

IFCI – Cybercrime Investigator Computer Forensics Course Lab #11 – Event Log Analysis

Objectives:

- Use Access Data's FTK Imager to locate and export Windows Event Log Files
- Use Event Log Explorer to Examine the Event Logs and identify information relevant to this investigation
- Understand the general contents of Windows Event Logs
- 1. Open / Install Access Data's FTK Imager 3
- 2. Select File > Add Evidence Item > Select Image File > Browse to the Suspect image and add it.
- 3. Navigate to the Windows System Event Logs. They are in C:\Windows\System32\Config. Export the three event logs (AppEvent.evt, SecEvent.evt, & SysEvent.evt) to a new directory.
- 4. Open / Install Event Log Explorer (elex setup.exe).
- Select File > Open Log File > Direct > Select the log files that you exported from the suspect image. (Open all 3 log files)
- 6. Examine the SecEvent.Evt and answer the following questions:
 - a. What user profile logged on 4/13/2014 at 4:42:12PM? What type of logon was it?
 - b. When was the user profile "Tiny_Tim" created?
- 7. Examine the SysEvent.Evt log and answer the following questions:
 - a. What occurred on 4/6/2014 at 3:35:37PM and how could it be relevant to your investigation?
 - b. We are concerned that the remote desktop tool, VNC, may have been used in this attack. Does the System Event log provide any indication of this?



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a.	Does the application event log provide any further indications of how VNC was used in
	this attack and where the source of the attack may have come from?

8. Examine the AppEvent.Evt log and answer the following questions: