Secure Login Using Encrypted Password and Email Based Login Approach

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I. Introduction

The secure login system is software for detecting and preventing unauthorized access to user account. Providing highly security for the developed software modules. In this research paper, we were designed the following algorithm and developed login module which can be used for implementing the account locking system and password recovery by using the emails. In this research paper we were propose a login module it can be used as login module for any developed software such as student, hotel, super market management system or any other administrative maintenance systems. Our research is based on the secure account login system using C#.Net [1] and Microsoft SQL Server. Figure 1, simply represented the design of the system.

Algorithm

Step 1: Check the given ID entered by the user is available in the data base or not. If it is available Then go to step 2 otherwise go to step 7
Step 2: Take the suitable password (decrypted) from the database which is equivalent to Entered user name, then go to step 3 otherwise go to step 7
Step 3: Set the count variable as count = count +1, then go to step 4
Step 4: If the count is equal to one success fully login the main module otherwise go to step 5 and 6
Step 5: Count is greater than 1 duplicate user name available in the database
Step 6: Count is less than 1 user go to step 7
Step 7: Display the message ID is not available
Step 8: If the user forget the password then go to forget password module
Step 9: Get email ID as input then send the auto generated verification code to email address

II. Material and Methods

The proposed system is providing the highly secure login module for the developed systems. We have proposed an idea to enhancing the performance of the Login module to provide Authentication for the developed system. This system as the first stage during the user account creation save the password as the encrypted format in the database by using following encryption mechanism [2,3]

Code for password encryption:

```csharp
class Password   {
    const char fillchar = '*';
    static string cvt = "ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZabcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz0123456789+/";
    public static string encrypt(string data) {
        int i;
        int c;
        int len = data.Length;
        string ret = "";
        for (i = 0; i < len; ++i)    {
            c = (data[i] >> 2) & 0x3f;
            ret += cvt[c];
            c = (data[i] << 4) & 0x3f;
            if (++i < len)
                c |= (data[i] >> 4) & 0x0f;
            ret += cvt[c];
            if (i < len)                {
                c = (data[i] << 2) & 0x3f;
                if (++i < len)
                    c |= (data[i] >> 6) & 0x03;
                ret += cvt[c];  }
        else      {
            ++i;
            ret += fillchar;   }
        if (i < len)  {

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c = data[i] & 0x3f;
ret += cvt[c]; } 
else { 
ret += fillchar; } }
return (ret);
}

The proposed system during the login time retrieves the password from the database as decrypted format by using following decryption mechanism

Code for password decryption:
public static string decrypt(string data)        {
string ret = "";
int i;
char c;
char c1;
int len = data.Length;
for (i = 0; i < len; ++i)            {
    c = (char)cvt.IndexOf(data[i]);
++i;
    c1 = (char)cvt.IndexOf(data[i]);
    c = ((char)((c << 2) | ((c1 >> 4) & 0x3)));
    ret += c;
    if (++i < len)                {
        c = data[i];
        if (fillchar == c)
            break;
        c = (char)cvt.IndexOf(c);
        c1 = (char)(((c1 << 4) & 0xf0) | ((c >> 2) & 0xf));
        ret += c1;   }
    if (++i < len)  {
        c1 = data[i];
        if (fillchar == c1)
            break;
        c1 = (char)cvt.IndexOf(c1);
        c = (char)(((c << 6) & 0xc0) | c1);
        ret += c;
    }   }
return (ret); } }

The developed system during the login time convert the given password as encrypted format with the same encrypted mechanism and retrieve the password from the database with the decrypted mechanism Finally check whether the given password is matching with the database if is it matching user can able to access the software.

Code for Login Button:
private void button2_Click(object sender, EventArgs e){
//random number generate
string code;
int min = 000001, max = 999999999;
Random r = new Random();
string code = r.Next(min, max).ToString();
txtcode.Text = code;
if (txtid.Text == ""){
    MessageBox.Show("Enter the Userid");
} else if (txtpassword.Text == ""){
    MessageBox.Show("Enter the Password");
} else{
    //default user
    if (txtid.Text == "1" && txtpassword.Text == "1"){
this.Hide();
Main f = new Main(textBox1.Text, txtid.Text, txtcode.Text);
f.Show();
} else{
sqlc.Connection1();
SqlCommand c = new SqlCommand("Select User_ID from user_details WHERE User_ID='' + txtid.Text + ''", Sql_Connection.sc);
SqlDataReader x = null;
x = c.ExecuteReader();
if (x != null && x.HasRows){
try\Login(in Database){
sqlc1.Connection1();
SqlCommand cm = new SqlCommand("SELECT User_ID,Password1,Accound_Type,Status FROM user_details WHERE User_ID='' + txtpassword1.Text + '''", Sql_Connection.sc);
SqlDataReader read = cmd.ExecuteReader();
while (read.Read()){ txtpassword1.Text = (read["password1"].ToString());
textBox1.Text = (read["Accound_Type"].ToString());
status = (read["Status"]').ToString();
read.Close();
string x1 = Password.decrypt(txtpassword1.Text);
if (st == "ON"){
if (x1 == txtpassword.Text)
    //to insert login history
    sqlc2.Connection1();
    cmd = new SqlCommand("insert into login_History(ID,User_ID,Log_in) values('' + txtid.Text + ''' + txtpassword.Text + ''', Sql_Connection.sc);
    cmd.ExecuteNonQuery();
    this.Hide();
Main f = new Main(textBox1.Text, txtid.Text, txtcode.Text);
f.Show();
} else{
    MessageBox.Show("Your ID Was Cancelled Please Contact librarian");
    MessageBox.Show(ex.Message);}
else{
    MessageBox.Show("This ID is invalid");
}}

Below mentioned codes were specially established maintain the password recovery and reset the User forgets the password by using email address he can easily recover or reset the password by generating the security codes for the passwords changes and it is sent to the own emails. This kind of facility the system well aware from the hackers.

Recover or Reset password:
private void button1_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)        {
if (txtpass1.Text == txtpass2.Text)            {
    MessageBox.Show("Password is incorrect.. Please enter correct Password ");
} else{
    MessageBox.Show("Your ID Was Cancelled Please Contact librarian");
    MessageBox.Show(ex.Message);}
catch (Exception ex){
    MessageBox.Show("This ID is invalid");
} }


//to select password
SqlCommand cmd = new SqlCommand("SELECT Password1 FROM user_details WHERE User_ID='" + txtid.Text + "'", Sql_Connection.sc);
SqlDataReader read = cmd.ExecuteReader();
while (read.Read())
{
    txtdpass.Text = (read["password1"].ToString());
}
//decrypt password
textBox1.Text = Password.decrypt(txtdpass.Text);
string y1 = Password.encrypt(txtpass1.Text);
string y2 = Password.encrypt(txtpass2.Text);
//check password is correct or not
if (textBox1.Text == txtold.Text)
{
    sqlc3.Connection1();
    SqlCommand cmcmd = new SqlCommand("insert into password_History(User_ID,Oldpassword ,change_time) values('" + txtid.Text + "','" + txtold.Text + "','" + txtime.Text + ")", Sql_Connection.sc);
    cmcmd.ExecuteNonQuery();
    sqlc2.Connection1();
    SqlCommand ccm = new SqlCommand("UPDATE user_details SET Password1=@p1,Password2=@p2 Where(User_ID='" + txtid.Text + ")", Sql_Connection.sc);
    ccm.Parameters.AddWithValue("@p1", y1);
    ccm.Parameters.AddWithValue("@p2", y2);
    ccm.ExecuteNonQuery();
    sqlc2.Connectionclose();
    MessageBox.Show("Password Change Sucessfully");
    sqlc3.Connectionclose();
} else {
    MessageBox.Show("Old Password is incorrect.
Please enter correct Password ");
    sqlc1.Connectionclose();
} else {
    MessageBox.Show("New Password is not Match.
Please enter Same Password ");
}

III. Result and Discussion
According to our research all the user creates an authentication and the information regarding his/her username and password is stored in the database through the Figure 2 graphical user interface strong password is advisable that the password length should be between 8 to 20 characters including symbols. Normally this kind of system database totally hided from the user only administrator can access the database. User of the system he/she needs to login with the usage of Figure 2.

Fig. 2: Login Module
Login page contains user id, password and login button only if the user id and password are given correctly then user can be access the system or software. When both of details are not given, the message is given as “Please enter the correct user name” if the user id entered password is not entered the message is given as “please enter the correct password” to give the password detail, if the details are given incorrectly the message is given as “login failed” if the both user name password details are correctly the user allow to enter the account.

User forgot his/her password by using the interface figure 3 he/she can easily retrieve the password. To find the account details username of relevant email address is required with that email address user can get the verification code it were generated by the system. Finally the required code given correctly the bottom part of this module call reset password is activated.

Fig. 3: Forgot Password
The given e-mail id is wrong you will get this message. Figure 4 email ID is wrong.
The given user ID is wrong you will get this message you are not registered or your insert wrong ID Figure 5.

The required email ID or user ID given properly you will be get a new email on your email with the verification code is revels in the Figure 6. With that code user can rest his/her account password.

**IV. Conclusions**

In this paper, we have proposed an idea to enhancing the performance of the Login module to provide Authentication for the developed system. This system normally store the password as the encrypted format during the login time retrieve the password from the database as decrypted format the check whether the given password is matching with the database if is it matching user can able to access the software. User forgets the password by using email address he can easily recover that. This approach provides the high level authentication to the system and preventing unauthorized access.

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