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## Lab 09

CYL2002 Digital Forensics - Lab

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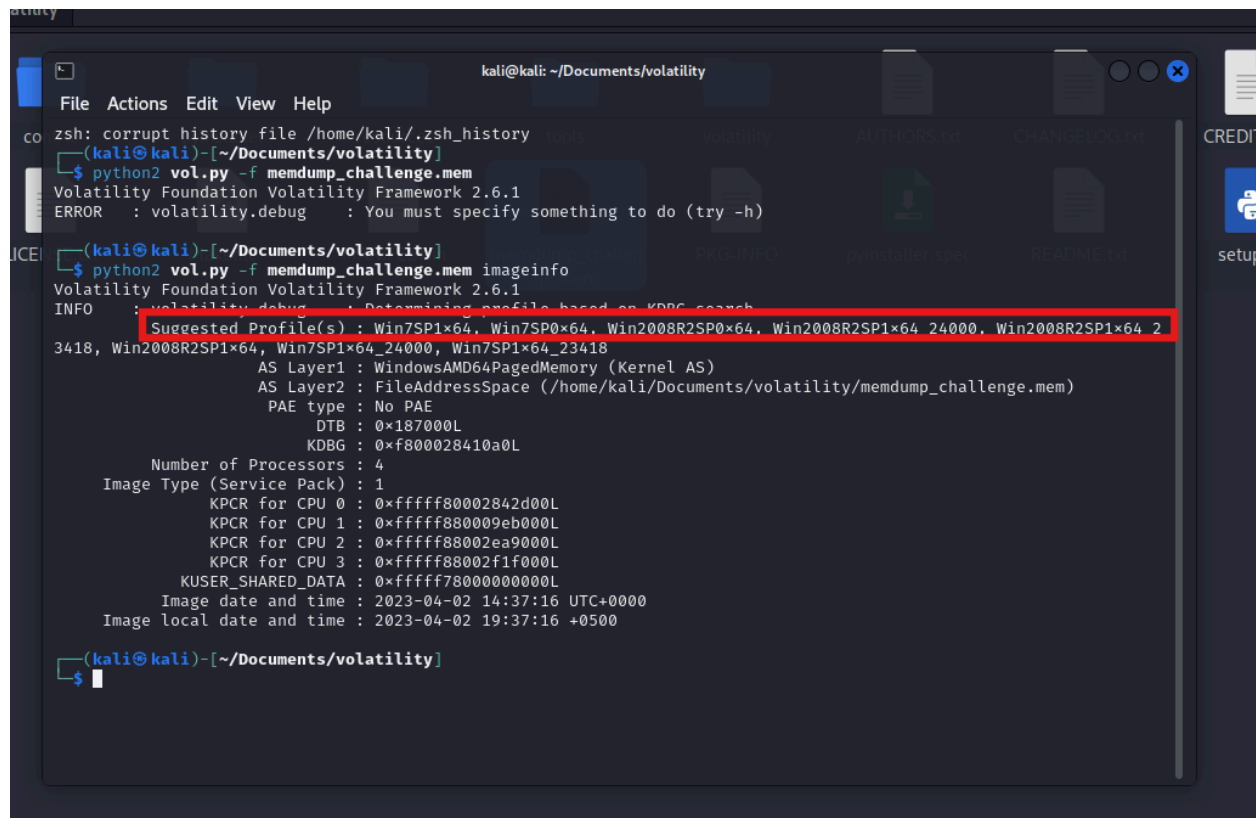
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In this lab we had to do forensics on a memory dump. For that we used volatility.

So first i ran volatility on the image file to see its info.



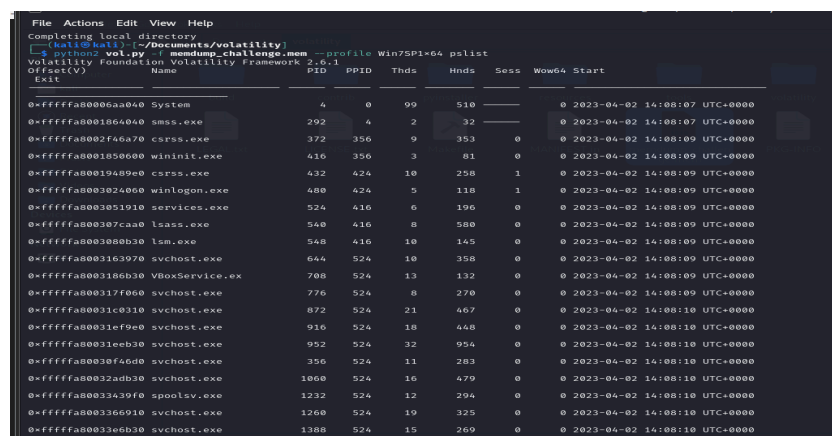
```
kali@kali: ~/Documents/volatility
File Actions Edit View Help
zsh: corrupt history file /home/kali/.zsh_history
(kali@kali)~[~/Documents/volatility]
$ python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem
Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1
ERROR : volatility.debug : You must specify something to do (try -h)

(kali@kali)~[~/Documents/volatility]
$ python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem imageinfo
Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1
INFO : volatility.debug : Determining profile based on KDBG search
Suggested Profile(s) : Win7SP1x64, Win7SP0x64, Win2008R2SP0x64, Win2008R2SP1x64_24000, Win2008R2SP1x64_2
3418, Win2008R2SP1x64, Win7SP1x64_24000, Win7SP1x64_23418
AS Layer1 : WindowsAMD64PagedMemory (Kernel AS)
AS Layer2 : FileAddressSpace (/home/kali/Documents/volatility/memdump_challenge.mem)
PAE type : No PAE
DTB : 0x187000L
KDBG : 0xf80028410a0L
Number of Processors : 4
Image Type (Service Pack) : 1
KPCR for CPU 0 : 0xfffff80002842d00L
KPCR for CPU 1 : 0xfffff800009eb000L
KPCR for CPU 2 : 0xfffff80002ea9000L
KPCR for CPU 3 : 0xfffff80002f1f000L
KUSER_SHARED_DATA : 0xfffff78000000000L
Image date and time : 2023-04-02 14:37:16 UTC+0000
Image local date and time : 2023-04-02 19:37:16 +0500

(kali@kali)~[~/Documents/volatility]
$
```

So as we can see the suggested profile is Win7SP1x64 , so we would be using that profile in this task.

So now we will run pslist using this profile to see what processes are being run.



```
File Actions Edit View Help
Completing local directory
(kali@kali)~[~/Documents/volatility]
$ python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 pslist
Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1
Offset(V) Name PID PPID Thds Hnds Sess Wow64 Start
Exit
0xfffffa0005a040 System 4 0 99 510 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:07 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0001864040 smss.exe 292 4 2 32 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:07 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0002f46a70 csrss.exe 372 356 9 353 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0001850600 wininit.exe 416 356 3 81 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa00019489e0 csrss.exe 432 424 10 258 1 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0003024060 winlogon.exe 488 424 5 118 1 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0003051910 services.exe 524 416 6 196 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa000307caa0 lsass.exe 548 416 8 580 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0003080b30 lsass.exe 548 416 10 145 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0003163970 svchost.exe 644 524 10 358 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0003186b30 VBoxService.ex 708 524 13 132 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa000317f060 svchost.exe 776 524 8 270 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa00031c0310 svchost.exe 872 524 21 667 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa00031ef9e0 svchost.exe 916 524 10 648 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa00031eeb30 svchost.exe 952 524 32 954 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa00030f46d0 svchost.exe 356 524 11 283 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa00032adb30 svchost.exe 1068 524 16 479 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa00033439f0 spoolsv.exe 1232 524 12 294 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0003366910 svchost.exe 1268 524 19 325 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa0003366b30 svchost.exe 1388 524 15 269 0 0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
```

So after that as i ran pstree.

kali@kali: ~/Documents/volatility

File Actions Edit View Help

Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1

Name	Pid	PPid	Thds	Hnds	Time
0xfffffa8003163970:svchost.exe	644	524	10	358	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8003867b30:dllhost.exe	1588	644	6	84	2023-04-02 14:37:14 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8002cbb3a0:dllhost.exe	1760	644	6	80	2023-04-02 14:37:15 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8000909300:dllhost.exe	604	644	6	18	2023-04-02 14:37:17 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80016dbb30:svchost.exe	2796	524	6	105	2023-04-02 14:09:01 UTC+0000
0xfffffa800317f060:svchost.exe	776	524	8	270	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8003366910:svchost.exe	1260	524	19	325	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80038f4630:sppsvc.exe	2328	524	4	149	2023-04-02 14:10:17 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80031ef9e0:svchost.exe	916	524	18	448	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80035c6b30:dwm.exe	1080	916	3	199	2023-04-02 14:08:17 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80035ad190:SearchIndexer.	2200	524	13	629	2023-04-02 14:08:25 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80038a3060:svchost.exe	2640	524	13	358	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8003186b30:VBoxService.ex	708	524	13	132	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80035ba2f0:taskhost.exe	1996	524	8	193	2023-04-02 14:08:17 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80033439f0:spoolsv.exe	1232	524	12	294	2023-04-02 14:10:17 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80031eeb30:svchost.exe	952	524	32	954	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80032adb30:svchost.exe	1060	524	16	479	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80030f46d0:svchost.exe	356	524	11	283	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8001850600:wininit.exe	416	356	3	81	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8003051910:services.exe	524	416	6	196	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80031c0310:svchost.exe	872	524	21	467	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8000818060:audiodg.exe	2948	872	6	133	2023-04-02 14:27:43 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80033e6b30:svchost.exe	1388	524	15	269	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xfffffa800307caa0:lsass.exe	540	416	8	580	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8003080b30:lsm.exe	548	416	10	145	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8002f46a70:csrss.exe	372	356	9	353	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80031c0310:svchost.exe	872	524	21	467	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
WARNING : volatility.debug : PID 872 PPID 524 has already been seen					
0xfffffa80033e6b30:svchost.exe	1388	524	15	269	2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
WARNING : volatility.debug : PID 1388 PPID 524 has already been seen					
0xfffffa800380ab30:explorer.exe	1448	612	26	854	2023-04-02 14:08:17 UTC+0000
0xfffffa800388db30:VBoxTray.exe	1820	1448	15	154	2023-04-02 14:08:18 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8002fcd150:DumpIt.exe	2804	1448	1	25	2023-04-02 14:37:15 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8000e93b30:iexplore.exe	2888	1448	20	480	2023-04-02 14:22:25 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8000e8ab30:iexplore.exe	1164	2888	18	573	2023-04-02 14:22:26 UTC+0000
0xfffffa800323ab30:notepad.exe	2124	1448	1	61	2023-04-02 14:08:22 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80016dc920:mspaint.exe	2768	1448	6	129	2023-04-02 14:09:01 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8000f01060:cmd.exe	2196	1448	1	21	2023-04-02 14:27:05 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80007d2060:notepad.exe	976	2196	1	61	2023-04-02 14:27:45 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80006aa040:System	4	0	99	510	2023-04-02 14:08:07 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8001864040:smss.exe	292	4	2	32	2023-04-02 14:08:07 UTC+0000
0xfffffa80019489e0:csrss.exe	432	424	10	258	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8000e83060:conhost.exe	1520	432	2	51	2023-04-02 14:27:05 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8002c588e0:conhost.exe	2680	432	2	51	2023-04-02 14:37:15 UTC+0000
0xfffffa8003024060:winlogon.exe	480	424	5	118	2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000

**Flag 1:** so i ran this command , and got the environment variable.

python2 vol.py -f memdump\_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 envvars

2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	CommonProgramFiles	C:\Program Files\Common Files
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	CommonProgramFiles(x86)	C:\Program Files (x86)\Common Files
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	CommonProgramW6432	C:\Program Files\Common Files
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	COMPUTERNAME	WINDOWS
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	ComSpec	C:\Windows\system32\cmd.exe
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	flag	flag{3nv1r0nm3nt_v4r14bl3_c4n_4ls0_b3_3xtr4ct3d_fr0m_m3m0ry_dump}
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	FP_NO_HOST_CHECK	NO
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	HOMEDRIVE	C:
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	HOMEPATH	\Users\w
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	LOCALAPPDATA	C:\Users\w\AppData\Local
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	LOGONSERVER	\\\WINDOWS
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	NUMBER_OF_PROCESSORS	4
2804 DumpIt.exe	0x000000000003f1320	OS	Windows NT

flag{3nv1r0nm3nt\_v4r14bl3\_c4n\_4ls0\_b3\_3xtr4ct3d\_fr0m\_m3m0ry\_dump}

**Flag2:** So for the internet history ran command and here it is.

```
python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 iehistory
```

```
Process: 1164 iexplore.exe
Cache type "URL " at 0xd35f00
Record length: 0x100
Location: Visited: w@res://ieframe.dll/tabswelcome.htm
Last modified: 2023-04-02 14:36:02 UTC+0000
Last accessed: 2023-04-02 14:36:02 UTC+0000
File Offset: 0x100, Data Offset: 0x0, Data Length: 0x98
*****
Process: 1164 iexplore.exe
Cache type "URL " at 0xd36000
Record length: 0x100
Location: Visited: w@http://example.com/?flag=flag{1nt3rn3t_3xpl0r3r_h1st0ry_1n_m3m0ry_dump}
Last modified: 2023-04-02 14:22:36 UTC+0000
Last accessed: 2023-04-02 14:22:36 UTC+0000
File Offset: 0x100, Data Offset: 0x0, Data Length: 0xbc
*****
Process: 1164 iexplore.exe
```

Flag{1nt3rn3t\_3xpl0r3r\_h1st0ry\_1n\_m3m0ry\_dump}

**Flag 3:** For this flag i saw the command history of cmd, and found the flag in base 64, so i decrypt it using cyberchef.

```
python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 cmdscan
```

```
(kali@kali)-[~/Documents/volatility]
$ python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 cmdscan
Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1
*****
CommandProcess: conhost.exe Pid: 1520
CommandHistory: 0x388bd0 Application: cmd.exe Flags: Allocated, Reset
CommandCount: 1 LastAdded: 0 LastDisplayed: 0
FirstCommand: 0 CommandCountMax: 50
ProcessHandle: 0x64
Cmd #0 @ 0x38cf70: echo ZmxhZ3tnMDBkXzBsZF9jMG5zMGwzX2gxc3Qwcnl9 > flag.txt && notepad.exe flag.txt
Cmd #15 @ 0x320158: 8
Cmd #16 @ 0x387d30: 8
*****
CommandProcess: conhost.exe Pid: 2680
CommandHistory: 0x308be0 Application: DumpIt.exe Flags: Allocated
CommandCount: 0 LastAdded: -1 LastDisplayed: -1
FirstCommand: 0 CommandCountMax: 50
ProcessHandle: 0x64
Cmd #15 @ 0x2a0158: 0
Cmd #16 @ 0x307d50: 0
(kali@kali)-[~/Documents/volatility]
$
```

Last build: A year ago - Version 10 is here! Read about the new features [here](#)

**Recipe**

From Base64

Alphabet  
A-Za-z0-9+/=

☒ Remove non-alphabet chars
☐ Strict mode

**Input**

ZmxhZ3tnMDBkXzBsZF9jMG5zMGwzX2gxc3Qwcn19

**Output**

flag{g00d\_0ld\_c0ns0l3\_h1st0ry}

Flag{g00d\_0ld\_c0ns0l3\_h1st0ry}

**Flag 4:** For this i saw the clipboard , and found the flag there.

```
python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 clipboard
```

```
(kali@kali)-[~/Documents/volatility]
$ python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 clipboard
Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1
Session WindowStation Format Handle Object Data
-----
1 WinSta0 CF_UNICODETEXT 0x18027b 0xfffff900c1e6d260 flag{s0m3_stuff_c0p13d_1n_th3_cl1pb0ard}
1 WinSta0 CF_TEXT 0x10
1 WinSta0 0xa0103L 0x2000000000000
1 WinSta0 CF_TEXT 0x1
1 0xa0103 0xfffff900c210e780

(kali@kali)-[~/Documents/volatility]
$
```

Flag{s0m3\_stuff\_c0p13d\_1n\_th3\_cl1pb0ard}

**Flag 5 :** For ths mspaint, first i saw the pid of it, then i ran the command.

```

└─$ python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 pslist
Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1
Offset(V)      Name      PID      PPID      Thds      Hnds      Sess      Wow64      Start      Exit
0xffffffff80006aa040 System      4         0         99         510         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:07 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8001864040 smss.exe    292        4         2         32         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:07 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8002f46a70 csrss.exe   372       356        9        353         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8001850600 wininit.exe 416       356        3         81         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80019489e0 csrss.exe   432       424       10        258         1         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8003024060 winlogon.exe 480       424        5        118         1         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8003051910 services.exe 524       416        6        196         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff800307caa0 lsass.exe   540       416        8        580         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8003080b30 lsm.exe     548       416       10        145         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8003163970 svchost.exe 644       524       10        358         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8003186b30 VBoxService.ex 708       524       13        132         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff800317f060 svchost.exe 776       524        8        270         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:09 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80031c0210 svchost.exe 872       524       21        467         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80031ef9e0 svchost.exe 916       524       18        448         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80031eeb30 svchost.exe 952       524       32        954         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80030f46d0 svchost.exe 356       524       11        283         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80032adb30 svchost.exe 1060      524       16        479         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80033439f0 spoolsv.exe 1232      524       12        294         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8003366910 svchost.exe 1260      524       19        325         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80033e6b30 svchost.exe 1388      524       15        269         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:10 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80035ba2f0 taskhost.exe 1996      524        8        193         1         0 2023-04-02 14:08:17 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80035c6b30 dwm.exe     1080      916        3        199         1         0 2023-04-02 14:08:17 UTC+0000
0xffffffff800380ab30 explorer.exe 1448      612       26        854         1         0 2023-04-02 14:08:17 UTC+0000
0xffffffff800388db30 VBoxTray.exe 1820     1448       15        154         1         0 2023-04-02 14:08:18 UTC+0000
0xffffffff800323ab30 notepad.exe 2124     1448        1         61         1         0 2023-04-02 14:08:22 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80035d120 SearchIndexer.exe 2208     524       10        622         0         0 2023-04-02 14:08:25 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80016dc920 mspaint.exe 2768     1448        6        129         1         0 2023-04-02 14:09:01 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80016dbb30 svchost.exe 2796     524        6        105         0         0 2023-04-02 14:09:01 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80038f4630 spspsvc.exe 2328     524        4        140         0         0 2023-04-02 14:10:17 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80038a3060 svchost.exe 2640     524       13        358         0         0 2023-04-02 14:10:17 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8000e93b30 iexplore.exe 2888     1448       20        480         1         1 2023-04-02 14:22:25 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8000e8ab30 iexplore.exe 1164     2888       18        573         1         1 2023-04-02 14:22:26 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8000f01060 cmd.exe     2196     1448        1         21         1         0 2023-04-02 14:27:05 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8000e83060 conhost.exe 1520     432        2         51         1         0 2023-04-02 14:27:05 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8000818060 audiodg.exe 2948     872        6        133         0         0 2023-04-02 14:27:43 UTC+0000
0xffffffff80007d2060 notepad.exe 976     2196        1         61         1         0 2023-04-02 14:27:45 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8003867b30 dllhost.exe 1588     644        6         84         1         0 2023-04-02 14:37:14 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8002cbb3a0 dllhost.exe 1760     644        6         80         0         0 2023-04-02 14:37:15 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8002fcd150 DumpIt.exe 2804     1448        1         25         1         1 2023-04-02 14:37:15 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8002c588e0 conhost.exe 2680     432        2         51         1         0 2023-04-02 14:37:15 UTC+0000
0xffffffff8000909300 dllhost.exe 604      644        6        18         0         0 2023-04-02 14:37:17 UTC+0000

(kali㉿kali)-[~/Documents/volatility]
$

```

And outputted the memory dump of that specific process.

```

(kali㉿kali)-[~/Documents/volatility]
$ python2 vol.py -f memdump_challenge.mem --profile Win7SP1x64 memdump -p 2768 -D /home/kali/Documents
Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.6.1
*****
Writing mspaint.exe [ 2768 ] to 2768.dmp

(kali㉿kali)-[~/Documents/volatility]
$

```

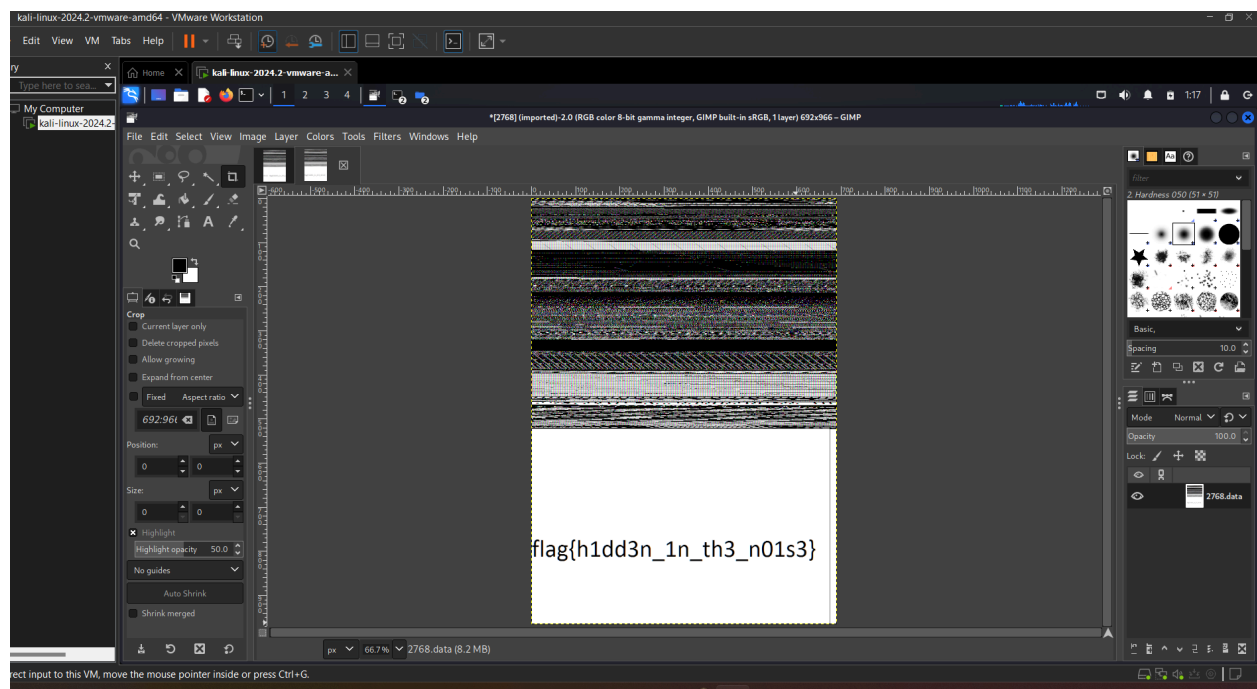
Then after that, I changed the .dmp to .data , so I could open the file in GIMP.

So as I opened the file in GIMP, I put the offset, width and height, and flipped the image vertically. There was the flag.

Offset : 3776058

Width : 692

Height : 966



flag{h1dd3n\_1n\_th3\_n01s3}