

UEFI & EDK II TRAINING

UEFI SHELL LAB w/ WINDOWS NT32

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LESSON OBJECTIVE

 Run UEFI Shell (Nt32 Emulation)

 Run UEFI Shell Commands

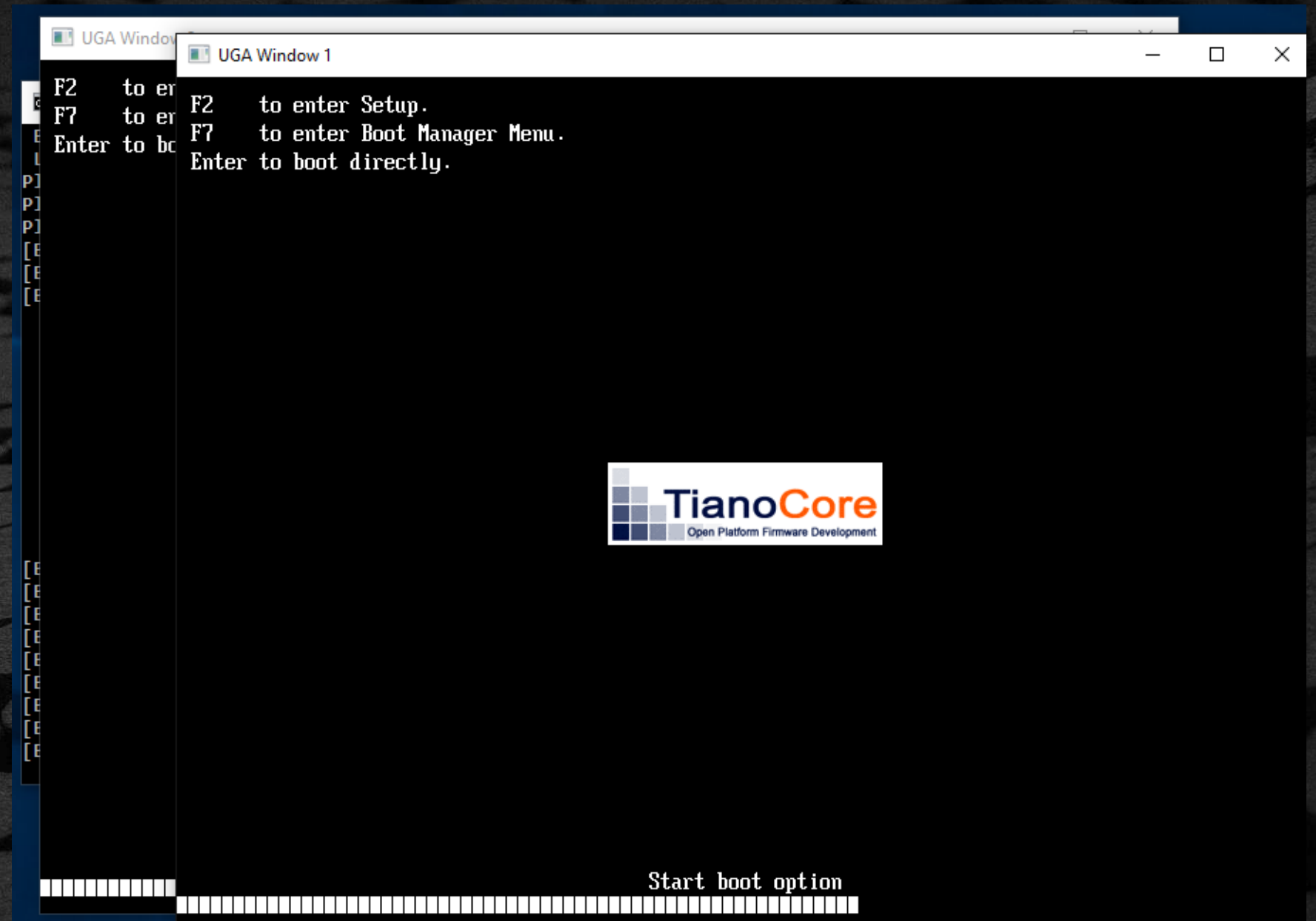
 Run UEFI Shell Scripts

UEFI SHELL LAB WITH NT32

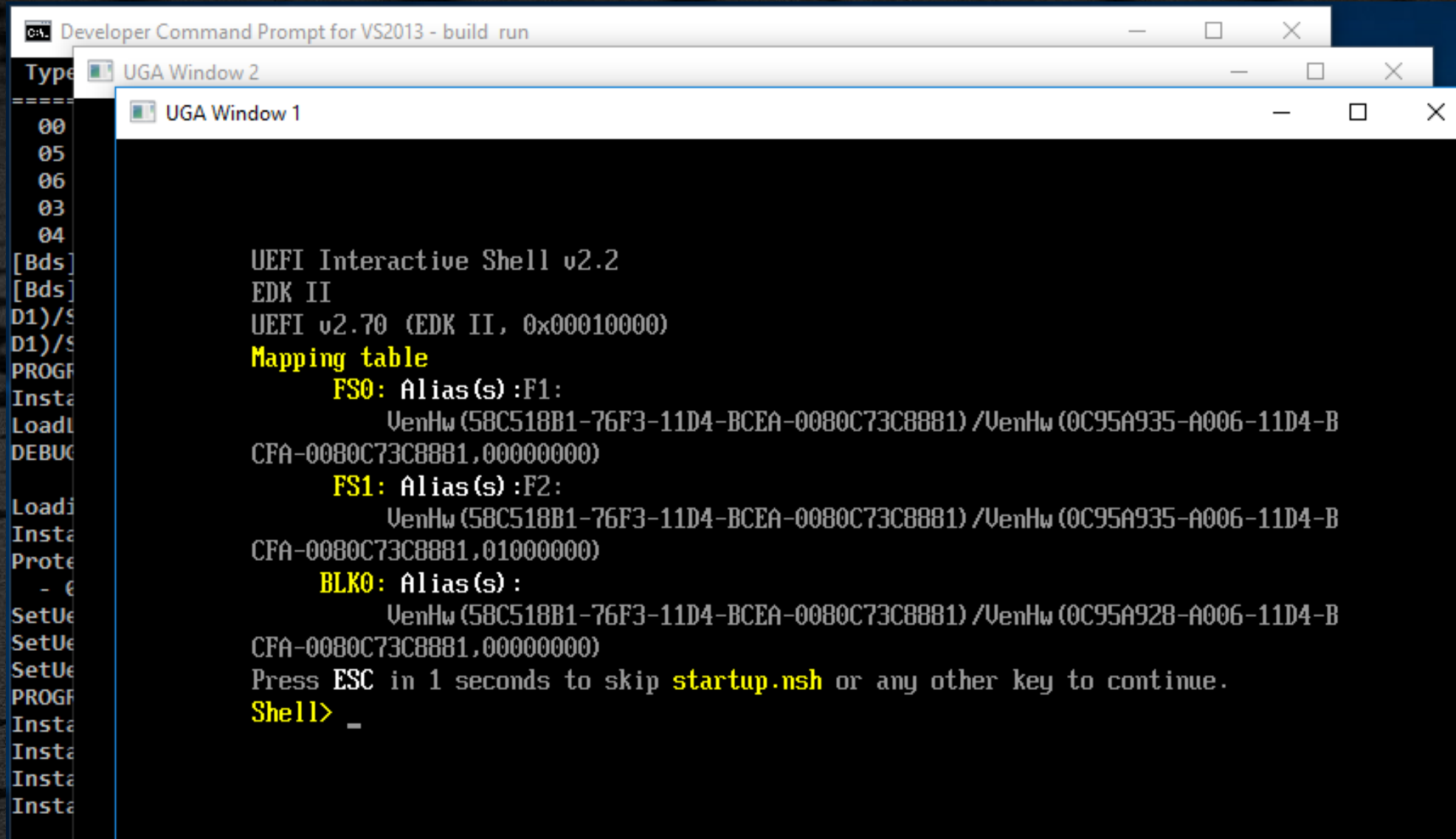
INVOKE NT32 EMULATION

From the VS command prompt

```
CD \FW\edk2  
C:\FW\edk2> edksetup  
C:\FW\edk2> Build  
C:\FW\edk2> Build Run
```



Nt32 boot to UEFI Shell



The screenshot shows a UEFI Interactive Shell v2.2 window titled 'UEFI Interactive Shell v2.2'. The window displays the following text:

```
UEFI Interactive Shell v2.2
EDK II
UEFI v2.70 (EDK II, 0x00010000)
Mapping table
  FS0: Alias(s) :F1:
        VenHw (58C518B1-76F3-11D4-BCEA-0080C73C8881) /VenHw (0C95A935-A006-11D4-B
        CFA-0080C73C8881,00000000)
  FS1: Alias(s) :F2:
        VenHw (58C518B1-76F3-11D4-BCEA-0080C73C8881) /VenHw (0C95A935-A006-11D4-B
        CFA-0080C73C8881,01000000)
  BLK0: Alias(s) :
        VenHw (58C518B1-76F3-11D4-BCEA-0080C73C8881) /VenHw (0C95A928-A006-11D4-B
        CFA-0080C73C8881,00000000)
Press ESC in 1 seconds to skip startup.nsh or any other key to continue.
Shell> _
```

The background of the shell window is black with white text. The mapping table is highlighted in yellow. The prompt 'Shell>' is followed by a cursor.

UEFI SHELL COMMANDS

Commands from the Command Line Interface

COMMON SHELL COMMANDS FOR DEBUGGING

help

mm

mem

memmap

drivers

devices

devtree

dh

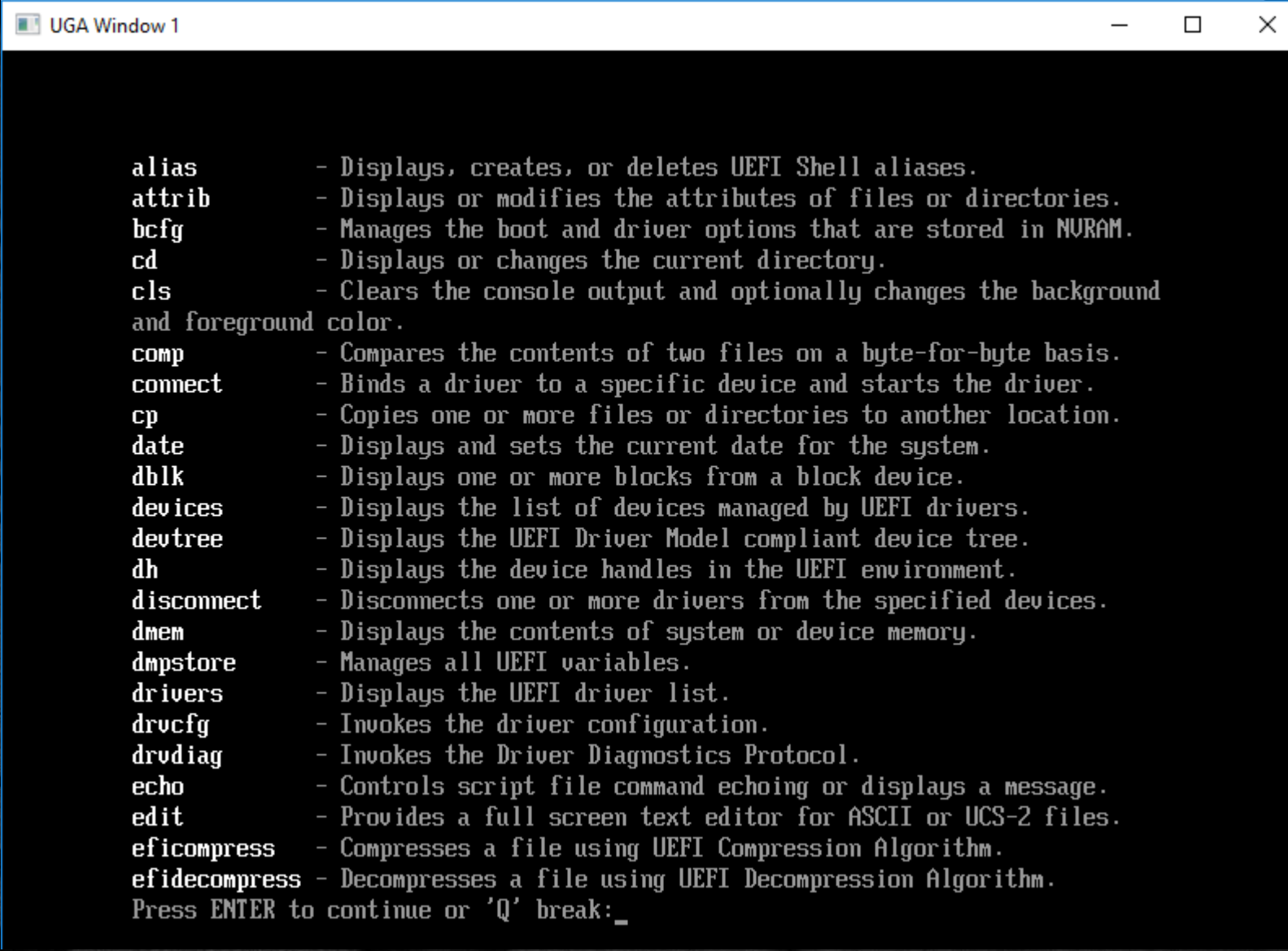
Load

dmpstore

stall

“-b” is the command line
parameter for breaking
after each page.


```
Shell> help -b
```



```
UGA Window 1

alias      - Displays, creates, or deletes UEFI Shell aliases.
attrib     - Displays or modifies the attributes of files or directories.
bcfg       - Manages the boot and driver options that are stored in NVRAM.
cd         - Displays or changes the current directory.
cls        - Clears the console output and optionally changes the background
and foreground color.
comp       - Compares the contents of two files on a byte-for-byte basis.
connect    - Binds a driver to a specific device and starts the driver.
cp         - Copies one or more files or directories to another location.
date       - Displays and sets the current date for the system.
dblk       - Displays one or more blocks from a block device.
devices    - Displays the list of devices managed by UEFI drivers.
devtree    - Displays the UEFI Driver Model compliant device tree.
dh         - Displays the device handles in the UEFI environment.
disconnect - Disconnects one or more drivers from the specified devices.
dmem       - Displays the contents of system or device memory.
dmpstore   - Manages all UEFI variables.
drivers     - Displays the UEFI driver list.
drvcfg     - Invokes the driver configuration.
drvdiag    - Invokes the Driver Diagnostics Protocol.
echo       - Controls script file command echoing or displays a message.
edit       - Provides a full screen text editor for ASCII or UCS-2 files.
eficompress - Compresses a file using UEFI Compression Algorithm.
efidecompress - Decompresses a file using UEFI Decompression Algorithm.
Press ENTER to continue or 'Q' break: _
```



```
Shell> mm -? -b
```

Help for “mm” command shows options for different types of memory and I/O that can be modified

```
UGA Window 1

Displays or modifies MEM/MMIO/IO/PCI/PCIE address space.

MM Address [Value] [-w 1|2|4|8] [-MEM | -MMIO | -IO | -PCI | -PCIE] [-n]

Address - Starting address in hexadecimal format.
Value   - The value to write in hexadecimal format.
-MEM    - Memory Address type
-MMIO   - Memory Mapped IO Address type
-IO     - IO Address type
-PCI    - PCI Configuration Space Address type:
          Address format: ssssbbddffrr
          ssss - Segment
          bb   - Bus
          dd   - Device
          ff   - Function
          rr   - Register
-PCIE   - PCIE Configuration Space Address type:
          Address format: ssssbbddffrrr
          ssss - Segment
          bb   - Bus
          dd   - Device
          ff   - Function
          rrr  - Register
-w      - Unit size accessed in bytes:
Press ENTER to continue or 'Q' break: _
```


SHELL “MM”

```
Shell> mm 06bbb000
```

```
Shell> mm 06bbb000
MEM 0x00000000006BBB000 : 0xAF >
MEM 0x00000000006BBB001 : 0xAF >
MEM 0x00000000006BBB002 : 0xAF >
MEM 0x00000000006BBB003 : 0xAF >
MEM 0x00000000006BBB004 : 0xAF >
MEM 0x00000000006BBB005 : 0xAF >
MEM 0x00000000006BBB006 : 0xAF >
MEM 0x00000000006BBB007 : 0xAF > q
Shell> _
```

MM in can display / modify any location

Do **not** try on NT32

```
Shell> mm 0000
```

“q” to quit

Shell> mem

Displays the contents of the system or device memory without arguments, displays the system memory configuration.

```

061EC170: AF AF AF AF AF AF AF AF-AF AF AF AF AF AF AF AF *.....*
061EC180: AF AF AF AF AF AF AF AF-AF AF AF AF AF AF AF AF *.....*

Valid EFI Header at Address 00000000061EBF90
-----
System: Table Structure size 00000048 revision 0002001F
ConIn (000000000A3271F4) ConOut (0000000005373114) StdErr (000000000A3273A4)
Runtime Services 00000000061EBF10
Boot Services    0000000000415C40
SAL System Table 0000000000000000
ACPI Table       0000000000000000
ACPI 2.0 Table   0000000000000000
MPS Table        0000000000000000
SMBIOS Table     000000000622F000
Shell> _

```

UEFI System
Table Pointer




```
Shell> memmap
```

Displays the memory map maintained by the UEFI environment

```
Available 000000000061C0000-0000000000A1BFFFF 00000000000004000 0000000000000000F
MMIO      000000000021A0000-000000000021ABFFF 0000000000000000C 80000000000000000
Reserved  :      4 Pages (16,384)
LoaderCode:    358 Pages (1,466,368)
LoaderData:    23 Pages (94,208)
BS_Code  :    550 Pages (2,252,800)
BS_Data  :   3,895 Pages (15,953,920)
RT_Code  :     64 Pages (262,144)
RT_Data  :     64 Pages (262,144)
ACPI Recl :      0 Pages (0)
ACPI NUS  :      0 Pages (0)
MMIO     :     12 Pages (49,152)
Available :  27,810 Pages (113,909,760)
Total Memory: 128 MB (134,266,880 Bytes)
Shell> _
```


SHELL “DRIVERS”

shell> drivers -b

```

          T   D
D         Y C I
R         P F A
U  VERSION  E G G #D #C DRIVER NAME                                IMAGE NAME
====
42 0000000A B N N 1 6      PCI Bus Driver MemoryMapped (0xB,0x
17A8E000,0x17FBDFFF)/FuFile(93B80004-9FB3-11D4-9A3A-0090273FC14D)
44 00000011 ? N N 0 0      Block MMIO to Block IO Driver MemoryMapped (0xB,0x
17A8E000,0x17FBDFFF)/FuFile(33CB97AF-6C33-4C42-986B-07581FA366D4)
45 00000010 ? N N 0 0      Virtio Block Driver MemoryMapped (0xB,0x
17A8E000,0x17FBDFFF)/FuFile(11D92DFB-3CA9-4F93-BA2E-4780ED3E03B5)
46 00000010 ? N N 0 0      Virtio SCSI Host Driver MemoryMapped (0xB,0x
17A8E000,0x17FBDFFF)/FuFile(FAB5D4F4-83C0-4AAF-8480-442D11DF6CEA)
47 0000000A D N N 2 0      Platform Console Management Driver MemoryMapped (0xB,0x
17A8E000,0x17FBDFFF)/FuFile(51CCF399-4FDF-4E55-A45B-E123F84D456A)
48 0000000A D N N 2 0      Platform Console Management Driver
49 0000000A B N N 2 2      Console Splitter Driver MemoryMapped (0xB,0x
17A8E000,0x17FBDFFF)/FuFile(408EDCEC-CF6D-477C-A5A8-B4844E3DE281)
4A 0000000A ? N N 0 0      Console Splitter Driver
4B 0000000A ? N N 0 0      Console Splitter Driver
4C 0000000A B N N 2 2      Console Splitter Driver
4D 0000000A B N N 1 1      Console Splitter Driver
51 0000000A D N N 1 0      Graphics Console Driver MemoryMapped (0xB,0x
17A8E000,0x17FBDFFF)/FuFile(CCCB0C28-4B24-11D5-9A5A-0090273FC14D)
Press ENTER to continue or 'Q' break:_

```


SHELL “DEVICES”

shell> devices -b

Displays a list of devices that UEFI drivers manage.

```
Shell> devices -b
      T   D
      Y C I
      P F A
CTRL E G G #P #D #C Device Name
=====
 23 R - - 0 1 11 VenHw(58C518B1-76F3-11D4-BCEA-0080C73C8881)
 51 D - - 2 0 0 Primary Console Input Device
 52 D - - 2 0 0 Primary Console Output Device
 53 D - - 2 0 0 Primary Standard Error Device
 7A B - - 1 7 3 UGA Window 1
 7B B - - 1 7 3 UGA Window 2
 7C D - - 1 0 0 COM1
 7D D - - 1 0 0 COM2
 7E D - - 1 0 0 Bus Driver Console Window
 7F D - - 1 1 0 .
 80 D - - 1 1 0 ..\..\..\EdkShellBinPkg\Bin\Ia32\Apps
 81 D - X 1 2 0 Diskfile0
 82 D - - 1 0 0 a:RW;2880;512
 83 D - - 1 0 0 d:RO;307200;2048
 84 D - - 1 0 0 j:RW;262144;512
Shell> _
```


SHELL “DEVTREE”

```
shell> devtree -b
```

Displays a tree of devices currently managed by UEFI drivers.

```
Ctrl[03] MemoryMapped (0xB,0x800000,0xFFFFFFFF)
Ctrl[04] MemoryMapped (0xB,0x17ABE000,0x17FBDFFF)
Ctrl[1B] MemoryMapped (0xB,0x17FE0000,0x17FFFFFFF)
Ctrl[32] PciRoot (0x0)
  Ctrl[7A] PciRoot (0x0) /Pci (0x0,0x0)
  Ctrl[7B] PciRoot (0x0) /Pci (0x1,0x0)
    Ctrl[84] PciRoot (0x0) /Pci (0x1,0x0) /Serial (0x0)
      Ctrl[8A] PciRoot (0x0) /Pci (0x1,0x0) /Serial (0x0) /Uart (115200,8,N,1)
        Ctrl[8B] PC-ANSI Serial Console
          Ctrl[4E] Primary Console Input Device
          Ctrl[4F] Primary Console Output Device
          Ctrl[50] Primary Standard Error Device
      Ctrl[85] PciRoot (0x0) /Pci (0x1,0x0) /Serial (0x1)
    Ctrl[86] PS/2 Keyboard Device
      Ctrl[4E] Primary Console Input Device
    Ctrl[87] PciRoot (0x0) /Pci (0x1,0x0) /Acpi (PNP0303,0x1)
    Ctrl[88] ISA Floppy Drive #0
    Ctrl[89] ISA Floppy Drive #1
  Ctrl[7C] PCI IDE/ATAPI Controller
    Ctrl[80] QEMU HARDDISK
      Ctrl[82] FAT File System
    Ctrl[81] QEMU DVD-ROM
  Ctrl[7D] PciRoot (0x0) /Pci (0x1,0x3)
    Ctrl[7E] QEMU Video PCI Adapter
Press ENTER to continue or 'Q' break: _
```


SHELL HANDLE DATABASE - “DH”

```
shell> dh -b
```

Dump Handle - Displays the device handles associated with UEFI drivers

```
Handle dump
01: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 LoadedImage (DxeCore)
02: Decompress
03: FirmwareVolume2 DevicePath(..3D38-42C2-A095-5F4300BFD7DC)) FirmwareVolumeBlock
04: DevicePath(..ped (0xB,0x2980000,0x299FFFF)) FirmwareVolumeBlock
05: A31280AD-481E-41B6-95E8-127F4C984779 FC1BCDB0-7D31-49AA-936A-A4600D9DD083
06: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 ImageDevicePath(..AD6B-4F3A-B60B-F59899003443)) LoadedImage (DevicePathDxe)
07: DevicePathFromText DevicePathToText DevicePathUtilities
08: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 ImageDevicePath(..87AB-47F9-A3FE-D50B76D89541)) LoadedImage (PcdDxe)
09: GetPcdInfo GetPcdInfoProtocol Pcd Pcd
0A: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 ImageDevicePath(..52B5-46CD-99C3-4368ABBACFFD)) LoadedImage (Metronome)
0B: MetronomeArch
0C: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 ImageDevicePath(..A7EB-4730-8C8E-CC466A9ECC3C)) LoadedImage (ReportStatusCodeRouterRuntimeDxe)
0D: SmartCardReader RscHandler
0E: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 ImageDevicePath(..4E0E-4BE4-B14C-340EB4AA5891)) LoadedImage (StatusCodeHandlerRuntimeDxe)
0F: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 ImageDevicePath(..847E-4E5D-AD3F-21CABFE5E23C)) LoadedImage (WinNtOemHookStatusCodeHandlerDxe)
10: 4C8A2451-C207-405B-9694-99EA13251341 ImageDevicePath(..1644-4EF4-8944-48C4FP
ress ENTER to continue or 'Q' break:_
```



```
Shell> load -?
```

Loads a UEFI driver into memory

```
Shell> load -? -b
Loads a UEFI driver into memory.

LOAD [-nc] file [file...]

    -nc - Loads the driver, but does not connect the driver.
    File - Specifies a file that contains the image of the UEFI driver (wildcards
are
    permitted).
```

NOTES:

1. This command loads a driver into memory. It can load multiple files at one time. The file name supports wildcards.
2. If the -nc flag is not specified, this command attempts to connect the driver to a proper device. It might also cause previously loaded drivers to be connected to their corresponding devices.
3. Use the 'UNLOAD' command to unload a driver.

EXAMPLES:

- * To load a driver:

Shell “dmpstore”

```
Shell> dmpstore -all -b
```

Display the contents of the NVRAM variables

```
Shell> dmpstore -all -b
Variable NV+BS '4C19049F-4137-4DD3-9C10-8B97A83FFDFA:MemoryTypeInfo' Data
Size = 0x40
00000000: 0A 00 00 00 2A 00 00 00-09 00 00 00 08 00 00 00 *.....*
00000010: 00 00 00 00 29 00 00 00-06 00 00 00 F2 00 00 00 *....).....*
00000020: 05 00 00 00 50 00 00 00-03 00 00 00 57 03 00 00 *....P.....W...*
00000030: 04 00 00 00 AC 14 00 00-0F 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 *.....*
Variable NV+RT+BS 'EFIGlobalVariable:ErrOut' DataSize = 0x49
00000000: 02 01 0C 00 D0 41 03 0A-00 00 00 00 01 01 06 00 *.....A.....*
00000010: 00 01 02 01 0C 00 D0 41-01 05 00 00 00 00 03 0E *.....A.....*
00000020: 13 00 00 00 00 00 00 C2-01 00 00 00 00 00 08 01 *.....*
00000030: 01 03 0A 14 00 53 47 C1-E0 BE F9 D2 11 9A 0C 00 *....SG.....*
00000040: 90 27 3F C1 4D 7F FF 04-00 *.'?.M....*
Variable NV+RT+BS 'EFIGlobalVariable:ConIn' DataSize = 0x7A
00000000: 02 01 0C 00 D0 41 03 0A-00 00 00 00 01 01 06 00 *.....A.....*
00000010: 00 01 02 01 0C 00 D0 41-03 03 00 00 00 00 7F 01 *.....A.....*P
ress ENTER to continue or 'Q' break: _
```


SHELL “STALL”

```
Shell> stall 100000000
```

Stalls the operation for a specified number of microseconds

```
Shell> stall 100000000  
Shell> _
```

UEFI SHELL SCRIPTS

Use Scripting with UEFI Shell

UEFI SHELL SCRIPTS

The UEFI Shell can execute commands from a file, which is called a batch script file (**.nsh** files).

Benefits: These files allow users to simplify routine or repetitive tasks.

- Perform basic flow control.
- Allow branching and looping in a script.
- Allow users to control input and output and call other batch programs (known as script nesting).

WRITING UEFI SHELL SCRIPTS

At the shell prompt

```
Shell> fs0:  
FS0:\> edit HelloScript.nsh
```

Type : `echo "Hello World"`

```
UEFI EDIT 2.0 HelloScript.nsh          Modified  
echo "Hello World"
```

Press "F2"
Enter
Press "F3" to exit

Help Menu - Shell

Help

Control Key	Function Key	Command
-----	-----	-----
Ctrl-G	F1	Go To Line
Ctrl-S	F2	Save File
Ctrl-Q	F3	Exit
Ctrl-F	F4	Search
Ctrl-R	F5	Search/Replace
Ctrl-K	F6	Cut Line
Ctrl-U	F7	Paste Line
Ctrl-O	F8	Open File
Ctrl-T	F9	File Type

Use Ctrl-W to exit this help

HELLO WORLD SCRIPT

In the shell, **type** HelloScript for the following result:

```
FS0:\> HelloScript.nsh
FS0:\> echo "Hello World"
Hello World
FS0:\> _
```


Close the Nt32 emulation, type: "reset"

```
FS0:\> reset
```


UEFI SHELL NESTED SCRIPTS

Copy the Scripts from the `/FW/LabSampleCode/ShellScripts` to the Nt32 runtime directory

`C:/FW/edk2/Build/NT32IA32/DEBUG_VS2013x86/IA32`



The screenshot shows two Windows File Explorer windows side-by-side. The left window is titled 'ShellScripts' and shows the path 'FW > LabSampleCode > ShellScripts'. It contains three files: 'HelloScript.nsh', 'Script1.nsh', and 'Script2.nsh'. The right window is titled 'IA32' and shows the path 'OSDisk (C:) > fw > edk2 > Build > NT32IA32 > DEBUG_VS2013x86 > IA32'. It contains several files, including 'Script2.nsh' and 'Script1.nsh'. A green arrow points from the 'Script1.nsh' and 'Script2.nsh' files in the left window to a 'Copy' button. Another green arrow points from the 'Script2.nsh' and 'Script1.nsh' files in the right window to a 'Paste' button.

Name	Date modified	Type
HelloScript.nsh	7/2/2018 3:14 PM	
Script1.nsh	7/2/2018 3:14 PM	
Script2.nsh	7/2/2018 3:14 PM	

Name	Date modified	Type
SecMain.exe	1/23/2018 11:12 AM	Application
ScsiDisk.efi	6/20/2018 2:36 PM	EFI File
ScsiBus.efi	6/20/2018 2:36 PM	EFI File
Script2.nsh	7/2/2018 3:14 PM	NSH File
Script1.nsh	7/2/2018 3:14 PM	NSH File

Copy

Paste

UEFI Shell Script Example

Script1.nsh

```
# Simple UEFI Shell script file
echo -off
script2.nsh
if exist %cwd%Mytime.log then
    type Mytime.log
endif
echo "%HThank you." "%VByeBye:) %N"
```

Script2.nsh

```
# Show nested scripts
time > Mytime.log
for %a run (3 1 -1)
    echo %a counting down
endfor
```


RUN UEFI SHELL SCRIPTS

From the VS command Prompt

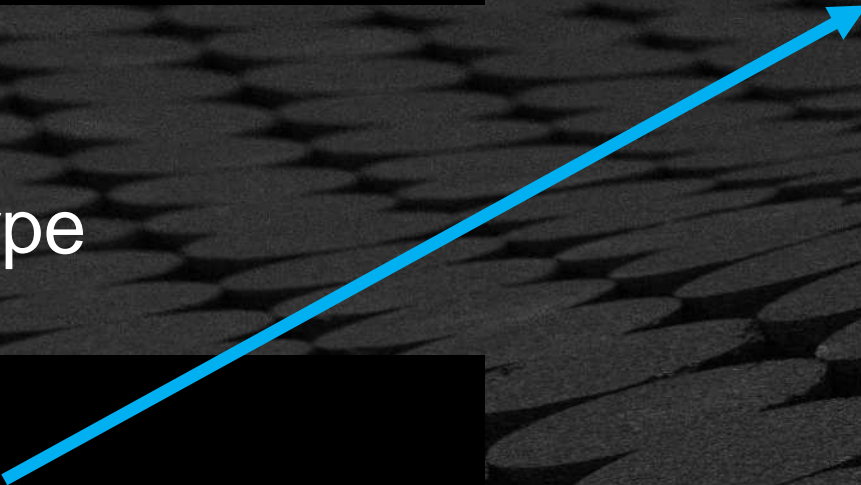
```
C:\FW\edk2> Build Run
```

At the Shell prompt Type

```
Shell> fs0:
```

```
FS0:\> Script1
```

```
FS0:\> Edit Script1.nsh
```



```
FS0:\> Script1
FS0:\> script2.nsh
FS0:\> time > Mytime.log
FS0:\> for %a run (3 1 -1)
FS0:\>     echo %a counting down
3 counting down
FS0:\> endfor
FS0:\> for %a run (3 1 -1)
FS0:\>     echo %a counting down
2 counting down
FS0:\> endfor
FS0:\> for %a run (3 1 -1)
FS0:\>     echo %a counting down
1 counting down
FS0:\> endfor
FS0:\> for %a run (3 1 -1)
FS0:\> if exist %cwd%\Mytime.log then
FS0:\>     type Mytime.log
20:08:54 (UTC 00:00)

FS0:\> endif
FS0:\> echo "Thank you. ByeBye:) "
Thank you. ByeBye:)
FS0:\> _
```


RUN UEFI SHELL SCRIPTS

Remove the “#” on the first line

Press “F2”

Enter

Press “F3” to exit

Type

```
UEFI EDIT Script1.nsh
echo -off
script2.nsh
if exist %cwd%/Mytime.log then
    type Mytime.log
endif
echo "%HThank you. %VByeBye:) %N"
```

```
FS0:\> Script1
```

```
FS0:\> Script1
FS0:\> echo -off
3 counting down
2 counting down
1 counting down
20:19:52 (UTC 00:00)
```

```
Thank you. ByeBye:)
FS0:\> _
```


SUMMARY

-  Run UEFI Shell (Nt32 Emulation)
-  Run UEFI Shell Commands
-  Run UEFI Shell Scripts

Questions?



