

## Re: Verify NT password

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This should *\*never\** need to be done outside the normal Windows authentication process. I do show a way to do this on my site, but I suggest you instead use <http://vbnet.mvps.org/code/network/lookupaccountname.htm> which does not require the user to enter their password but rather requests they enter the username used to log on to the domain. If the username entered is correct (the SID for the user and the current SID are the same), the username entered was used to log on to the system.

Read <http://vbnet.mvps.org/code/network/acceptsecuritycontext.htm> to see the reasons for not asking for the user's pw.

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"Jon Forrester" <[jon.forrester@nuinternational.com](mailto:jon.forrester@nuinternational.com)> wrote in message  
news:54A2B4A9-13D7-4CED-93DE-D897E5CD29A9@microsoft.com...

: Could anyone advise if it is possible to re-verify a users NT password  
from a VB6 application?

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: I just want the user to type the password into a form and then verify if  
this matches the NT password, i.e. just return a boolean to me (I don't  
want/need to see the value of the password).

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