



1.3.1 Uses of Hashing

1. A website stores login details of its users in a database. The user's password is passed to a function that generates a hash.

a) Describe what is meant by the term 'hash'.

[1 mark]

b) Describe one advantage to storing the password as a hash.

[2 marks]

2. Describe the steps involved in adding a record to a hash table.

[5 marks]

