

# IEEE-CIS Fraud Detection Challenge

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**Abstract—abstract: This report evaluates the performance...**

## I. THE FRAUD-DETECTION PIPELINE

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- 1) ...
- 2) ...
- 3) ...

## II. EXPLORATORY DATA ANALYSIS

### A. Data Structure Inspection

- 1) types
- 2) missing values
- 3) target balance

### B. Statistical Summary & Visualizations

Fig. 1. some image here

TABLE I  
SOME STATS...

Metric	Value
one	...
two (%)	...
three	...
four	...

### C. Findings & Hypotheses

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## III. DATA PRE-PROCESSING & CLEANING

### A. Imputation & Removal

- 1) ...
- 2) ...
- 3) ...

### B. Normalize & Scale Features

- 1) ...
- 2) ...
- 3) ...

### C. Encoding Categorical Features

- 1) ...
- 2) ...
- 3) ...

## IV. MODELS

intro to the models used

### A. Support Vector Machine (SVM) Classifier

experiment hyperparameters (C, gamma, kernel etc)  
cross-validation and validation splits to evaluate performance  
results using different hyperparameters  
training and test metrics: confusion matrix, precision, recall, F1-score, and

### B. Decision Tree Classifier

experiment hyperparameters (max depth, min samples split, criterion)  
cross-validation and validation splits to evaluate performance  
results using different hyperparameters  
training and test metrics: confusion matrix, precision, recall, F1-score, and

## V. MODEL COMPARISON

TABLE II  
SOME STATS...

Metric	SVM	Decision Tree
one	...	...
two (%)	...	...
three	...	...
four	...	...

a) discuss similarities & differences. use table:

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