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Lab - 9 - Hashing

## Task 1

Whew, got it, took me to long to program that thing. I just spaced that HTC is already in our hex format. But, there it is, all done.

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    Terminal ▼

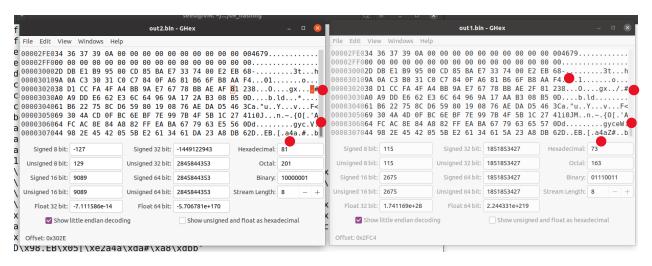
                                     DA.py
~/code/09_hashing
 1 import hashlib as hl
 2 HTC = "437233c74e25fe505293cd2e8ecc2696"
 3 with open("passwords.txt", "r") as pw:
4  with open("check.txt", "w") as out:
 5
            m = pw.read().splitlines()
 6
            for line in m:
 7
                 m = hl.md5(line.encode('utf-8')).hexdigest()
 8
                 if str(m) == str(HTC):
                      print("the hashed PW was: " + line)
 9
10 out.close()
11 pw.close()
                                 seed@VM: ~/.../09_hashing
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ python3 DA.py
the hashed PW was: pyramid
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09_hashing$
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## Task 2

When using diff on both out1.bin and out2.bin, we can clearly see that there are differences, but they have the same md5sum.

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[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09_hashing$ md5collgen -p passwords.txt -o out1.bin out2.bin
MD5 collision generator v1.5
by Marc Stevens (http://www.win.tue.nl/hashclash/)
Using output filenames: 'out1.bin' and 'out2.bin'
Using prefixfile: 'passwords.txt'
Using initial value: 9f56de1c40544ac132ec8e16b6c3f06a
Generating first block: ..
Generating second block: S11.....
Running time: 24.0712 s
[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09_hashing$
[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09_hashing$ diff -a out1.bin out2.bin
1577c1577
Dŵ.EB[ŵa4aZ#ŵŵbJMŵnŵ~ŵ{0['AdŵŵŵŵŵŵŵgyceW
\ No newline at end of file
D@.EB[@a4a@#@@bJ@@n@~@{0['Ad@@@@@@@@gyc@V@
\ No newline at end of file
[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09_hashing$ diff -q out1.bin out2.bin
Files out1.bin and out2.bin differ
[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ md5sum out1.bin
5cede7f4723654c8660044de18da2e9e out1.bin
[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09_hashing$ md5sum out2.bin
5cede7f4723654c8660044de18da2e9e out2.bin
[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../09_hashing$
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Next to the red dots, are some areas that are not the same.



**Task 2.1** 

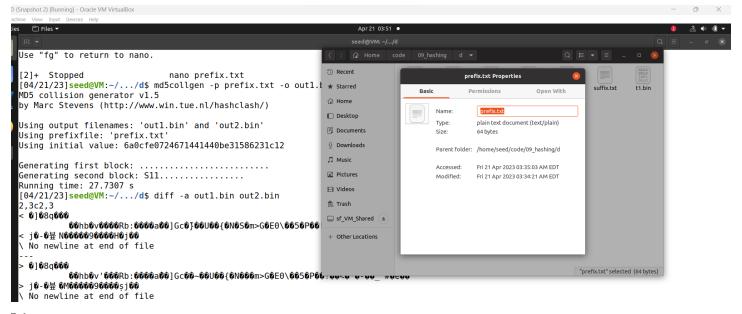
There are still differences.

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[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d$ diff out1.bin out2.bin
Binary files out1.bin and out2.bin differ
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d$ md5sum out1.bin
 b8c68d8ecf3610d7050c08c024993df8 out1.bin
 [04/21/23] seed@VM:~/.../d$ md5sum ou2.bin
 md5sum: ou2.bin: No such file or directory
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d$ md5sum out2.bin
 b8c68d8ecf3610d7050c08c024993df8 out2.bin
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d$ md5collgen -p prefix.txt -o t1.bin t2.bin
MD5 collision generator v1.5
 by Marc Stevens (http://www.win.tue.nl/hashclash/)
Using output filenames: 't1.bin' and 't2.bin'
Using prefixfile: 'prefix.txt'
Using initial value: 0630714724b14391dc74902f303d5b47
Generating first block: .......
 Generating second block: S00......
 Running time: 5.7138 s
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d$ diff out1.bin out2.bin
Binary files out1.bin and out2.bin differ
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d$ ghex out1.bin
 [04/21/23] seed@VM:~/.../d$ diff -a out1.bin out2.bin
 2c2
 $00F000N#0k00000I0S00}0$0A0y0/0A00,
                                                                                          m+0an0cJ00a'00a00000Qr]0
                                                                                                                                                                     Q000u0 0000s009 00500
 \ No newline at end of file
 $00F000N#0k0000gJ0S00}0$000y0/0A00,
                                                                                          m+0an0cJ000'00a00000r]0
                                                                                                                                                                     Q000u0 000ms009 0050000000
    No newline at end of file
 [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d$
                                                out1.bin - GHex
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00000000<mark>0</mark>5 71 B8 0D 80 4D 01 09 08 2F E4 A8 6A EA B3 EC<mark>.</mark>q...M..
                                                                                                                      0000000000 5 71 B8 0U 80 4U 01 09 00 2F L4 R0 0D D. 2F L4 R0 D. 2F L4
                                                                                                                       0000004015 41 2C E7 77 0F A6 19 55 FA E6 BE 21 D6 FB FA.A, w...u....
00000050B4 15 86 72 09 36 61 1E D5 37 13 CD D0 30 59 A2...r.6a..7...0Y.
00000050B4 15 86 F2 09 36 61 1E D5 37 13 CD D0 30 59 A2....6a..7...0Y.
00000060F3 2E 17 03 7C 6D 63 62 CF A5 A0 EF 92 1A 52 E8....|mcb.....R.
00000070D2 AB A3 17 93 BB 50 F6 08 2A CE A3 0C 85 04 B5.....P..*....
                                                                                                                       00000060F3 2E 17 03 7C 6D 63 62 CF A5 A0 EF 92 9A 51 E8...|mcb.....Q.
00000070D2 AB A3 17 93 BB 50 F6 08 2A CE 23 0C 85 04 B5.....P..*.#...
                                                                                                                          Signed 8 bit: -75
                                                                                                                                                            Signed 32 bit: 230191541
                                                                                                                                                                                                       Hexadecimal: B5
    Signed 8 bit: -75
                                        Signed 32 bit: 230191541
                                                                               Hexadecimal: B5
                                                                                                                        Unsigned 8 bit: 181
                                                                                                                                                             Unsigned 32 bit: 230191541
                                                                                                                                                                                                              Octal: 265
  Unsigned 8 bit: 181
                                       Unsigned 32 bit: 230191541
                                                                                       Octal: 265
                                                                                                                         Signed 16 bit: 29109
                                                                                                                                                             Signed 64 bit: 230191541
                                                                                                                                                                                                               Binary: 10110101
   Signed 16 bit: 29109
                                         Signed 64 bit: 230191541
                                                                                       Binary: 10110101
                                                                                                                       Unsigned 16 bit: 29109
                                                                                                                                                             Unsigned 64 bit: 230191541
                                                                                                                                                                                                     Stream Length: 8
 Unsigned 16 bit: 29109
                                       Unsigned 64 bit: 230191541
                                                                               Stream Length: 8
                                                                                                                          Float 32 bit: 1.136725e-30 Float 64 bit: 2.683049e-265
    Float 32 bit: 1.136725e-30
                                         Float 64 bit: 2.683049e-265
                                                                                                                               Show little endian decoding
                                                                                                                                                                                 Show unsigned and float as hexadecimal
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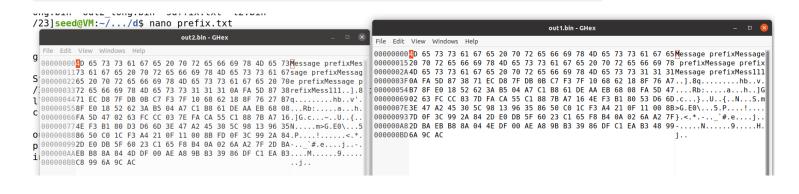
**Task 2.2** 

Padding is added to avoid collisions. Since we are hashing, it must be a certain length to be run through the md5 hashing algorithm.

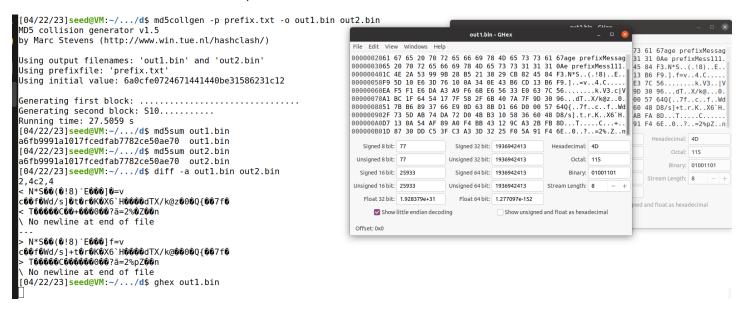
In my examples I dont see anything different when we use a 64 byte file. Down below, where I talk next, is where I just go through the demonstration again to see the difference.



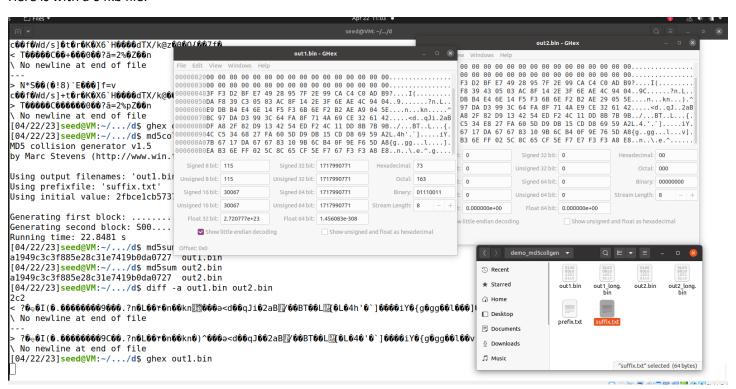
[04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d\$ diff -q out1.bin out2.bin Files out1.bin and out2.bin differ [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d\$ ghex out1.bin [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d\$ md5sum ou1.bit md5sum: ou1.bit: No such file or directory [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d\$ md5sum ou1.bin md5sum: ou1.bin: No such file or directory [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d\$ md5sum out1.bin 796e93716f0e4283008be54b46edd38b out1.bin [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d\$ md5sum out2.bin 796e93716f0e4283008be54b46edd38b out2.bin [04/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../d\$



Here is where I redo the demonstration, this is with a 15kB file.

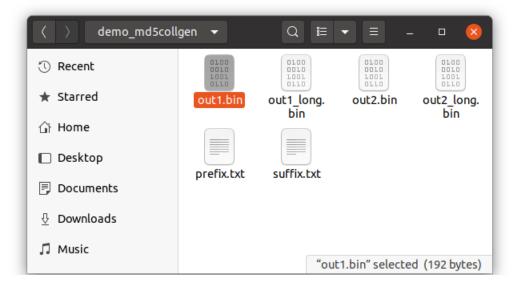


Here is with a 64kb file.



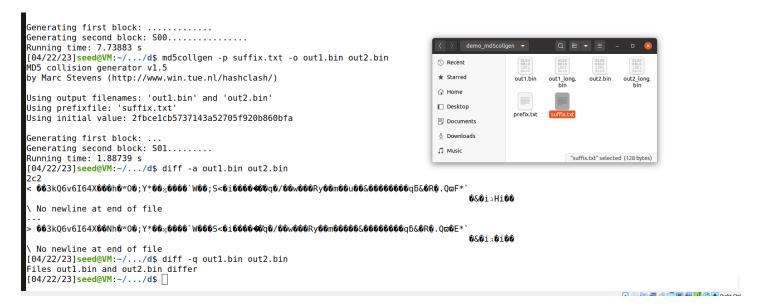
I think the answer is supposed to be that there is a difference between the two, and that's because a 64kB file does not add padding as its not required since it's a power of 2.

Looking at the size of the out1.bin when we hashed it using a 64kB file vs when we look at the size of the out1.bin. It shows the same size, which is interesting, this could be proof of it adding padding and then hashing.

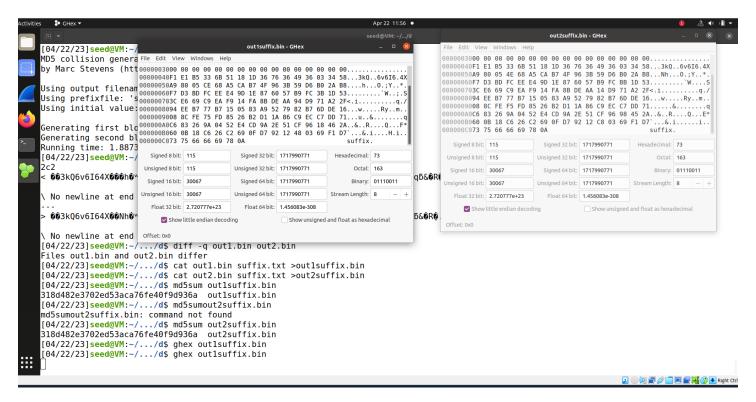


## **Task 2.4**

"Technically" in my experiments, they are not the same once hashed, even though when we go to unhash them they will be the same. I ran these experiments for about 3 hours trying to see if there truly was a difference between a hashed 64kB with two outputs and same hash, I could never get it to give me the exact thing. Maybe that's the point? But I don't see how or why the out1.bin and out2.bin would be different. But to answer the question for 2.4, it would be different. The two output files would always be different. Just to prove my lab I changed the size of the input file to 128kB and checked for a difference.

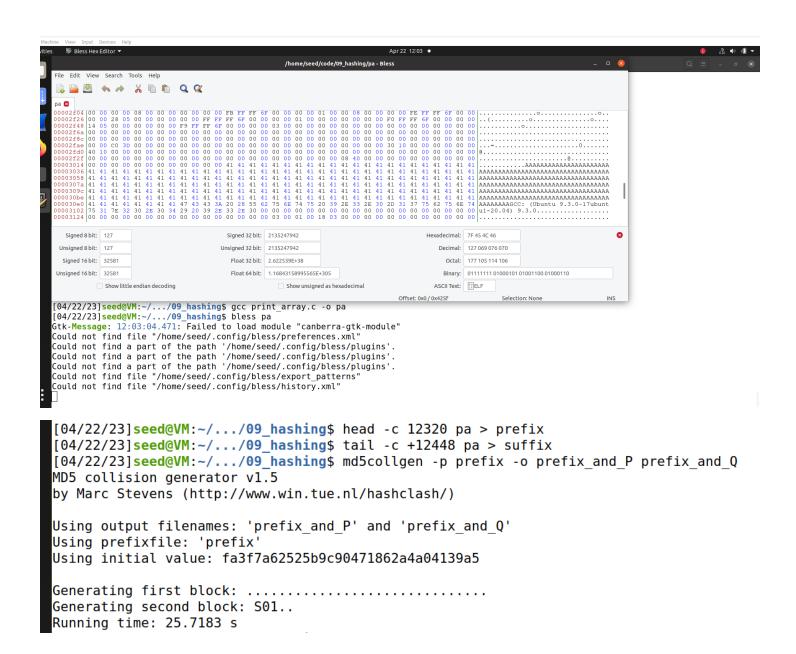


Task 3



## Task 4

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1#include <stdio.h>
 3 unsigned char X[200]= {
    0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41,
    0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41,
    0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41,
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25
    0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41, 0x41,
26
27 };
28
29
30 int main()
31 {
32
    int i = 0;
```



```
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ head -c 12320 pa > prefix
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ tail -c +12448 pa > suffix
[04/22/23]<mark>seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing</mark>$ md5collgen -p prefix -o prefix and P prefix and Q
MD5 collision generator v1.5
by Marc Stevens (http://www.win.tue.nl/hashclash/)
Using output filenames: 'prefix and P' and 'prefix and Q'
Using prefixfile: 'prefix'
Using initial value: fa3f7a62525b9c90471862a4a04139a5
Generating first block: ..............
Generating second block: S01..
Running time: 25.7183 s
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ cat prefix and P.suffix > program1.out
cat: prefix and P.suffix: No such file or directory
[04/22/23]<mark>seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing</mark>$ cat prefix and P suffix > program1.out
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ cat prefix and Q suffix > program1.out
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ diff program1.out program2.out
diff: program2.out: No such file or directory
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ cat prefix and Q suffix > program2.out
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ diff program1.out program2.out
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ md5sum program1.out
24811ae101a3609a474cf9db00acb790 program1.out
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$ md5sum program2.out
24811ae101a3609a474cf9db00acb790 program2.out
[04/22/23]seed@VM:~/.../09 hashing$
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There, its all complete and correct.