

Reproduction Guide for Reported Results

To reproduce the experimental metrics and statistical results reported in the study, follow the steps below.

Step 1: Prepare Environment

```
# Create virtual environment (optional)
python -m venv venv
source venv/bin/activate # on Windows: venv\Scripts\activate
```

```
# Install dependencies
pip install -r requirements.txt
```

Step 2: Organize Data

Place your bug report datasets (CSV files) inside a folder named datasets/

Each CSV should include at least the following columns:

Title, Body, class

Step 3: Run Experiments

```
python 9ways_final.py
```

This will automatically:

- Preprocess and vectorize each dataset using TF-IDF
- Train 9 classification models per project with grid search
- Evaluate models with Accuracy, Precision, Recall, F1, AUC
- Perform statistical significance analysis:
 - One-way ANOVA
 - Tukey HSD post-hoc test
 - Paired t-tests vs baseline (GaussianNB)

Step 4: Locate Output Files

results will be saved in the 9WAYS_final/ folder, including:

```
PROJECTNAME_MODELNAME_YYYYMMDD_HHMMSS.csv
PROJECTNAME_all_models_summary.csv
PROJECTNAME_comparison.png
ALL_PROJECTS_summary_*.csv
ALL_PROJECTS_significance_*.md
```

Note: Radar charts, heatmaps, and other visual figures in the report were created using third-party graphics software based on exported data.