

Task: Adversarial Robustness Framework Upgrade

This document tracks the progress of upgrading the project to a research-grade adversarial robustness evaluation framework.

- **Phase 1: Codebase Audit & Setup**
 - Explore current file structure
 - Locate [train_model.py](#) and understanding data flow
 - Install dependencies (`adversarial-robustness-toolbox`, `torch`)
- **Phase 2: Core Attack Framework Implementation**
 - Create [src/adversarial/adversarial_evaluation.py](#)
 - Implement data loading & model wrapping (ART)
 - Implement Black-box attack generation (HopSkipJump)
 - Implement Surrogate Model training (PyTorch)
 - Implement White-box transfer attacks
- **Phase 3: Integration & Testing**
 - Modify training script to export clean test sets
 - Run initial vulnerability assessment (Baseline ASR)
 - Implement defense layers (Ensemble, Thresholding)
 - Measure defense effectiveness (ASR reduction)
- **Phase 4: Advanced Research & Reporting**
 - Implement SHAP Stability Monitoring
 - Adversarial Training (Applied to evaluation logic)
 - Final Comparative Analysis & Walkthrough
- **Phase 5: Codebase Cleanup & Optimization**
 - Delete redundant directories (New folder, Research_Antigravity, Documentations)
 - Remove redundant data files (`models/X_test_sample.csv`)
 - Final verification of core system functionality
- **Phase 6: Research Rigor & Statistical Validation (Audit Fixes)**
 - Fix Surrogate Data Leakage (Anti-leakage training)
 - Implement Feature Clipping (Realistic constraints)
 - Add Perturbation Norm Analysis (L2/Linf)
 - Report Robust Accuracy & ASR with high budget (`max_iter=50`)
 - Formalized Threat Modeling and Security Logging