

Week 8: Lab 8

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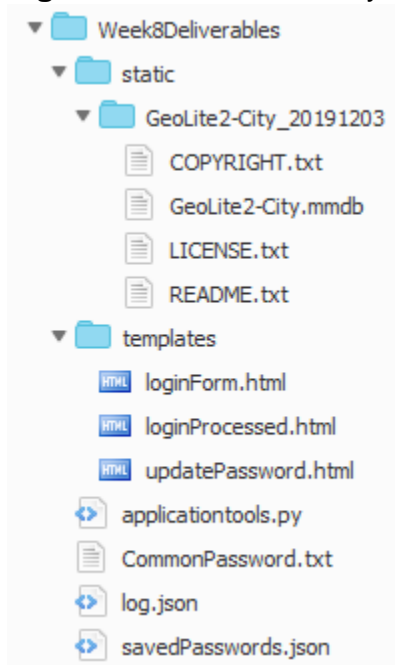
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### Python Application Tools

#### NOTES:

- For this Lab, I used the template you provided and added the following files of my own: **updateForm.html**, **log.json**, **savedPasswords.json**. I also used **CommonPassword.txt**, **GeoLite2-City.mmdb**, **loginForm.html**, and **loginProcessed.html**. My folders look like this:



- I included this whole “Week8Deliverables” folder in my submission. The main Python code to run is the file titled **applicationtools.py**.
- Even if **log.json** and **savedPasswords.json** are missing, the program will create them anyways.
- PRESETS: Username = **Bob**, Password = **HelloWorld1234@!**
- I switched to Arial font for this analysis documentation since all the screenshots already show Times New Roman.

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HOW IT LOOKS (webpage in browser, 4 routes):



The IPv4 Public IP was 3.92.61.105, so I typed 3.92.61.105:8080/ into the search bar. My webpage successfully loaded in my browser.

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## HOW IT LOOKS (code in Cloud9 IDE)

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75 Processing_login
76 """
77 error_msg = ""
78 ipaddress = request.environ['REMOTE_ADDR']
79
80 # Get form data
81 form = LoginForm(request.form)
82 if request.method == 'POST' and form.validate():
83     username = request.form['username']
84     password = request.form['password']
85     password_encoded = hashlib.md5(password.encode()).hexdigest()
86
87     # Keeping track of time
88     currenttimeseconds = time.time()
89     eastern = timezone('US/Eastern')
90     rightnow = datetime.now(eastern)
91     today = datetime.today()
92     currenttimeest = str(rightnow.strftime('%H:%M:%S'))
93     currentdateest = str(today.strftime("%B %d, %Y"))
94
95     # After 15 failed attempts, deny login for 5 minutes
96     if currenttimeseconds <= STARTTIME15ATTEMPTS.value + 300:
97         STARTTIME15ATTEMPTS.value = currenttimeseconds
98         with open('Week8Deliverables/log.json', 'r+') as logfile:
99             logdict = json.load(logfile)
100             logdict['attemptcount'] += 1
101             failedstring = 'Failed Attempt'
102             attempt = [ipaddress, currenttimeest, currentdateest]
103             logdict.update({failedstring + str(logdict['attemptcount']): ', '.join(attempt)})
104             logfile.seek(0)
105             json.dump(logdict, logfile)
106             if currenttimeseconds < STARTTIMESECONDS.value + 300 and logdict['attemptcount'] > 10:
107                 failedstring = 'Failed Attempt'
108                 geolocate = DbIpCity.get(ipaddress)
109                 print(ipaddress, 'had', logdict['attemptcount'], 'failed login attempts'
110                       ' in a 5 minute period at',
111                       logdict[failedstring + str(logdict['attemptcount'])].strip(ipaddress + ','))
112                 print(ipaddress, 'has a lat/long of', geolocate.latitude, '/', geolocate.longitude)

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bash - "ip-172-31" × Immediate (Java: × Week8Deliverables

Stop Command: Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py

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* Serving Flask app "applicationtools" (lazy loading)
* Environment: production
WARNING: This is a development server. Do not use it in a production deployment.
Use a production WSGI server instead.
* Debug mode: off
* Running on http://0.0.0.0:8080/ (Press CTRL+C to quit)

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## pylint analysis of Python Application Tools code: 8.90/10 (PASSING)

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vocstartsoft:~/environment $ pylint Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py
***** Module applicationtools
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:106:0: C0301: Line too long (102/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:111:0: C0301: Line too long (102/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:112:0: C0301: Line too long (103/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:113:0: C0301: Line too long (114/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:142:0: C0301: Line too long (105/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:154:0: C0301: Line too long (101/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:189:0: C0301: Line too long (102/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:240:0: C0301: Line too long (111/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:243:0: C0301: Line too long (129/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:246:0: C0301: Line too long (119/100) (line-too-long)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:45:0: R0903: Too few public methods (1/2) (too-few-public-methods)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:73:0: R0914: Too many local variables (19/15) (too-many-locals)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:124:16: R1705: Unnecessary "else" after "return" (no-else-return)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:73:0: R0915: Too many statements (70/50) (too-many-statements)
Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py:232:28: R1705: Unnecessary "else" after "return" (no-else-return)

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Your code has been rated at 8.90/10 (previous run: 8.90/10, +0.00)

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NOTE: Screenshots are under each respective test case. I should've started doing this a long time ago.

Test Case	Input	Expected Output	Actual Output	Pass?
1	(into login form) Press "Clear Form"	Text fields are cleared	Text fields are cleared	Yes

Screenshots before and after pressing "Clear Form":

Username:  Password:

Username:  Password:

2	(into login form) Enter wrong username: dfgdf	Return to main login form with error message "Username does not exist. Please try again."	Return to main login form with error message "Username does not exist. Please try again."	Yes
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**Username does not exist. Please try again.**

Username:  Password:

3	(into login form) Enter wrong password: asdfasd	Return to main login form with error message "Password is incorrect. Please try again."	Return to main login form with error message "Password is incorrect. Please try again."	Yes
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**Password is incorrect. Please try again.**

Username:  Password:

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4	(into login form) Enter correct username and password: "Bob", "HelloWorld1234@!"	Redirect to "loginProcessed" form with correct username and password listed	Redirect to "loginProcessed" form with correct username and password listed	Yes
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You successfully logged in.

Username: Bob Password: HelloWorld1234@!

Would you like to change your password?

5	(into loginProcessed page) Press "update password" button	Redirect to "updatePassword" form	Redirect to "updatePassword" form	Yes
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Keep in mind, your password must:

- Be at least 8 characters long
- Be no more than 64 characters
- Not be easy-to-guess (for example: "password")

You will be redirected to the login page if your new password is valid.

Current Password:  New Password:

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6	(into updatePassword form) Press "Clear form" button	Text fields are cleared	Text fields are cleared	Yes
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Screenshots before and after pressing "Clear Form":

Keep in mind, your password must:

- Be at least 8 characters long
- Be no more than 64 characters
- Not be easy-to-guess (for example: "password")

You will be redirected to the login page if your new password is valid.

Current Password:  New Password:

Keep in mind, your password must:

- Be at least 8 characters long
- Be no more than 64 characters
- Not be easy-to-guess (for example: "password")

You will be redirected to the login page if your new password is valid.

Current Password:  New Password:

7	(into updatePassword form) enter incorrect old password	Return to update form with error message "Old password is incorrect. Please try again."	Return to update form with error message "Old password is incorrect. Please try again."	Yes
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**Old password is incorrect. Please try again.**

Keep in mind, your password must:

- Be at least 8 characters long
- Be no more than 64 characters
- Not be easy-to-guess (for example: "password")

You will be redirected to the login page if your new password is valid.

Current Password:  New Password:

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8	(into updatePassword form) enter new password below 8 characters	Return to update form with error message "Your new password must be at least 8 characters long. Please choose something longer."	Return to update form with error message "Your new password must be at least 8 characters long. Please choose something longer."	Yes
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**Your new password must be at least 8 characters long. Please choose something longer.**

Keep in mind, your password must:

- Be at least 8 characters long
- Be no more than 64 characters
- Not be easy-to-guess (for example: "password")

You will be redirected to the [login page](#) if your new password is valid.

Current Password:  New Password:

9	(into updatePassword form) enter new password over 64 characters	Return to update form with error message "Your new password must be no more than 64 characters long. Please choose something shorter."	Return to update form with error message "Your new password must be no more than 64 characters long. Please choose something shorter."	Yes
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**Your new password must be no more than 64 characters long. Please choose something shorter.**

Keep in mind, your password must:

- Be at least 8 characters long
- Be no more than 64 characters
- Not be easy-to-guess (for example: "password")

You will be redirected to the [login page](#) if your new password is valid.

Current Password:  New Password:

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10	(into updatePassword form) enter new password that is in CommonPassword.txt (I entered "jennifer")	Return to update form with error message "This new password is too common. Choose one that is more complex."	Return to update form with error message "This new password is too common. Choose one that is more complex."	Yes
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**This new password is too common. Choose one that is more complex.**

Keep in mind, your password must:

- Be at least 8 characters long
- Be no more than 64 characters
- Not be easy-to-guess (for example: "password")

You will be redirected to the login page if your new password is valid.

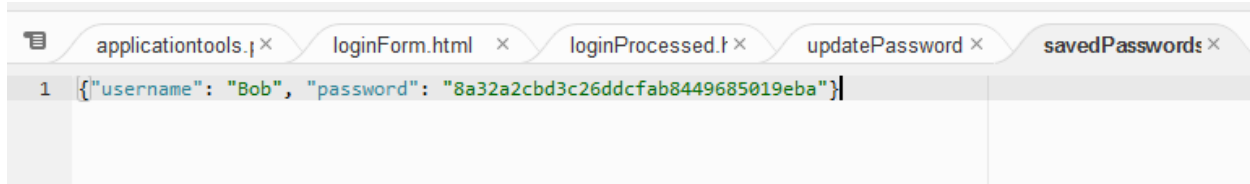
Current Password:  New Password:



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11	(into updatePassword form) enter password that meets requirements (I entered "yeahyeahyeah")	New password is stored, encrypted. Redirect to main login form. New password "yeahyeahyeah" works for logging in.	New password is stored, encrypted. Redirect to main login form. New password "yeahyeahyeah" works for logging in.	Yes
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New password is stored, encrypted (this is the correct encryption for "yeahyeahyeah")



Redirected to main login form:

Username:  Password:

New password "yeahyeahyeah" works for logging in:

You successfully logged in.

Username: Bob Password: yeahyeahyeah

Would you like to change your password?

12	(into login form) make 16 failed login attempts	redirect to "too_many_attempts" page, displays "You made over 15 failed login attempts. Try again in 5 minutes." with a button to return to login page	redirect to "too_many_attempts" page, displays "You made over 15 failed login attempts. Try again in 5 minutes." with a button to return to login page	Yes
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**You made over 15 failed login attempts. Try again in 5 minutes.**

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13	(into “too many attempt” page) press “return to login page” button	redirect to login form	redirect to login form	Yes
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Username:  Password:

14	(into login form) make another login attempt before 5 minutes have passed	Return to main login form with error message “It has not been at least 5 minutes since previous failed attempt. Please wait 5 minutes.”	Return to main login form with error message “It has not been at least 5 minutes since previous failed attempt. Please wait 5 minutes.”	Yes
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Timer for denying login for 5 minutes starts here. Until the 5 minutes is up, whenever another attempt is made, the timer resets and the subscriber must wait for 5 minutes again.

**It has not been at least 5 minutes since previous failed attempt. Please wait 5 minutes.**

Username:  Password:

15	(into login form) WAIT 5 minutes after previous failed attempt, make a failed attempt	Return to main login form with error message “Password is incorrect. Please try again.” No error message about waiting 5 minutes.	Return to main login form with error message “Password is incorrect. Please try again.” No error message about waiting 5 minutes.	Yes
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**Password is incorrect. Please try again.**

Username:  Password:

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16	(into login form) WAIT 5 minutes after previous failed attempt, make a correct attempt	Login successful, Redirect to "loginProcessed" form with correct username and password listed	Login successful, Redirect to "loginProcessed" form with correct username and password listed	Yes
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You successfully logged in.

Username: Bob Password: HelloWorld1234@!

Would you like to change your password?

update password

17	(into login form) make 1 failed attempt	log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for Failed Attempt 1	log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for Failed Attempt 1	Yes
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<div> <div>applicationtools.js ×</div> <div>loginForm.html ×</div> <div>loginProcessed.js ×</div> <div>updatePassword ×</div> <div>savedPasswords ×</div> <div>log.json ×</div> </div> <div> 1 [{"IP Address": "151.200.247.128", "attemptcount": 1, "Failed Attempt1": "151.200.247.128, 00:57:43, December 13, 2019"}] </div>				
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18	(into login form) make 11th failed attempt in 5 minute period	log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for Failed attempt 11.  Logger statements are printed into the console: 151.200.247.128 had 11 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:51:53, December 13, 2019 151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529	log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for Failed attempt 11.  Logger statements are printed into the console: 151.200.247.128 had 11 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:51:53, December 13, 2019 151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529	Yes
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Screenshots of updated log.json and console:

The screenshot shows a web browser with two tabs: 'log.json' and 'CommonPasswo'. The 'log.json' tab displays a JSON array of failed login attempts. The terminal window shows the output of a Flask application running on http://0.0.0.0:8080/. The terminal output includes a warning about using a development server in production and a log of failed login attempts for IP 151.200.247.128.

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13, 2019", "Failed Attempt10": "151.200.247.128, 00:51:48, December 13, 2019", "Failed Attempt11": "151.200.247.128, 00:51:53, December 13, 2019"

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bash - "ip-172-31" Immediate (Java: Week8Deliverat
Stop Command: Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py
* Serving Flask app "applicationtools" (lazy loading)
* Serving Flask app "applicationtools" (lazy loading)
* Environment: production
  WARNING: This is a development server. Do not use it in a production deployment.
  Use a production WSGI server instead.
* Debug mode: off
* Running on http://0.0.0.0:8080/ (Press CTRL+C to quit)
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:33] "GET / HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:35] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:37] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:38] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:40] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:42] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:43] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:44] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:45] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:47] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:48] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 had 11 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:51:53, December 13, 2019
151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:54] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -

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19	(into login form) make 13th failed attempt in 5 minute period	log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for Failed attempt 13.  Logger statements are printed into the console: 151.200.247.128 had 13 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:52:36, December 13, 2019 151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529	log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for Failed attempt 13.  Logger statements are printed into the console: 151.200.247.128 had 13 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:52:36, December 13, 2019 151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529	Yes
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Screenshots of updated log.json and console:

The screenshot shows a web browser with two tabs: 'log.json' and 'CommonPasswo'. The 'log.json' tab displays a JSON array of failed login attempts. The terminal window shows the output of a Flask application running on http://0.0.0.0:8080/.

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, 2019", "Failed Attempt12": "151.200.247.128, 00:52:31, December 13, 2019", "Failed Attempt13": "151.200.247.128, 00:52:36, December 13, 2019"}]

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bash - "ip-172-31" x Immediate (Java: x Week8Deliverat
Stop Command: Week8Deliverables/applicationtools.py
* Serving Flask app "applicationtools" (lazy loading)
* Environment: production
WARNING: This is a development server. Do not use it in a production deployment.
Use a production WSGI server instead.
* Debug mode: off
* Running on http://0.0.0.0:8080/ (Press CTRL+C to quit)
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:33] "GET / HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:35] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:37] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:38] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:40] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:42] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:43] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:44] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:45] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:47] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:48] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 had 11 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:51:53, December 13, 2019
151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:51:54] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 had 12 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:52:31, December 13, 2019
151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:52:31] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
151.200.247.128 had 13 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 00:52:36, December 13, 2019
151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 05:52:36] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -

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20	(into login form) make another login attempt before 5 minutes have passed	Treated as a failed attempt, whether the input is correct or not. log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for new Failed attempt (17).  Logger statements are printed into the console: 151.200.247.128 had 17 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 01:09:00, December 13, 2019 151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529	Treated as a failed attempt, whether the input is correct or not. log.json shows the date, time, and IP address for new Failed attempt (17).  Logger statements are printed into the console: 151.200.247.128 had 17 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 01:09:00, December 13, 2019 151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529	Yes
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log.json

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"Failed Attempt16": "151.200.247.128, 01:08:51, December 13, 2019", "Failed Attempt17": "151.200.247.128, 01:09:00, December 13, 2019"}]
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151.200.247.128 had 17 failed login attempts in a 5 minute period at 01:09:00, December 13, 2019
151.200.247.128 has a Lat/Long of 38.8948932 / -77.0365529
151.200.247.128 - - [13/Dec/2019 06:09:01] "POST /process_login HTTP/1.1" 200 -
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21	(into login form) make 2 failed attempts, then correct input	Counter for failed attempts for subscriber reset to 0.  However, details for previous failed attempts in the log REMAIN.	Counter for failed attempts for subscriber reset to 0.  However, details for previous failed attempts in the log REMAIN.	Yes
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Screenshots of BEFORE and AFTER the correct input: Attempt counter is reset to 0, but previous failed attempt details remain.

log.json

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1 [{"IP Address": "151.200.247.128", "attemptcount": 2, "Failed Attempt1": "151.200.247.128, 01:14:50, December 13, 2019", "Failed Attempt2": "151.200.247.128, 01:14:52, December 13, 2019"}]
```

log.json

```
1 [{"IP Address": "151.200.247.128", "attemptcount": 0, "Failed Attempt1": "151.200.247.128, 01:14:50, December 13, 2019", "Failed Attempt2": "151.200.247.128, 01:14:52, December 13, 2019"}]
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## Secret Message Decryption

- a.  $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6}$     $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{8}$     $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{10}$     $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{12}$     $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{7} = \frac{1}{14}$     $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{16}$     $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{9} = \frac{1}{18}$     $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{10} = \frac{1}{20}$

is in **Morse Code**. When decoded, it says:

**THIS/SDEV/300/CLASS/HAS/SOME/STRANGE/REQUESTS.**

I narrowed it down to Morse Code from seeing the use of dots and dashes.

- b. U28gdGhpcyBpcyBiYXNINjQuIE5vdyBJIGtub3cu  
is in **Base64**. When decoded, it says:

**So this is base64. Now I know.**

I narrowed it down to Base64 after seeing that it was a jumble of uppercase and lowercase letters with some numbers.

- c. --- Psub Ysm ---  
W oa gc qzsjsf. Bc cbs qcizr dcgwpzm twuifs hvwg cih.  
--- Sbr Ysm ---  
is in **Caesarian shift**. When decoded, it says:

--- Begin Key ----

**I am so clever. No one could possibly figure this out.**

--- End Key ---

I narrowed it down to Caesarian Shift after seeing that it seemed like a normal sentence using the English alphabet, just with substituted letters. Uppercase letters were at the lead of each “sentence”, followed by lowercase letters. Then, it was just a matter of using [rumkin.com](http://rumkin.com) and going through each value of “N” to see which would turn decode the sentence into some sensible message. The result was **N = 12 for decryption**.