

Re: Encryption

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Thanks David.

"David Gugick" <david.gugick-nospam@xxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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Rogers wrote:

Is there any way I can encrypt the stored procedure and that only I can only decrypt it none of other user can do?

I can't use Ecrption reserve word becuase that can also be decrypted through third party tool, is there any other way I can encrypt my stored procedure with my own key or like that?

Thanks in advance.

There are some third-party solutions for object encryption. In general, you should be working/developing your stored procs (and other objects) using external files and version control software like PVCS or SourceSafe. It's not advisable to edit objects directly in the database. If you use one of the third-party solutions, that should help secure the objects, but I don't know if those tools support decryption or a more permanent type of encryption.

I just came across one of these tools today (I have no experience with the product or affiliation with them):

<http://www.sql-shield.com/>

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