesLogs.tkape
CiscoJabber.tkape	Firefox.tkape	Recycle.tkape	VirtualDisks.tkape
CombinedLogs.tkape	Gigatribe.tkape	RegistryHives.tkape	VNCLogs.tkape
ConfluenceLogs.tkape	IISLogFile=tkape	ScheduledTasks.tkape	WBEM.tkape
Edge.tkape	InternetExplorer.tkape	SDB.tkape	WebBrowsers.tkape
EncapsulationLogging.tkape	iTunesBackup.tkape	SignatureCatalog.tkape	WER.tkape
EventLogs.tkape	LinuxOnWindowsProfileFiles.tkape	Skype.tkape	WindowsFirewall.tkape
EventTraceLogs.tkape	LnkFilesAndJumpLists.tkape	SRUM.tkape	WindowsIndexSearch.tkape
EvidenceOfExecution.tkape	McAfee.tkape	StartupInfo.tkape	WindowsNotificationsDB.tkape
Exchange.tkape	MOF.tkape	Symantec_AV_Logs.tkape	XPRestorePoints.tkape
	MSSQLErrorLog.tkape	Symantec_Daily_AV.tkape	
	NGINXLogs.tkape	Syscache.tkape	
	Notepad++.tkape	TeamViewerLogs.tkape	TeraCopy.tkape
		ThumbCache.tkape	

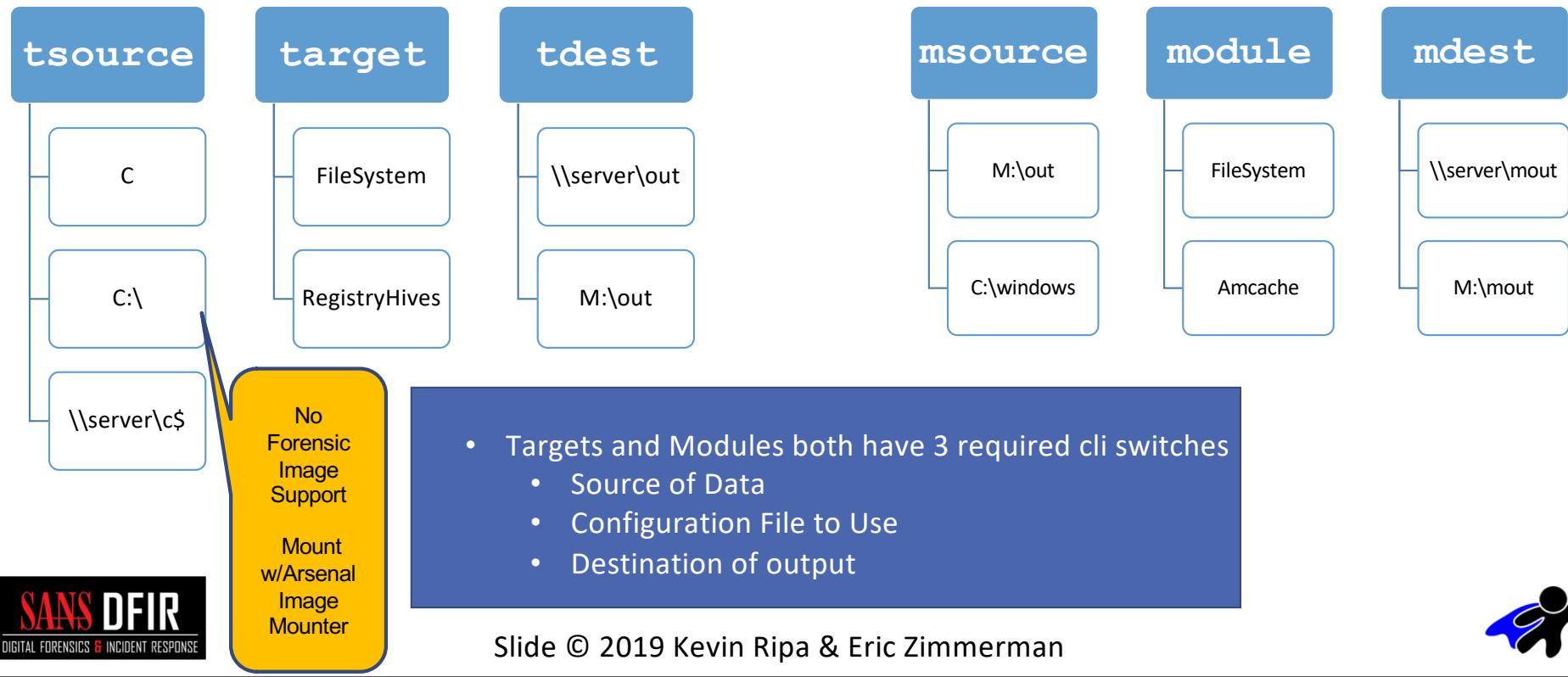


Current List of Available Modules

AmcacheParser	IPConfig	psfile	SEPM_Logs.mkape
Apache_Access_Log	iTunesBackup	psinfo	SigCheck.mkape
AppCompatCacheParser	JLECmd	pslist	SMB-Server-Anonymous-Logon.mkape
ApplicationEvents	LECMD	psloggedon	SparkCore.mkape
ApplicationFullEventLogView	Logon-Logoff-events	psservice	srum-dump.mkape
ARPCache	manage-bde	pstree	Symantec_Control_Log.mkape
autoruns	MFTECmd	PWSH-Get-ProcessList	Symantec_Daily_AV.mkape
bitlocker-key	MFTECmd_\$Boot	RBCmd	Symantec_Security_Log.mkape
BrowsingHistoryView	MFTECmd_\$J	RDP-Usage-events	Symantec_System_Log.mkape
CCM-RUA	MFTECmd_\$MFT	RDPCoreTS	Symantec_Tamper_Protection_Log.mkape
DensityScout	MFTECmd_\$SDS	RecentFileCacheParser	SystemEvents.mkape
Detailed-Network-Share-Access	NBTStat_NetBIOS_Cache	RECmd	SystemFullEventLogView.mkape
DNSCache	NBTStat_NetBIOS_Sessions	Registry_System	TaskScheduler.mkape
Dumplt	NetStat	RegRipper-ALL	tcpvcon.mkape
EvtxCmd	NetworkDetails	RegRipper-ntuser	TeraCopy-history.mkape
exiftool	PECmd	RegRipper-sam	TeraCopy-main.mkape
Get-DoSvcExternalIP	Plaso	RegRipper-security	TS-LSM.mkape
Get-InjectedThread	PowerShell	RegRipper-software	TS-RCM.mkape
Get-NetworkConnection	PowershellOperationalFullE	RegRipper-system	usbdeviceforensics.mkape
handle	ventLogView	RoutingTable.mkape	WindowsEventLogs.mkape
Hashes	PrintServiceOperationalFullE	SBECmd.mkape	WinPmem.mkape
Hindsight	ventLogView	ScheduledTasksFullEventLogView.mkape	WxTCmd.mkape
	ProcessDetails	SecurityEvents.mkape	
		SecurityFullEventLogView.mkape	

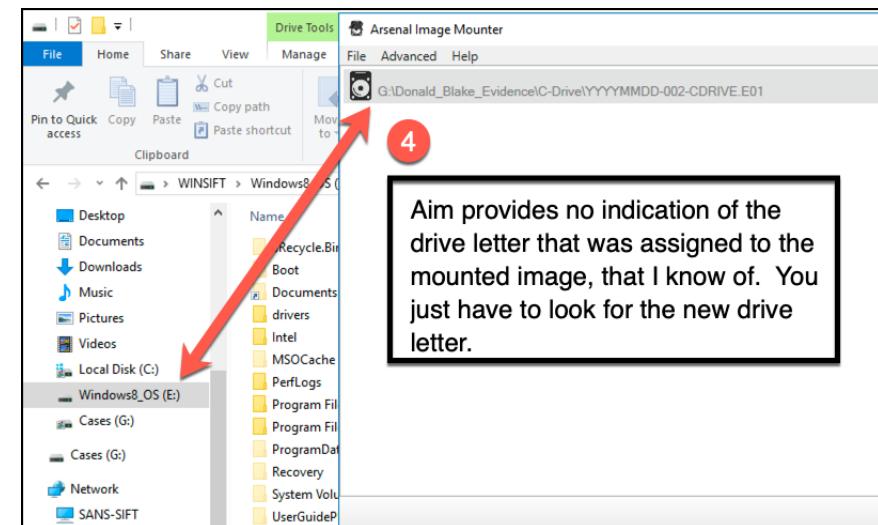
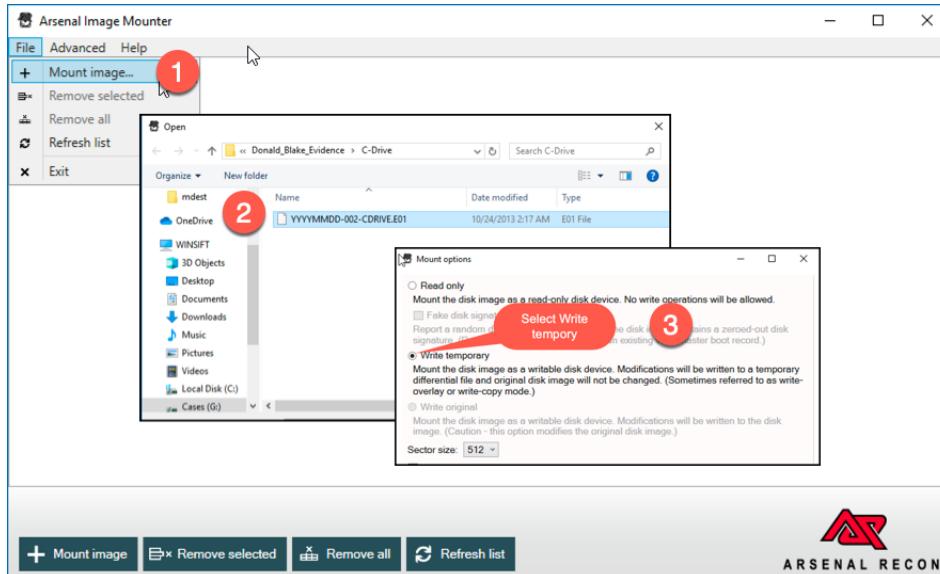


Required Parameters



KAPE– Mounting Forensic Images

- KAPE can't read forensics images like an E01
- Mount images with free Arsenal Image Mounter tool



Command Line Basics

Required cli switches

- tsource** Target source drive to copy files from (C, D:, or G:\ for example)
- target** Target configuration to use
- tdest** Destination directory to copy files to.
%d will be expanded to a timestamp (yyyyMMddTHHmmss).
If --vhdx, --vhd or --zip is set, files will end up in VHD(X) container or zip file

```
cape --tsource <target C:> --target <target-name(s)>  
--tdest <target-destination>
```

```
cape --tsource C: --target LnkFilesAndJumpLists  
--tdest G:\cape_out\tdest
```

More Target cli

- Single Compound Target
- Flush – delete all the data from the target destination
- Save the files in a VHDX (which is compressed by default)
- Use an environment variable for the base part of the VHDX file name

```
kape --tsource C: --target EvidenceOfExecution  
--tflush  
--tdest G:\kape_out\tdest  
--vhdx $env:ComputerName
```

Description: Evidence of execution related files
Author: Eric Zimmerman
Version: 1
Id: 13ba1e33-4899-4843-adf0-c7e6a20d758a
RecreateDirectories: true
Targets:

- Name: Prefetch
Category: Prefetch
Path: C:\Windows\prefetch*.pf
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""
- Name: RecentFileCache
Category: ApplicationCompatibility
Path: C:\Windows\AppCompat\Programs\RecentFileCache.bcf
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""
- Name: Amcache
Category: ApplicationCompatibility
Path: Amcache.tkape
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""
- Name: Syscache
Category: Syscache
Path: Syscache.tkape
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""



More Target cli

- Single Compound Target
- Destination is a UNC Path
- Extracts targets from Volume Shadow Copies

```
cape --tsource C --target RegistryHives --vss  
--tflush --tdest \\share\DFIR\cape_out\tdest  
--vhdx $env:ComputerName
```



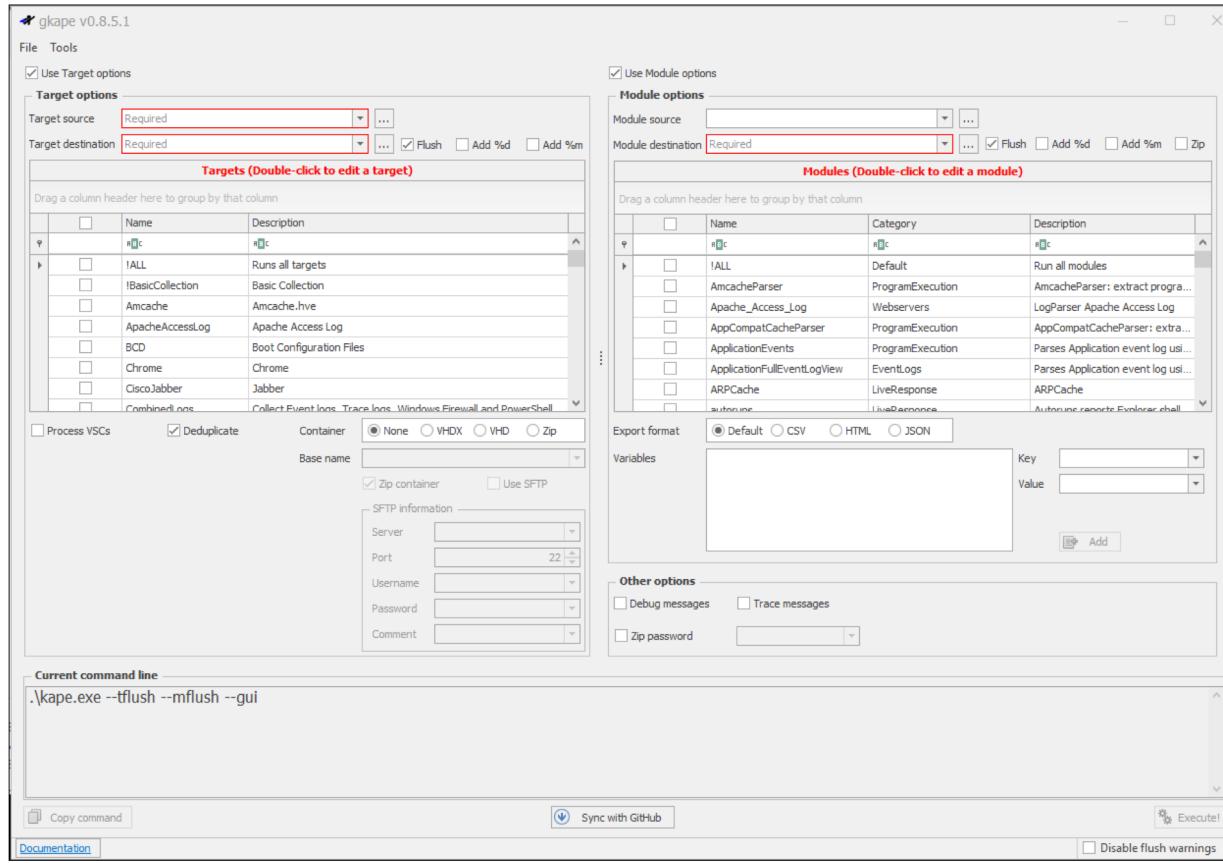
More Target cli

- Multiple Compound Targets
- Source is a file share referenced with UNC Path
- Destination is also a UNC Path
- Extract files from the VSS & dedupe them
- Send data to a

scs - SFTP server host/IP for transferring *compressed VHD(X)* container
scp - SFTP server port. Default is 22
scu - SFTP server username. Required when using --scs
scpw - SFTP server password
scc - Comment to include with transfer. Useful to include where a transfer came from. Defaults to the name of the machine where KAPE is running

```
cape --tflush --tsource C: --target RegistryHives,  
LnkFilesAndJumpLists, EvidenceOfExecution --tdest  
C:\temp\tout -vss -tdd --vhdx $env:ComputerName  
--scs 104.248.94.196 --scp 22 --scu kape-ssh --scpw "KAP3g0at"
```

GKAPE (GUI KAPE)



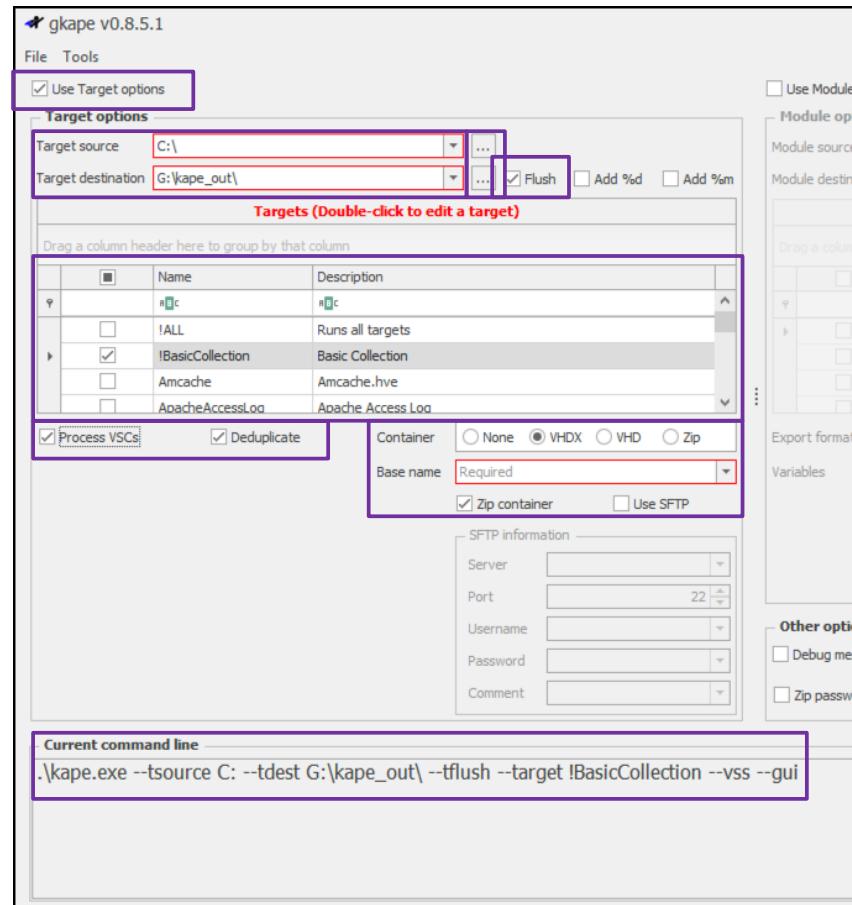
Checkout Eric Zimmerman's
*Exploring KAPE's
Graphical User Interface*

Link on this Workshop's GitHub Page

<https://github.com/mark-hallman/DFRWS-2019-KAPE-Workshop>



GKAPE - Targets





Hands On Lab
Working with
Targets

Examples of Target Output

- Replicate the Folder structure
- Containers
 - VHDXs, VHDs, zip
 - zipped and unzipped
 - Volume Shadow Copies (vss)
- Log files



Replicated Folder Structure

View of Target Output in tdest

Evidence Tree

File List

Name	Date Modified
AutomaticDestinations	3/16/2012 9:35:51 PM
CustomDestinations	4/6/2012 7:44:05 PM
S130	4/4/2012 8:03:17 PM
0071428674_Section13.lnk	9/17/2011 4:40:41 PM
Adamantium (2).lnk	9/17/2011 4:44:00 PM
Adamantium (3).lnk	9/17/2011 4:45:14 PM
Adamantium (3).lnk.FileSlack	9/17/2011 4:41:18 PM
Adamantium.lnk	3/9/2012 8:56:53 PM
Agent-List-Classified.lnk	3/16/2012 8:24:02 PM
Agents-List-CLASSIFIED-TOP-SECRET (2).lnk	3/9/2012 8:56:53 PM
Agents-List-CLASSIFIED-TOP-SECRET.lnk	11/10/2010 10:23:40 AM
All Control Panel Items.lnk	9/17/2011 4:40:03 PM
al_material_matters_v2n.lnk	3/9/2012 3:59:32 PM
al_material_matters_v2n4.lnk.FileSlack	9/17/2011 4:45:14 PM
Appearance and Personalization.lnk	9/17/2011 4:45:14 PM
Armor Files.lnk	3/12/2012 8:57:15 PM
Armor Files.lnk.FileSlack	8/28/2011 10:54:37 PM
Backstopped Accounts.lnk	
black-widow.lnk	
black-widow.lnk	
PrivateIE	
Recent	
My Pictures.lnk.FileSlack	9/17/2011 4:40:10 PM
Nature_of_Metals_and_Alloys.lnk	
Nature_of_Metals_and_Alloys.lnk.FileSlack	
New-Site-HQ-And-Landing-Pad.lnk	3/16/2012 8:11:49 PM
New-Site-HQ-And-Landing-Pad.lnk.FileSlack	
ninja-user02.lnk	4/1/2012 2:17:39 PM
ninja-user02.lnk.FileSlack	
ninjarules.lnk	3/16/2012 9:40:43 PM
ninjarules.lnk.FileSlack	3/16/2012 9:33:04 PM
Ninjas.lnk	3/16/2012 9:41:58 PM
PDF.lnk	4/1/2012 2:17:39 PM
Pictures.lnk	8/28/2011 10:38:22 PM
PPT.lnk	3/16/2012 9:42:47 PM
PPT.lnk.FileSlack	
rolllikeaninja.lnk	3/16/2012 9:32:22 PM
rolllikeaninja.lnk.FileSlack	

Shortcuts

- PrivateIE
- Recent
- Start Menu
- Templates
- Themes
- Word
- Word
- Skype
- TweetDeckFast.FFF259DC0CE2657
- Application Data
- Contacts
- Cookies
- Desktop
- Documents
- Downloads
- Favorites

View of Source in FTK Imager

evidence

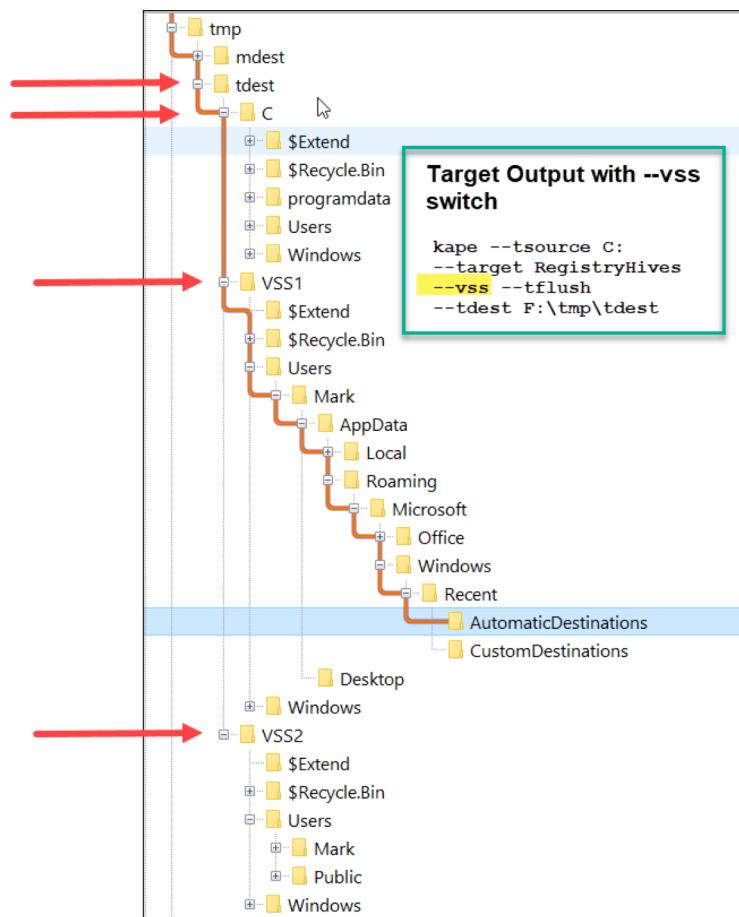
File List

Name	Date Modified
AutomaticDestinations	
CustomDestinations	
0071428674_Section13.lnk	
Adamantium (2).lnk	
Adamantium (3).lnk	
Adamantium.lnk	
Agent-List-Classified.lnk	
Agents-List-CLASSIFIED-TOP-SECRET (2).lnk	
Agents-List-CLASSIFIED-TOP-SECRET.lnk	
All Control Panel Items.lnk	
al_material_matters_v2n.lnk	
Appearance and Personalization.lnk	
Armor Files.lnk	
Backstopped Accounts.lnk	
black-widow.lnk	
Captain America's shield (2).lnk	
Captain America's shield.lnk	
Carrier Landing Pad.lnk	
CC-Backstopped-Accounts.lnk	
clp-1.lnk	
Credit-Card-Numbers-For-Research.lnk	
desktop.ini	
hq-1.lnk	
HQ.lnk	

```
Targets > SRUM.tkape
1 Description: System Resource Usage Monitor
2 Author: Mark Hallman
3 Version: 1
4 Id: 9858f1fc-5e22-46a0-8bfd-c821ac9b4a13
5 RecreateDirectories: true
6 Targets:
```

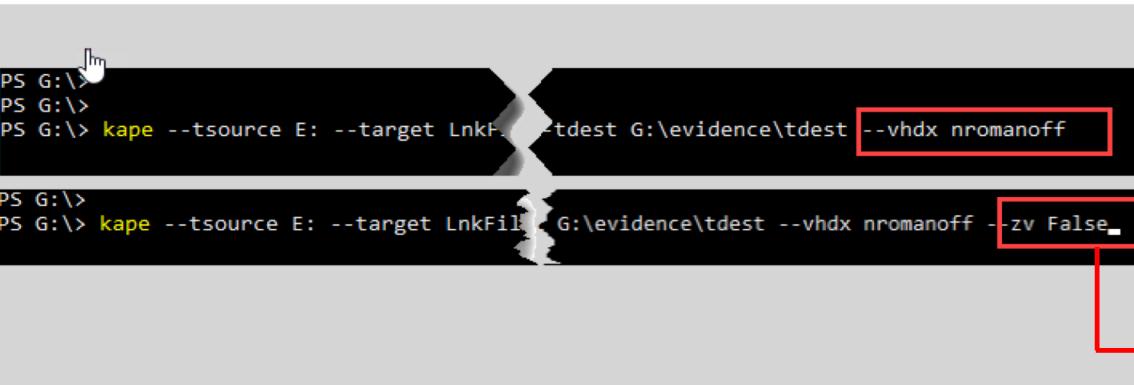


Volume Shadow Copy Output



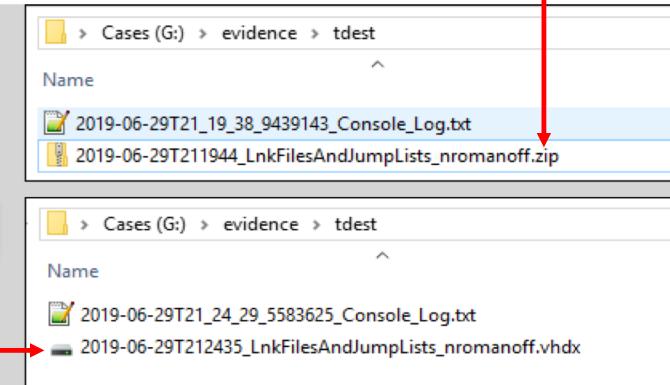
Containers for Target Output

- --vhdx - The base name of the VHDX file

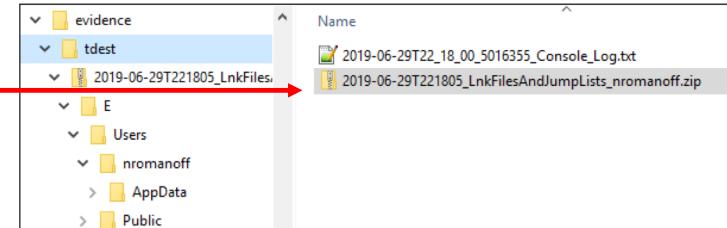


```
PS G:\>
PS G:\>
PS G:\> kape --tsource E: --target LnkFiles --tdest G:\evidence\tdest --vhdx nromanoff
PS G:\>
PS G:\> kape --tsource E: --target LnkFiles --tdest G:\evidence\tdest --vhdx nromanoff --zv False
```

Zipped VHDX is default for --vhdx



- --vhd - The base name of the VHD file
- --zip - The base name of the ZIP file



Output Logs

3 log files generated for targets

- %d_Console_Log.txt
- %d_target_copylog.txt
- %d_target_copylog.csv



Console_Log.txt

```
File Edit Selection View Go Debug Terminal Help 2019-06-29T22_18_00_5016355_Console_Log.txt - Visual Studio Code
2019-06-29T22_18_00_5016355_Console_Log.txt x
g: > evidence > tdest > 2019-06-29T22_18_00_5016355_Console_Log.txt
1 2019-06-29 22:18:01.2147 | I | KAPE version 0.8.5.0 Author: Eric Zimmerman (cape@kroll.com)
2 2019-06-29 22:18:01.2476 | I | KAPE directory: C:\Forensic Program Files\CAPE
3 2019-06-29 22:18:01.2476 | I | Command line: --tsource E: --target LnkFilesAndJumpLists --tdest G:\evidence\tdest --zip nromanoff
4 2019-06-29 22:18:02.0330 | I | Using Target operations
5 2019-06-29 22:18:02.0478 | I | Found 6 targets. Expanding targets to file list...
6 2019-06-29 22:18:02.2927 | I | Found 129 files. Beginning copy...
7 2019-06-29 22:18:05.7889 | I | Copied 114 (Deduplicated: 15) out of 129 files in 3.7554 seconds. See '*_copylog.*' in the VHD(X)/Zip located in 'G:\evidence\tdest' for copy details
8 2019-06-29 22:18:05.8479 | W | Compressing files to 'G:\evidence\tdest\2019-06-29T221805_LnkFilesAndJumpLists_nromanoff.zip'...
9 2019-06-29 22:18:06.2601 | I | Cleaning up files in 'G:\evidence\tdest'...
10 2019-06-29 22:18:06.4351 | F | Total execution time: 4.3994 seconds
11
```



Copylog.csv

Timeline Explorer v0.9.2.2

File Tools Help

2019-06-29T21_19_38_9439143_LnkFilesAndJumpLists_copylog.csv

Enter text to search... Find Clear Search options

Drag a column header here to group by that column

Line	Tag	Copied Timestamp	Source File	Destination File	File Size	Source File Sha1	Deferred Copy	Created
1		2019-06-29 21:19:41.10604...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	2813	57C37DE7E8205B4A8012AEF115...		2011-
2		2019-06-29 21:19:41.17415...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	3685	485CE0CCFE04786005932657...		2011-
3		2019-06-29 21:19:41.18599...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	990	0A7A5E0463B34128125DA485F...		2011-
4		2019-06-29 21:19:41.19918...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	3685	1040715FBF115557BF8E6AFF...		2011-
5		2019-06-29 21:19:41.23620...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	6324	4A644E1CAE99C287CF2087286...		2012-
6		2019-06-29 21:19:41.24803...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	3945	6C6AB98C21695E5A885D85DDB...		2012-
7		2019-06-29 21:19:41.25795...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	7819	2745C9BE08159754E42968E9F...		2012-
8		2019-06-29 21:19:41.27422...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	156	815253BECB4D001C3A0F57B67...		2010-
9		2019-06-29 21:19:41.28795...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	2861	66FA58AB9B9152081EE559C0...		2011-
10		2019-06-29 21:19:41.29597...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	156	96A878C76DA2E1337F8ABE66C...		2010-
11		2019-06-29 21:19:41.30902...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	850	091836D0E4EDC126ECB10A52B...		2011-
12		2019-06-29 21:19:41.33625...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	2476	882C8AE86EBBE55357AE5606E...		2012-
13		2019-06-29 21:19:41.34797...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	2467	E34C70605C72812A475287621...		2011-
14		2019-06-29 21:19:41.35914...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	1074	DAE7171E38B0AED26A02A55E9...		2011-
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18		2019-06-29 21:19:41.42796...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	5410	94524A2EA004312641AB8D6D9...		2012-
19		2019-06-29 21:19:41.45294...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	3135	4364330E1F3FEA9594980B14A...		2012-
20		2019-06-29 21:19:41.45616...	E:\Users\nromanoff\AppData...	G:\evidence\tdest\E\Users...	172	D1D955015A115200077121666...		2012-

F:\2019-06-29T21_19_38_9439143_LnkFilesAndJumpLists_copylog.csv Total lines 114 | Visible lines 114





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Modules

Process the collected data



Basic Module cli

Required cli switches

msource Module source folder to process files from
module Module configuration to use
mdest Destination directory to copy files for processing output.
RTFM for more on --tdest

```
cape --msource <target C:> --module <module-name(s)>  
--mdest <module-destination>
```

```
cape --msource G:\cape_out\tdest --module LECmd,JLEcmd  
--mdest G:\cape_out\mdest
```

More Module cli

- Processing data collected by the Compound Target, EvidenceOfExecution
- Requires more than one Module (at least with the currently defined modules, you could create one

```
cape --msource G:\cape_out\tdest  
--module PEcmd,AmcacheParser  
--mflush --mdest G:\cape_out\mdest
```

Description: Evidence of execution related files
Author: Eric Zimmerman
Version: 1
Id: 13ba1e33-4899-4843-adf0-c7e6a20d758a
RecreateDirectories: true
Targets:

Name: Prefetch
Category: Prefetch
Path: C:\Windows\prefetch*.pf
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""

Name: RecentFileCache
Category: ApplicationCompatability
Path: C:\Windows\AppCompat\Programs\RecentFileCache.bcf
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""

Name: Amcache
Category: ApplicationCompatility
Path: Amcache.tkape
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""

Name: Syscache
Category: Syscache
Path: Syscache.tkape
IsDirectory: false
Recursive: false
Comment: ""



Module Config Vars

- Used to replace parameters in the cli
- KAPE has some Variables built in
- “mvars” can be used to provide additional vars to commands used in modules

KAPE Variable	Description
%sourceDirectory%	Full path to the dir where all filescan be found
%destinationDirectory%	Full path to the root directory where a file will be saved
%sourceFile%	
%capeDirectory%	Contains the full path to where KAPE was launched
%fileName%	The file name being processed by a module
%computername% - cmd \$env:ComputerName - PowerShell	



Modules Variables (mvars)

- --mvars allows you to pass in your own vars
- Modules must be created to accept the mvars
- Vars are key:value pairs – not positional

Existing Module

Executable: EvtxECmd.exe

CommandLine: -d %sourceDirectory% --csv %destinationDirectory%

Cmd we want to have KAPE run

```
EvtxECmd.exe -d G:\cape_out\tdest\C --csv G:\cape_out\mdest --inc evtx_id:"4624,4625" --sd start_date: "2019-03-02 03:00:00"
```

New Module

Executable: EvtxECmd.exe

CommandLine: -d %sourceDirectory% --csv %destinationDirectory% --inc %evtx_id% --sd %start_date%

New Command using --mvars

```
cape --msource G:\cape_out\tdest\C --module Evtxcustom --mdest G:\cape_out\mdest --mvars "evtx_id:4624,4625","start_date: 2019-02-01 03:00:00"
```

Batch Mode

- Batch mode is driven by creating a file named _cape.cli and adding one or more kape command lines in the file.
- Place the _cape.cli file in the same folder as the kape.exe.
- Remember that a module can only contain one executable, Batch Mode is one mechanism to run multiple modules
- Consistency and Repeatability. Same script used on all custodians.
- Spawns a instance of KAPE for line in the _cape.cli file.
 - Structure your batch file(s) or jobs to allow Target Completion before Module Start.
- Ending a line in the file with “**--gui**” will keep each spawned window open for review.

Batch Mode Example

1

```
cape --tsource C: --target !BasicCollection --tdest G:\tmp\tdest --tflush  
--vss --tdd
```

2

_kape.cli is moved to KAPE folder

3

```
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module AmcacheParser --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module EvtxECmd,Prefetch,PECmd --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module RecentFileCacheParser --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module MFTECmd_$MFT,MFTECmd_$J,MFTECmd_$SDS,MFTECmd_$Boot --mdest  
G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module JLECmd,LECcmd --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module RBCmd --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module RECcmd --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module SRUM-Dump --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module usbdeviceforensics --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui  
--msource G:\tmp\tdest --module WxTCmd --mdest G:\tmp\mdest --mflush --gui
```



Batch Mode

```
1 --tsource c: --tdest G:\cape_out\tdest --tflush --target  
EvidenceOfExecution --vss --tdd --msource G:\cape_out\tdest --mdest  
G:\cape_out\mdest\ --module Prefetch, RecentFileCacheParser,  
AmcacheParser, RECmdSysCache
```

We know this won't work because of timing

```
1 --tsource c: --tdest G:\cape_out\tdest --tflush --target  
EvidenceOfExecution --vss --tdd  
2 --msource G:\cape_out\tdest --mdest G:\cape_out\mdest\ --module Prefetch,  
RecentFileCacheParser, AmcacheParser, RECmdSysCache  
3
```



KAPE at Scale

```
$tkape_cmd = {cmd.exe /c "c:\temp\kape\kape.exe --  
tsource c: --tflush --tdest c:\temp\output\target --  
target $Using:targets --vhdx $env:ComputerName --  
msource c:\temp\output\target --mflush --mdest  
c:\temp\output\module --zm TRUE --module  
$Using:modules"}
```

```
Invoke-Command -ComputerName (Get-Content  
Computers.txt) -ScriptBlock $tkape_cmd
```

