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Project Fortnightly Report

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Status of activities planned in [Current 15 Days/Last 15 Days]

Sr. No.	Activity	Duration	Status
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research on Network Packet Transmission Data.• Study previous research papers on supervised machine learning techniques applied to network security.• Explore publicly available datasets related to network intrusion detection.	15 days	Complete
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explore publicly available datasets related to network intrusion detection.• Clean the dataset by handling missing values and outliers.• Explore descriptive statistics and visualizations to gain insights into the data distribution.• Identify potential correlations between features and the target variable.	15 days	Complete
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Feature Selection and Engineering.• Conduct feature importance analysis to identify relevant features for classification.• Engineer new features based on domain knowledge and insights gained from data exploration.	15 days	Complete
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Model Selection and Training (KNN).• Evaluate the KNN algorithm's suitability for classification tasks.• Split the dataset into training and validation sets.• Train the KNN model and evaluate its performance metrics.	15 days	Complete

5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Model Selection and Training (Decision Tree). • Evaluate the Decision Tree algorithm's suitability for classification tasks. • Split the dataset into training and validation sets. • Train the Decision Tree model and evaluate its performance metrics. 	15 days	Complete
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Model Evaluation and Fine-Tuning. • Perform cross-validation to assess the generalization performance of models. • Fine-tune hyperparameters using techniques such as grid search or random search. • Compare the performance of tuned models and select the best-performing one for further analysis. 	15 days	Complete
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Testing and Validation. • Evaluate the final models on a separate test dataset to assess their performance on unseen data. • Validate the models' effectiveness in distinguishing between normal and malicious network activity. • Generate performance metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score for model evaluation. 	15 days	Complete

*Status can be [Complete] or [Extended to next 15 days] with reason