

A wide-angle, aerial photograph of a modern city skyline at sunset. The sky is filled with warm, orange and red hues. The city features numerous skyscrapers, with the Burj Khalifa standing prominently in the center. In the foreground, a complex network of elevated highways and overpasses is visible, with traffic moving along the roads. The overall atmosphere is one of a bustling, futuristic urban environment.

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Automating Forensic Tools & Creating Intelligent Workflows with High-Speed Acquisition

What is digital forensics triage? Forensic triage is the practice of searching an exhibit in the field or lab to determine its priority in an investigation. It can be applied to narrow down the scope...



## APFS at a Glance

In my previous posts, I raised some of the issues of APFS and the digital forensic challenges posed by this new file system. However, for those of you who aren't too familiar with Apple's new...

## Recent Posts

- › Automating Forensic Tools & Creating Intelligent Workflows with High-Speed Acquisition
- › APFS at a Glance
- › Mobile Forensics – Do these challenges sound familiar?
- › Audio Enhancements & Investigations
- › Video Investigations – From Capture to Court

## Categories

- › Forensic Fundamentals
- › The Discussion

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## BACKGROUND

- Digital Forensic Analyst
- Technical Engineer
- Electronics & Communication Engineering Degree

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## ACCESSDATA

AccessData Group has pioneered digital forensics and litigation support for more than thirty years. Over that time, the company has grown to provide both stand-alone and enterprise-class solutions that can synergistically work together to enable both criminal and civil investigations, including digital forensics, incident response, legal review, compliance, auditing and information assurance.

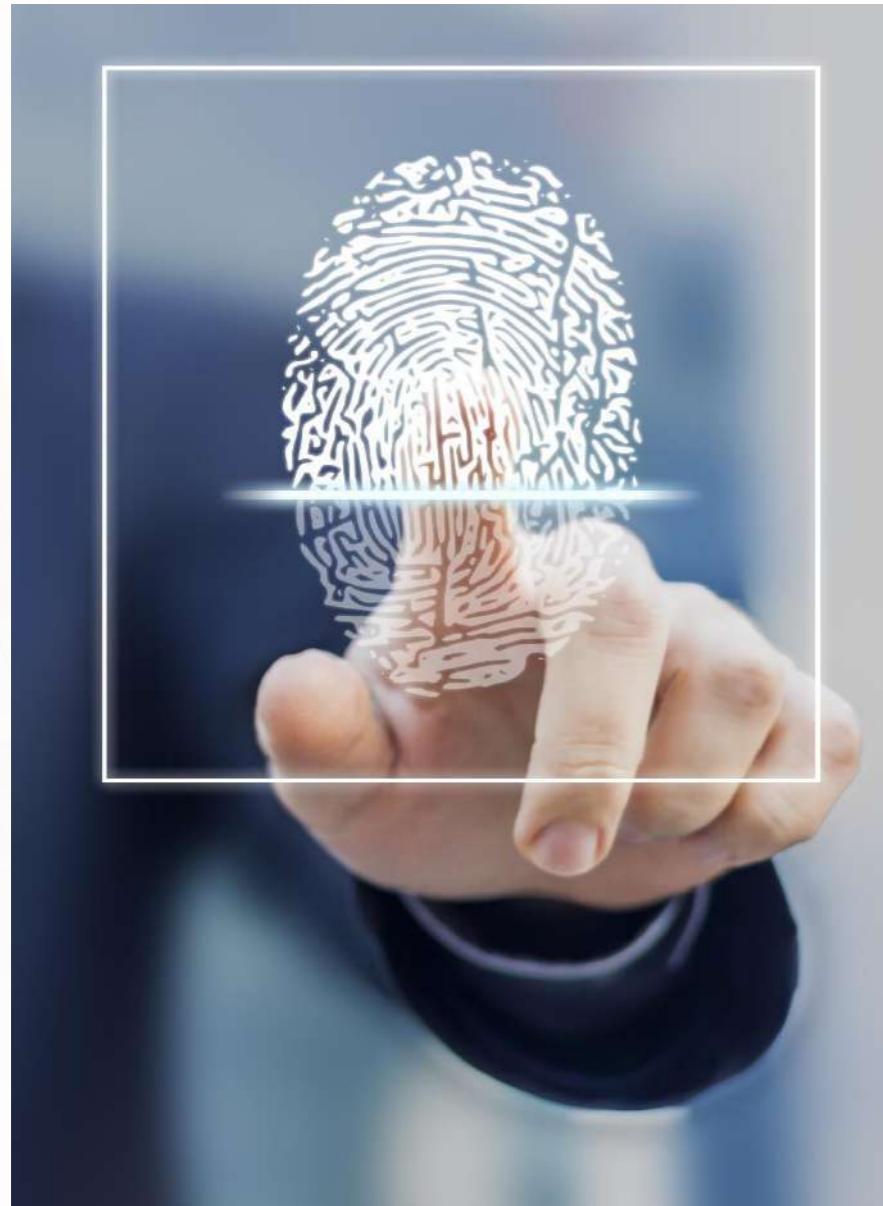
## BACKGROUND

- Bachelor of Arts in Criminology
- 15+ years experience as AccessData VP for Global Training
- 4+ years experience as Computer Crime Specialist
- 4+ years experience as Police Officer
- 15+ years member of International Association of Computer Investigative Specialists Board of Directors

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# TODAYS AGENDA



- ✓ What is the problem at hand ?
- ✓ How can we solve that problem with software ?
- ✓ Hardware Collaboration !
- ✓ Human Collaboration !
- ✓ Let us show you... Demonstration
- ✓ Discussion ...

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# THE ACCESSDATA APPROACH



# DISTRIBUTED DATA PROCESSING

Leaders benefiting from Distributed Data Processing...



**Distributed data processing** is a computer-networking method in which multiple computers across different locations share computer-processing capability.

This is in contrast to a single, centralized server managing and providing processing capability to all connected systems.

Specific jobs are performed by specialized computers.

DDP provides greater scalability.

When you divide a computing function among several machines, you can fine tune each computer to suit the needs of each task.

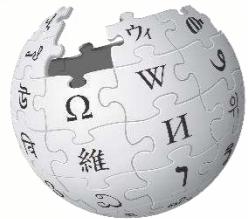
- ✓ Improved Performance
- ✓ Reduced Processing Time
- ✓ Flexible
- ✓ Reliable
- ✓ Lower Cost
- ✓ Local Data Access

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# DISTRIBUTED DATA PROCESSING

## Why Distributed Infrastructure is important... What the industry is saying



**WIKIPEDIA**  
The Free Encyclopedia

There are many cases... use of a distributed system is beneficial for practical reasons. For example, it may **be more cost-efficient** to obtain the **desired level of performance** by using a cluster of several low-end computers, in comparison with a single high-end computer. A distributed system can provide **more reliability** than a non-distributed system, as there is **no single point of failure**. Moreover, a distributed system may be easier to expand and manage than a monolithic uniprocessor system. [>>>](#)

Popular solution for big data processing to **scale and build** on distribution and **combine theoretically unlimited number of machines** in a single distributed storage. Scale out: add more nodes to a system [>>>](#)

**Distributed computing is particularly important for large cases** that involve analyzing a group of hard drives. The database manages the project, automatically identifies areas of particularly keen interest (e-mail, encrypted files, items located in the My Documents directory), **and assigns the tasks based on priority**. Distributed data processing architectures **provide forensic labs with the only realistic option of handling large forensic and e-discovery cases** by harnessing the CPU power needed to deal with large data sets. [>>>](#)



Distributed processing environment provides the following benefits... **exploits the multitasking and shared-memory facilities** of its underlying operating system. As a result, it delivers the highest possible degree of concurrency, data integrity, and performance to its client applications. Oracle can be **scaled as your system grows**. You can add multiple servers to distribute the database processing load throughout the network (horizontally scaled), or you can move Oracle to a minicomputer or mainframe, to take advantage of a larger system's performance (vertically scaled). In either case, all data and applications are maintained with little or no modification, since Oracle is portable between systems. [>>>](#)



Distributed data processing has the following advantages:

- **Improved performance**
- **Greater security**
- It promotes decentralized company policies, which provides sites with a **high degree of autonomy**. This allows whole areas of responsibility to be assigned to those organizational units at which information - on customers, vendors or goods movements - is usually gathered. [>>>](#)



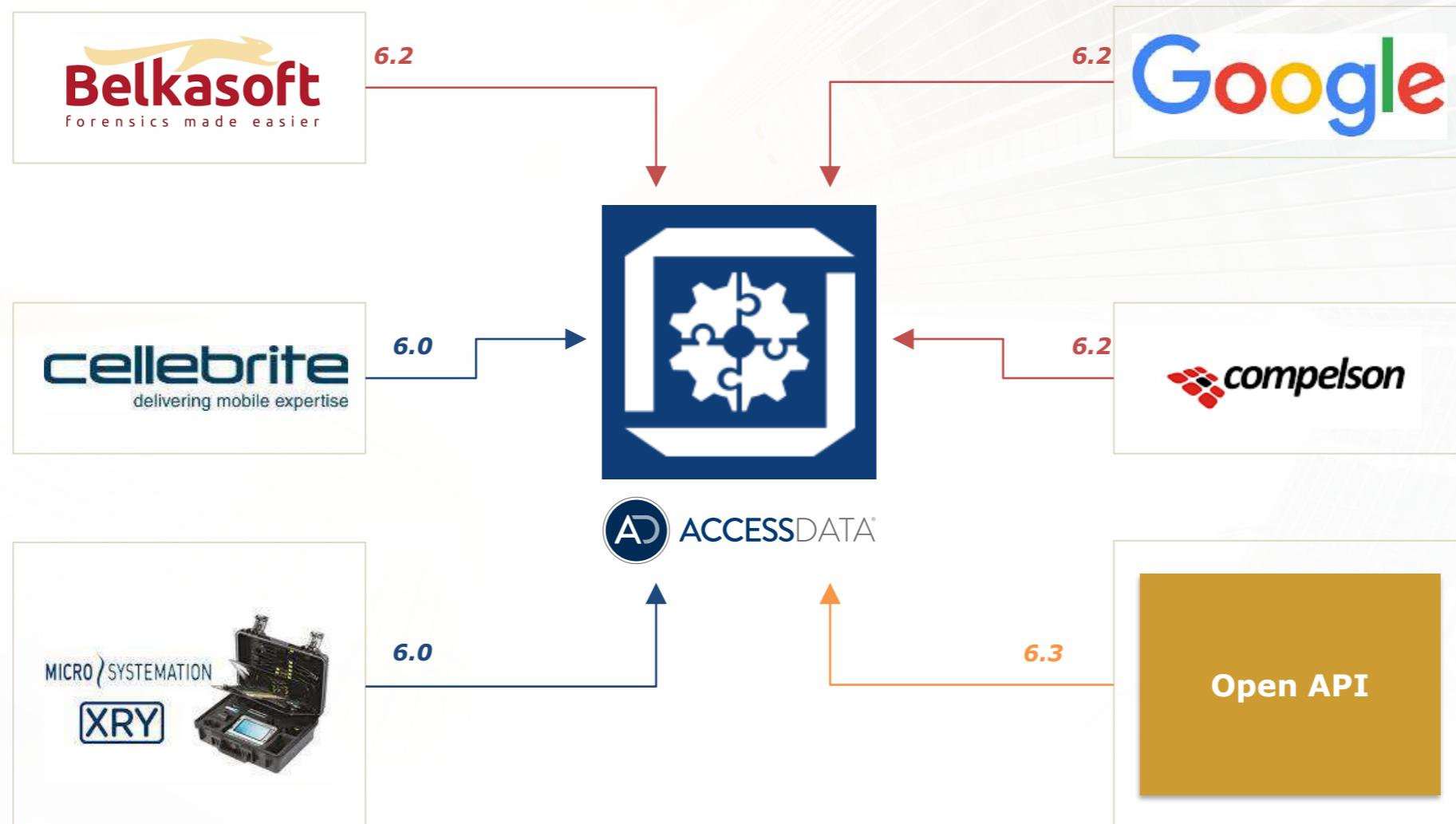
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# ECO-SYSTEM ENHANCEMENTS

The need for integration in the lab market has become increasingly apparent given the diverse datatypes that must now be supported. AccessData is responding with an open eco-system approach that will allow anyone to integrate seamlessly with AD LAB.



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# ECO-SYSTEM DETAIL



- ✓ Best chat parsing on the market
- ✓ Over 250 parsers
- ✓ Rapid data normalization
- ✓ Parsers include:
  - 155 IM formats
  - 19 Browser formats
  - 13 mail formats
  - 6 CloudFile formats
  - 4 P2P formats
  - 28 MobileApps

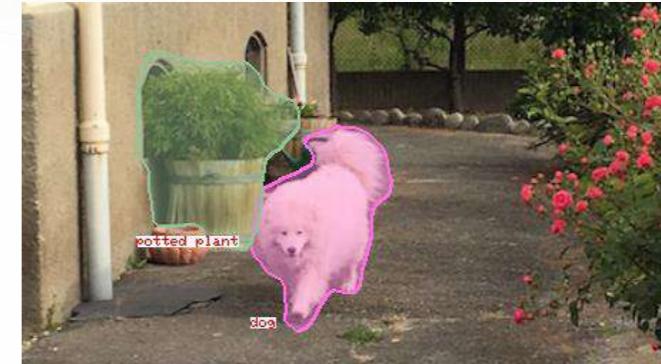


- ✓ Complete phone support (ability to analyze almost every phone on the market)
- ✓ Extensive phone app parsing
- ✓ Phone Support includes:

• IOS	• Symbian
• Android	• Nokia
• Blackberry	• Acer
• Windows	• Lenovo
• Motorola	• Samsung
• Huawei	• Sony
• HTC	• LG



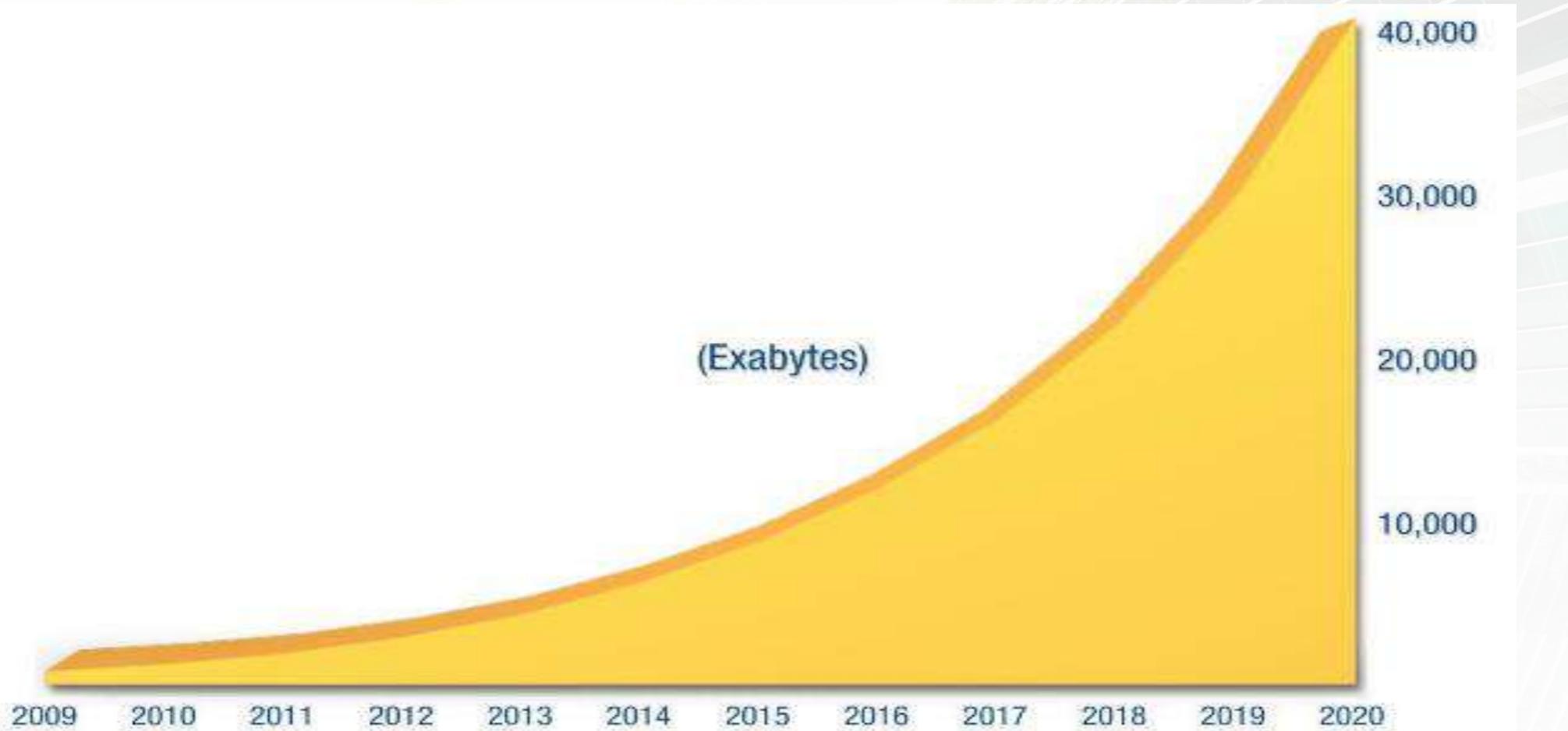
- ✓ Image recognition
- ✓ Object identification
- ✓ Picture category tagging



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# FASTER PROCESSING



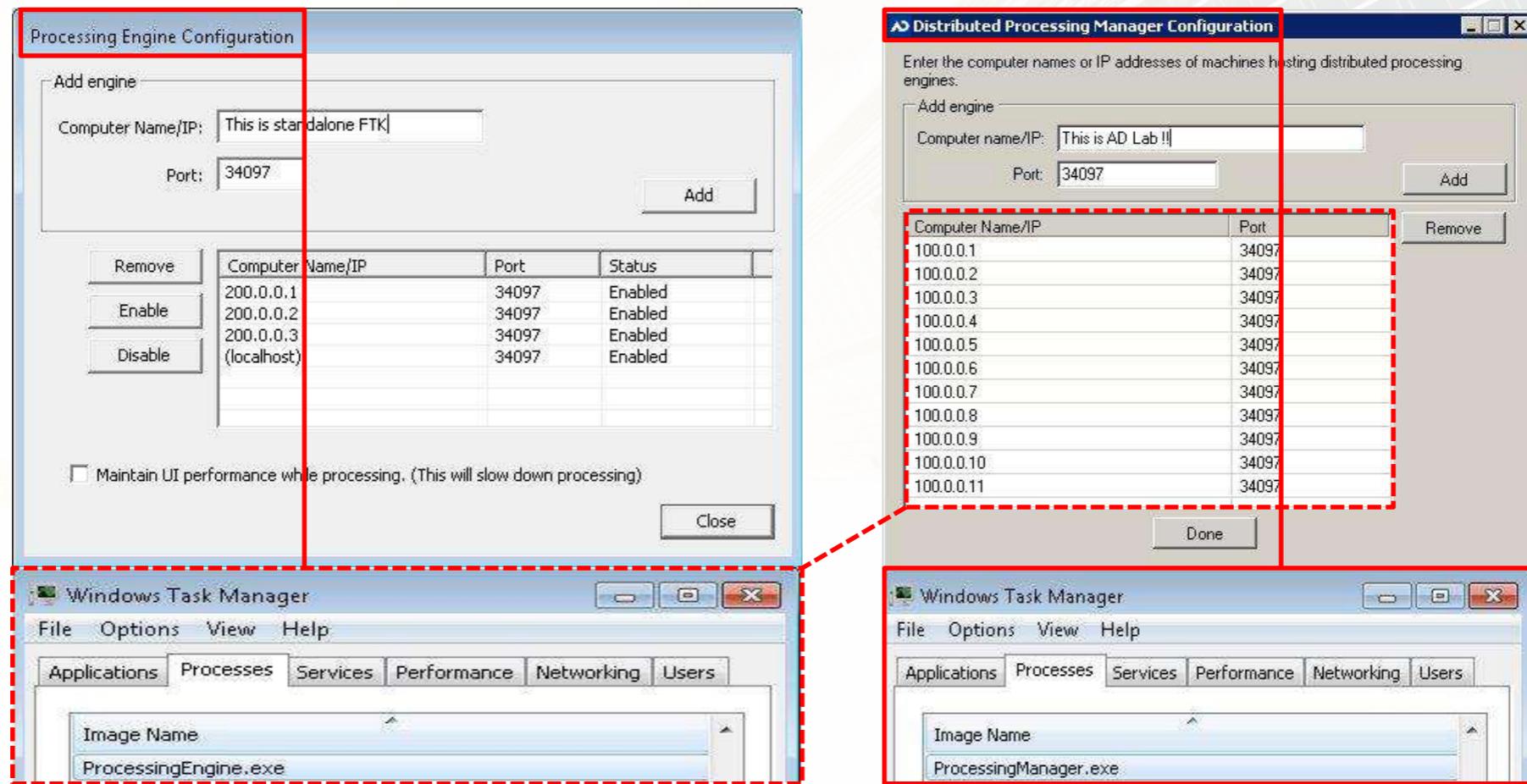
**More machines are better than one!!**

- ✓ FTK (three workers)
- ✓ AccessData Lab (managed work clusters)

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# FASTER PROCESSING



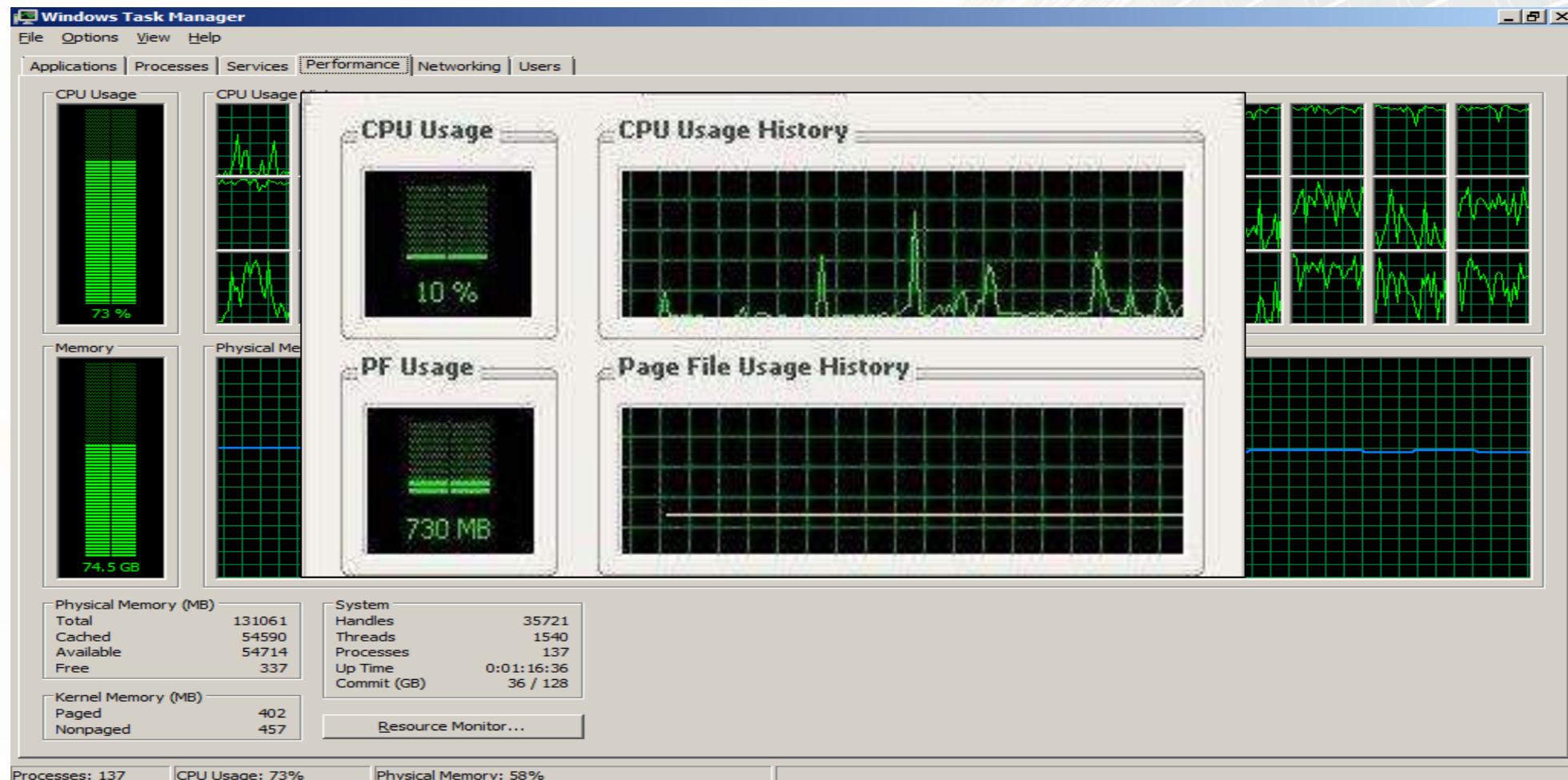
## Distributed case processing:

- ✓ FTK (Forensic Toolkit) (three workers)
- ✓ AccessData Lab (managed work clusters)

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# FASTER PROCESSING



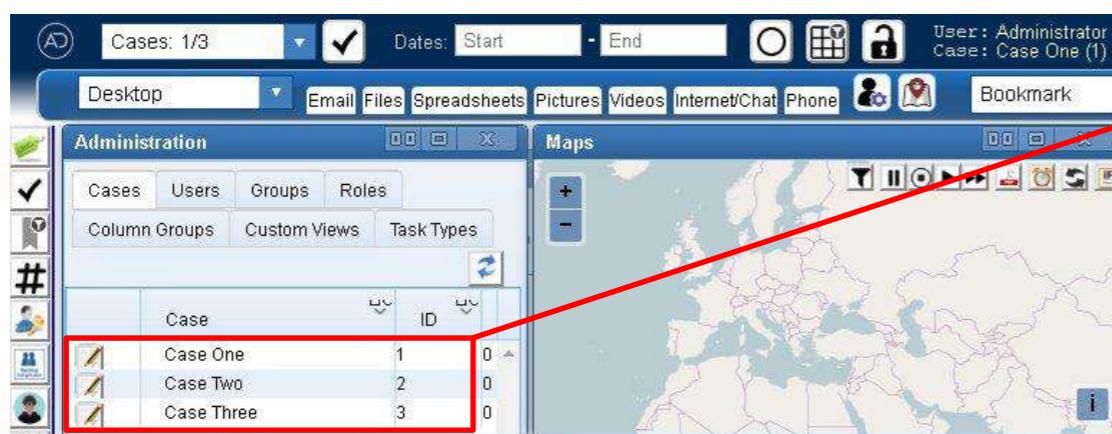
Size Matters !!

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# DATA IN THE RIGHT PLACE

Databases		Cases			
Host		Name	Date Modified	Version	
Alien Invasions	*	Case One	4/5/2017 9:02:49 PM +0000	6.3.0.0	
Classified Cases	*	Case Three	4/5/2017 9:05:13 PM +0000	6.3.0.0	
Human Resources		Case Two	4/5/2017 9:04:58 PM +0000	6.3.0.0	
Name Up To You !!					



The screenshot shows the Lab software interface with three main windows. The top window is a database viewer showing a table of cases. The middle window is a case list with a table of cases and a map viewer on the right. The bottom window is an administration window with a sidebar and a table of cases. Red boxes highlight the case list in the middle window and the table in the bottom window.

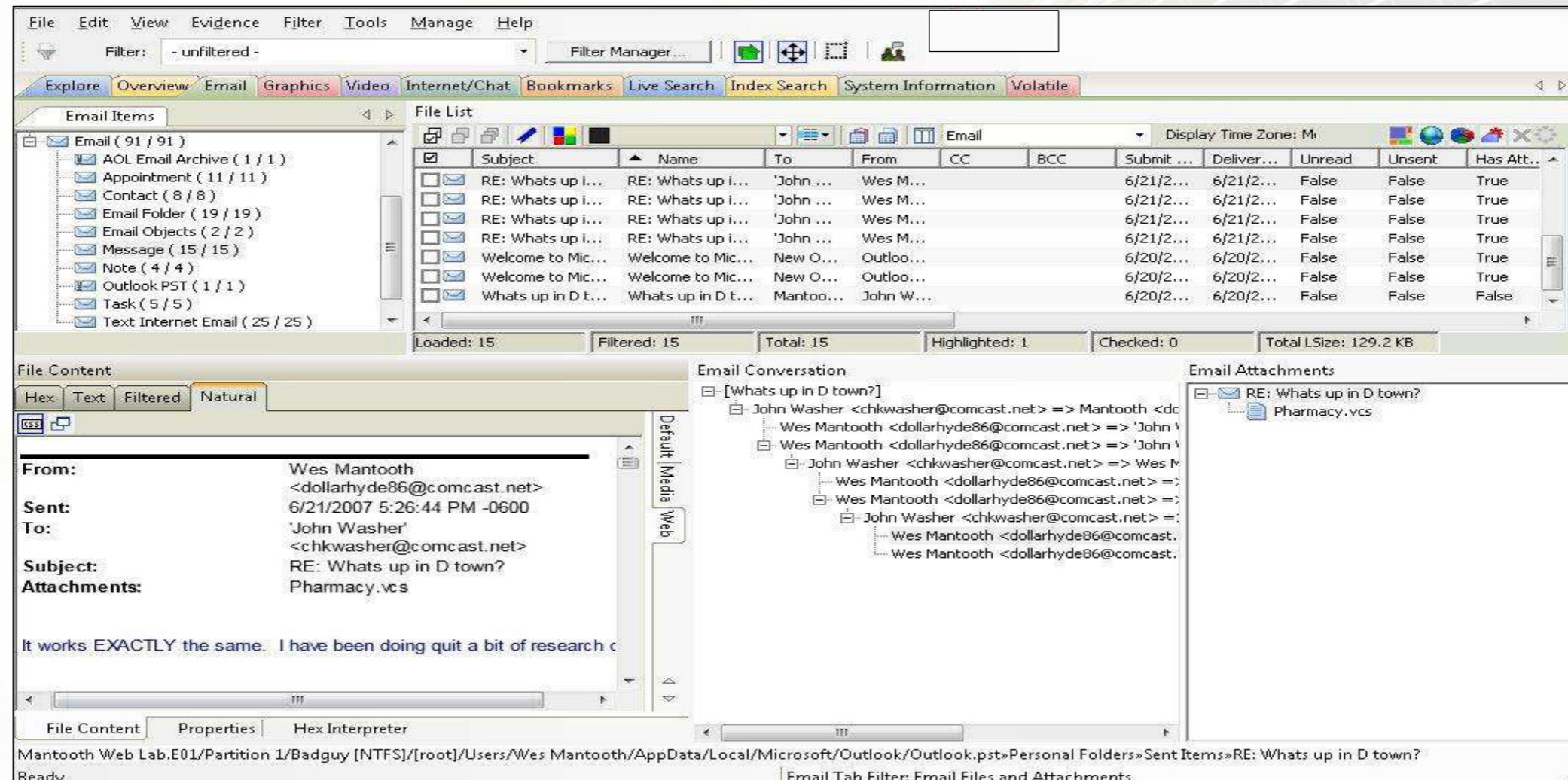
#	Case	ID
1	Case One	1
2	Case Two	2
3	Case Three	3



## Lab provides multiple windows to case data:

- ✓ Heavy client examiner (forensic examiner)
- ✓ HTML-based web review (case investigators)

# THE RIGHT TOOL FOR THE JOB EXAMINER



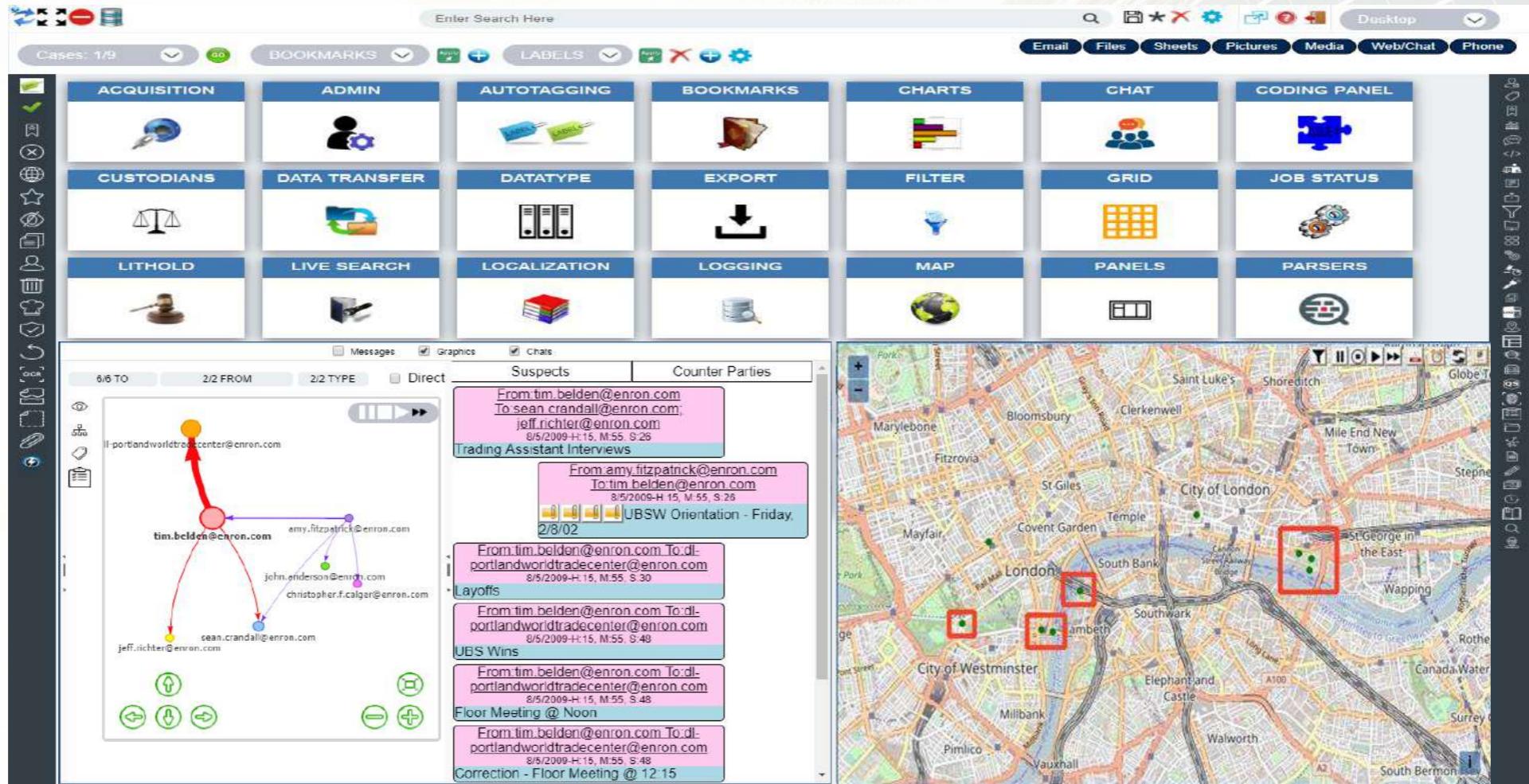
## Heavy Client Examiner:

- ✓ Email threading
- ✓ Memory Analysis
- ✓ Robust file identification
- ✓ Robust data filtering
- ✓ Built-in decryption
- ✓ Full indexed search

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# THE RIGHT TOOL FOR THE JOB REVIEWER



## Web Reviewer:

- ✓ Geo-plotting
- ✓ Timeline plotting
- ✓ Cross-case analysis
- ✓ Target profile analytics
- ✓ Data permissions
- ✓ Reviewer tasking

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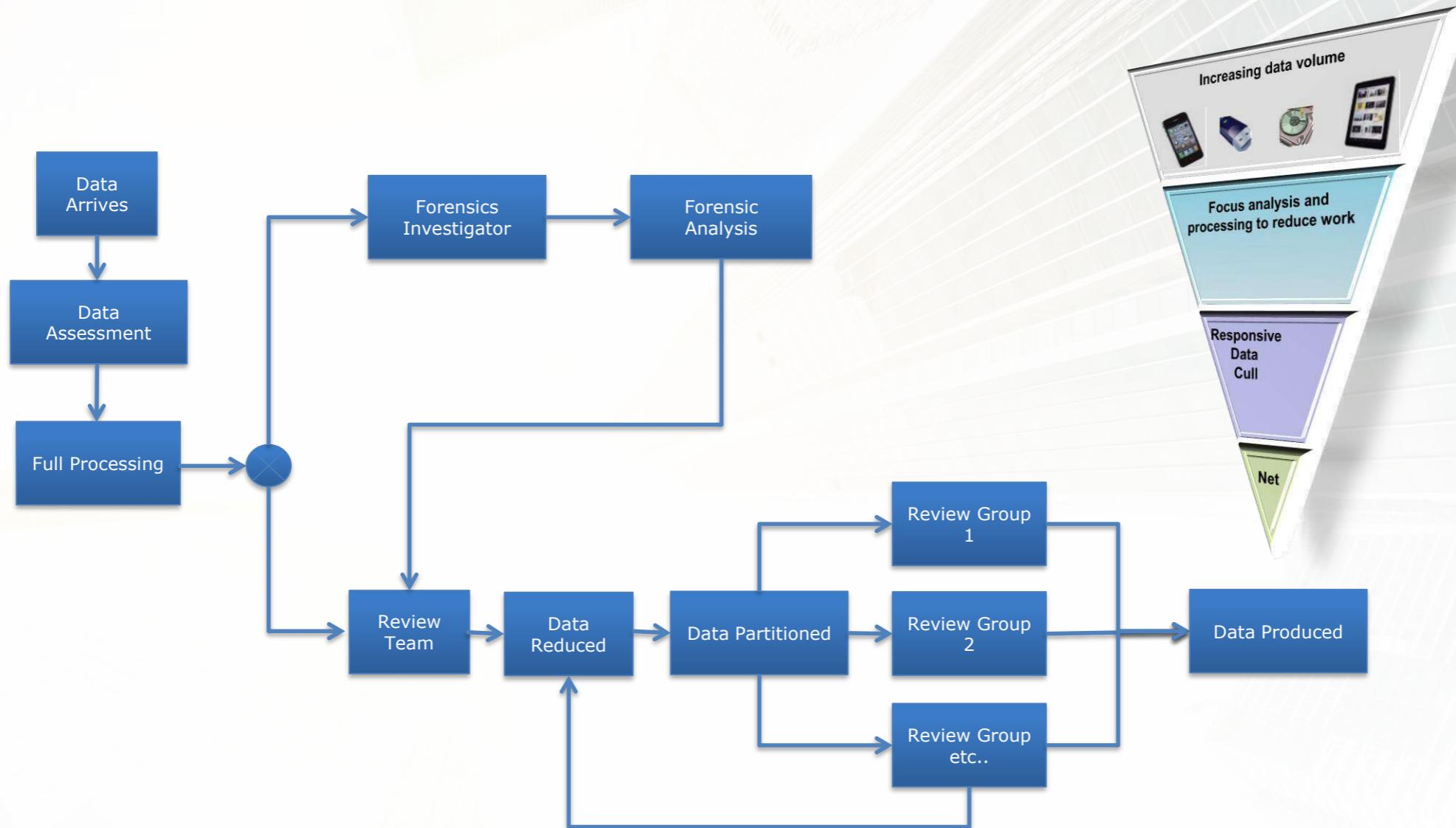
# THE RIGHT TOOL FOR THE JOB REVIEWER

- ✓ Massive scale for collaboration
- ✓ Custom data views to focus review work
- ✓ Custom interface to match user skills
- ✓ Alternate languages available ...
- ✓ Case management through review ...
- ✓ User Tasking
- ✓ User Communications
- ✓ Data Analytics
- ✓ Working together with your technology

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# LIFECYCLE OF COLLABORATION



## Potential Use Cases:

- ✓ Pre-trial review
- ✓ Workload Distribution
- ✓ Agency collaboration
- ✓ Data Processing Reduction

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# REAL TIME COLLABORATION



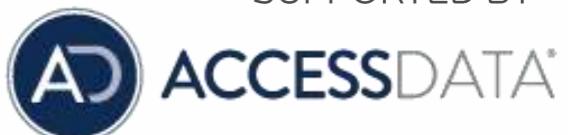
## Scalable features:

- ✓ Processing
- ✓ Examiners
- ✓ Databases
- ✓ Reviewers

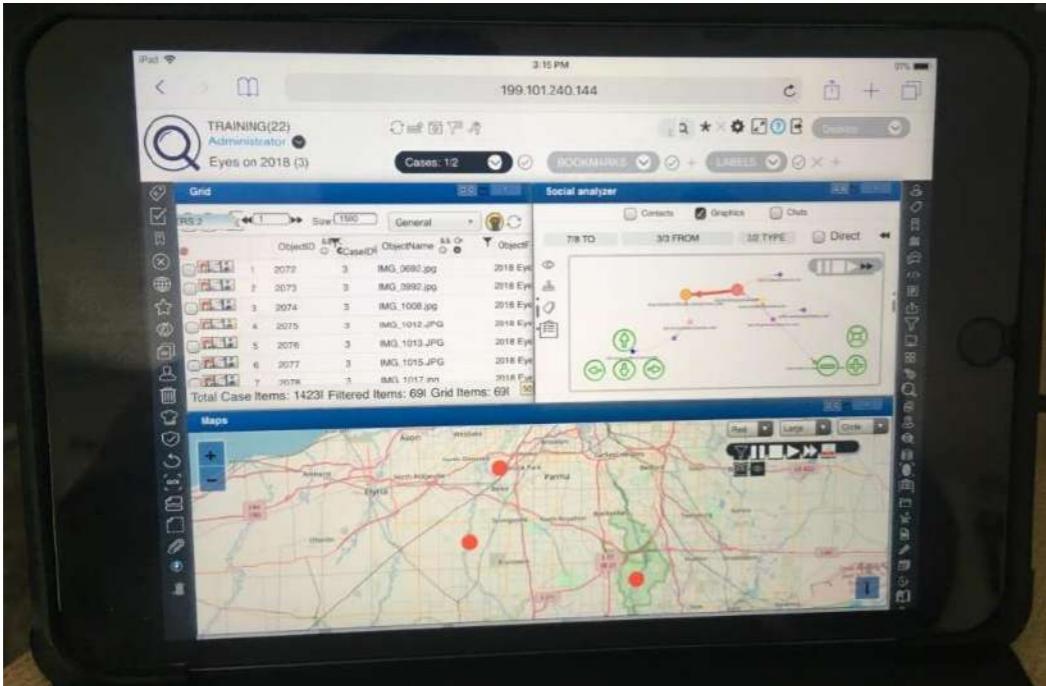
## Efficient Migration:

- ✓ Minimal learning curve for FTK users
- ✓ Minimal hardware outlay for reviewers

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# MOBILITY & FREEDOM FROM HARDWARE



- ✓ AWS
- ✓ Bring your licensing ...
- ✓ Use ours when you need

- ✓ HTML 5...
- ✓ Mobility with scale
- ✓ Holidays are over !!



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# CENTRALISED PLATFORM

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## SINGLE LAB PLATFORM

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Workflow Techniques



Automation



Artificial Intelligence



Image Recognition



Web Reviewers

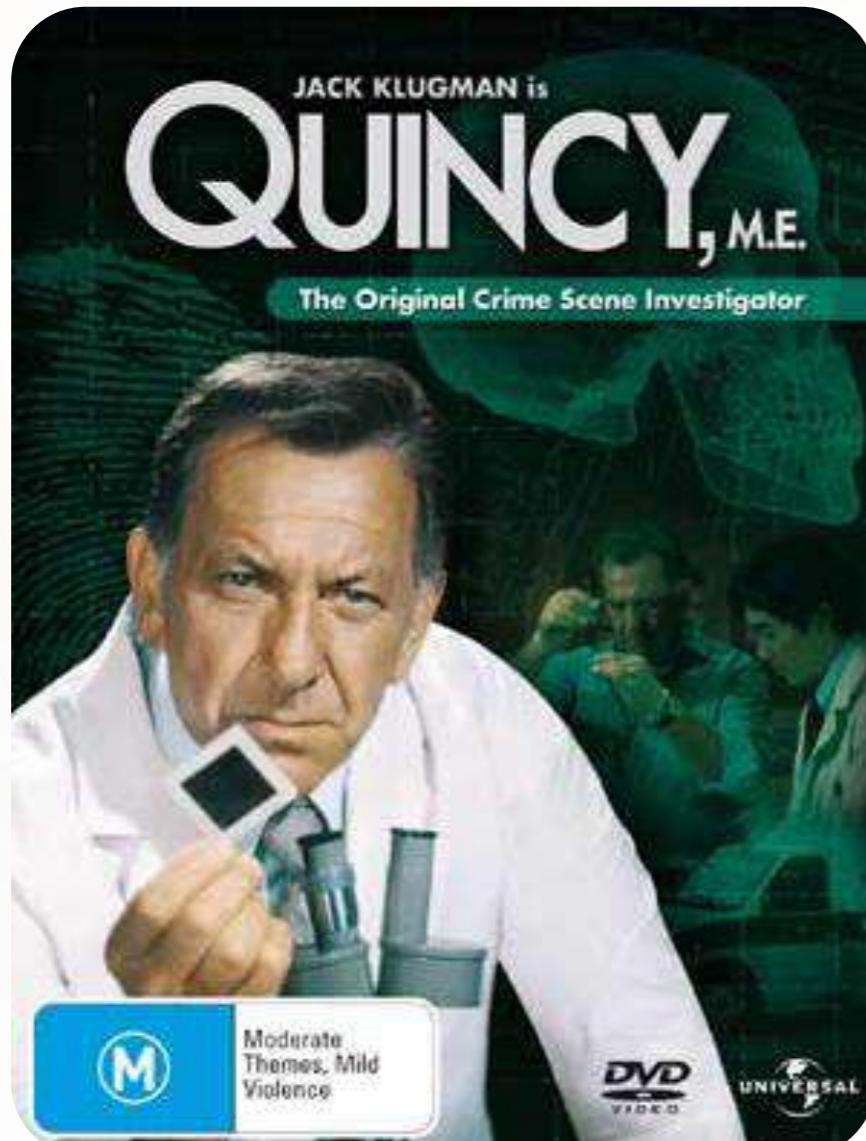
# ACCESSDATA WHAT IS QUIN-C?



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# QUIN-C CURIOS ABOUT THE NAME?



Quin-C is named in tribute to *Quincy, M.E.*, the popular television series about forensic pathology that aired from 1976 to 1983.

While many detective series at the time portrayed rudimentary physical evidence analysis such as fingerprints and bullet comparisons, *Quincy, M.E.* was the first series to regularly present in-depth forensic investigations – **it was ahead of its time.**

**So is Quin-C.**

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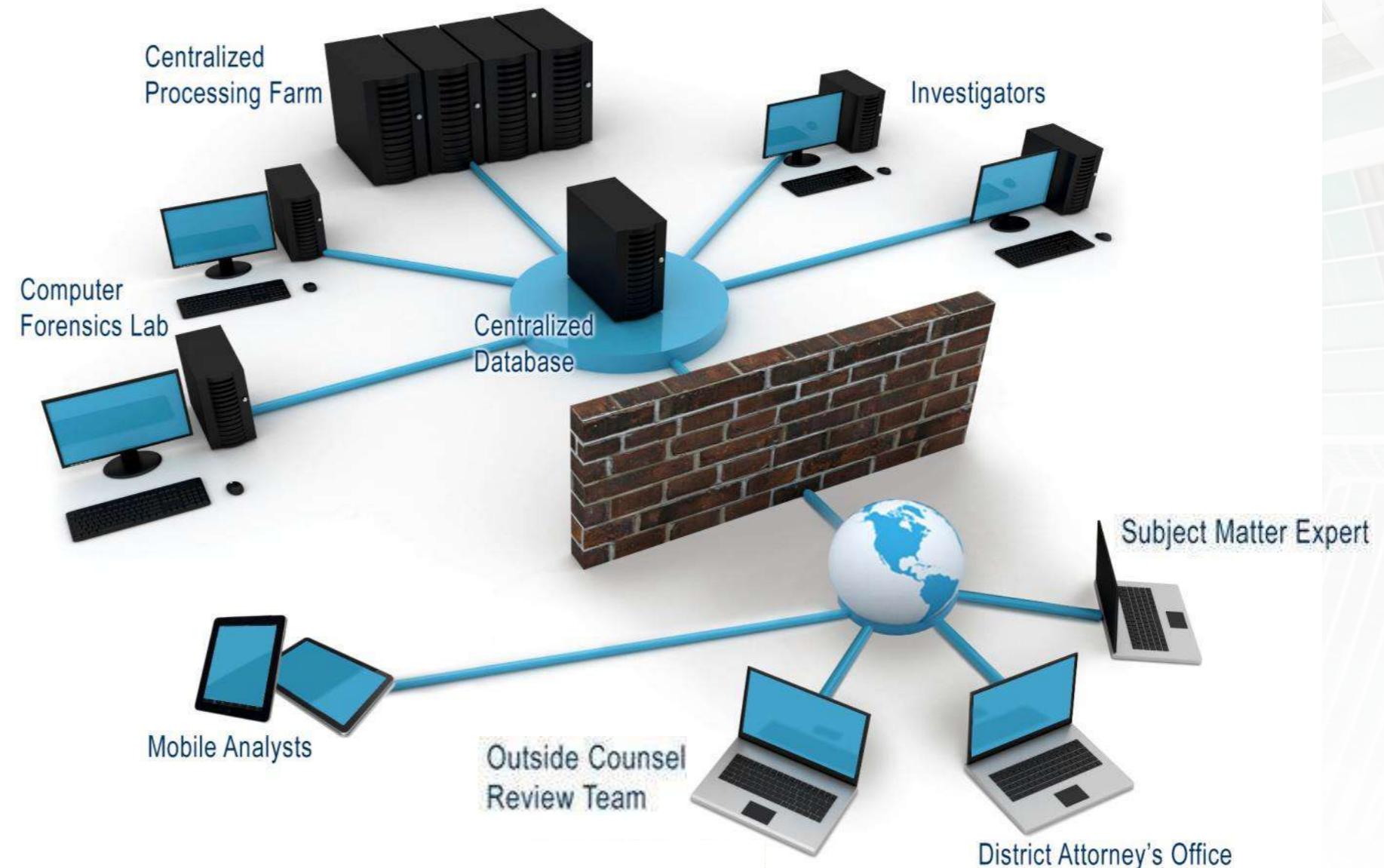
# THE NOW... THE FUTURE

## The Now

- Basic
- Investigator
- Legal
- Collaboration

## The Future

- Response tool
- Compliance tool
- Mobile analysis
- You dream it ...

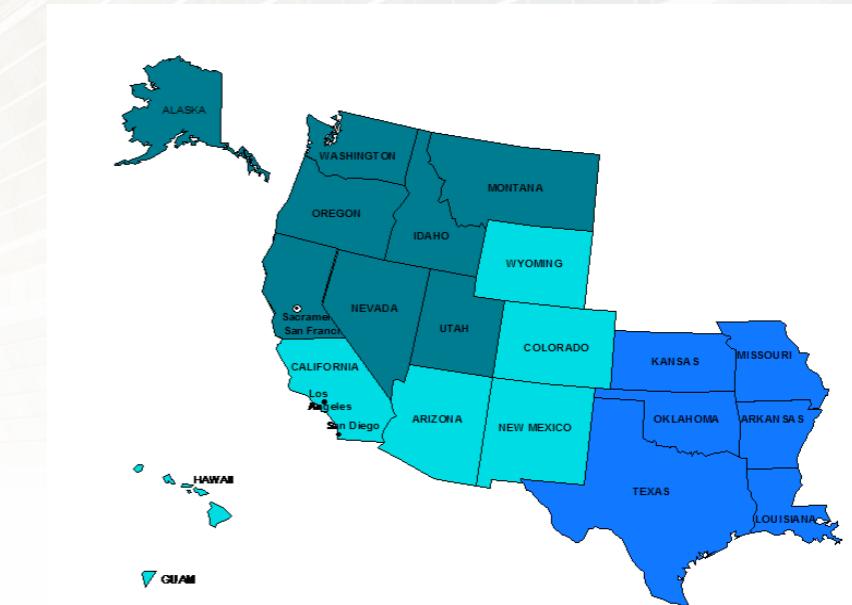
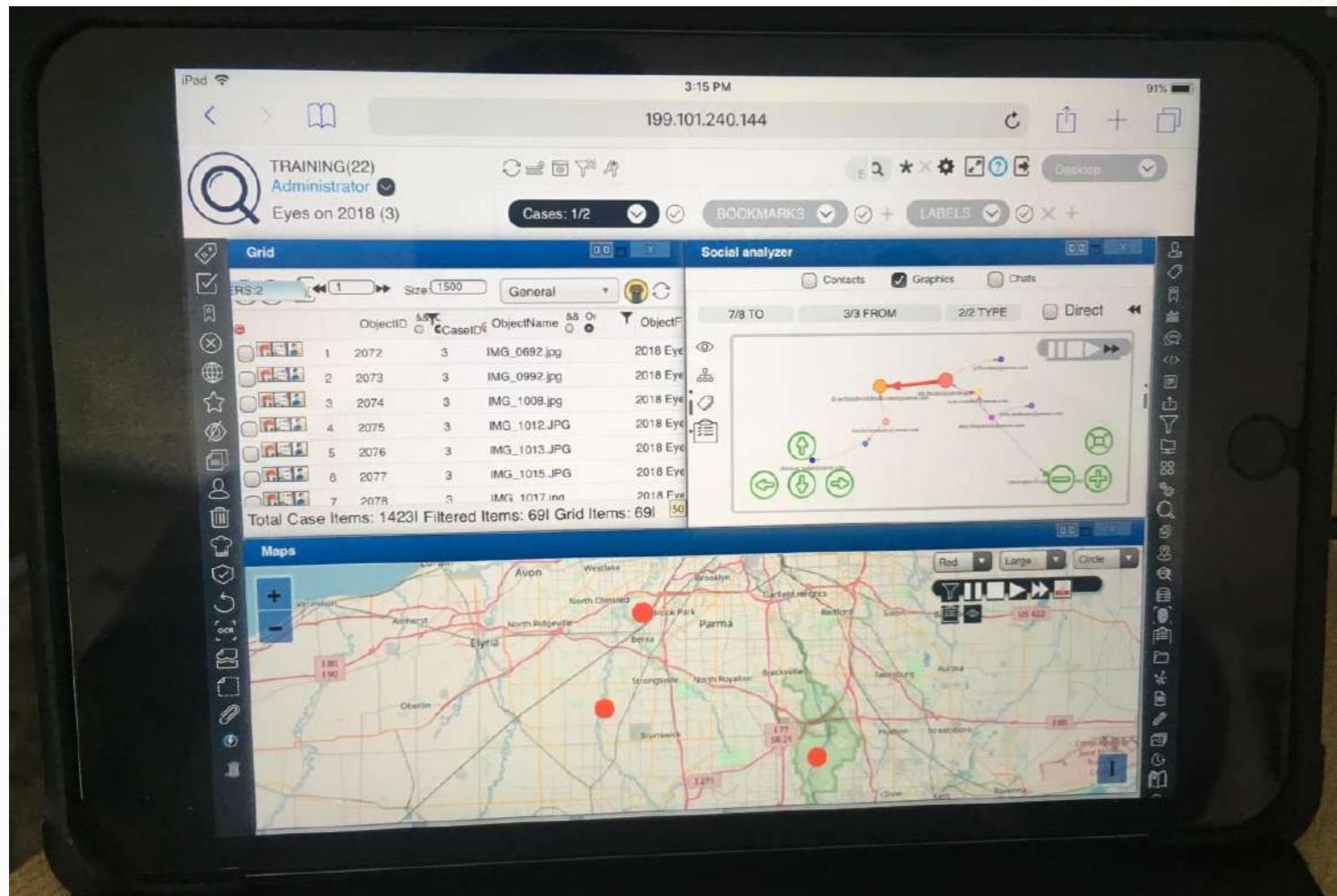


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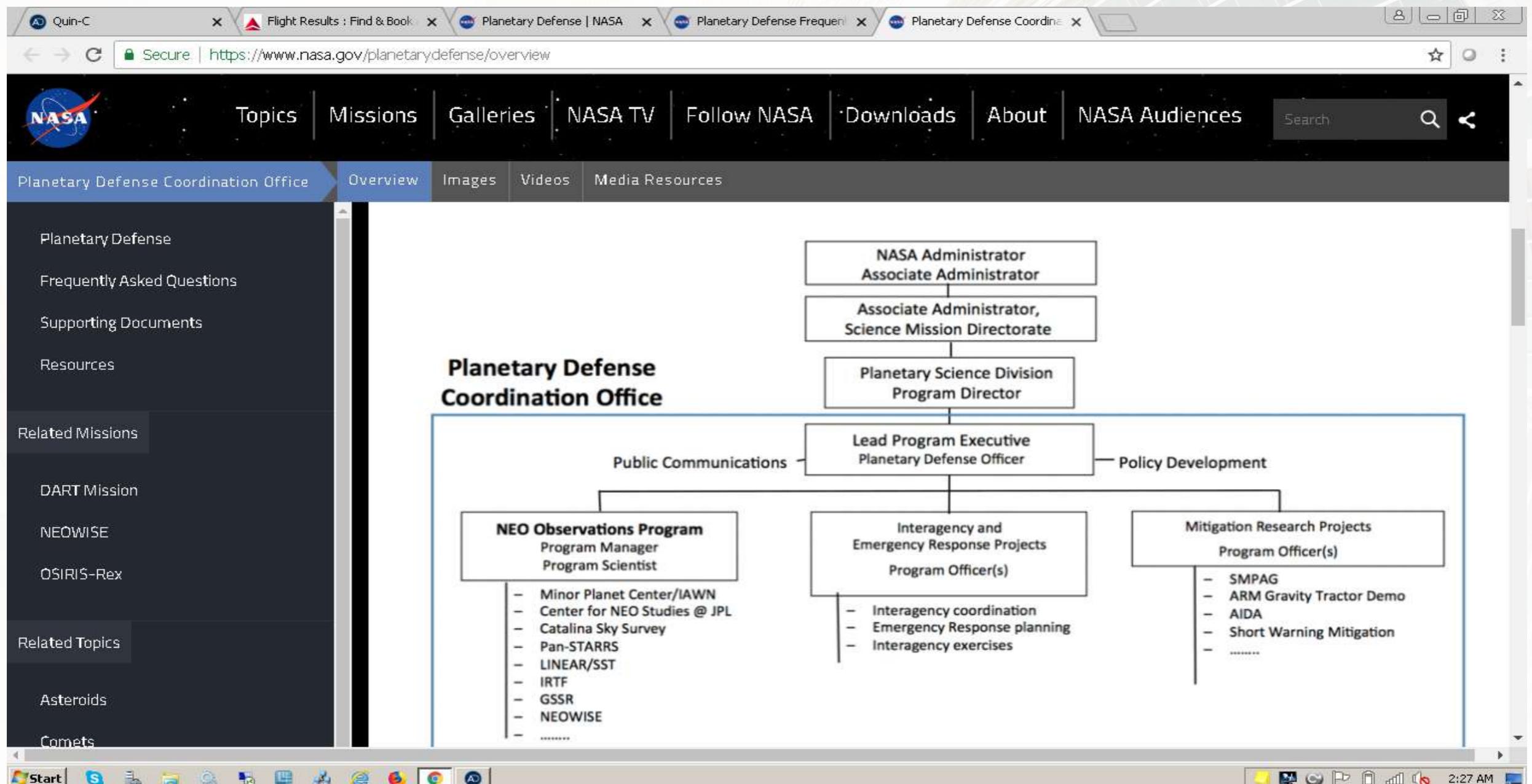
IT REALLY DOES THIS...



- HTML 5 ...
- Mobility with scale
- Holidays are over !!

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The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://www.nasa.gov/planetarydefense/overview>. The page is titled "Planetary Defense Coordination Office" and features a navigation bar with links to Topics, Missions, Galleries, NASA TV, Follow NASA, Downloads, About, and NASA Audiences. A search bar is also present. On the left, a sidebar provides links to Planetary Defense, Frequently Asked Questions, Supporting Documents, Resources, Related Missions (DART Mission, NEOWISE, OSIRIS-Rex), and Related Topics (Asteroids, Comets). The main content area displays the organizational chart of the Planetary Defense Coordination Office, which includes the following structure:

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Associate Administrator"] --> ASSD["Associate Administrator,  
Science Mission Directorate"]; ASSD --> PSD["Planetary Science Division  
Program Director"]; PSD --> PEO["Lead Program Executive  
Planetary Defense Officer"]; PEO --> PC["Public Communications"]; PEO --> IDP["Interagency and  
Emergency Response Projects  
Program Officer(s)"]; PEO --> MRP["Mitigation Research Projects  
Program Officer(s)"]; PC --- NEO["NEO Observations Program  
Program Manager  
Program Scientist"]; IDP --- IERP["Interagency coordination  
Emergency Response planning  
Interagency exercises"]; MRP --- SMPAG["SMPAG  
ARM Gravity Tractor Demo  
AIDA  
Short Warning Mitigation  
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**Introduction**

- What is QC
- Desktop Tour
- Talking Scale
- Turn  , 

**CR1 - Maps**

- Scale down
- Case Access
- Custom Data View
- User Tasking
- Map Plotting

**CR2 - Email**

- Scale Up
- Index Search
- Social Analyzer
- Document Mark-up

**CR3 - Parsers**

- Ecosystem
- Belkasoft Data
- Image Recognition (1<sup>st</sup> A/I)
- Wash / Rinse / Repeat !!

**Freelance ...**

- Panel Views
- Localization
- Process Data / Import
- Export Widget
- Report Widget
- Auto-tagging
- Spreadsheets
- Bread sheets
- Thumbnails
- Video Thumbs

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**Freelance ...**

- 4 facets of speed
  - Grid Page Size
  - Lazy Load
  - Speed Columns
  - Database Lock
- Let's plot a drone
  - Lat / Long
  - Elevation
  - Path
  - Rotor speeds

**Admin ...**

- Configurations (\*.\*)
  - JSONs
  - Setup Configuration
  - Processing
  - Crime Types
  - Column Groups
  - Label Matrix
  - Viewer Configuration

**Watson**

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- Document Clustering
- Cross Case Images
- Cross Case Geo-Location
- Cross Case Contacts
- Entities
- Watson Investigations
  - Investigations
  - Who / What / When
  - Where / Why / Learning ??

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**Admin ...**

- System Values
  - Cases
  - Export
  - Transfer
  - Evidence
  - Using another DB
  - Distributed Processing
- Top Level Functions
  - Cases
  - Users
  - Roles

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# QUESTION & ANSWER

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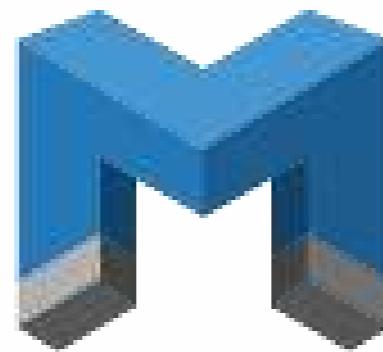
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