PRE-SYNOPSIS

AREA OF WORK: Machine Learning and Software Engineering

PROPOSED TITLE: Phishing Website detection using machine learning

TYPE OF APPROACH: Web Application

WORKING MODEL: An individual Web Application.

CONCEPT/IDEA:

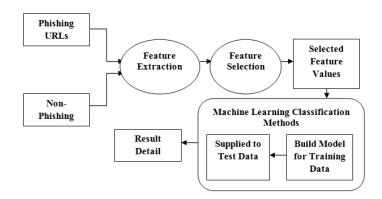
Concept: A Flask web application that detects phishing websites using machine learning algorithms.

Idea: Develop a Flask web application that utilizes machine learning algorithms to detect and prevent users from accessing phishing websites. The application will analyze various features of a website, such as the URL, domain, content, and SSL certificate, to determine the likelihood of it being a phishing site.

OBJECTIVE:

- 1. Define a Flask route for handling the web app's endpoint where the user submits a URL for analysis.
- 2. Create an HTML form on the web app's front-end to collect the URL input from the user.
- 3. In the Flask route, retrieve the URL submitted by the user.
- 4. Use a machine learning model trained to detect phishing websites to classify the input URL.
- 5. Create a point object for each of the four points you mentioned (URL length, domain age, SSL certificate, and content analysis).
- 6. Analyze the URL length, domain age, SSL certificate, and content to determine the likelihood of the website being phishing.
- 7. Return the classification result to the user, indicating whether the website is potentially phishing or not.

BLOCK DIAGRAM:



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SOURCE OF IDEA: Self.

Reference:

- Block diagram of our proposed system | Download Scientific Diagram (researchgate.net)
- Welcome to Flask Flask Documentation (2.3.x) (palletsprojects.com)