

Compiling and running the code:

Unzip the folder. cd into the directory PA1 and run:

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python SpamLord.py data_dev/dev/ data_dev/devGOLD
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Results and Analysis:

SpamLord.py contains two regular expressions patterns. One is for email and the other for phone numbers.

Email Id Regular Expression:

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my_first_pat = "([\\w.-]+) *(@|WHERE| at |&#x40;) *([\\w;.-]+) *([.|DOM|dot|) *"?i)(edu|-e-d-u)|(obfuscate\\('([\\w+\\.edu)', '([\\w+)'\\))"
```

The first group ([\\w.-]+) matches the words of the email before @ or at or WHERE or @ *([\\w;.-]+) matches the domain name of the email id like stanford. or cs.stanford. ([.|DOM|dot|) matches . or dot or DOM. (?i)(edu|-e-d-u) matches edu or -e-d-u and is case insensitive. (obfuscate\\('([\\w+\\.edu)', '([\\w+)'\\)) matches the email which has the format obfuscate('cse.tamu.edu', 'huangrh').

Phone Number Regular Expression:

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my_second_pat = '\\(?(\\d{3})\\)?[\\s-]?(\\d{3})[\\s-](\\d{4})\\D+'
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The first part matches if it starts with a parenthesis. The d{3} checks if it has 3 numbers. \\) checks if it has a closing parenthesis. \\s- checks if there is a space or -. d{3} again matches with 3 numbers and d{4} matches with 4 numbers in the end. \\D checks if the expression doesn't have any more digits.

With the above regular expressions, I am getting a tp of 58, fp of 0 and fn of 1.

Limitations:

A False Negative occurs for the case hager at cs dot jhu dot edu. This case is not handled in the email regular expression.