Description

The Network Operations Center (NOC) of your local institution picked up a suspicious file, they're getting conflicting information on what type of file it is. They've brought you in as an external expert to examine the file. Can you extract all the information from this strange file? Download the suspicious file here.

Hints

This problem can be solved by just opening the file in different ways

Solución

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┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial 02/parte 04 forensic 02/secret of the polyglot]
└$ ls
flag2of2-final.pdf secret-of-polyglot.md
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
└$ file flag2of2-final.pdf
flag2of2-final.pdf: PNG image data, 50 x 50, 8-bit/color RGBA, non-
interlaced
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
└$ exiftool flag2of2-final.pdf
ExifTool Version Number
                                : 12.76
File Name
                                : flag2of2-final.pdf
Directory
                                100
File Size
                                : 3.4 kB
File Modification Date/Time : 2024:02:07 12:50:38-05:00
File Access Date/Time
                               : 2024:11:07 12:13:54-05:00
File Inode Change Date/Time : 2024:11:07 12:13:01-05:00
File Permissions
                                - rwxrwx---
File Type
                                : PNG
File Type Extension
                                : pnq
MIME Type
                                : image/png
Image Width
                                : 50
Image Height
                                : 50
Bit Depth
                                : 8
Color Type
                                : RGB with Alpha
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Compression
                              : Deflate/Inflate
Filter
                              : Adaptive
Interlace
                              : Noninterlaced
Profile Name
                             : ICC profile
Profile CMM Type
                             : Little CMS
Profile Version
                             : 4.3.0
Profile Class
                             : Display Device Profile
Color Space Data
                             : RGB
Profile Connection Space : XYZ
                             : 2023:11:02 17:42:31
Profile Date Time
Profile File Signature : acsp
Primary Platform
                              : Apple Computer Inc.
CMM Flags
                              : Not Embedded, Independent
Device Manufacturer
                             Device Model
Device Attributes
                             : Reflective, Glossy, Positive, Color
Rendering Intent
                             : Perceptual
Connection Space Illuminant : 0.9642 1 0.82491
Profile Creator
                             : Little CMS
Profile ID
                             : 0
Profile Description : GIMP built-in sRGB
Profile Copyright
                             : Public Domain
Media White Point
                             : 0.9642 1 0.82491
Chromatic Adaptation
                             : 1.04788 0.02292 -0.05022 0.02959 0.99048
-0.01707 -0.00925 0.01508 0.75168
                     : 0.43604 0.22249 0.01392
Red Matrix Column
Blue Matrix Column
                            : 0.14305 0.06061 0.71393
                         : 0.38512 0.7169 0.09706
Green Matrix Column
Red Tone Reproduction Curve \,: (Binary data 32 bytes, use -b option to
extract)
Green Tone Reproduction Curve : (Binary data 32 bytes, use -b option to
extract)
Blue Tone Reproduction Curve : (Binary data 32 bytes, use -b option to
extract)
Chromaticity Channels
                             : 3
Chromaticity Colorant
                             : Unknown
                             : 0.64 0.33002
Chromaticity Channel 1
                           : 0.3 0.60001
Chromaticity Channel 2
Chromaticity Channel 3
                             : 0.15001 0.06
Device Mfg Desc
                             : GIMP
                             : sRGB
Device Model Desc
Pixels Per Unit X
                             : 11811
                             : 11811
Pixels Per Unit Y
Pixel Units
                             : meters
Modify Date
                             : 2023:11:02 17:57:06
Comment
                              : Created with GIMP
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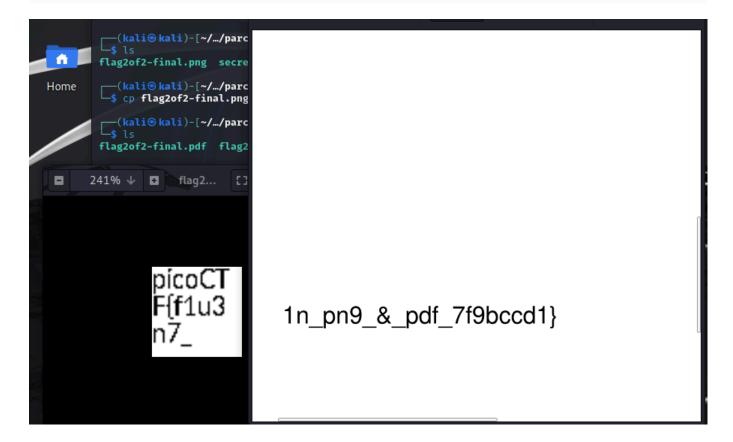
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: [minor] Trailer data after PNG IEND chunk
Warning
Image Size
                                 : 50x50
                                 : 0.003
Megapixels
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
└$ eog flag2of2-final.pdf
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial 02/parte 04 forensic 02/secret of the polyglot]
└$ mv flag2of2-final.pdf flag2of2-final.png
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
L$ ls
flag2of2-final.png secret-of-polyglot.md
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial 02/parte 04 forensic 02/secret of the polyglot]
└$ eog flag2of2-final.png
^C
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial 02/parte 04 forensic 02/secret of the polyglot]
L$ ls
flag2of2-final.png secret-of-polyglot.md
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
└$ cp flag2of2-final.png flag2of2-final.pdf
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial 02/parte 04 forensic 02/secret of the polyglot]
L$ ls
flag2of2-final.pdf flag2of2-final.png secret-of-polyglot.md
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
└$ open flag2of2-final.pdf &
[1] 4715
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
L_$
[1] + done
                  open flag2of2-final.pdf
┌──(kali⊕kali)-
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[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]

_$ eog flag2of2-final.png &

[1] 4846

___(kali⊕kali)-
[~/.../parciales/parcial_02/parte_04_forensic_02/secret_of_the_polyglot]
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Bandera

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flag: picoCTF{flu3n7_1n_pn9_&_pdf_7f9bccd1}
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Notas Adicionales

Sólo se tuvo que hacer una copia del documento pero en extensión .png y abrirlos por separado a ambos y de este modo podemos ver ambas partes de la flag.

Referencias

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