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Existential Crisis

- Inspect the page
- See the alt of the image tag
- · Get the file name
- · Access the file
- Copy the flag

Help!!!

- Open the Webpage
- Inspect
- Find the hidden Link (There are 2 Links Must warn the participants)
- Read the flag (Not too straight forward)
- CTF{MINDTHEGAP}

Find ME!!!

- Go to Site.
- Method 1
 - look at robots.txt
 - o Gives you hint to pes website with an apropriate request header
 - Navigate to the PESU website.
 - Find the appropriate request to get user data based on SRN's.
 - Guess the correct SRN.
- Method 2 [Not the right way but still a pretty impressive method]
 - Use the scholarship document provided by college
 - Seach for the name Hatim
 - Get the correct SRN.

Efficient Storage

- Open the Webpage
- Inspect
- Find the hidden Link (There are 2 Links Must warn the participants)
- Method 1
 - o Website Link mentions compression.
 - Huffman coding is a commonly used lossless data compression algorithm.

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- Use Huffman coding to get the flag.
- https://www.dcode.fr/huffman-tree-compression

Method 2

- Solving by hand.
- o Inorder to make the flag easier to get
- The flag was written based on food products.
- Upon decrypting by hand you will arrive at something that looks like ctf{Ramen_15_better ...
- Based on this people would have a fair idea of what the flag would be and would hence make the mappin easier.

Get It!!!

Method 1

- Crash the server by passing invalid parameters.
- Due to absence of try catch on server side.
- Flask code will spill on error logs.
- o grep the flag or take the flag from error logs.

Method 2

- Go through the source
- Find the Debugging information in the script
- o Analyse the code snippet to get the id and password
- o id = armstrong no. of length > 3
- o password = regex (a)*bc
- o Pass the parameters get the request.

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