

EMAIL SPAM CLASSIFIER PROJECT — PREDICTING WHETHER AM EMAIL IS SPAM OR NOT

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The data used in the project was provided in spam.csv file

INTRODUCTION

• Business Problem Framing

Spam Detector is used to detect unwanted, malicious and virus infected texts and helps to separate them from the nonspam texts. It uses a binary type of classification containing the labels such as 'ham' (nonspam) and spam. Application of this can be seen in Google Mail (GMAIL) where it segregates the spam emails in order to prevent them from getting into the user's inbox

Conceptual Background of the Domain Problem

A basic understanding on mail background is needed

Review of Literature

Each and everyday individuals are flooded with infinite mails and most of them are spam, if we have a system designed which can differentiate between a spam and a ham mail, it would be extremely user friendly, the user wouldn't have to waste a lot of time segregating his mails and the job can be completed sooner

Motivation for the Problem Undertaken

This issue is very realistic and common in today's world and one should know to deal with such situations in the future

Analytical Problem Framing

Mathematical/ Analytical Modeling of the Problem

Firstly missing values were checked

Correlation with all independent variables and wrt target were checked

Feature extraction was done through count vectorizer & Tfidvectorizer

Models were applied to train and test the model

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Data Sources and their formats

The complete data was provided In spam.csv file

Data Preprocessing Done:

- 1. Duplicate values check
- 2. Unique & Count of all columns were checked
- 3. Missing values were checked
- 4. Catagorical data was Encoded
- 5. Correlation check
- 6. Graphical Univariate, Bivariate & Multivariate Analysis
- 7. Feature extraction was done count vectorizer & Tfidvectorizer

Hardware and Software Requirements and Tools Used

- 1. Pandas For Data Reading and understanding
- 2. Label Encoder –(SK LEARN) For Encoding the categorical data into numerical ones
- 3. Duplicate- To check for duplicate Values
- 4. CORR-To check Correlation
- 5. VIF -To check for multicollinearity
- 6. Numpy- For mathematical operations
- 7. LOGITSIC REGRESSION (SKLEARN) Training & Testing the model

- 8. SVC (SKLEARN) Training & Testing the model
- 9. NAUSSIAN NB (SKLEARN) Training & Testing the model
- 10. RANDOM FOREST CLASSIFIER (SKLEARN) Training & Testing the model
- 11. CROSS VAL SCORE Regularizing the model
- 12. GRID SEARCH CV- Hyper Tuning the Model for higher accuracy
- 13. SEABORN- VISUALIZATION LIBRARY HISTPLOTS, DISTPLOTS, SCATTERPLOTS, COUNTPLOTS, BOXPLOTS and other graphs
- 14. MATPLOTLIB.PY PLOT -Visualization tool

Model/s Development and Evaluation

- Identification of possible problem-solving approaches (methods)
 - 1. Firstly missing values were checked.
 - 2. Correlation with all independent variables and wrt target were checked
 - 3. Feature extraction was performed
 - 4. Models were applied to train and test the model
- Testing of Identified Approaches (Algorithms)
 - 1. LINEAR REGRESSION
 - 2. SVC
 - 3. NAUSSIAN NB
 - 4. RANDOM FOREST REGRESSOR
- Key Metrics for success in solving problem under consideration
 - 1. ACCURACY SCORE
 - 2. CONFUSION MATRIX
 - 3. CLASSIFICATION REPORT
 - 4. AUC-ROC CURVE
- Visualizations

Seaborn Library was used along with matplotlib Library for visualizations

Histplots, bar plots, count plots, swarmplots, boxplots etc were made and analysed

Interpretation of the Results

RANDOM FOREST REGRESSOR had the second highest model accuracy and the difference between CV MEAN SCORE & MODEL

ACCURACY SCORE was the least hence we had hyper tuned the said model and saved the same

CONCLUSION

Key Findings and Conclusions of the Study

Random Forest Regressor without hyper tuning had a higher accuracy and the same model was selected and saved

• Learning Outcomes of the Study in respect of Data Science

Strong insights were derived from the various visualization tools which helped in understanding the various relationships between the target and other variables







