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Abstract:

The aim of this project was to apply different classification and clustering algorithms to classify cyberattacks in network traffic. The dataset provided contained 23 different attack types, which were converted into five classes. The data was preprocessed by handling missing values, outliers, and feature scaling. The most relevant features were identified using correlation analysis. The classification algorithms used were decision trees, K-nearest neighbours, and artificial neural networks. The performance of each algorithm was evaluated using appropriate metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. In the last task, clustering was performed using the k-means algorithm, and the results were visualized using a scatter plot.

Introduction:

The increasing use of the internet and technology has led to an increase in cyberattacks. It is important to develop methods to detect and classify these attacks to ensure the security of network traffic. In this project, we aim to develop classifiers for the prediction of attack types given their attributes. This project is divided into different tasks, including data preprocessing, feature engineering, classification using different algorithms, and clustering.

Data Preprocessing:

The first step in our project was to explore the dataset to understand the characteristics and distributions of different features. We found that the dataset contained missing values and outliers, which were handled by filling the missing values with the mean and removing the outliers. The dataset was then converted to five classes by mapping the original 23 classes to the new five classes. Feature selection was performed using correlation analysis, which identified the most relevant features for classification.

Classification Using A Decision Tree Algorithm:

A decision tree algorithm was used to develop a classification model. The model was trained on the preprocessed dataset, and its performance was evaluated using appropriate metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. The results showed that the decision tree algorithm had an accuracy of 97.46%, which is a goodperformance.

Classification Using The K-Nearest Neighbours Algorithm:

The KNN algorithm was implemented and trained using the preprocessed and selected features. The optimal value of k was determined to be 3, and the algorithm achieved an accuracy of 97.25%. Although the accuracy was slightly lower than the decision tree algorithm, the performance was still considered good.

Classification Using Artificial Neural Networks (ANN):

An ANN model was chosen that suits the specific requirements of the task. The selected model was trained on the preprocessed dataset to learn from the provided data. The performance of the trained model was evaluated using appropriate evaluation metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. The hyper parameters such as the learning rate and the number of hidden layers were optimized, which resulted in an accuracy of 97.76%, which is the best performance among the classification algorithms used in this project.

Clustering Using The K-Means Algorithm:

The last task involved classification followed by clustering. In this task, the column containing labels was dropped from the dataset, and the dataset was labelled using the k-Means algorithm. The clustering returned a label for each record, and the results were visualized using a scatter plot. The scatter plot showed that the dataset was well-clustered, and the results were consistent with the classification results.

Conclusion:

In conclusion, this project aimed to classify cyber-attacks in network traffic using different classification and clustering algorithms. The dataset was preprocessed by handling missing values, outliers, and feature scaling. Feature selection was performed using correlation analysis. The classification algorithms used were Decision Tree, K-Nearest Neighbours, and Artificial Neural Networks, and the results showed that all algorithms performed well with an accuracy of over 97%. The clustering results were consistent with the classification results.

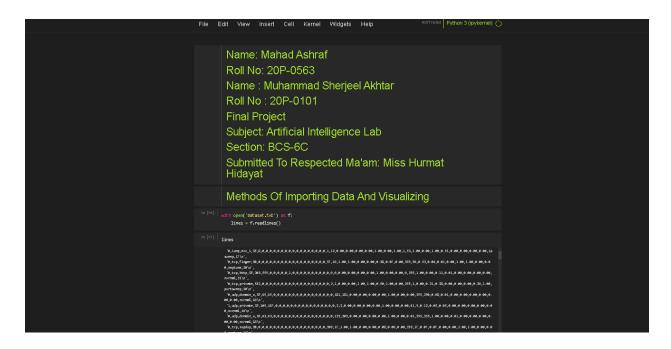
Overall, this project showed the effectiveness of different classification and clustering algorithms for the classification of cyber-attacks in network traffic.

Demonstration Of Our Work:

Importing Data:

Using .readlines():

```
with open('Dataset.txt') as f:
    lines = f.readlines()
```



Using .read() And Printing Afterwards:

```
with open('Dataset.txt') as f:
   contents = f.read()
   print(contents)
```

Importing DataSet Using Panadas CSV Method:

```
import pandas as pd
df = pd.read_csv("Dataset.txt")
```

Visualization Of The Data:

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## Comparing Data Set Using Panadas CSV Method

Importing Data Set
```

Codes Used For Visualization:

```
# Display the first 5 rows of the dataset
print(df.head())

# Display basic statistical information about the dataset
print(df.describe())

# Display information about the dataset, including the data type of each column and the number of non-null values
print(df.info())
```

Histograms Of Features In the Dataset:

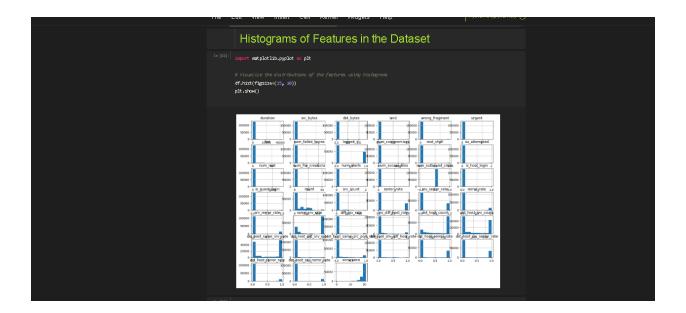
This is an additional thing that we've performed in our project. Here we are displaying the distributions of the features using Histograms.

Code:

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Visualize the distributions of the features using histograms
df.hist(figsize=(15, 10))
plt.show()
```

Visual Demonstration:



Visualize The Distributions Of The Features Using Box Plots

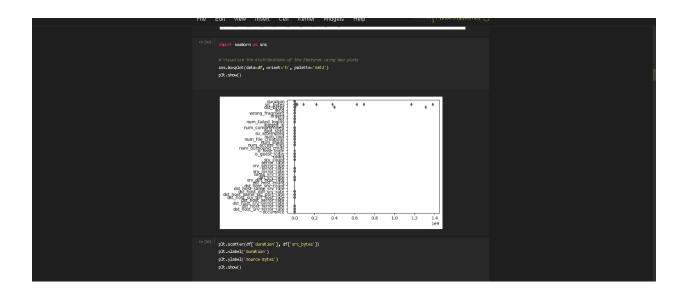
Now we are going to display the Distributions of the Features using Box Plots.

Code:

```
import seaborn as sns

# Visualize the distributions of the features using box plots
sns.boxplot(data=df, orient='h', palette='Set2')
plt.show()
```

Visualization:

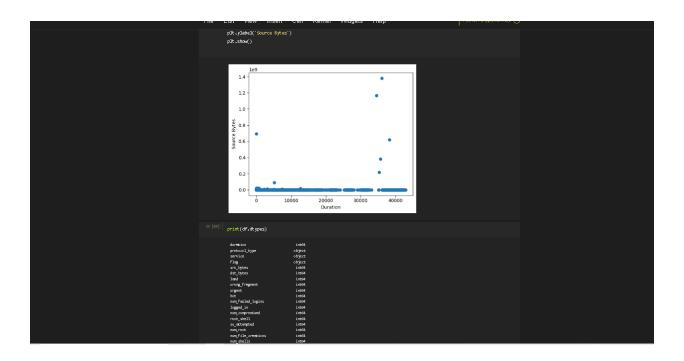


Scattering And Mentioning Labels:

Code:

```
plt.scatter(df['duration'], df['src_bytes'])
plt.xlabel('Duration')
plt.ylabel('Source Bytes')
plt.show()
```

Visualization:



Checking The DataType Of Labels:

Function Used: df.dtypes

Code:

print(df.dtypes)

Initial Data Preprocessing:

Checking For Missing Values:

First of all we are going to check whether there is any missing value present or not in our data set.

Code:

Check for missing values
print(df.isnull().sum())

Visualization:

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Conclusion:

These '0's' are showing that there are no missing values present in our dataset.

Importing 2 DataSet And Converting 23 different classes (attack types). into 5-classes:

Now we are going to import the second data set from the file 'Attack_types.txt' and we are going to convert 23 different classes into 5 classes.

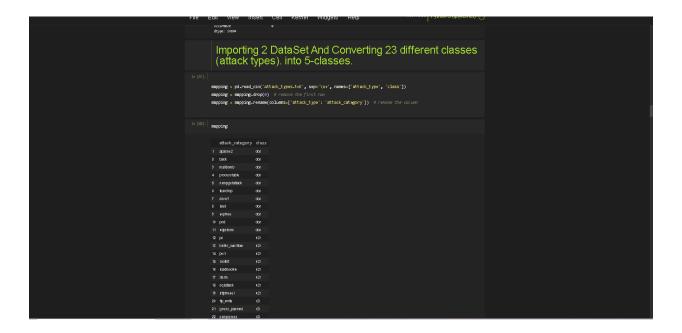
Code:

```
mapping = pd.read_csv('Attack_types.txt', sep='\s+', names=['attack_type', 'class'])
mapping = mapping.drop(0)  # remove the first row
mapping = mapping.rename(columns={'attack_type': 'attack_category'})  # rename the column
```

Visualization Code:

```
mapping
```

This will display all the data stored in mapping.



Performing Label Encoding on Second DataSet:

Now we are going to perform label encoding on second dataset which was updated in the previous step.

Code:

```
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder

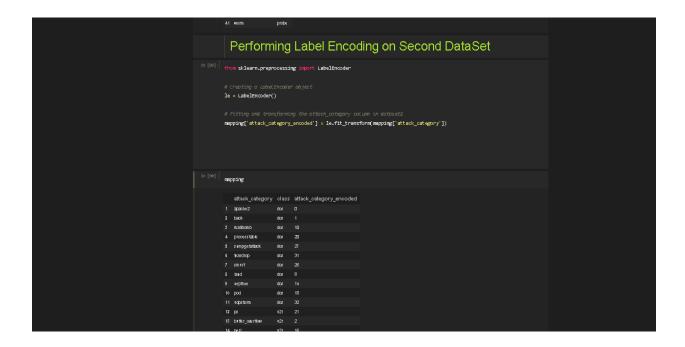
# Creating a LabelEncoder object
le = LabelEncoder()

# Fitting and transforming the attack_category column in dataset2
mapping['attack_category_encoded'] = le.fit_transform(mapping['attack_category'])
```

For Visualization Simply Use The Mapping Variable:

mapping

Visual Demonstration Of The Step:



Perform Data Preprocessing On The Dataset By:

- · Cleaning the data
- · Handling missing values
- Outliers
- Feature scaling On First DataSet

Filling The Missing Values:

Code:

```
# now we fill the missing values

df.fillna(df.mean(), inplace=True)
```

Performing Label Encoding on First Dataset:

For this purpose,

Create a LabelEncoder object and fit it to the attack category column in dataset 2.

Creating a LabelEncoder object and fitting it to the attack category column in dataset 2:

Code:

```
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder

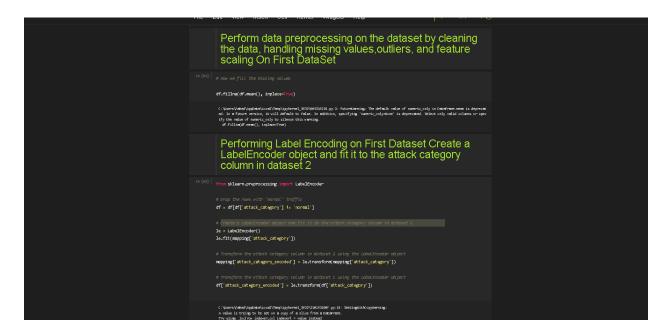
# Drop the rows with "normal" traffic
df = df[df['attack_category'] != 'normal']

# Create a LabelEncoder object and fit it to the attack category column in dataset 2
le = LabelEncoder()
le.fit(mapping['attack_category'])

# Transform the attack category column in dataset 2 using the LabelEncoder object
mapping['attack_category_encoded'] = le.transform(mapping['attack_category'])

# Transform the attack category column in dataset 1 using the LabelEncoder object
df['attack_category_encoded'] = le.transform(df['attack_category'])
```

Visual Demonstration:



Perform A Check By Viewing The Ending Data Of The Dataset:

Perform this using the following,

Code:

```
df.tail(2000)
```

Handling Outliers:

Before Handling Outfitters,

Print the length of the dataframe,

```
# drop the original dataframe and keep only the numeric dataframe
print("Length of DataFrame before handling outliers:", len(df))
```

Code:

```
import numpy as np
from scipy import stats

# load data

# get numerical columns except object type columns
num_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns.tolist()

# remove columns with NaN values
num_cols = [col for col in num_cols if df[col].notna().any()]

# remove object type columns
num_cols = [col for col in num_cols if df[col].dtype != '0']

# calculate z-scores for each column
z_scores = stats.zscore(df[num_cols])

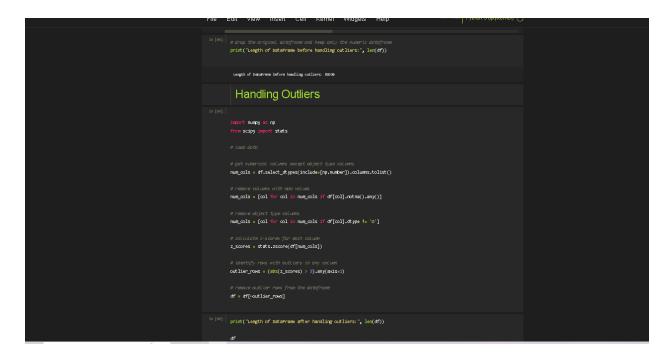
# identify rows with outliers in any column
outlier_rows = (abs(z_scores) > 3).any(axis=1)

# remove outlier rows from the dataframe
df = df[~outlier_rows]
```

Visualize Using:

```
print("Length of DataFrame after handling outliers:", len(df))
df
```

Demonstration:



Feature Scaling:

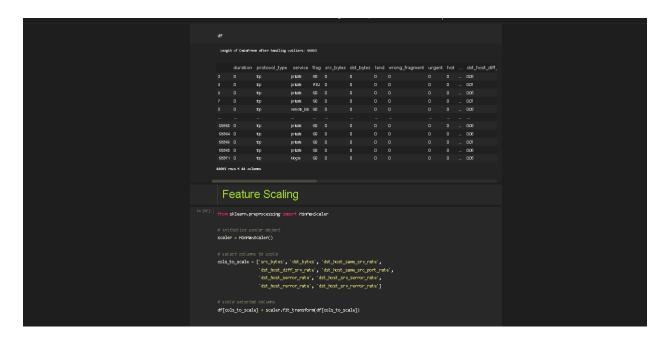
Now we are going to perform Feature Scaling,

Code:

For Demonstration Use:

```
df.head(5000)
```

Demonstration:



Identify the most relevant features for classification: (Correlation Analysis)

· Using technique such as correlation analysis.

Library Used:

For this purpose, we have used the Library,

seaborn

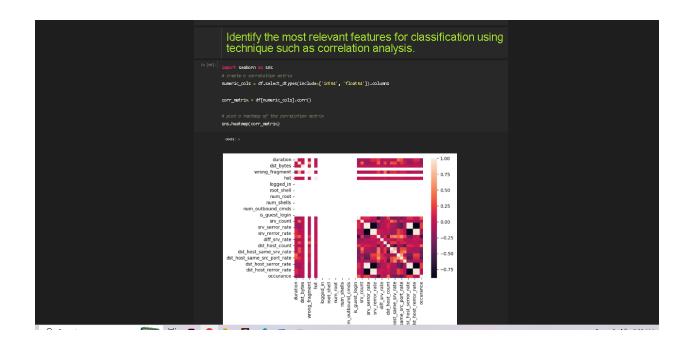
Code:

```
import seaborn as sns
# create a correlation matrix
numeric_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=['int64', 'float64']).columns

corr_matrix = df[numeric_cols].corr()

# plot a heatmap of the correlation matrix
sns.heatmap(corr_matrix)
```

Visualization:



a. Classification of Cyber Attacks Using Decision Tree Algorithm:

For this purpose, we've used various libraries. They are mentioned below:

- import pandas as pd
- from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
- from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
- from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score
- · from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler

Code:

```
# importing libraries

import pandas as pd
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
```

Selection Only Numerical Features:

Code:

```
# Select only numerical features
num_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns.tolist()
X = df[num_cols]
# Standardize the numerical features
scaler = StandardScaler()
X = scaler.fit_transform(X)
```

Selecting The Target Variable:

Now we are going the select the targeted variable.

Code:

```
# Select the target variable
y = df['attack_category_encoded']

# Split the dataset into training and test sets
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)
```

Training The Decision Tree Classifier:

In the next step, we are going to train the **Decision Tree Classifier**.

Code:

```
# Train the decision tree classifier
clf = DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42)
clf.fit(X_train, y_train)

# Make predictions on the test set
y_pred = clf.predict(X_test)
```

Visual Demonstration:

Evaluating The Performance Of The Classifier:

In this step we are going to evaluate the performance of the classifier.

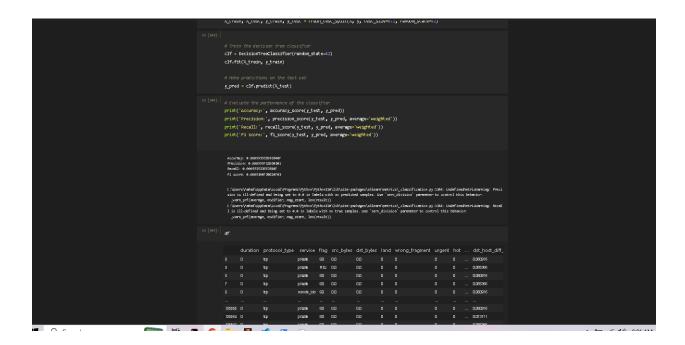
Code:

```
# Evaluate the performance of the classifier
print('Accuracy:', accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred))
print('Precision:', precision_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted'))
print('Recall:', recall_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted'))
print('F1 score:', f1_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted'))
```

Visualize The Data Set Using:

df

Demonstration Of This Step:



b. Classification of Cyber Attacks Using K -Nearest Neighbors Algorithm:

We have used the following libraries in this case:

Libraries:

- · import pandas as pd
- from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
- from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
- from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score
- from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score

Code:

```
#importing Libraries
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
```

Selecting Only Numerical Features:

Now are going to select only numerical features using the code,

Code:

```
# Select only numerical features
num_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns.tolist()
X = df[num_cols]
# Standardize the numerical features
scaler = StandardScaler()
X = scaler.fit_transform(X)
```

Selecting The Target Variable:

Selecting the target variable using the below code,

Code:

```
# Select the target variable
y = df['attack_category_encoded']

# Split the dataset into training and test sets
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)
```

Calculating The Accuracy Rate:

Now we are going to calculate the accuracy rate by using a List and one by one we will append into it.

Code:

```
accuracy_rate = []
for i in range(1, 20):
    knn = KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=i)
    score=cross_val_score(knn, X, y, cv=5)
    accuracy_rate.append(score.mean())
```

Visual Demonstration:

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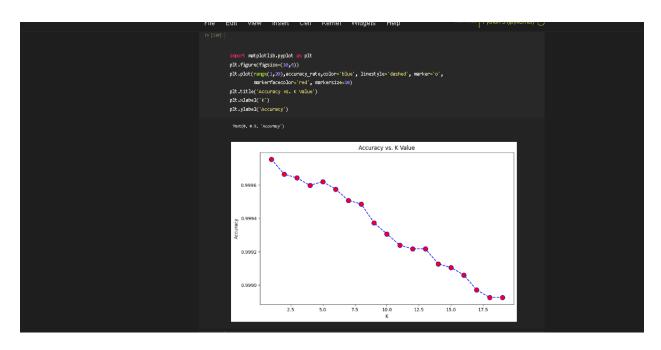
Accuracy Vs K-Value Using Plots:

We will use plots in python for this purpose,

Code:

```
plt.xlabel('K')
plt.ylabel('Accuracy')
```

Visualization:



Calculating Optimal Value Of K:

```
optimal_k = accuracy_rate.index(max(accuracy_rate)) + 1
print("Optimal value of k is:", optimal_k)
```

Using KNN:

Here we are using the K-Nearest Neighbour Algorithm,

Code:

```
knn = KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=optimal_k)
knn.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_pred = knn.predict(X_test)
accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
precision = precision_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=1)
recall = recall_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=1)
f1 = f1_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=1)
print(f"Accuracy: {accuracy}")
print(f"Precision: {precision}")
```

```
print(f"Recall: {recall}")
print(f"F1-score: {f1}")
```

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Using .tail To View The End Data of The Dataset:

df.tail(1000)

c. Classification of Cyber Attacks Using Artificial Neural Networks (ANN):

We've imported the following Libraries,

Libraries:

- · import numpy as np
- · import pandas as pd
- from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
- · from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
- from sklearn.neural_network import MLPClassifier
- from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score, precision score, recall score, f1 score

We are Using numpy in ANN.

Code:

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
from sklearn.neural_network import MLPClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score
```

Initial Step:

```
num_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns.tolist()
X = df[num_cols]
```

Standardizing The Numerical Features:

```
# Standardize the numerical features
scaler = StandardScaler()
X = scaler.fit_transform(X)
```

Selecting The Target Variable:

```
# Select the target variable
y = df['attack_category_encoded']
```

Spliting The Dataset Into Training And Test Sets:

```
# Split the dataset into training and test sets
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)
```

Encoding The Target Variable:

```
# encode the target variable
label_encoder = LabelEncoder()
y_train = label_encoder.fit_transform(y_train)
y_test = label_encoder.transform(y_test)
```

Defining The MLP Model:

```
# define the MLP model
mlp = MLPClassifier(hidden_layer_sizes=(10,), max_iter=1000
```

Training The MLP Model On The Training Data:

```
# train the MLP model on the training data
mlp.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

Making Predictions On The Test Data:

```
# make predictions on the test data
y_pred = mlp.predict(X_test)
```

Evaluating The Performance Of The MLP Model:

```
# evaluate the performance of the MLP model
accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
precision = precision_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=0)
recall = recall_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=0)
f1 = f1_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=0)

print('Accuracy: {:.4f}'.format(accuracy))
print('Precision: {:.4f}'.format(precision))
print('Recall: {:.4f}'.format(recall))
print('F1-score: {:.4f}'.format(f1))
```

Full-Code-Preview:

```
#import libraries
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
from sklearn.neural_network import MLPClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score

num_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns.tolist()
x = df[num_cols]

# Standardize the numerical features
scaler = StandardScaler()
```

```
X = scaler.fit_transform(X)
# Select the target variable
y = df['attack_category_encoded']
# Split the dataset into training and test sets
 \textbf{X\_train, X\_test, y\_train, y\_test = train\_test\_split(X, y, test\_size=0.2, random\_state=42) } 
# encode the target variable
label_encoder = LabelEncoder()
y_train = label_encoder.fit_transform(y_train)
y_test = label_encoder.transform(y_test)
# define the MLP model
mlp = MLPClassifier(hidden_layer_sizes=(10,), max_iter=1000)
# train the MLP model on the training data
mlp.fit(X_train, y_train)
# make predictions on the test data
y_pred = mlp.predict(X_test)
# evaluate the performance of the MLP model
accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
precision = precision_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=0)
recall = recall_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=0)
f1 = f1_score(y_test, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=0)
print('Accuracy: {:.4f}'.format(accuracy))
print('Precision: {:.4f}'.format(precision))
print('Recall: {:.4f}'.format(recall))
print('F1-score: {:.4f}'.format(f1))
```

Visual Demonstration Of The Initial Part:

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mlp.fit(X_train, _X_train)

# make predictions on the test data
y_med = mlp.predict(X_test)

# enclure the perforance of the FEF model
accuracy = scuracy_score(y_test, y_med)
precision = precision_score(y_test, y_med, sermge='weighted', zero_division=0)
recall = recall_score(y_test, y_med, sermge='weighted', zero_division=0)

f1 = f2_score(y_test, y_med, sermge='weighted', zero_division=0)

print('Accuracy (!.af)' normat(precision))
print('Precision: (!.af)' normat(precision))
print('Recall: (!.af)' normat(precision))

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KMeans Clustering By dropping Label Column:

For KMeans Clustering, we've used the following libraries,

Libraries:

- · import pandas as pd
- · import numpy as np
- from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
- · from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
- import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

Initial Step:

- Dropping The Column Containing Labels
- Selecting The Features To Cluster

```
# Drop the column containing labels and select the features to cluster
X = df.drop(['attack_category_encoded'], axis=1)
num_cols = X.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns.tolist()
X = X[num_cols]
```

Standardizing The Numerical Features:

```
# Standardize the numerical features
scaler = StandardScaler()
X = scaler.fit_transform(X)
```

Clustering The Data Using K-Means:

```
# Cluster the data using k-Means
kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=2, random_state=42)
labels = kmeans.fit_predict(X)
```

Creating A Copy Of The Original Data Frame And Adding Labels To It:

```
# Create a copy of the original dataframe and add the labels to it
df_labeled = df.copy()
df_labeled['labels'] = labels
```

Visualizing The Results With A Scatter Plot:

```
# Visualize the results with a scatter plot
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
scatter = ax.scatter(df_labeled['src_bytes'], df_labeled['dst_bytes'], c=df_labeled['labels'], cmap='Set1')
legend = ax.legend(*scatter.legend_elements(), loc="upper right", title="Labels")
legend.get_texts()[0].set_text('0')
legend.get_texts()[1].set_text('1')
ax.add_artist(legend)
plt.title('Clustering for Anomaly Detection in Network Security')
plt.xlabel('src_bytes')
plt.ylabel('dst_bytes')
plt.show()
```

Full Preview:

```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Drop the column containing labels and select the features to cluster
X = df.drop(['attack_category_encoded'], axis=1)
num_cols = X.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns.tolist()
X = X[num_cols]

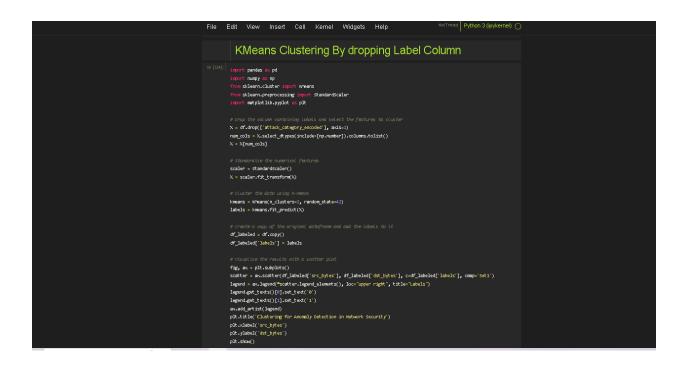
# Standardize the numerical features
scaler = StandardScaler()
X = scaler.fit_transform(X)

# Cluster the data using k-Means
kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=2, random_state=42)
labels = kmeans.fit_predict(X)
```

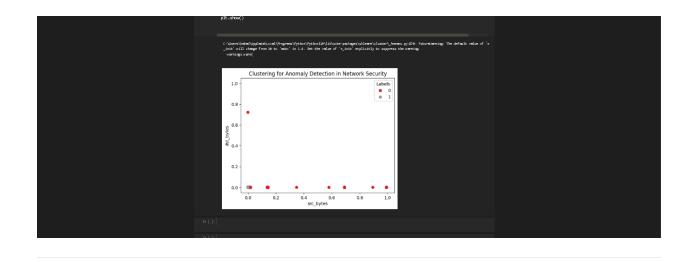
```
# Create a copy of the original dataframe and add the labels to it
df_labeled = df.copy()
df_labeled['labels'] = labels

# Visualize the results with a scatter plot
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
scatter = ax.scatter(df_labeled['src_bytes'], df_labeled['dst_bytes'], c=df_labeled['labels'], cmap='Set1')
legend = ax.legend(*scatter.legend_elements(), loc="upper right", title="Labels")
legend.get_texts()[0].set_text('0')
legend.get_texts()[1].set_text('1')
ax.add_artist(legend)
plt.title('Clustering for Anomaly Detection in Network Security')
plt.xlabel('src_bytes')
plt.ylabel('dst_bytes')
plt.show()
```

Visual Demonstration Of Initial Part:



Visually Representing The Remaining Part:



THIS W.A.S THE PROJECT That We Completed In The Time Span Of 25 Days......

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