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OpSecSurvival - April 24, 2024, 4:25 am

So let's talk about HASHCAT.

Do you use it? have you experience with it over the years its been in use? does anyone care to share some tips with the community?

I Myself have recently run into issues with it running on windows 11, for me personally i get SHELL errors left and right or it just crashes. cant even run a speed test sighs

Anyone care to share THEIR experience on the subject?

EX:/ "How to Run HASHCAT PROPERLY" would be a wonderful addition

Or just some external links to some quality trustworthy info.

Working on a project, and would benefit GREATLY if i can get this back to hashing away!! ^_^

~OSS

DramaKing - April 24, 2024, 4:37 am

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OpSecSurvival - April 24, 2024, 4:42 am

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Yeah in explorer. Never tried this with a CLI program, but try Properties > Compatibility > Compatibility mode. It was working after the latest Patch Tuesday I assume?

bitk1ng - April 28, 2024, 5:01 am

Make sure your drivers are up to date

#hashcat wiki

#hashcat forum

send the entire string youre trying to run and the error you get

Euaggelistes - April 28, 2024, 5:03 am

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OpSecSurvival - April 28, 2024, 10:03 am

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This was my thoughts. i just switched Distros, and had never had issue with it on Kali, didnt rly stop to think that hey, this wasnt made for windows with the CMD prompts and whatnot. i chalk it up to windows.

THANK YOU everyone who chimed in!

InspectorGadget - April 29, 2024, 9:24 am

I just use an AWS Cloud rig, I can spin it up and down automatically so it doesn't run when it's not trying to crack. This means the cost is pretty reasonable for the absolute beast hardware you get.

Shoot me a convo and i'll send you some scripts and a full setup PDF, had it saved on my Google Drive for a few months now.

Its called Zeus7 by the guy who made the original PDF, defo follow his linkedin if you end up using this.