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Applied and Action Learning

(Learning by Doing and Discovery)

Name of the Experiment : SHA-256 in Action – Cryptographic Hashing

Coding Phase : Pseudo Code/Flow Chart/Algorithm

- Start the program or open the hash tool
- Input a string or message
- Use the SHA-256 algorithm to convert the message into a hash
- Display the hash
- Change the input message slightly
- Hash again and compare with the previous hash
- End

Apparatus/Software Used:

- Online SHA-256 Tool
- Brave browser
- Internet Connection

Testing Phase:

Test case 1:

Input :- abinash here

Hex : d85813d9a17ef02ab72467fe5007b55b79c8ecd5fe9b2f5229eb8c17c2ef35c5

Test case 2:

Input : Gudu is Great

Hex : 34332ee91752b1433b6b1ef2a96b5b4458994c715ad7bfdc649756d80ff9ff26

Implementation Phase: Final Output (no error)

Using Online Tool

- Open SHA-256 Tool: <https://emn178.github.io/online-tools/sha256.html>
- Type any message
- Output hash is shown immediately

Test case 1:

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This SHA256 online tool helps you calculate hashes from strings. You can input UTF-8, UTF-16, Hex, Base64, or other encodings. It also supports HMAC.

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Observations

- SHA-256 always gives a **fixed 64-character** hash.
- A **minor change** in input gives a **completely different** output.
- It is a **one-way function** — original data **can't be reversed**.
- Commonly used in **blockchains, digital signatures, file verification, and password storage**.
- **Highly secure**, fast, and deterministic

ASSESSMENT

Rubrics	Full Mark	Marks Obtained	Remarks
Concept	10		
Planning and Execution/ Practical Simulation/ Programming	10		
Result and Interpretation	10		
Record of Applied and Action Learning	10		
Viva	10		
Total	50		

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** As applicable according to the experiment.
Two sheets per experiment (10-20) to be used.*

