



Open Source Mobile Device Forensics

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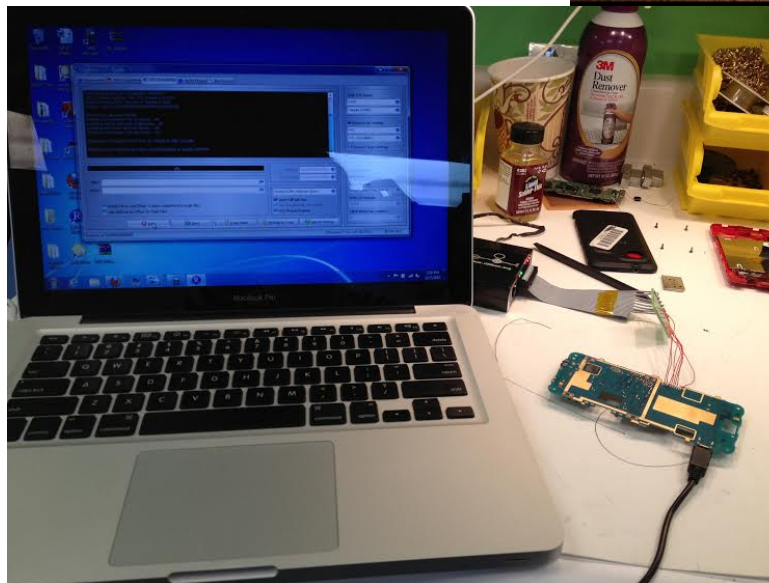
iOS Devices

- Zdziarski Methods
- Boot Rom Vulnerability Exploits
 - Custom Ramdisk via SSH
 - The iPhone Data Protection Tools
- iTunes

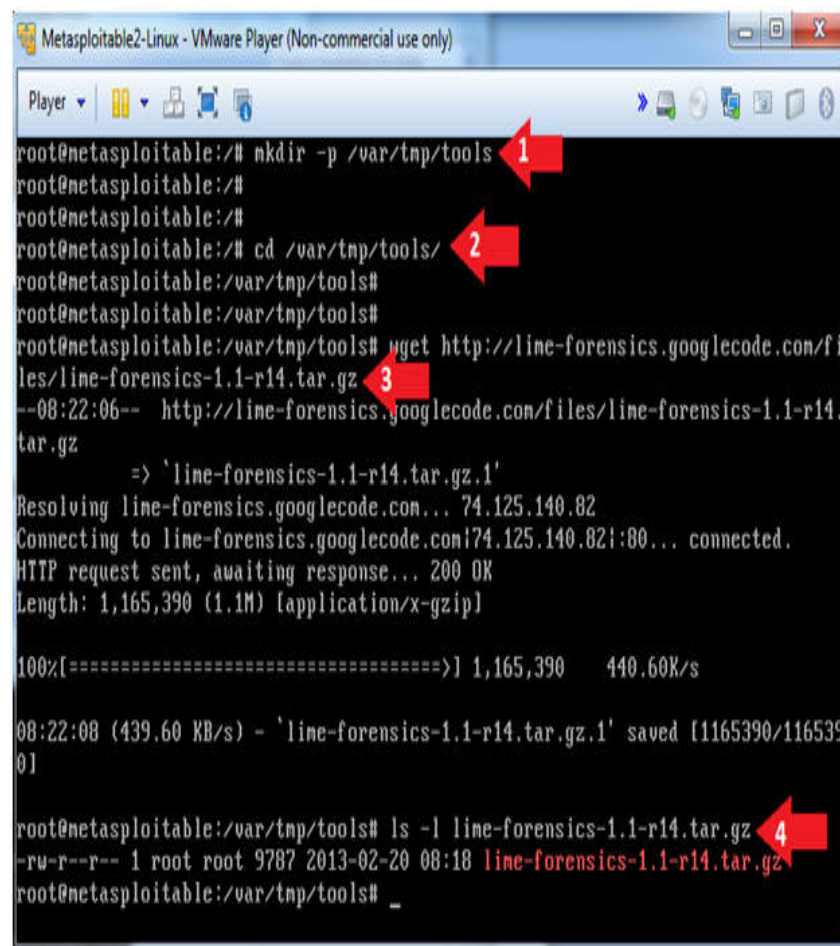
Android Devices

- viaLogical
- ADB Backup
- OSAF Toolkit
- Santoku
- DD
 - Not supported for all devices
- JTAG/Chip-off

- How old is the device?
- Is the device locked?
- Is the device damaged?
- Are you Law Enforcement?



- LiME (Linux Memory Extractor)
 - First tool to support full memory captures of Android smartphones!
 - TCP dump or saved to SD card
 - Uses ADB



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Metasploitable2-Linux - VMware Player (Non-commercial use only)
Player
root@metasploitable:/# mkdir -p /var/tmp/tools
root@metasploitable:/#
root@metasploitable:/#
root@metasploitable:/# cd /var/tmp/tools/
root@metasploitable:/var/tmp/tools#
root@metasploitable:/var/tmp/tools#
root@metasploitable:/var/tmp/tools# wget http://line-forensics.googlecode.com/files/line-forensics-1.1-r14.tar.gz
--08:22:06-- http://line-forensics.googlecode.com/files/line-forensics-1.1-r14.tar.gz
=> 'line-forensics-1.1-r14.tar.gz.1'
Resolving line-forensics.googlecode.com... 74.125.140.82
Connecting to line-forensics.googlecode.com|74.125.140.82|:80... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 1,165,390 (1.1M) [application/x-gzip]

100%[=====] 1,165,390 440.60K/s

08:22:08 (439.60 KB/s) - 'line-forensics-1.1-r14.tar.gz.1' saved [1165390/1165390]

root@metasploitable:/var/tmp/tools# ls -l line-forensics-1.1-r14.tar.gz
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 9787 2013-02-20 08:18 line-forensics-1.1-r14.tar.gz
root@metasploitable:/var/tmp/tools#
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iOS Devices

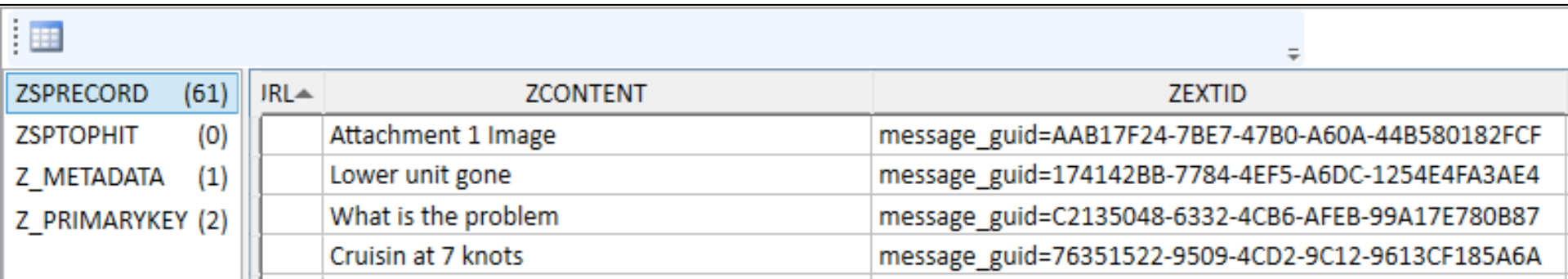
- iPhone Backup Analyzer
- iExplorer
- iBackupBot
- Scalpel
- SQLite Browser
- Plist Editor
- WhatsApp Extract
 - Contacts.sqlite and ChatStorage.sqlite
- Manual examination
- Customized scripts

Android Devices

- Autopsy
 - Android Module
- WhatsApp Extract
 - wa.db and msgstore.db
- Scalpel
- SQLite Browser
- Hex Editor
- Anything capable of mounting EXT
- FTK Imager
- Customized scripts
- Manual examination

- Commercial tools are expensive
 - They still miss data
 - They don't parse third party applications completely
 - They omit relevant databases when extracting data
 - They don't support all devices
- Open Source tools
 - See above!

/private/var/mobile/library/Spotlight/com.apple.mobilesms/
– smssearchindex.sqlite



ZSPRECORD (61)	IRL▲	ZCONTENT	ZEXTID
ZSPTOPHIT (0)		Attachment 1 Image	message_guid=AAB17F24-7BE7-47B0-A60A-44B580182FCF
Z_METADATA (1)		Lower unit gone	message_guid=174142BB-7784-4EF5-A6DC-1254E4FA3AE4
Z_PRIMARYKEY (2)		What is the problem	message_guid=C2135048-6332-4CB6-AFEB-99A17E780B87
		Cruisin at 7 knots	message_guid=76351522-9509-4CD2-9C12-9613CF185A6A

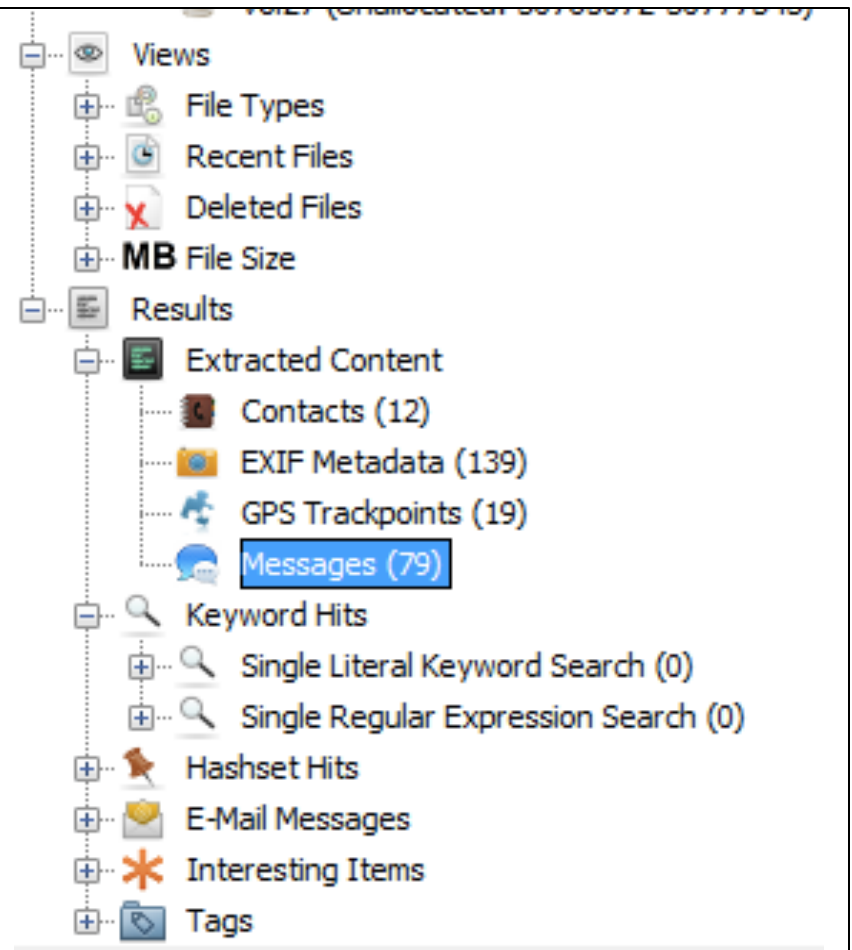
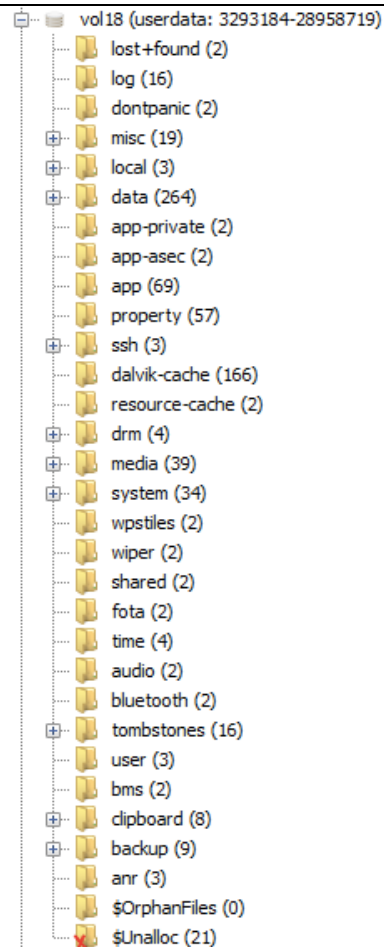
- Provides SMS message data
 - Active and deleted messages
 - Should be compared to sms.db
 - May show traces of attachments (metadata)

**Not commonly parsed by any tool!*

- GUI built on The Sleuth Kit
- Next version (v3.1.1) will include Android module
- Customizable
- Complete analytical platform
- Android dumps can be loaded as normal disk images or file folders



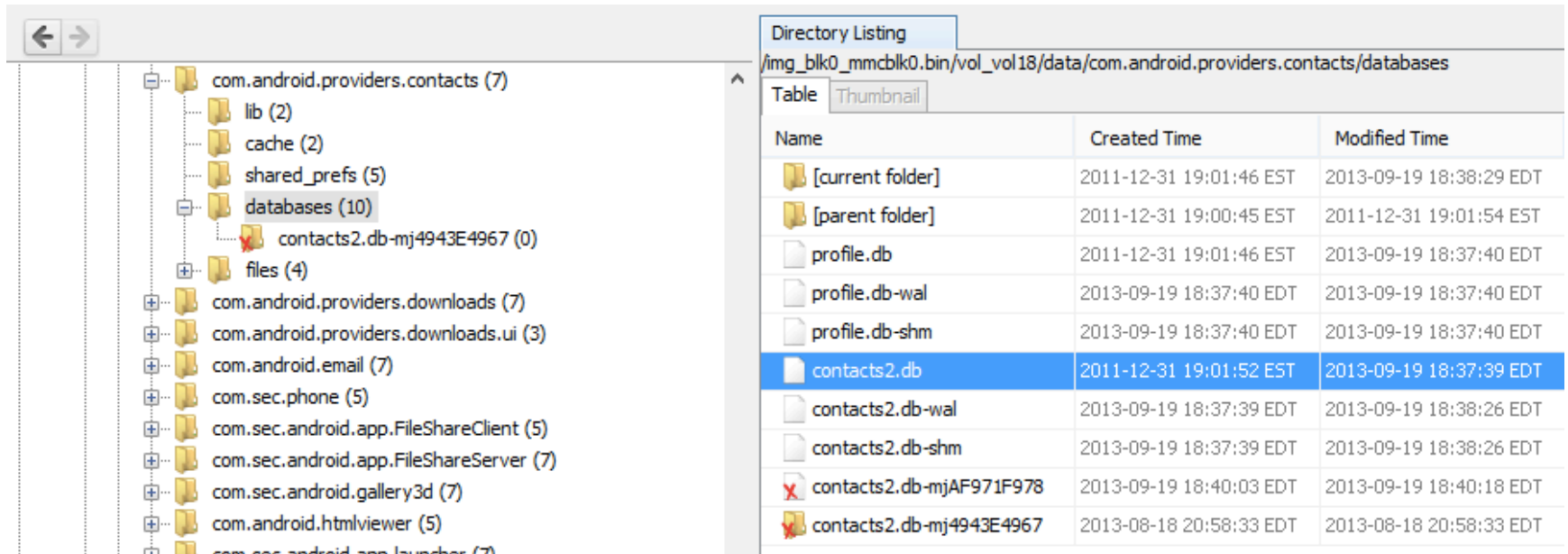
Android Examination



- Parsed from Contacts2.db file
 - Raw_contacts and ABPerson

Directory Listing				
Contacts				
Table Thumbnail				
Source File	Data Source	Name	Phone Number	Email
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin			
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Che	#99	
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Gus		stro
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Han	1339	livin
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Iles	+23	joy
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	MBE	(608	
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Mlio	+1 6	
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Pizza Hut	+1 6	
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Refill Now	*23	
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Sam		san
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	Tom	+15	tbin
contacts2.db	blk0_mmcbld0.bin	livin		living

Examining the Raw Contacts (1)








Directory Listing

/img_blk0_mmcblk0.bin/vol_vol18/data/com.android.providers.contacts/databases

Table Thumbnail

Name	Created Time	Modified Time
[current folder]	2011-12-31 19:01:46 EST	2013-09-19 18:38:29 EDT
[parent folder]	2011-12-31 19:00:45 EST	2011-12-31 19:01:54 EST
profile.db	2011-12-31 19:01:46 EST	2013-09-19 18:37:40 EDT
profile.db-wal	2013-09-19 18:37:40 EDT	2013-09-19 18:37:40 EDT
profile.db-shm	2013-09-19 18:37:40 EDT	2013-09-19 18:37:40 EDT
contacts2.db	2011-12-31 19:01:52 EST	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT
contacts2.db-wal	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT	2013-09-19 18:38:26 EDT
contacts2.db-shm	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT	2013-09-19 18:38:26 EDT
contacts2.db-mjAF971F978	2013-09-19 18:40:03 EDT	2013-09-19 18:40:18 EDT
contacts2.db-mj4943E4967	2013-08-18 20:58:33 EDT	2013-08-18 20:58:33 EDT

Examining the Raw Contacts (2)

 contacts2.db	2011-12-31 19:01:52 EST	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT	2011-12-31 19:01:52 EST
 contacts2.db-wal	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT	2013-09-19 18:38:26 EDT	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT
 contacts2.db-shm	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT	2013-09-19 18:38:26 EDT	2013-09-19 18:37:39 EDT
 contacts2.db-mjAF971F978	2013-09-19 18:40:03 EDT	2013-09-19 18:40:18 EDT	2013-09-19 18:40:03 EDT
 contacts2.db-mj4943E4967	2013-08-18 20:58:33 EDT	2013-08-18 20:58:33 EDT	2013-08-18 20:58:33 EDT

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HexStringsMetadataResultsTextMedia

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0x00003a40:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003a50:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003a60:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003a70:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003a80:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003a90:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003aa0:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003ab0:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00
0x00003ac0:	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	00 00 00 00	05 3A 00 33	21 94 34 64:3!.4d
0x00003ad0:	69 72 74 79	63 73 65 7A	40 67 6D 61	69 6C 2E 63z@gmail.c	
0x00003ae0:	6F 6D 63 6F	6D 2E 67 6F	6F 67 6C 65	EF BE AD DE	omcom.google....	
0x00003af0:	02 00 00 00	04 05 00 00	42 4E 44 4C	03 00 00 00BNDL....	

- Parses messages and chats from SMS, MMS and some third party applications

mmssms.db	She knows nothing.	+13	1379119670179
mmssms.db	Ya sure you can't get her phone? It'd be good to get her pw for wor...	+13	1379119753380
mmssms.db	I have other ideas in mind. She will hand it all to me!	+13	1379119788935
mmssms.db	Charm her man! You know be romeo!	+13	1379119795722
mmssms.db	I'd feel safer if we knew who she talks to.	+13	1379119873170
mmssms.db	Done! Don't worry. I have it under control	+13	1379119901947

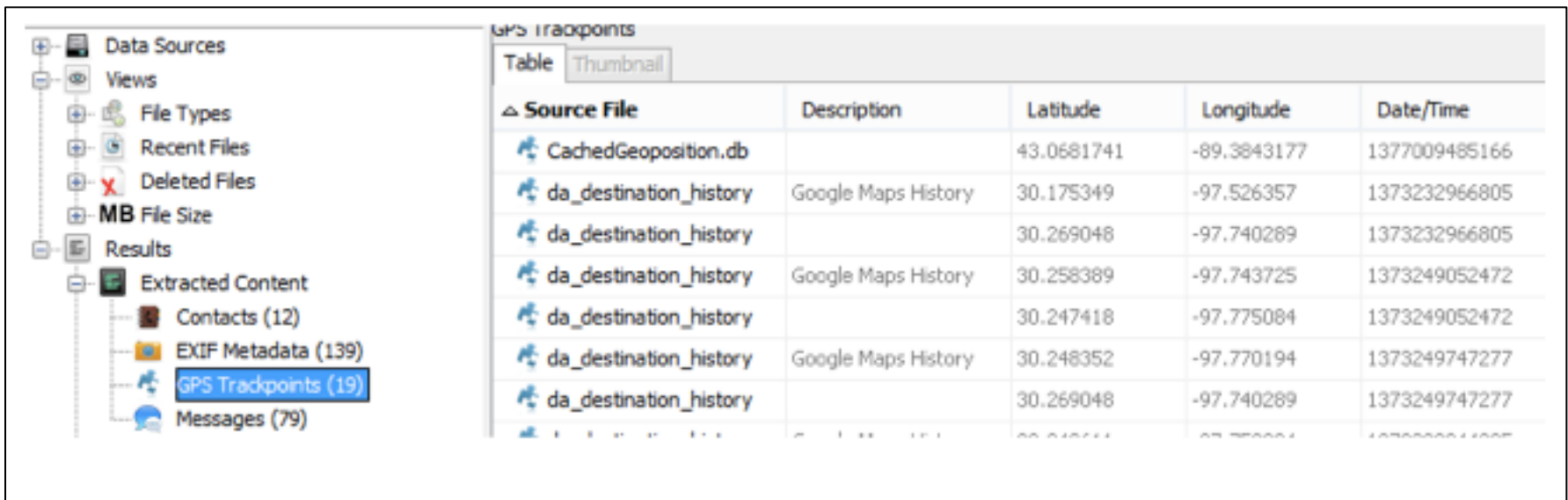
WordsFramework	gotcha. thx.	2013-09-19T01:...
WordsFramework	Sent u the info	2013-09-19T01:...
WordsFramework	fed ex is better than regular mail.	2013-09-18T22:...
WordsFramework	how did u know that word.	2013-08-18T17:...
WordsFramework	yeah. its the only word I had to play.	2013-08-18T17:...
WordsFramework	r u real.....	2013-08-18T17:...
WordsFramework	thanks! the tile gods were smiling.	2013-08-05T14:...
WordsFramework	good grief,that was a good one,well done	2013-08-05T12:...
WordsFramework	sorry for delay,been on hols	2013-07-28T19:...

- Encryption vs. Encoding
- Base64 decoder built into Autopsy Android module

Table: messages					
	send time	direction	status	payload	
1	1372822758904	2	1	EhZtQzVtUFVQWmgxWnNRUDJ6aE44cy 1nGAAIEvdlbGNvbWUgVG8gVGFuZ28hgqEYGHZtQzVtUFVQWmgxWnNRUDJ6aE44cy 1nsAH4y/OU-tie4AQHAAQHIAQHQAQDoAfJL85T6J8gCCQ==	
2	1347327367000	2	1	EhZtQzVtUFVQWmgxWnNRUDJ6aE44cy 1nGAEIACo8aHR0cDovL3VwZGF0ZS1jZG4udGFuZ28ubWUvdmlkZW9tYWlsOtlcm5lcjFfcHJvbW9fdmlkZW8ubXA0MjxodHRwOi8vdXBkYXRILWNkbi50YW5nby5tZS92aWRl	
3	1372909253160	2	1	EhZtQzVtUFVQWmgxWnNRUDJ6aE44cy 1nGAAISVRhbmdvIGlzIGVhc3kgYW5kIGZyZWUgdG8gdXNlIAgQWRkIGEGZmV3IGNvbniRhY3RzIGFuZCBtYWtlIGEGy2FsbCB0b2RheSGAAQCqATAAfMIDNW1QVW/BaaDFac	
4	1373082054082	2	1	EhZtQzVtUFVQWmgxWnNRUDJ6aE44cy 1nGAAIRVN0aWxsIGhhdmlUgBm90IHRyaWVkiFRhbmdvPBBZGQgYSBmZXcgY29udGFjdHMGYy5kIG1ha2UgYSBjYXN5IHRvZGF5IYABAKoBMBwBwUm1bVBUUFpoMlVpZU	
5	1376517295574	2	1	EhZtQzVtUFVQWmgxWnNRUDJ6aE44cy 1nGBQIAIBFKoBLxoWbUM1bVBUUFpoMlVpZUVAyemhOOHMTzYIKCgYKABIAGgASADD//////////8bsAHWm8z2hyi4AQXAAQHQAQDoAdabzPaHKMGcANACAOoCCTEwOD	
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7	1377304857208	1	1	EhYxUFZLeTVPQWEZNGMOVVW15Y0ZtQVvNGAAIDkkgbVWVhbiBpZ25vcmlUgAAsAH4JHuui4AQFAAQHQAQDoAyaEke6KKJgCyd7Bw4soyAID0AIBYAMA0AQOo+ztAQ==	

tc.db	" Night : Hank Livingston		137955503908
tc.db	"{fGot it. Thx.		1379555492472
tc.db	" 993580970795409 C Hank Livingston		1379555458752
tc.db	" Tracking number on its way C Hank Livingston		1379555422876
tc.db	" I'll ignite it! C Hank Livingston		1377483920956
tc.db	" I mean ignore.		1377304855046
tc.db	" Test please ignite		1377304836303

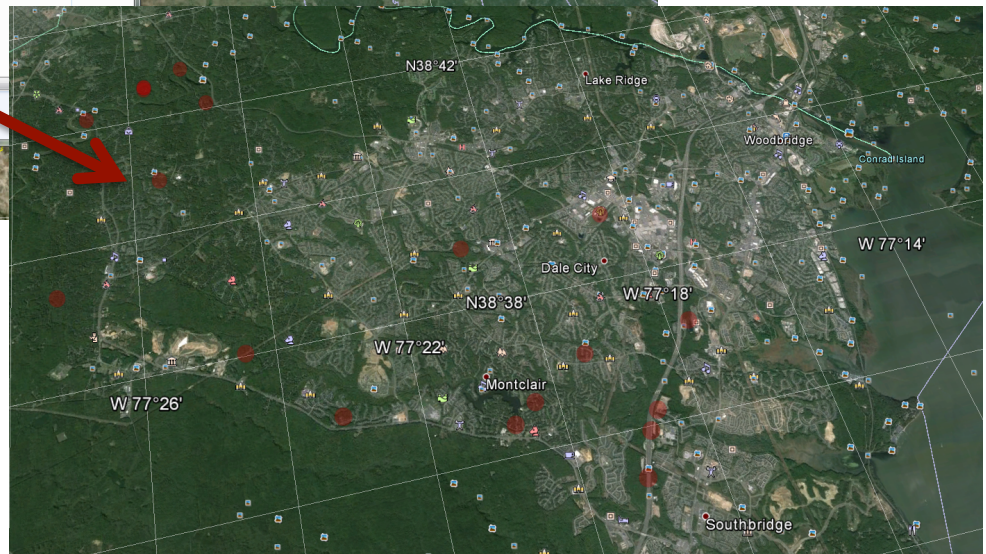
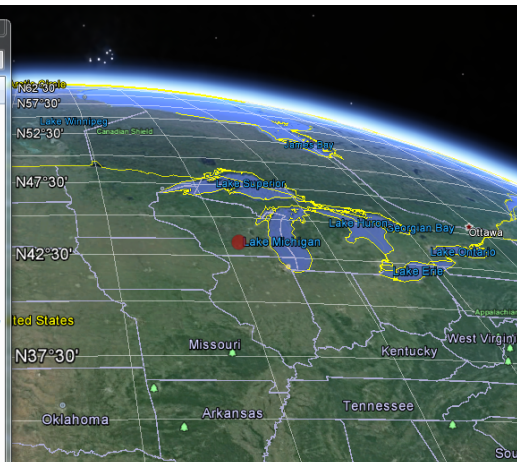
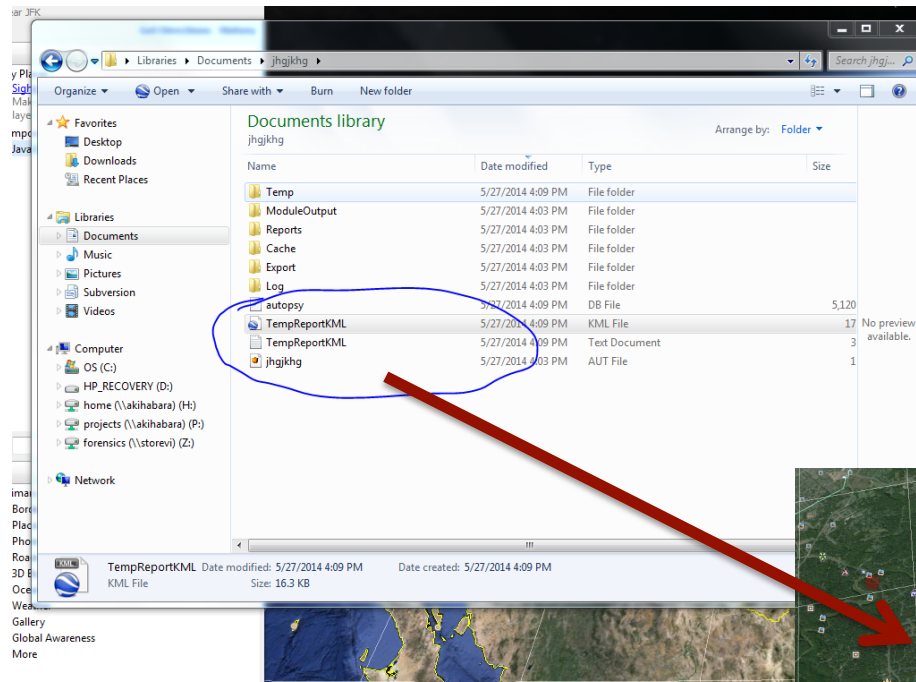
- Google Maps, Browser, Cache and EXIF location parsing



The screenshot shows a software interface with a tree view on the left and a table of GPS trackpoints on the right. The tree view includes categories like Data Sources, Views, File Types, Recent Files, Deleted Files, MB File Size, Results, and Extracted Content. Under Extracted Content, there are sub-items: Contacts (12), EXIF Metadata (139), GPS Trackpoints (19), and Messages (79). The GPS Trackpoints (19) item is selected. The table on the right is titled 'GPS trackpoints' and has columns: Source File, Description, Latitude, Longitude, and Date/Time. The table contains several rows of data, including 'CachedGeoposition.db' and multiple entries for 'da_destination_history' with Google Maps History descriptions.

Source File	Description	Latitude	Longitude	Date/Time
CachedGeoposition.db		43.0681741	-89.3843177	1377009485166
da_destination_history	Google Maps History	30.175349	-97.526357	1373232966805
da_destination_history		30.269048	-97.740289	1373232966805
da_destination_history	Google Maps History	30.258389	-97.743725	1373249052472
da_destination_history		30.247418	-97.775084	1373249052472
da_destination_history	Google Maps History	30.248352	-97.770194	1373249747277
da_destination_history		30.269048	-97.740289	1373249747277

Geolocation Reporting



- EXIF Parser

EXIF Metadata

Table Thumbnail

Source File	Date Created	Device Model	Device Make	Latitude	Longitude	Altitude
tmpp	2013-07-07 11:07:01 EDT	SGH-T999	SAMSUNG			
sv01_pv00_00000146	2013-06-13 09:53:23 EDT	iPhone 5	Apple	52.1924...	0.230166...	19.13214285714...
cache-1537038623.tn	2013-06-03 15:00:33 EDT	SGH-T999	SAMSUNG			
63685c51eb6fd25d21	2013-07-20 07:15:28 EDT	DMC-ZS5	Panasonic			
bcde96aff3da0ff29dd	2013-06-13 09:53:23 EDT	iPhone 5	Apple	52.1924...	0.230166...	19.13214285714...
20130702_223541.jp	2013-07-02 22:35:40 EDT	SGH-T999	SAMSUNG			

- Graphics and Videos

Images

Table Thumbnail

Name	Location	Modified Time
d2_tmo_wallpaper_01.jpg	/img_blk0_mmcbk0.bin/vol_vol17/wallpaper/drawable/d2_tmo_walpa...	2008-08-01 08:00:00 EDT
d2_tmo_wallpaper_01_small.jpg	/img_blk0_mmcbk0.bin/vol_vol17/wallpaper/drawable/d2_tmo_walpa...	2008-08-01 08:00:00 EDT
cb5d6704-f204-4926-8abf-e4bb505dcf1f.PNG	/img_blk0_mmcbk0.bin/vol_vol18/data/com.tmobile.pr.mymobile/file...	2013-07-03 12:34:42 EDT
01f7619b-a3ea-469c-a241-4677eacf1f99.PNG	/img_blk0_mmcbk0.bin/vol_vol18/data/com.tmobile.pr.mymobile/file...	2013-07-03 12:34:43 EDT

Recovering Deleted SQLite Data

- Active files shown in viewer

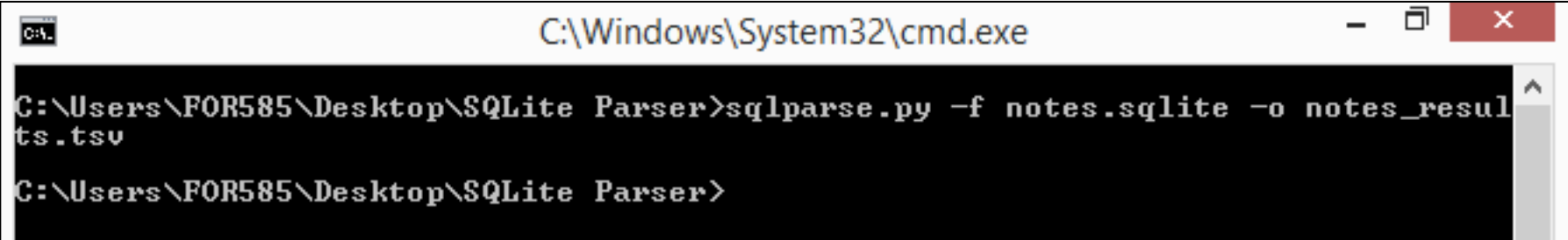
Database view Hex View File Info						
ZACCOUNT	(2)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Z_PK	Z_ENT	Z_OPT	ZOWNER
ZNEXTID	(1)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1	4	3	1 我要糖果台北市
ZNOTE	(4)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2	4	1	2 This is a note with Arabic text in it. <
ZNOTEBODY	(4)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7	4	1	7 Adding a new note for diff dect

- Deleted must be examined/recovered in Hex

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8E B5 9F 90 41 B4 11 2B 8E B5 9F 90 41 64 64 69 6E 67 20 61 20 6E 65 77 20 6E
6F 74 65 20 66 6F 72 20 64 69 66 66 20 64 65 63 74 00 00 00 EA 00 01 01 01 01
01 01 01 03 01 01 01 07 07 81 35 55 00 00 0D 03 03 00 01 18 01 03 03 00 01 00
02 06 41 B4 0D 35 1C 67 F4 CB 41 B4 0D 35 1C 67 F4 CB 41 64 64 69 6E 67 20 61
20 73 65 63 6F 6E 64 20 6E 6F 74 65 00 00 00 A1 00 01 01 01 01 01 01 01 03 01
01 01 07 07 81 1D 55 00 00 0D 03 03 00 01 33 00 02 03 00 01 00 03 0B 41 B7 C9
15 BE AF 95 81 41 B7 C9 15 BE AF 95 81 54 65 6C 6C 20 79 6F 75 72 73 65 6C 66
20 65 76 65 72 79 64 61 79 20 68 6F 77 20 67 72 65 61 74 20 79 6F 75 20 61 72
65 20 61 6E 64 20 79 6F 75 20 77 69 6C 6C 20 73 6F 6D 65 64 61 79 20 62 65 6C
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01 01 03 01 01 01 07 07 2B 55 00 00 0D 03 02 00 00 32 00 01 03 00 01 00 03 0A
41 B7 C9 15 A7 37 8C 22 41 B7 C9 15 A7 37 8C 22 43 68 69 65 66 20 69 73 20 61
20 67 6F 64 21 31 46 31 39 42 34 36 45 2D 42 35 37 37 2D 34 34 30 37 2D 38 41
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....A..+....Adding a new n
ote for diff dect.....
.....5U.....
..A..5.g..A..5.g..Adding a
second note.....
.....U.....3.....A..
.....A.....Tell yourself
everyday how great you ar
e and you will someday bel
ieve it59E1819F-45F6-42CD-
96C2-A296CFEC35D4d.....
.....+U.....2.....
A....7."A....7."Chief is a
god!1F19B46E-B577-4407-8A
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- Mari DeGrazia's SQLite Parser



Type	Offset	Length	Data
Free Block	19881	234	5U A 5gA 5gAdding a second noteU 3 AATell yourself everyday how great you are and you will someday believe it59E1819F-45F6-42CD-96C2-A296CFEC35D4
Unallocated	20496	3426	4>o Clean this messae and see if gmail resyncs it...
Free Block	23966	164	AAdding a second note just because I feel lie it. V Tell yourself everyday how great you are and you will someday believe it
Unallocated	73744	990	z xxbplist00T\$topX\$objectsX\$versionY\$archiverTroot U\$null ZNS.objectsV\$classX\$classesZ\$classname\NSMutableSetUNSSetXNSObject\NSMutableSet_NSKeyedArchiver(25:<@FKV]^`eny}bplist00T\$topX\$objectsX\$versionY\$archiverTroot U\$null ZNS.objectsV\$classX\$classesZ\$classname\NSMutableSetUNSSetXNSObject\NSMutableSet_NSKeyedArchiver(25:<AGLW^`bdfktbplist00T\$topX\$objectsX\$versionY\$archiverTroot U\$null ZNS.objectsV\$classX\$classesZ\$classname\NSMutableSetUNSSetXNSObject\NSMutableSet_NSKeyedArchiver(25:<@FKV]^`eny}

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- www.az4n6.blogspot.com
- <https://viaforensics.com/blog/>
- <http://www.sleuthkit.org/>
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