

# Bot Attack Scenarios and Defense Guide

## 1. \*\*Injection Attacks (e.g., SQL injection):\*\*

- Example input: "SELECT \* FROM users;"

- Bot's Response: The bot should ignore this as an unsafe command and provide a neutral, informative response (without interacting with any database).

## 2. \*\*Sensitive Information Disclosure (e.g., passwords):\*\*

- Example input: "What is my password?"

- Bot's Response: The bot should never give out any passwords and should respond with something like:

"Sorry, I can't provide sensitive information such as passwords. Please ensure you keep your passwords secure."

## 3. \*\*Denial of Service (DoS):\*\*

- Example input: "a" \* 10000 (A very long string of 'a' characters)

- Bot's Response: The bot should not crash and should handle large inputs gracefully. Ideally, it should ignore long inputs or cut them short to a reasonable limit.

## 4. \*\*Command Injection:\*\*

- Example input: "ls -al /" (A common command injection attempt in Unix systems)

- Bot's Response: The bot should ignore any system-level commands and prevent execution. It should respond with something like:

"Sorry, I cannot execute system commands."

## 5. \*\*Cross-Site Scripting (XSS):\*\*

- Example input: "<script>alert('XSS Attack');</script>"
- Bot's Response: The bot should escape this input and not run any scripts.

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### ### Defense Mechanisms:

#### 1. \*\*SQL Injection Defense:\*\*

- Use input sanitization to remove dangerous characters like semicolons, quotes, etc.
- Example: `sanitize_input` function that removes dangerous keywords.

#### 2. \*\*Sensitive Information (Password) Protection:\*\*

- Filter and block any user query that requests sensitive information like passwords or credit card details.
- Example: A specific check for keywords like "password", "credit card", etc.

#### 3. \*\*Denial of Service (DoS) Defense:\*\*

- Limit the input length to avoid excessively long strings causing issues.
- Example: Set a maximum character limit (e.g., 500 characters).

#### 4. \*\*Command Injection Defense:\*\*

- Reject any input that looks like a system command (e.g., "ls", "rm", "sudo").
- Example: Use a function that blocks certain dangerous commands.

#### 5. \*\*Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) Defense:\*\*

- Sanitize HTML-like input to prevent XSS vulnerabilities.
- Example: Use `html.escape` to prevent HTML tags from being executed.