CST8265 - Lab 11

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this lab is to calculate MD5 hash of a given zip file and to develop Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) of some data say user name and password.

You need to download the Lab-11_package.zip from BS to complete this lab work.

EVALUATION:

This lab is worth 3 marks:

Activities:

- 1. Calculate the MD5 hash of a given zip file. (1.5 marks)
- 2. Write a java application to encrypt information using advanced encryption standard. (1.5 marks)

NB: you are allow to use any other programming language. It's up to you.

DELIVERABLE:

This lab must be completed and demonstrated to your lab teacher and then submit all codes via BS.

DUE DATE:

Friday, April 19, 2019

LAB ACTIVITY

You need to demo your work during lab hours. Then you will submit all codes through BS.

1. Calculate the MD5 hash of a given zip file.

- a. Develop a java application so that you are allow to create a MD5 hash for a given zip file. You can get the MD5.zip file from the downloaded package.
- b. Put all files, MD5.java and test.zip into a folder say C:\Lab-11\MD5.
- c. Now compile your code: C:\Lab-11\MD5\javac MD5.java
- d. Run your application: C:\Lab-11\MD5\java MD5
 Here you will get a 32-character hexadecimal number i.e. 128 bit hash code.
- e. Now extract the test.zip and rename the text files and again create a test.zip file and run your application (follow step d). Here you will also get a 32-character hexadecimal number.
- f. Now extract the test.zip file again and change the contents of the text files and create a test.zip file again. Now run again your application for this new test.zip.
 - Here you will get also a 32-character hexadecimal number.
- g. In your lab presentation, just mention why those MD5 hash of test.zip files are not same. Why does message digest algorithm is so significant in information security?

2. Write a java application to encrypt information using advanced encryption standard.

- a. You can download AES.zip file (as part of provided zip package) from BS to complete this task.
- b. Extract and put all java files into a folder.
- c. Now compile all java files by using (of course from a terminal): javac *.java
- d. Run the application (from terminal): java myApplication

You will get a java GUI. Put user name and password and click on the click me button.

You will get a message regarding encryption and decryption in a text area.

- e. Now your job to complete the two methods: encrypt() and decrypt() which are in AES.java file.
- f. Now compile the java codes and run your application again.
- g. In demo you must need to mention: How does AES work and without knowing key, is it possible to decrypt a cipher text which is encrypted by AES? Demonstrate by yourself.