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# SUBJECT DATA STRUCTURE AND ALGORITHM

PROJECT

NAME:DATA SECURITY BY USING

HASH ALGORITHM

## **Project of DSA:**

## TITLE: Data Security by using hash algorithms

### CODE:

```
import hashlib
import re
from datetime import datetime
# Hashing functions
def md5 hash(data):
  hash object = hashlib.md5()
  hash object.update(data.encode('utf-8'))
  return hash object.hexdigest()
def shal hash(data):
  hash object = hashlib.sha1()
  hash object.update(data.encode('utf-8'))
  return hash object.hexdigest()
def sha256 hash(data):
  hash_object = hashlib.sha256()
  hash_object.update(data.encode('utf-8'))
  return hash_object.hexdigest()
# Function to check password strength
def check password strength(password):
  if len(password) < 8:
    return "Weak", "©"
  elif re.search("[a-z]", password) and re.search("[A-Z]", password) and re.search("[0-9]", password)
and re.search("[!@#$%^&*(),.?\":{}|<>]", password):
    return "Strong", "♡"
  else:
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# Function to create an account (hash the password)
def create_account(username, password, algorithm='sha256'):
  if algorithm == 'md5':
    hashed password = md5 hash(password)
  elif algorithm == 'sha1':
    hashed password = sha1 hash(password)
  else:
    hashed_password = sha256_hash(password)
  return username, hashed password
# Function to verify password during login
def verify password(username, input password, stored hash, algorithm='sha256'):
  if algorithm == 'md5':
    hashed input = md5 hash(input password)
  elif algorithm == 'sha1':
    hashed input = sha1 hash(input password)
  else:
    hashed input = sha256 hash(input password)
  if hashed input == stored hash:
    print("Password verified successfully! "\")
    return True
  else:
    print("Incorrect password! X")
    return False
# Function to display all accounts and their hashed passwords
def display accounts(accounts):
  if accounts:
    print("\n--- Registered Accounts ---")
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return "Moderate", ""

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for username, hashed password in accounts.items():
       print(f"Username: {username}, Hashed Password: {hashed password}")
  else:
    print("\nNo accounts registered yet.")
# Main function to run the Password Management System
def main():
  # Display a welcome message
  current time = datetime.now().strftime("%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S")
  print(f"★ Welcome to Data Security Using Hash Algorithms ★")
  print(f"Current Time: {current time}\n")
  accounts = {} # Dictionary to store username:hashed password pairs
  while True:
    print("\n--- Password Management System ---")
    print("1. Create Account")
    print("2. Login")
    print("3. View All Accounts")
    print("4. Exit")
    choice = input("Enter your choice: ")
    if choice == '1': # Create Account
       username = input("Enter a username: ")
       password = input("Enter a password: ")
       # Check password strength
       strength, emoji = check password strength(password)
       print(f"Your password strength: {strength} {emoji}")
       algorithm = input("Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): ").lower()
       if algorithm not in ['md5', 'sha1', 'sha256']:
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print("Invalid algorithm selected! Defaulting to SHA-256.")
    algorithm = 'sha256'
  username, hashed password = create account(username, password, algorithm)
  accounts[username] = hashed password
  print(f"\nAccount created for {username}.")
  print(f"Your password hashed with {algorithm.upper()}: {hashed password}")
elif choice == '2': # Login
  username = input("Enter your username: ")
  if username in accounts:
    password = input("Enter your password: ")
    algorithm = input("Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): ").lower()
    if algorithm not in ['md5', 'sha1', 'sha256']:
       print("Invalid algorithm selected! Defaulting to SHA-256.")
       algorithm = 'sha256'
    stored hash = accounts[username]
    verify password(username, password, stored hash, algorithm)
  else:
    print("Username not found! X")
elif choice == '3': # View All Accounts
  display accounts(accounts)
elif choice == '4': # Exit
  print("Exiting the system. Goodbye! ♥")
  break
else:
  print("Invalid choice! Please try again. X")
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# Run the program

if __name__ == "__main__":

main()
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#### **IMPLEMENTATION ON VISUAL STUDIO:**

```
from datetime import datetime
   def md5_hash(data):
      hash_object = hashlib.md5()
      hash_object.update(data.encode('utf-8'))
      return hash_object.hexdigest()
  def sha1_hash(data):
      hash_object = hashlib.sha1()
       hash_object.update(data.encode('utf-8'))
       return hash_object.hexdigest()
   def sha256_hash(data):
      hash_object = hashlib.sha256()
      hash_object.update(data.encode('utf-8'))
      return hash_object.hexdigest()
   def check_password_strength(password):
      if len(password) < 8:</pre>
      elif re.search("[a-z]", password) and re.search("[A-Z]", password) and re.search("[0-9]", password) and re.search("[!@#$%^&*(),.?\":{) return "Strong", " ]"
          return "Moderate", "≌"
   def create_account(username, password, algorithm='sha256'):
       if algorithm == 'md5':
          hashed_password = md5_hash(password)
       elif algorithm == 'sha1':
           hashed_password = sha1_hash(password)
           hashed_password = sha256_hash(password)
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def create_account(username, password, algorithm='sha256'):
     # Function to verify password during login
41 v def verify_password(username, input_password, stored_hash, algorithm='sha256'):
        if algorithm == 'md5':
            hashed input = md5 hash(input password)
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         elif algorithm == 'sha1':
            hashed input = sha1 hash(input password)
         else:
            hashed_input = sha256_hash(input_password)
        if hashed_input == stored_hash:
            return True
        else:
            print("Incorrect password! X")
            return False
     # Function to display all accounts and their hashed passwords
57 ∨ def display_accounts(accounts):
        if accounts:
            print("\n--- Registered Accounts ---")
            for username, hashed_password in accounts.items():
                print(f"Username: {username}, Hashed Password: {hashed_password}")
         else:
            print("\nNo accounts registered yet.")
     # Main function to run the Password Management System
66 \times def main():
         # Display a welcome message
         current_time = datetime.now().strftime("%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S")
         print(f" ** Welcome to Data Security Using Hash Algorithms **")
         print(f"Current Time: {current_time}\n")
         accounts = {} # Dictionary to store username:hashed_password pairs
        while True:
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while True:
              print("\n--- Password Management System ---")
              print("1. Create Account")
              print("2. Login")
              print("3. View All Accounts")
              print("4. Exit")
              choice = input("Enter your choice: ")
              if choice == '1': # Create Account
                  username = input("Enter a username: ")
                  password = input("Enter a password: ")
                  # Check password strength
                  strength, emoji = check_password_strength(password)
                  print(f"Your password strength: {strength} {emoji}")
                  algorithm = input("Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): ").lower()
                  if algorithm not in ['md5', 'sha1', 'sha256']:
                      print("Invalid algorithm selected! Defaulting to SHA-256.")
                      algorithm = 'sha256'
                  username, hashed_password = create_account(username, password, algorithm)
                  accounts[username] = hashed_password
                  print(f"\nAccount created for {username}.")
                  print(f"Your password hashed with {algorithm.upper()}: {hashed_password}")
              elif choice == '2': # Login
                  username = input("Enter your username: ")
                  if username in accounts:
                      password = input("Enter your password: ")
                      algorithm = input("Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): ").lower()
                      if algorithm not in ['md5', 'sha1', 'sha256']:
                          print("Invalid algorithm selected! Defaulting to SHA-256.")
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algorithm = input("Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): ").lower()
                      if algorithm not in ['md5', 'sha1', 'sha256']:
                          print("Invalid algorithm selected! Defaulting to SHA-256.")
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                          algorithm = 'sha256'
                      stored_hash = accounts[username]
                      verify_password(username, password, stored_hash, algorithm)
                      print("Username not found! X")
              elif choice == '3': # View All Accounts
                  display_accounts(accounts)
              elif choice == '4': # Exit
                  print("Exiting the system. Goodbye! 4")
                  break
              else:
                  print("Invalid choice! Please try again. X")
      # Run the program
126 v if __name__ == "__main__":
          main()
```

#### **OUTPUT:**

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TERMINAL
1. Create Account
2. Login
3. View All Accounts
4. Exit
Enter your choice: 2
Enter your username: hina
Enter your password: spider22
Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): sha256
Password verified successfully! 🎉
--- Password Management System ---
1. Create Account
2. Login
3. View All Accounts
4. Exit
Enter your choice: 3
--- Registered Accounts ---
Username: hina, Hashed Password: 922b5a0fb4c5f5b8ec8d72f29515c3cbcbcecf9a66b5af08cbd01607c6232509
--- Password Management System ---
Enter your password: spider22
Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): sha256
Password verified successfully! 🎉
--- Password Management System ---
1. Create Account
2. Login
3. View All Accounts
4. Exit
Enter your choice: 3
--- Registered Accounts ---
Username: hina, Hashed Password: 922b5a0fb4c5f5b8ec8d72f29515c3cbcbcecf9a66b5af08cbd01607c6232509
Enter your password: spider22
Choose hashing algorithm (md5/sha1/sha256): sha256
Password verified successfully!
--- Password Management System ---
1. Create Account
2. Login
3. View All Accounts
4. Exit
Enter your choice: 3
Enter your password: spider22
```

#### **SUMMARY:**

This project demonstrates how to secure user passwords by using cryptographic hash algorithms (MD5, SHA-1, and SHA-256) to ensure that passwords are not stored in plaintext. The program allows users to create accounts by entering a username and password, which is then hashed using the chosen algorithm. The program checks the strength of the password (Weak, Moderate, Strong) based on specific criteria like length and character variety. When users log in, the program hashes the entered password and compares it with the stored hash to verify the user's identity. Additionally, users can view all registered accounts and their hashed passwords. The project educates about data security by applying hash functions and emphasizing the importance of password protection in a secure, practical manner

#### 1. What is Hashing?

Hashing is a process of converting input data into a fixed-size string of characters, which is usually a hexadecimal value. It is commonly used in data security to store passwords securely.

#### 2. What are MD5, SHA-1, and SHA-256?

- MD5:
  - o Generates a 128-bit hash (32 hexadecimal characters).
  - Considered less secure due to vulnerabilities (e.g., collisions).
- SHA-1:
  - o Produces a 160-bit hash (40 hexadecimal characters).
  - More secure than MD5 but has known weaknesses.
- SHA-256:
  - o Part of the SHA-2 family, it generates a 256-bit hash (64 hexadecimal characters).
  - o Widely used and considered very secure.

#### 3. Python Libraries Used

- hashlib:
  - o A built-in Python library for hashing.
  - o Supports various algorithms like MD5, SHA-1, SHA-256.
  - Functions used:
    - hashlib.md5(): Creates an MD5 hash object.
    - hashlib.sha1(): Creates a SHA-1 hash object.
    - hashlib.sha256(): Creates a SHA-256 hash object.
    - hash\_object.update(data.encode('utf-8')): Hashes the given
      data.
- re:
- Used for regular expression operations.
- o Helps validate the strength of a password by checking for:
  - Lowercase letters.
  - Uppercase letters.
  - Digits.
  - Special characters.
- datetime:
  - o A standard Python module to work with dates and times.
  - o Used here to display the current time in the welcome message.

#### 4. Key Functions and Their Purpose

#### a. Hashing Functions

- md5 hash(data):
  - o Creates an MD5 hash of the input data.
- sha1 hash(data):
  - o Creates a SHA-1 hash of the input data.
- sha256 hash(data):
  - o Creates a SHA-256 hash of the input data.

#### b. check password strength(password)

- Determines the strength of a password based on:
  - o Length (at least 8 characters).
  - o Presence of uppercase, lowercase, numbers, and special characters.
- Returns:
  - "Weak" if the password lacks all required characteristics.
  - o "Moderate" if it partially satisfies the criteria.
  - o "Strong" if it satisfies all criteria.

#### C. create\_account(username, password, algorithm='sha256')

- Hashes the password using the specified algorithm (default: SHA-256).
- Stores the hashed password for the provided username.

## d. verify\_password(username, input\_password, stored\_hash, algorithm='sha256')

- Hashes the input password using the same algorithm as during account creation.
- Compares the new hash with the stored hash to verify if they match.

#### e. display accounts(accounts)

• Displays all registered accounts and their hashed passwords.