

Project Design Phase-I
Proposed Solution
Template

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| Project Name | Web Phishing Detection |
| Maximum Marks | 2 Marks |

Proposed Solution Template:

| S.No. | Parameter | Description |
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| 1. | Problem Statement (Problem to be solved) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Phishing sites are malicious websites that imitate legitimate websites or web pages and aim to steal user's personal credentials like user id, password, and financial information ❖ To reduce the people falling for web phishing scams by creating a sophisticated tool that classifies a website as malicious or safe to use |
| 2. | Idea / Solution description | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Identify web phishing, classify whether it is an attack and prevent malicious intrusive websites. |
| 3. | Novelty / Uniqueness | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Uses an Ensemble model ❖ Explores weighted features for Neural Network approaches ❖ Extensive feature extraction strategy from the URL ❖ Simple, Easy-to-Understand UI |
| 4. | Social Impact / Customer Satisfaction | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ This is a very hands off approach, the user does not have to do any work and let the extension inform the user about the legitimacy of the website. ❖ Users need not fear of losing their money to phishing scams. ❖ Customers don't need to rely on offline transactions because of the fear of initiating transactions online. |
| 5. | Business Model (Revenue Model) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Site can charge a one time fee for a device/user based on demographic surveys (Rs. 50 per year) ❖ Companies can be charged a discounted fee due to bulk purchase of the Application Programming Interface (API) ❖ Premium users will have access to details of the URL and reasonings for why a site has been classified 'unsafe' |
| 6. | Scalability of the Solution | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Solution can use additional hardware resources when the amount of users and activity is increased ❖ The API can ensure that multiple requests at the same time are handled in a parallel fashion |