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One of the most challenging tasks is to migrate/upgrade the SSIS and DQS databases. To make it easy I follow the following steps to overcome the password complexity.

**Step-1:** Add a new encryption password to the source server (SRC\_SRV —> SSISDB/ DQS\_MAIN).

**Script:**

```
Use SSISDB/ DQS_MAIN
go
alter master key add encryption by password = 'Sadrul@82y328';
```

**Step-2:** Break the SMK and DMK binding/link. Avoid restoring SMK in target server.

**Script:**

```
Use SSISDB/ DQS_MAIN
go
open master key decryption by password = 'Sadrul@82y328'
alter master key drop encryption by service master key
close master key;
```

**Step-3:** Take backup of database on Source server (SRC\_SRV —> SSISDB/ DQS\_MAIN)

**Step-4:** Restore database on target server (TRG\_SRV —> SSISDB/ DQS\_MAIN )

**Step-5:** Make a binding/linking with SMK and DMK in new target server (TRG\_SRV —> SSISDB/ DQS\_MAIN)

**Script:**

```
Use SSISDB/ DQS_MAIN
go
open master key decryption by password = 'Sadrul@82y328'
alter master key add encryption by service master key
close master key;
```

**Step-5:** Drop the newly created encryption password on source server and target server

**Script:**

```
Use SSISDB/ DQS_MAIN
go
alter master key drop encryption by password = 'Sadrul@82y328';
```

**Note:** here I am including only password skipping process.