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Introduction

The Computer Forensics Tool Testing (CFTT) program is a joint project of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), the National Institute of Justice (NIJ), and the National Institute of Standards and Technology Special Program Office (SPO) and Information Technology Laboratory (ITL). CFTT is supported by other organizations, including the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the U.S. Department of Defense Cyber Crime Center, U.S. Internal Revenue Service Criminal Investigation Division Electronic Crimes Program, and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement, U.S. Customs and Border Protection and U.S. Secret Service. The objective of the CFTT program is to provide measurable assurance to practitioners, researchers, and other applicable users that the tools used in computer forensics investigations provide accurate results. Accomplishing this requires the development of specifications and test methods for computer forensics tools and subsequent testing of specific tools against those specifications.

Test results provide the information necessary for developers to improve tools, users to make informed choices, and the legal community and others to understand the tools' capabilities. The CFTT approach to testing computer forensics tools is based on well-recognized methodologies for conformance and quality testing. Interested parties in the computer forensics community can review and comment on the specifications and test methods posted on the CFTT Web site (http://www.cftt.nist.gov/).

This document reports the results from testing EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103 across supported Android and iOS devices. The images captured from the test runs are available at the CFREDS Web site (<u>http://www.cfreds.nist.gov</u>).

Test results from other tools can be found on the DHS S&T-sponsored digital forensics web page, <u>http://www.cyberfetch.org/</u>.

How to Read This Report

This report is divided into four sections. Section 1 identifies and provides a summary of any significant anomalies observed in the test runs. This section is sufficient for most readers to assess the suitability of the tool for the intended use. Section 2 identifies the mobile devices used for testing. Section 3 lists testing environment, the internal memory and Universal Integrated Circuit Cards (UICC) data objects used to populate the mobile devices and associated media. Section 4 provides an overview of the test case results reported by the tool. The full test data is available at http://www.cftt.nist.gov/mobile_devices.htm.

Test Results for Mobile Device Acquisition Tool

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1 Results Summary

EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103 is designed to review and collect data from smartphone and tablet devices, such as iPhone and iPad. Investigators can process and analyze smartphone device data alongside other types of digital evidence with Guidance Software tools.

The tool was tested for its ability to acquire active data from the internal memory of supported mobile devices and UICCs. Except for the following anomalies, the tool acquired all supported data objects completely and accurately for all mobile devices tested.

Equipment / Subscriber related data:

- Subscriber related data (i.e., MSISDN) was not reported. (Devices: Samsung Galaxy S4, Samsung Galaxy S5, HTC One GSM, HTC One CDMA, Nexus 4, iPhone 5, iPhone 5S)
- Equipment related data (i.e., IMEI, MEID) was not reported. (Devices: *iOS Devices*)

Personal Information Management (PIM) data:

- Contacts/address book entries were not reported. (Devices: HTC One GSM, HTC One CDMA)
- Memos were not reported (Devices: Samsung Galaxy S4, Galaxy S5, HTC One GSM, HTC One CDMA, Nexus 4 and the Galaxy Note 3)
- Long Memos were not reported (Devices: Samsung Galaxy S3)
- Social media related data was not reported. (Devices: Samsung Galaxy S3, Galaxy S4, Galaxy S5 and the Nexus 4)
- Social media related data was partially acquired. (Devices: HTC One GSM, HTC One CDMA, Galaxy Note 3 and iOS devices)

Internet Related Data:

 Bookmarks were not acquired. (Device: Samsung Galaxy S4, Galaxy S5, Nexus 4 and the Galaxy Note 3)

Case File Data Protection:

Contents of the acquired data within a saved case file were modified without warning. (Devices: Samsung Galaxy S3, HTC One GSM and the HTC One CDMA)

For more test result details see section 4.

2 Mobile Devices

The following table lists the mobile devices used for testing EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103.

Make	Model	OS	Firmware	Network
Apple iPhone	5	iOS 6.1.4 (10B350)	3.04.25	GSM
Apple iPhone	58	iOS 7.1 (11D167)	2.18.02	CDMA
Apple iPad	iPad 2 - MD065LL/A	iOS 6.1.3 (10B329)	04.12.05	GSM
Apple iPad	iPad Air - ME9999LL/A	iOS 7.1 (11D167)	2.18.02	CDMA
Apple iPad Mini	iPad Mini - ME030LL/A	iOS 6.1.3 (10B329)	3.04.25	GSM
Apple iPad Mini	iPad Mini - MF075LL/A	iOS 7.0.4 (11B554a)	1.03.01	CDMA
Samsung Galaxy S3	SGH-1747	Android 4.1.2	1747UCDMG2	GSM
Samsung Galaxy S4	SGH-M919	Android 4.2.2	M919UVUAMDL	GSM
Samsung Galaxy S5	SM-G900V	Android 4.2.2	G900V.05	CDMA
HTC One	HTCC6525LV W	Android 4.2.2	0.89.20.0222	GSM
HTC One	HTC One	Android 4.1.2	4A.17.3250.20_10.40.1150.0 4L	CDMA
Samsung Galaxy Note 3	SM-N900V	Android 4.3	N900V.07	CDMA
Nexus 4	Nexus 4	Android 4.3	JWR66Y	GSM

Table 1: Mobile Devices

3 Testing Environment

The tests were run in the NIST CFTT lab. This section describes the selected test execution environment, and the data objects populated onto the internal memory of mobile devices and UICCs.

3.1 Execution Environment

EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103 was installed on Windows 7 v6.1.7601.

3.2 Internal Memory Data Objects

Encase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103 was measured by analyzing acquired data from the internal memory of pre-populated mobile devices. Table 2 defines the data objects and elements used for populating mobile devices provided the mobile device supports the data element.

Data Objects	Data Elements
Address Book Entries	
	Regular Length
	Maximum Length
	Special Character
	Blank Name
	Regular Length, email
	Regular Length, graphic
	Regular Length, Address
	Deleted Entry
	Non-ASCII Entry
PIM Data	
Datebook/Calendar	Regular Length
Memos	Maximum Length
	Deleted Entry
	Special Character
	Blank Entry
Call Logs	
	Incoming
	Outgoing
	Missed
	Incoming - Deleted
	Outgoing - Deleted
	Missed - Deleted
Text Messages	
	Incoming SMS - Read
	Incoming SMS - Unread
	Outgoing SMS
	Incoming EMS - Read
	Incoming EMS - Unread
	Outgoing EMS
	Incoming SMS - Deleted
	Outgoing SMS - Deleted
	Incoming EMS - Deleted
	Outgoing EMS - Deleted
	Non-ASCII SMS/EMS
MMS Messages	
	Incoming Audio
	Incoming Graphic

Data Objects	Data Elements
	Incoming Video
	Outgoing Audio
	Outgoing Graphic
	Outgoing Video
Application Data	
	Device Specific App Data
Stand-alone data files	
	Audio
	Graphic
	Video
	Audio - Deleted
	Graphic - Deleted
	Video - Deleted
Internet Data	
	Visited Sites
	Bookmarks
Location Data	
	GPS Coordinates
Social Media Data	
	Facebook
	Twitter
	LinkedIn

 Table 2: Internal Memory Data Objects

3.3 UICC Data Objects

The table below (Table 3) provides an overview of the data elements populated on Universal Integrated Circuit Cards (UICCs).

Data Objects	Data Elements
Abbreviated Dialing Numbers (ADN)	
	Maximum Length
	Special Character
	Blank Name
	Non-ASCII Entry
	Regular Length - Deleted Number
Call Logs	
	Last Numbers Dialed (LND)
Text Messages	
	Incoming SMS - Read
	Incoming SMS - Unread
	Non-ASCII SMS
	Incoming SMS - Deleted
	Non-ASCII EMS
	Incoming EMS - Deleted

 Table 3: UICC Data Objects

4 Test Results

This section provides the test cases results reported by the tool. Sections 4.1 - 4.3 identify the mobile device operating system type (i.e., Android, iOS) and the make and model of mobile devices used for testing EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103. Section 4.3 covers Universal Integrated Circuit Cards (UICCs).

The *Test Cases* column (internal memory acquisition/UICC) in sections 4.1 - 4.3 are comprised of two sub-columns that define a particular test category and individual sub-categories that are verified when acquiring the internal memory for supported mobile devices and UICCs within each test case. Each individual sub-category row results for each mobile device/UICC tested. The results are as follows:

As Expected: the mobile forensic application returned expected test results – the tool acquired and reported data from the mobile device/UICC successfully.

Partial: the mobile forensic application returned some of data from the mobile device/UICC.

Not As Expected: the mobile forensic application failed to return expected test results – the tool did not acquire or report supported data from the mobile device/UICC successfully.

NA: Not Applicable – the mobile forensic application is unable to perform the test or the tool does not provide support for the acquisition for a particular data element.

4.1 Android Mobile Devices

The internal memory contents for Android devices were acquired and analyzed with EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103.

All test cases pertaining to the acquisition of supported Android devices were successful with the exception of the following.

- Subscriber related data (i.e., MSISDN) was not acquired for the Samsung Galaxy S4, Galaxy S5, HTC One GSM, HTC One CDMA and the Nexus 4.
- Acquisition of PIM Data (i.e., *Contacts*) was not acquired for the HTC One GSM and the HTC One CDMA.
- Acquisition of PIM Data (i.e., *Memos*) was not acquired for the Samsung Galaxy S4, Galaxy S5, HTC One GSM, HTC One CDMA, Nexus 4 and the Galaxy Note 3.
- Acquisition of PIM Data (i.e., *Long Memos*) was not acquired for the Samsung Galaxy S3.
- Social media related data was not acquired for the Samsung Galaxy S3, Galaxy S4, Galaxy S5 and the Nexus 4.
- Social media related data was partially acquired for the HTC One GSM (i.e., Facebook and Twitter), HTC One CDMA (i.e., Facebook) and the Galaxy Note 3 (i.e., Facebook).
- Bookmarks for visited Internet URLs were not acquired for the Samsung Galaxy S4, Galaxy S5, Nexus 4 and the Galaxy Note 3.
- The EnCase evidence file was modified with a hex editor and re-opened without warning for the Samsung Galaxy S3, HTC One GSM, and the HTC One CDMA.

See Table 4 below for more details.

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			A	1obile Dev	ice Platfor	m: Android	d		
Test Cases – Internal Memory Acquisition		Galaxy S3 GSM	Galaxy S4 <i>GSM</i>	Galaxy S5 CDMA	Galaxy Note 3 CDMA	HTC One GSM	HTC One CDMA	Nexus 4 GSM	
Connectivity	Non Disrupted	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
	Disrupted	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
D (1	Preview-Pane	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
Reporting	Generated Reports	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	

EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103									
			N	1obile Dev	ice Platfor	m: Android	d		
	s – Internal Acquisition	Galaxy S3 <i>GSM</i>	Galaxy S4 <i>GSM</i>	Galaxy S5 CDMA	Galaxy Note 3 CDMA	HTC One GSM	HTC One CDMA	Nexus 4 GSM	
	IMEI	As Expected	As Expected	NA	NA	As Expected	NA	As Expected	
Equipment/ User Data	MEID/ESN	NA	NA	As Expected	As Expected	NA	As Expected	NA	
	MSISDN	As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	
	Colorder	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	As Expected	
PIM Data	Calendar To-Do List/	As Expected NA							
	Tasks Memos	Partial	Not As						
	Incoming	As	Expected As	Expected As	Expected As	Expected As	Expected As	Expected As	
Call Lang	Outgoing	Expected As							
Call Logs	Missed	Expected As							
SMS	Incoming	Expected As Expected							
Messages	Outgoing	As Expected							
	Graphic	As Expected							
MMS Messages	Audio		As Expected	As Expected					
	Video	As Expected							
	Graphic Audio	As Expected As							
Stand-alone Files		Expected							
	Video	As Expected							
Application Data	Documents Spreadsheets	As Expected NA							
Data	Presentations	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA	NA	NA NA	
Internet	Bookmarks	As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	Not As Expected	
Data	History	As Expected							

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			N	1obile Dev	ice Platfor	m: Androi	d		
Test Cases – Internal Memory Acquisition		Galaxy S3 <i>GSM</i>	Galaxy S4 <i>GSM</i>	Galaxy S5 CDMA	Galaxy Note 3 CDMA	HTC One GSM	HTC One CDMA	Nexus 4 GSM	
	Facebook	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Partial	Partial	Partial	Not As Expected	
Social Media Data	Twitter	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Partial	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	
	LinkedIn	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	
	Acquire All	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
Acquisition	Selected All	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
	Select Individual	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
Case File Data Protection	Modify Case Data	Not As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	As Expected	
Physical	Readability	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Acquisition	Deleted File Recovery	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Non-ASCII Character	Reported in native format	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
Hashing	Hashes reported for acquired data objects	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	
GPS Data	Coordinates (Long/Lat)	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	

Table 4: Android Mobile Devices	: Android Mobile Devices
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4.2 iOS Mobile Devices

The internal memory contents for iOS devices were acquired and analyzed with EnCase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103.

All test cases pertaining to the acquisition of supported iOS devices were successful with the exception of the following.

- Subscriber related data (i.e., MSISDN) was not acquired for the iPhone 5 (GSM) and iPhone 5S (CDMA) devices.
- Equipment related data (i.e., IMEI, MEID) was not acquired for all iOS devices.

• Social media data was partially acquired (i.e., information pertaining to the installation and paths for data storage of the applications) for all iOS devices.

See Table 5 below for more details.

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		Mobile Device Platform: iOS							
	s – Internal Acquisition	iPhone 5 GSM	iPhone 5S CDMA	iPad GSM	iPad Air CDMA	iPad Mini GSM	iPad Mini <i>CDMA</i>		
Connectivity	Non Disrupted	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
connectivity	Disrupted	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Reporting	Preview-Pane	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Keporting	Generated Reports	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
	IMEI	Not As Expected	NA	Not As Expected	NA	Not As Expected	NA		
Equipment/ User Data	MEID/ESN	NA	Not As Expected	NA	Not As Expected	NA	Not As Expected		
	MSISDN	Not As Expected	Not As Expected	NA	NA	NA	NA		
	Contacts	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
PIM Data	Calendar	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
T INT Data	To-Do List/ Tasks	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
	Memos	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
	Incoming	As Expected	As Expected	NA	NA	NA	NA		
Call Logs	Outgoing	As Expected	As Expected	NA	NA	NA	NA		
	Missed	As Expected	As Expected	NA	NA	NA	NA		
SMS	Incoming	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Messages	Outgoing	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
MMS	Graphic	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Messages	Audio	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		

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		Mobile Device Platform: iOS							
	s – Internal Acquisition	iPhone 5 GSM	iPhone 5S CDMA	iPad GSM	iPad Air CDMA	iPad Mini GSM	iPad Mini <i>CDMA</i>		
	Video	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
	Graphic	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Stand-alone Files	Audio	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
	Video	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Application	Documents	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Data	Spreadsheets Presentations	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA		
Internet	Bookmarks	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Data	History	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Social Media Data	Facebook Twitter	Partial Partial	Partial Partial	Partial Partial	Partial Partial	Partial Partial	Partial Partial		
	LinkedIn Acquire All	Partial As	Partial As	Partial As	Partial As	Partial As	Partial As		
Acquisition	Selected All	Expected As Expected	Expected As Expected	Expected As Expected	Expected As Expected	Expected As Expected	Expected As Expected		
	Select Individual	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Case File Data Protection	Modify Case Data	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Physical Acquisition	Readability Deleted File Recovery	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA	NA NA		
Non-ASCII Character	Reported in native format	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
Hashing	Hashes reported for acquired data objects	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		
GPS Data	Coordinates (Long/Lat)	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected	As Expected		

Table 5: iOS Mobile Devices

4.3 Universal Integrated Circuit Cards (UICCs)

The internal memory contents for Universal Integrated Circuit Cards (UICCs) were acquired and analyzed with Encase Smartphone Examiner v7.10.00.103.

All test cases pertaining to the acquisition of UICCs were successful.

See Table 7 below for more details.

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Test Cases – UICC Acquisition		Universal Integrated Circuit Card
Connectivity	Non Disrupted	As Expected
	Disrupted	As Expected
Equipment/ User Data	Service Provider Name (SPN)	As Expected
	ICCID	As Expected
	IMSI	As Expected
	MSISDN	As Expected
PIM Data	Abbreviated Dialing Numbers (ADNs)	As Expected
	Last Numbers Dialed (LNDs)	As Expected
	SMS Messages	As Expected
	EMS Messages	As Expected
Location Related Data	LOCI	As Expected
	GPRSLOCI	As Expected
Acquisition	Acquire All	As Expected
	Selected All	As Expected
	Select Individual	As Expected
Case File Data Protection	Modify Case Data	As Expected
Password Protected SIM Acquire	Acquisition of Protected SIM	As Expected
PIN/PUK Attempts	PIN attempts reported	As Expected
	PUK attempts reported	As Expected
Non-ASCII Character	Non-ASCII characters	As Expected
Hashing	Hashes reported for acquired data objects	As Expected