Saving agent Smith

Hacktoria

Greetings, Special Agent K.

You have been assigned the task to crack the password and unlock the relevant information to locate agent Smith.

The hidden file contains actually two different files that were left in order to retrieve the password.

We know Smith was not good at memorizing passwords and he must have created a long one with elements he could easily put together.

Unfortunately, we don't know much about him, not even his real first name or his age.

As always, Special Agent K. The Contract is yours, if you choose to accept.

≡ **MATERIALS**

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File: checksum

1   fee25bead0af51d177b8f3f05457d9ae   extra-flag-saving-agent-smith.zip
2   01c31e13098460c690cc668db3cb9775   Hint-saving-agent-smith.zip
3   03b620d45869d0688d6c70a074c70953   password-file-saving-agent-smith.txt
4   883f927b17050a56e594068177b34967   README-saving-agent-smith.txt
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Walkthrough

▶ Saving agent Smith (Hacktoria) - Cracking ZIP Files & Analyzing Text with Hugging Face Models! ?…
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kCZxzWna85Q

Goal

Applying Hugging Face models to analyze a text file, using Google Colab for smooth execution, and crafting custom wordlists for John the Ripper.

Tools used

- curl
- zip2john / john
- google colab playbook on https://huggingface.co/dslim/bert-base-NER