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AI Anti-Scam/Spam Bot 🍥

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Proposal

Problem

Scam emails accounted for 45% of all emails in 2018, number has increased since, leading to 76% of businesses falling victim to one in 12 months

Solution

Email address for public to forward emails to. Program accesses inbox and uses different Natural Language Processing techniques to conclude whether the email is Spam or not.

Email returned to user with Likelihood of email being Scam, Spam, or neither.

Other Solutions

Range from anti-virus software requiring subscription with average pricing being \$40+ annually to handcrafted solutions on places such as GitHub with complicated setup. Some included in popular platforms like Gmail and Outlook but these often fail.

Challenges

Passing data between modules Differences between Scam and Spam Cleaning Data Sets to Work with classifiers Correctly classifying the Emails

Design

Email Module

Send email to User Program can take a users email & reply to them

Create useful tutorial to setup spam filter to setup spam address is sent to the user when Ability to add emails to the data set

Controller

Classifier Module

Train model based on training data Algorithm trains model from spam ham dataset Classify an email as Scam, Spam or neither

Implementation



AI Magic

Return Email **Email Sent to User with Probabilities** Your forwarded has returned the following probabilities of being each type. **Probabilities** Spam Ham Scam 44% 0% Thank you for using this Service