

ML4Crypto Classification: Model Comparison Report

Overview

This report summarizes the results obtained from various machine learning models on the ML4Crypto 2024 dataset, with a focus on binary classification of bitstreams.

Dataset Description

- Features: ID, Bitstream (1024-bit length), Label (0 or 1 for random generator type).
- Preprocessing: Bitstreams are converted into sequences, reshaped for models like LSTM, and split into training and testing datasets.

Model Comparisons

Model	Accuracy	Cross Validation Accuracy
Logistic Regression	0.54	0.4875
SVM	0.535	0.5215
Random Forest	0.52	0.5045
MLP Neural Network	0.5325	0.5089
CNN	0.4975	0.4981
LSTM	0.4925	

Analysis and Observations

- Logistic Regression: simple one but performs well, though cross validation accuracy is low.
- SVM: Best one with cross validation accuracy.
- MLP: performs well and good choice for experimentation yet cross validation accuracy is just above the average.
- DNN: With deeper architecture accuracy drops more.
- LSTM: Tried as some literature suggests, however, it did not get good accuracy.

Conclusion

Based on cross-validation and comparative results, SVM achieved the highest performance.