

# Software shows hidden files in USB, computer

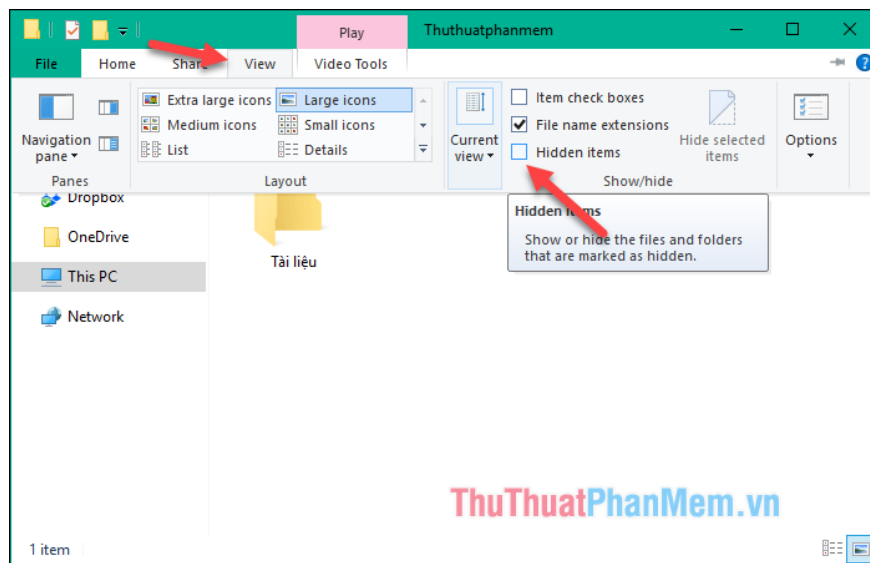
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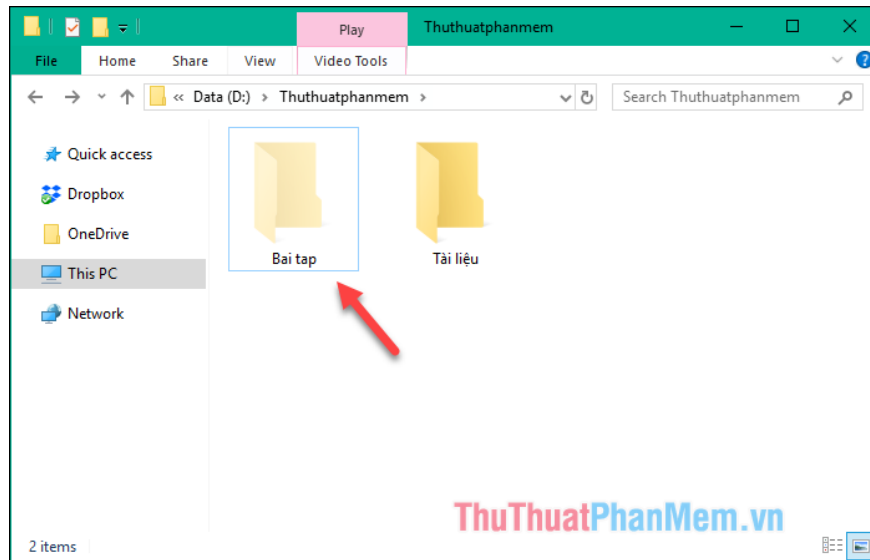
## 1. In case the file is intentionally hidden by the user

In this case, we can make the file appear by the following:

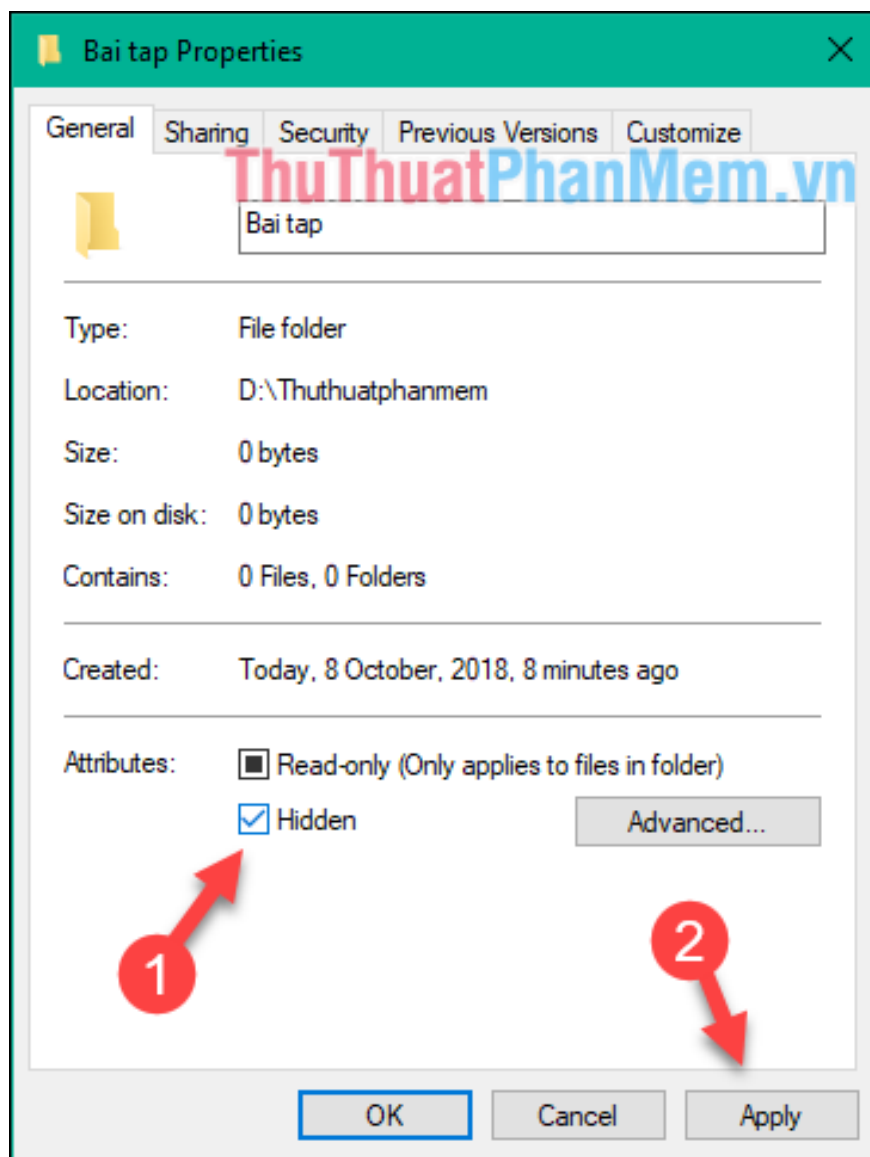
You open the folder containing the hidden file, then select the **View** tab then select the **Hidden items** box



Now you will see hidden files or folders appear, but a bit dimmer than other folders.



If you want to show the file completely, right-click on the hidden file or folder and select **Properties** , then a new window will appear. **Uncheck** the **Hidden** box and click **Apply** .



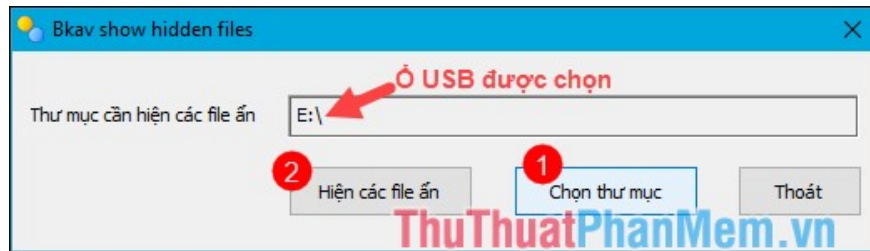
## 2. Where the file is hidden for unknown reasons.

### - Show hidden files by FixAttrb software

FixAttrb is an effective hidden file showing tool developed by Bkav, this tool is very light at only 300kb and does not need to be installed and downloaded to use.

Download link: <http://bb.com.vn/pro/d/FixAttrb.exe/>

After downloading you run the application, the usage is very simple. First, click Select the folder and then select where you want the file to appear, then click Show hidden files and wait for a while to open the folder to see if the hidden files have appeared.

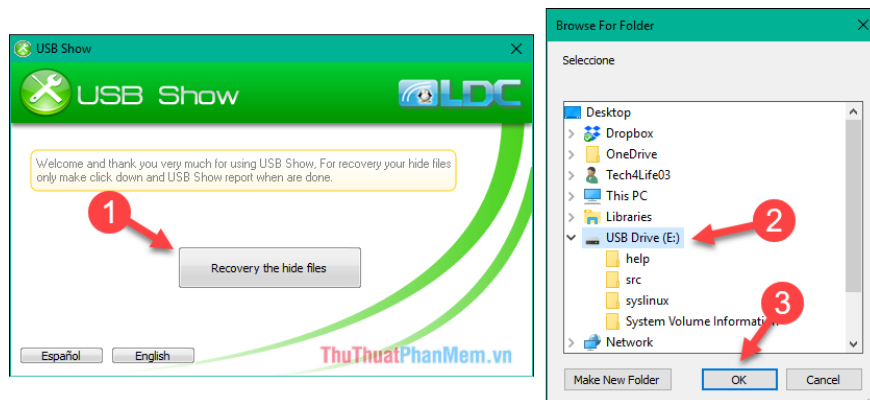


## - Show hidden files using USB Show software

Download link: <http://ldc.mx/usshow.php>

USB Show is also a specialized software to help us show hidden files due to many different reasons. This software can work well with USB, hard drive, and Flash memory, this software is also very light and you can download it without using it. Also using the software is also very simple:

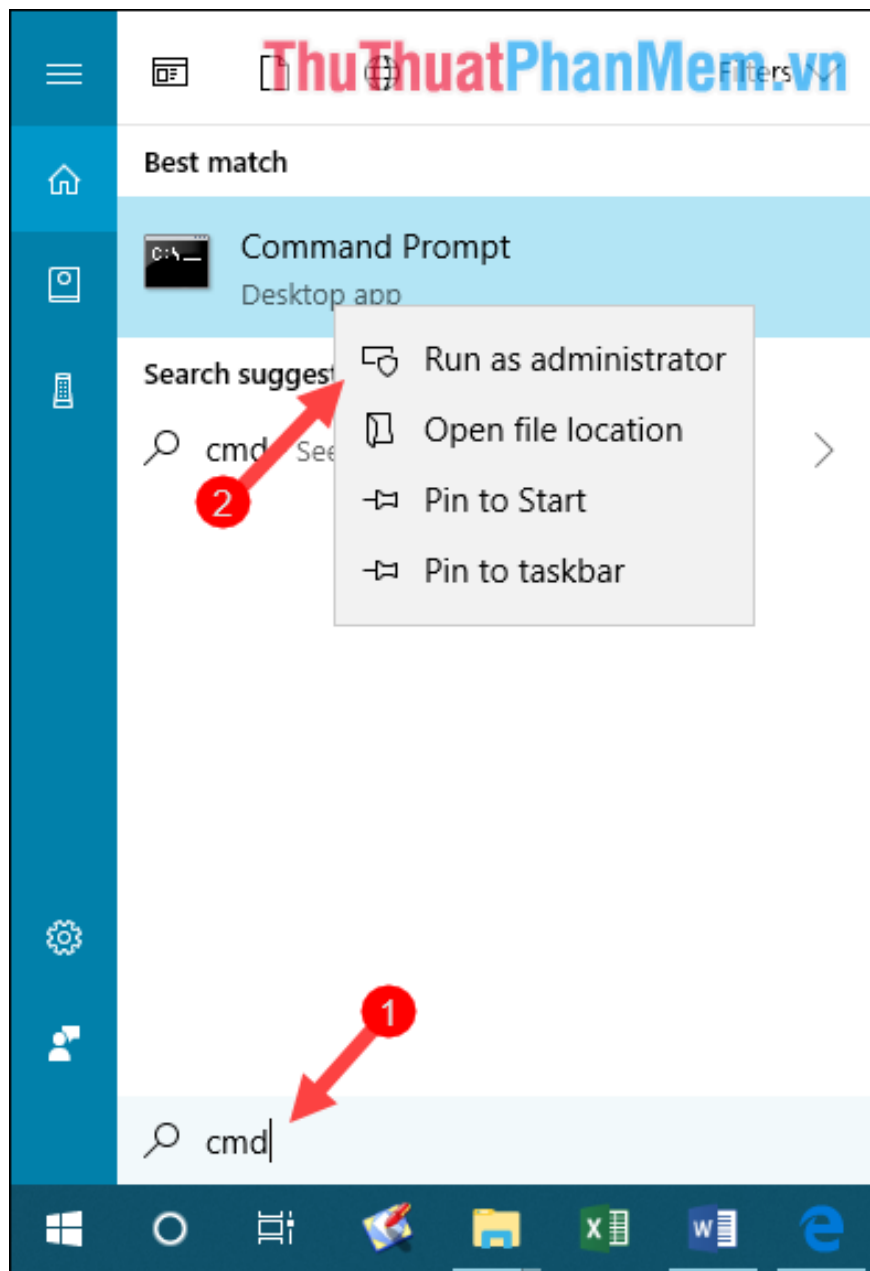
At the main interface of the software you click **Recovery the hide files**, then select the folder you want to show hidden files and click Ok.



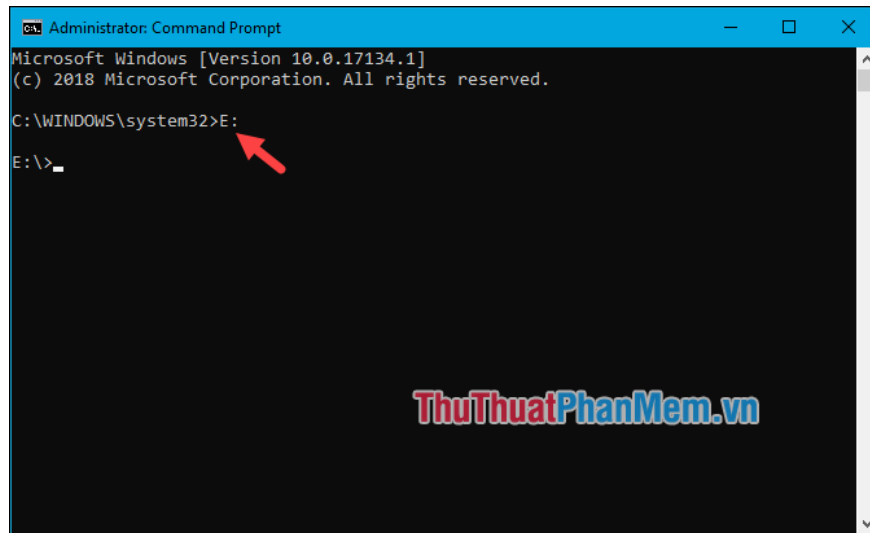
Wait a moment for the software to process then reopen the folder and check if the file has appeared or not.

## - Show hidden files with CMD command

**Step 1** : You open CMD with admin rights by opening the search tool type cmd when the results appear Command Prompt, right-click and select **Run as administrator**



**Step 2** : When the cmd window pops up, enter the name of the USB drive and then press Enter, for example, here your usb drive is drive E, we will enter E: and press enter.

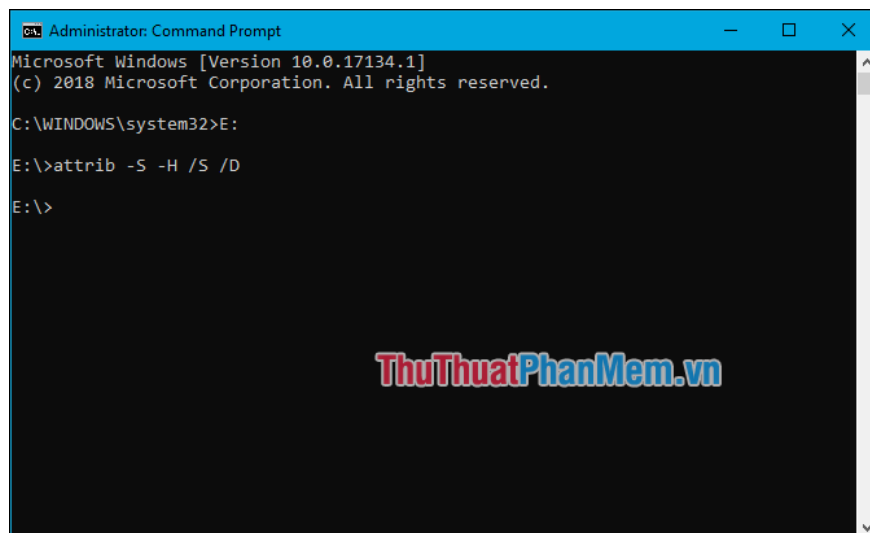


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Administrator: Command Prompt
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C:\WINDOWS\system32>E:
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**Step 3** : After pressing Enter you continue to enter **attrib -S -H /S /D** and press Enter.



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Now you can open the USB and see if the files have been displayed or not.

Above are some methods that TipsMake.com introduces to you to show hidden files on USB or on our computer hard drive. Hope you will succeed after using the above methods. Thank you for watching.

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