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IMPLEMENTATION OF MD5 ENCRYPTION FUNCTION

ALGORITHM

The RIPEMD algorithm is a family of hash functions that produce a fixed-size output from an input message of any length. The RIPEMD-160 variant produces a 160-bit output.

- In this implementation, we define a md5() function that takes in the message to hash, its length, and an array to store the resulting hash.
- I initialized the hash variables h0, h1, h2, and h3 to their initial values, and perform the preprocessing steps required for the MD5 algorithm.
- Then, I process the message in 16-word blocks using the main loop of the MD5 algorithm, and add the resulting hash to the result so far.
- Finally, we output the resulting hash in hexadecimal format.

WORKING PRINCIPLE

It is a sub-block of the RIPEMD-160 hash algorithm. The message is processed by compression function in blocks of 512 bits and passed through two streams of this sub-block by using 5 different versions in which the value of constant 'k' is also different.

EXECUTION

	MD5 HASHING FUNCTION
	Hashing
Enter a message: Engineering is not for the weak The HASHED Message is: 8351a9da22293dd6f18660c938c58d34n PS D:\Univ Buea\L300 semesters\Semester 2\CEF 350 Security a Security and crytosystem\codes\"; if (\$?) { gcc MD5.c -o N	
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The above shows two same messages showing the same hashed outputs