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OLAWOYIN JOSEPH Product Management Job Simulation

Certificate of Completion
December 13th, 2024

Over the period of December 2024, OLAWOYIN JOSEPH has completed practical tasks in:

Understand key performance indicators Plan a data-driven presentation

Tom BrunskillCEO, Co-Founder of
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OLAWOYIN JOSEPH Cybersecurity Virtual Experience Program

Certificate of Completion September 22nd, 2022

Over the period of August 2022 to September 2022, OLAWOYIN JOSEPH has completed practical tasks in:

Design a phishing email simulation Interpret phishing simulation results

Tom BrunskillCEO, Co-Founder of
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This acknowledges that

Joseph Olawoyin

has successfully completed all the requirements to be recognized as a

Google Cloud Certified Professional Cloud Security Engineer

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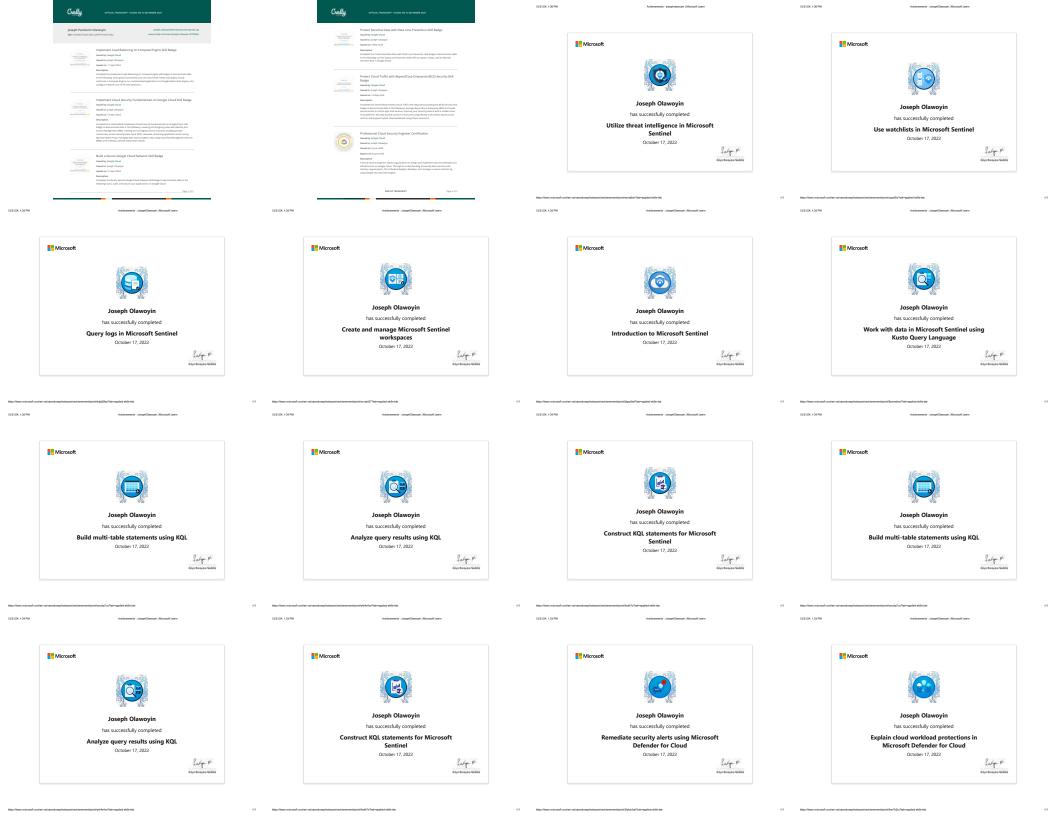


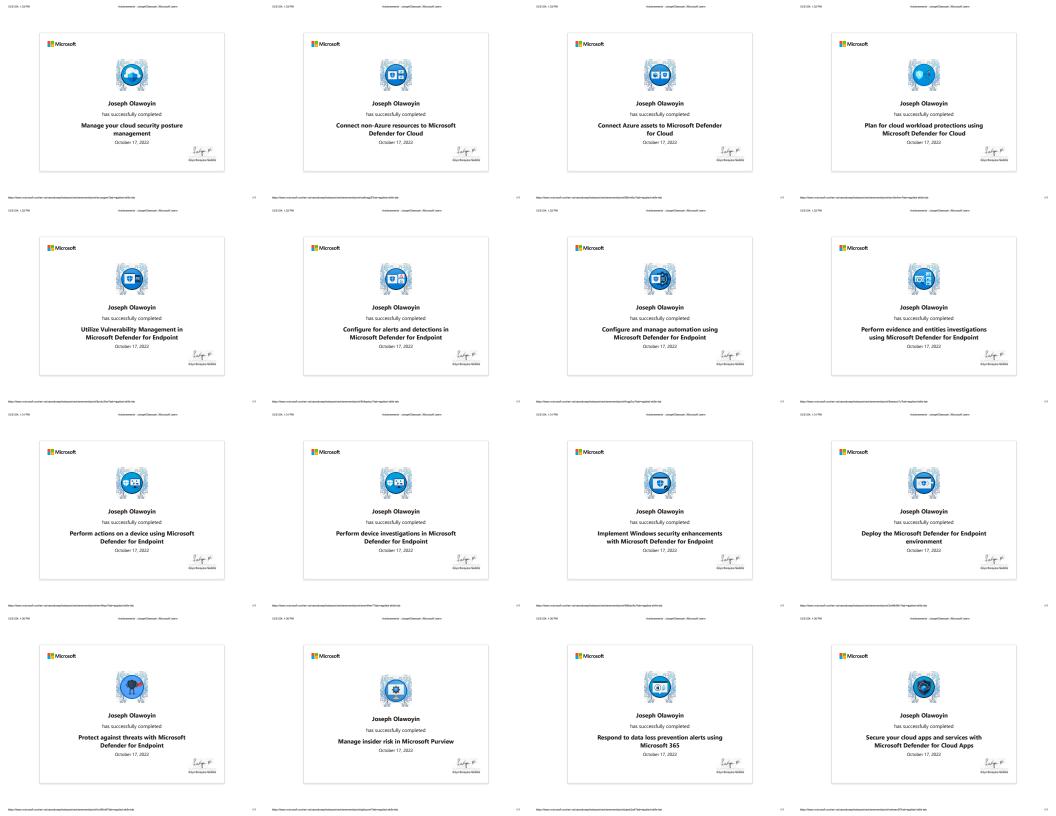












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Microsoft Joseph Olawoyin has successfully completed Introduction to Microsoft 365 threat protection October 17, 2022





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Understand the approaches to project management Prepare a proposal for the optimal project management approach Identify the key attributes of a good project manager or project lead Importance of communication in project management

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Recruiting

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Coding Data Analysis Development Cyber Security Forensic Technology

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GRADUATION THESIS

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Research Theme	DETECTION ENGINEERING AND IDENTIFICATION OF RANSOMWARE ATTACKS, SQL INJECTION AND CROSS-SITE SCRIPTING ATTACKS FOR ENHANCED CYBER RESILIENCE USING KNN ALGORITHM

Abstract:

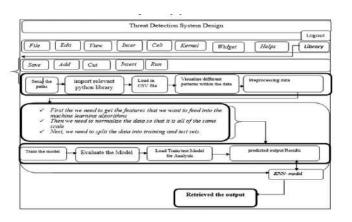
This research investigates the application of Artificial Intelligence (AI), specifically the K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN) algorithm, to enhance the detection and identification of sophisticated cyber threats, including ransomware, SQL injection, and cross-site scripting (XSS) attacks. Traditional detection systems, reliant on static, rule-based methods, often struggle to keep pace with the evolving nature of these threats, resulting in reduced effectiveness. This study aims to address these limitations by proposing an AI-driven solution that leverages the adaptability and precision of the KNN algorithm to improve threat detection capabilities.

Through extensive experimentation, the KNN-based detection system demonstrated a marked improvement in accuracy, precision, and recall metrics, significantly reducing false positives while increasing the reliability of the system in identifying real threats. The research also highlights the scalability and adaptability of the KNN algorithm in processing large datasets and handling various types of cyber-attacks, positioning AI as a crucial tool for enhancing cybersecurity resilience. These findings provide valuable insights into the potential of AI-based systems in bolstering defenses against increasingly sophisticated cyber-attacks and pave the way for future advancements in intelligent threat detection systems.



Fig.1. New designed (Detection system)

A method of how we reached to a desired result is introduced here, the implementation of the modeled system focused on system design. The complex activity of system development was broken down into smaller sub-activities that communicated with each other to achieve the overall goal of the project



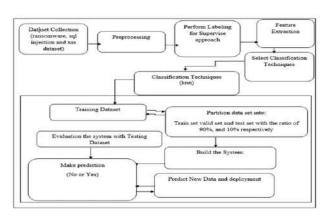


Fig.2. System Design and logical design of the system

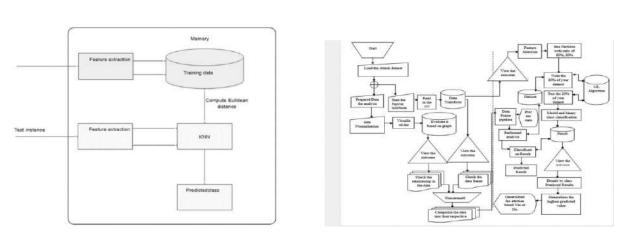
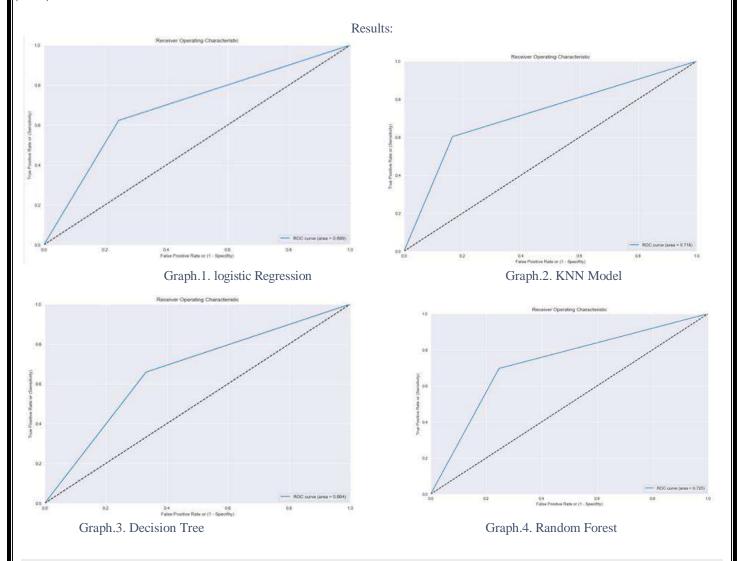
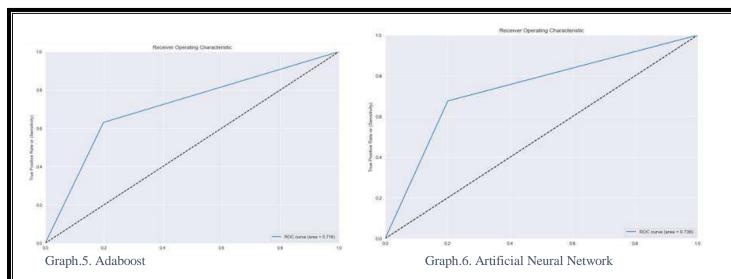


Fig.3. Architectural framework and System flowchart of the proposed system

The ROC-AUC (Receiver Operating Characteristic - Area Under Curve) score of 0.70 for this kNN model indicates moderate performance, showing that the model is better than random guessing at distinguishing between classes, but there is still room for improvement. The ROC curve, which plots sensitivity against the false positive rate, confirms this by showing an area under the curve (AUC) of 0.70.





Conclusions:

- Moderate Model Performance: The k-Nearest Neighbors (kNN) model developed for ransomware detection has shown moderate effectiveness, with an overall accuracy of 70%. While the model correctly identifies a majority of ransomware instances, the presence of false positives and false negatives suggests that there is room for improvement.
- ➤ Balanced Precision and Recall: The model's precision (0.72) and recall (0.69) are reasonably balanced, indicating that the model can identify actual ransomware while maintaining a moderate level of false alarms. However, the recall is slightly lower, meaning that the model misses a notable percentage of ransomware cases.
- Room for Improvement in Recall: The relatively lower recall rate indicates that the model is prone to missing some ransomware attacks, which could lead to undetected threats. This is a critical concern in cybersecurity, where the cost of false negatives can be significant.
- Fair Discriminative Ability: The ROC-AUC score of 0.70 suggests that the model has a fair ability to distinguish between ransomware and non-ransomware instances. However, a higher score would be preferable to ensure greater confidence in the model's