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Device engineering

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RFID-based lock system algorithm

The locking system follows the algorithm depicted in the Figure below. It was programmed using its native adruino programming language.

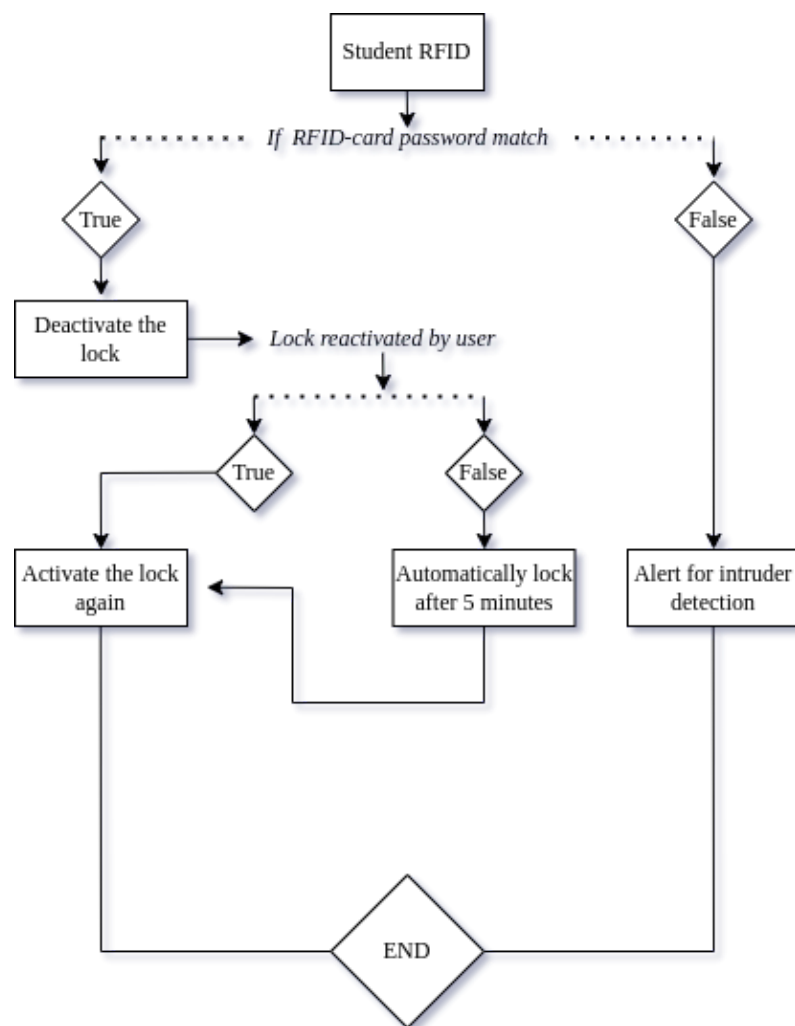


Figure 1: Algorithm of RFID-based lock.

RFID-based attendance algorithm

The main algorithm as shown in the Figure below, of the system will be written in Python -v 3.9.1 with the student database stored offline in JavaScript Object Notation (JSON) file.

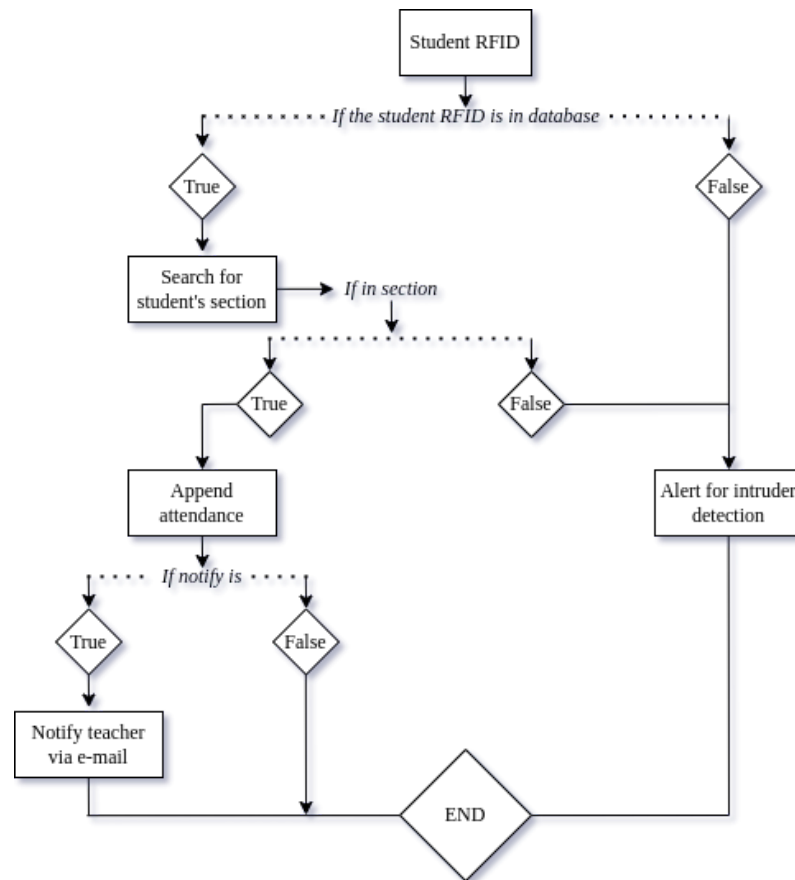


Figure 2: Algorithm of RFID-based Attendance.

There are various third party modules used to aid the python standard library was for successful execution of the function. `pandas.DataFrame` was used for attendance of the students, as well as `pandas.to_excel` function for everyday reporting to teachers. The email was sent using Python's `smtplib` and `ssl`, Simple Mail Transfer Protocol, and Secure Sockets Layer, respectively.

Github or local repository was also setup to be able to modify the data through graphical interface, whereas it was cloned every *24hours* using `git`. By iterating over the JSON database of the student ID and teacher's email address to be used for cases of intruders, the checking was performed.

A module was first created that will pull an update from the repository and return the changes to the current database. This was done using `os.system` module from Python's standard library.

```

1  """ other imports here
2  ... """
3
4  # function.py
5
6  import json
7  from os import system as sys
8
9  class System:
10     def __init__(self, PWD, repo):
11         self.PWD = PWD
12         self.repo = repo
13 
```

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14 def pullData(self):
15     try:
16         if exists(f"{PWD}/{<file_name>}") is True:
17             sys("rm <file_name>")
18             sys(f"git clone {repo}")
19         else:
20             sys(f"git clone {repo}")
21
22     return True
23
24 except SystemError, KeyboardInterrupt, OSError, ConnectionError:
25     return false
26
27
28 def getData(self):
29     try:
30         with open("<file_name>") as data:
31             studentDATA = json.load(data)
32
33         with open("<file_name>") as Data:
34             teacherDATA = json.load(Data)
35
36     return studentDATA, teacherDATA
37
38 except FileNotFoundError:
39     while True:
40         if pullData() is True:
41             return True, True
42         else:
43             continue
44
45
46

```

Then an equation was devised to compare two strings. ID comparison system works by comparing the percent difference of two strings using SequenceMatcher function provided by difflib :

$$\Delta\% = \frac{|x_{\forall \in \{\theta_1\}} \equiv y_{\forall \in \{\theta_2\}}|}{|\sum \theta|}$$

Where the value can be classified and interpreted based on their range. The action can also be defined based on the value of $\Delta\%$:

$$interpretation = \begin{cases} + \Delta\% = 1 & : \text{Perfect comparison, pass} \\ + 0.8 < \Delta\% < 0.95 & : \text{Medium difference, error} \\ + 0.5 < \Delta\% < 0.8 & : \text{High difference, error} \\ + \Delta\% < 0.5 & : \text{Error} \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

```

1 ...
2     cardID = INPT[0]
3
4     for ID in studentDATA:
5         if SM(None, cardID, ID).ratio == 1:
6             pass
7         else:
8             # send email
9
10    continue
11

```

Finally, the functions defined in function.py can be called in main.py, the program the transforms into :

```

1 # main.py
2
3 from function import System
4 from os import system as sys
5 from os import chdir
6 from sys import argv as INPT
7

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8 import os.path
9 from difflib import SequenceMatcher as SM
10
11 PWD = chdir(path.dirname(__file__))
12 sysINIT = System(PWD, <repo_link>)
13
14 # initiate the system
15 try:
16     while True:
17         if sysINIT.pullData() is True:
18             break
19         else:
20             continue
21 except:
22     raise SystemExit(0)
23 else:
24     studentDATA, teacherDATA = sysINIT.getData()
25
26     if (studentDATA is not True) or (teacherDATA is not True):
27         pass
28     elif (studentDATA is True) or (teacherDATA is True):
29         sysINIT.getData()
30
31 finally:
32     while True:
33         cardID = INPT[0]
34
35         for ID in studentDATA:
36             if SM(None, cardID, ID).ratio == 1:
37                 pass
38             else:
39                 # send email
40
41         continue
42
43
44

```

Regression model of RFID-based systems cost efficiency

The regression model was based on the previous prices of materials used for the device, and traditional tools needed (e.g. Attendance book, padlock, etc.). The data were preprocessed with goal of increasing its sensitivity to be able to capture the precision and accuracy in the regression model :

$$\beta_f = \frac{\beta_i}{\ln(\sqrt{\beta_i})} + |(\theta_1 - \theta_2)| \quad (2)$$

where β_f is the processed value of dependent variable, and $\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_n$ are the parameters. Based on this and mathematical laws governing the economics, the regression model were defined, where the algorithm will learn the hypothesis using the existing given dataset to predict y_i using x_i and the parameters of the hypothesis, $\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_n$, that can be presented in matrix form :

$$\begin{aligned} y_i &= mx_i + b \\ h_\theta(x_i) &= \theta_n + \theta_o(x_i) \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

$$x_i = \begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & x_{32} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & x_{1n} \\ x_{21} & x_{32} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & x_{2n} \\ x_{31} & x_{32} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & x_{3n} \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ x_{m1} & x_{m2} & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & x_{mn} \end{pmatrix} \quad \theta = \begin{pmatrix} \theta_0 \\ \theta_1 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \theta_j \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \theta_m \\ \theta_n \end{pmatrix}_{n+1,1} \quad y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ y_j \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ y_m \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}_{m,1} \quad (4)$$