You can use md5($password) or sha1($password) while inserting the signup data to table.

to match again for login login

$sql="SELECT \* FROM $tbl\_name WHERE username='$myusername' and password='".md5($mypassword)."'"; $result=mysql\_query($sql);

There is some other way too, to protect further. Using combination of sha1 and salt.

By the way why dont you use some quick php framework coz these small things are already built with them.

Thanks

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| <?php |
| 2 | session\_start(); |
| 3 | include "global.php"; |
| 4 | if(isset($\_POST['submit'])){ |
| 5 | //get stored password from database |
| 6 | $sql= "SELECT id,name FROM users WHERE pass='".MD5($\_POST['pw'])."'"; |
| 7 | $res = mysql\_query($sql); |
| 8 | if($res){ |
| 9 | $row= mysql\_fetch\_assoc($res); |
| 10 | $name= $row['name']; |
| 11 | $\_SESSION['name'] =$name ; |
| 12 | $\_SESSION['id'] =$row['id'] ; |
| 13 | header("location:editor.php"); |
| 14 | }else{ |
| 15 | echo "Your details did not match"; |
| 16 | exit; |
| 17 | } |
| 18 | } |
| 19 | /\*\*IF your password is stored in a txtfile |
| 20 | if(isset($\_POST['submit'])){ |
| 21 | //get pass from file |
| 22 | if(file\_exists('passfile.txt')){ |
| 23 | //open up the file |
| 24 | if($file\_pointer = fopen('passfile.txt','r')){ |
| 25 | $pass=fread($file\_pointer,15); |
| 26 | //echo $pass; |
| 27 | fclose($file\_pointer); |
| 28 | //compare the hashed password against the pass from the form |
| 29 | if(md5($\_POST['pw'])==$pass){ |
| 30 | header("location:editor.php"); |
| 31 | } |
| 32 | }else{ |
| 33 | echo "An error occurred while reading the file"; |
| 34 | } |
| 35 | }else{ |
| 36 | echo "Could not carry out the file operation because file does not exists."; |
| 37 | }//fileexists |
| 38 | \*/ |
| 39 | ?> |