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Subject: passwords

Posted by [interop](#) on Mon, 20 Aug 2007 19:11:21 GMT

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I'm having a couple problems but related to the same thing.

1. The interface allows you to include the characters deemed invalid by encryption\_class (' , " , \) when you change your password.
2. I changed a test user's password to testtest\ and testtest' but then couldn't log in due to the sql error produced by: user\_password='testtest\' and user\_password='testtest''
3. If you change Encrypt Passwords from no to yes in the menu control, the post update record fails when it encounters a password with one of the invalid characters (' , " , \) but doesn't return the error to the screen. All passwords processed before the password with the invalid character are encrypted and the rest are not.

version 1.27.0, php5, mysql5

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Subject: Re: passwords

Posted by [AJM](#) on Mon, 20 Aug 2007 23:16:27 GMT

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You forgot to say that you started with 'Password Encryption' set to NO in the control screen.

This is really a bug, so should have been reported as a bug and not a "How to" topic.

I have changed the code so that it will test for invalid characters even when the passwords are not encrypted. Please see attached file.

I will make a more permanent fix later which tests all the password changes before it updates the database.

### File Attachments

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1) [fix-2007-08-21.zip](#), downloaded 1392 times

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