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1 Machine Learning Model (Logistic Regression)

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1.1 1. Loading And Cleaning Data

Install necessary libraries First we will install the necessary libraries to run the following code.

```
[]: #!pip install numpy
#!pip install pandas
#!pip install matplotlib
#!pip install seaborn
#!pip install sklearn
```

Importing libraries Then we will import the libraries we need to run the following code.

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from scipy import stats
import pickle
import warnings

# Plotting libraries
import seaborn as sns
import math
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Sklearn libraries
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.preprocessing import label_binarize
```

```
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.cluster import DBSCAN, KMeans
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, classification_report,

confusion_matrix

# Filter warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore') #filter warnings
# Show plots inline
%matplotlib inline
```

Loading Data Here we load the CSV data collected from the Python script into pandas dataframe

```
[118]: ping_df = pd.read_csv('ping_training_data.csv', delimiter='\t')
    voice_df = pd.read_csv('voice_training_data.csv', delimiter='\t')
    dns_df = pd.read_csv('dns_training_data.csv', delimiter='\t')
    telnet_df = pd.read_csv('telnet_training_data.csv', delimiter='\t')
    df = pd.concat([ping_df, voice_df, dns_df, telnet_df], ignore_index=True)
```

Data Cleaning Drop any rows that contain NaN (no value)

```
[119]: df.dropna(inplace=True)
```

Drop the Forward Packets, Forward Bytes, Reverse Packets, Reverse Bytes data.

Reason:

• This data is not useful as a feature in the model because it increases linearly. *Meaning the value stacks together and at some point in time can have any value.

```
[120]: df.drop('Forward Packets', axis=1, inplace=True)
df.drop('Forward Bytes', axis=1, inplace=True)
df.drop('Reverse Packets', axis=1, inplace=True)
df.drop('Reverse Bytes', axis=1, inplace=True)
```

Describing Data Check Data for layout: 6412 rows & 13 columns (12 features, 1 target)

```
[121]: print(df.shape)
(6412, 13)
```

We can take a look at basic statistical information about our data now.

```
[122]: df.describe()
[122]:
              Delta Forward Packets
                                    Delta Forward Bytes
                        6412.000000
                                              6412.000000
       count
                                               439.168122
       mean
                           3.191204
       std
                          12.122056
                                              1702.744559
       min
                           0.00000
                                                 0.00000
       25%
                           0.000000
                                                 0.00000
       50%
                           0.00000
                                                 0.00000
       75%
                           1.000000
                                                42.00000
       max
                         149.000000
                                             13167.000000
              Forward Instantaneous Packets per Second
                                            6412.000000
       count
       mean
                                               3.173737
       std
                                              12.125561
                                               0.00000
       min
       25%
                                               0.00000
       50%
                                               0.00000
       75%
                                               0.500000
                                             149.000000
       max
              Forward Average Packets per second
       count
                                      6412.000000
                                         3.722254
       mean
                                        12.302170
       std
                                         0.00000
       min
       25%
                                         0.333333
       50%
                                         0.428571
       75%
                                         0.850000
                                       179.000000
       max
              Forward Instantaneous Bytes per Second \
                                          6412.000000
       count
                                           437.456332
       mean
       std
                                          1703.111327
       min
                                             0.00000
       25%
                                             0.00000
       50%
                                             0.00000
       75%
                                            42.000000
                                         13167.000000
       max
              Forward Average Bytes per second
                                                Delta Reverse Packets \
                                    6412.000000
                                                           6412.000000
       count
       mean
                                     481.372689
                                                              5.473175
```

```
std
                             1609.315787
                                                       15.253437
                                0.000000
                                                        0.000000
min
25%
                               26.44444
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50%
                               37.333333
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                               60.774194
                                                        1.000000
                            15665.000000
                                                      149.000000
max
       Delta Reverse Bytes DeltaReverse Instantaneous Packets per Second \
               6412.000000
                                                                6412.000000
count
mean
                783.249844
                                                                   5.351684
std
               2214.196676
                                                                  15.228274
min
                  0.00000
                                                                   0.000000
25%
                  0.000000
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50%
                  0.000000
                                                                   0.000000
75%
                 98.000000
                                                                   1.000000
               9834.000000
                                                                 149.000000
max
       Reverse Average Packets per second
                               6412.000000
count
mean
                                  5.950523
std
                                 14.971817
min
                                  0.00000
25%
                                  0.285714
50%
                                  0.416667
75%
                                  0.923077
max
                                178.000000
       Reverse Instantaneous Bytes per Second \
                                   6412.000000
count
                                    772.269807
mean
std
                                   2215.671394
\min
                                      0.00000
25%
                                      0.00000
50%
                                      0.00000
75%
                                     49.000000
max
                                   9834.000000
       Reverse Average Bytes per second
count
                             6412.000000
mean
                              818.036805
std
                             2053.271016
min
                                0.000000
25%
                               23.333333
50%
                               34.000000
75%
                               65.333333
                            11772.000000
max
```

```
[123]: df.info()
      <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
      RangeIndex: 6412 entries, 0 to 6411
      Data columns (total 13 columns):
                                                             Non-Null Count Dtype
           Column
       0
           Delta Forward Packets
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             int64
                                                                             int64
       1
           Delta Forward Bytes
                                                             6412 non-null
       2
           Forward Instantaneous Packets per Second
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
       3
           Forward Average Packets per second
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
       4
           Forward Instantaneous Bytes per Second
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
           Forward Average Bytes per second
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
           Delta Reverse Packets
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             int64
       7
           Delta Reverse Bytes
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             int64
       8
           DeltaReverse Instantaneous Packets per Second
                                                            6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
           Reverse Average Packets per second
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
       10 Reverse Instantaneous Bytes per Second
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
       11 Reverse Average Bytes per second
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             float64
       12 Traffic Type
                                                             6412 non-null
                                                                             object
      dtypes: float64(8), int64(4), object(1)
      memory usage: 651.3+ KB
      The type of the traffic column is object. We will convert this to a category so we can use .cat
      functionalities (Functions specific to categories).
[124]: df['Traffic Type'] = df['Traffic Type'].astype('category')
      We can view all the types using .cat.categories:
[125]: df['Traffic Type'].cat.categories
[125]: Index(['dns', 'ping', 'telnet', 'voice'], dtype='object')
      We can also get the data coded numerically using .cat.codes
[126]: df['Traffic Type'].cat.codes.head()
[126]: 0
       1
       2
            1
       3
            1
       4
            1
       dtype: int8
      The following features will be used in the model
[127]: print('Features:',df.columns[:-1].values)
      Features: ['Delta Forward Packets' 'Delta Forward Bytes'
       'Forward Instantaneous Packets per Second'
```

```
'Forward Average Packets per second'
'Forward Instantaneous Bytes per Second'
'Forward Average Bytes per second' 'Delta Reverse Packets'
'Delta Reverse Bytes' 'DeltaReverse Instantaneous Packets per Second'
'Reverse Average Packets per second'
'Reverse Instantaneous Bytes per Second'
'Reverse Average Bytes per second']
```

These are the counts of each type of traffic

1.2 2. Supervised Model - Logistic Regression

Stage 2: Making the model from our data

We make our logistic regression model by splitting it into a training and testing set.

1.2.1 Split dataset

First we will split the dataset into features and targets.

```
[129]: X = df.drop('Traffic Type',axis=1)
y = df['Traffic Type']
```

SMOTE (Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique)

If enabled this will cause our sample size to synthesis new data for lower values.

If you want to see a visual display of data use it without SMOTE.

PCA Line graph will not work with this so only run to create a more accurate model.

```
[130]: # Oversample and plot imbalanced dataset with SMOTE
from collections import Counter
from sklearn.datasets import make_classification
from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE
from matplotlib import pyplot
```

```
from numpy import where

os = SMOTE(random_state=0)

# transform the dataset
oversample = SMOTE()
X, y = oversample.fit_resample(X, y)
# summarize the new class distribution
counter = Counter(y)
print(counter)
```

```
Counter({'ping': 4766, 'voice': 4766, 'dns': 4766, 'telnet': 4766})
```

Create training and testing sets We will use train_test_split with test size of 0.3 to put 70% of our data into training, and 30% into testing.

The random_state is set so the results are repeatable.

```
[131]: X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,y,test_size=0.5, u →random_state=101)
```

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```
[133]: # This will take some time
      from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
      from sklearn.model_selection import RepeatedStratifiedKFold
      from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
      from sklearn.feature_selection import RFE
      import numpy as np
      from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier
       # create pipeline
       # chosen algorithm specified via the "estimator"/
      rfe = RFE(estimator=LogisticRegression(solver='liblinear'),
       →n_features_to_select=3)
       # fit the model
      rfe.fit(X_train,y_train)
      for i in range(X.shape[1]):
          print('Column: %s, Selected %s, Rank: %.3f' % (X_train.columns[i], rfe.
       →support_[i],rfe.ranking_[i]))
      print("The optimal number of features:", rfe.n_features_)
      print("Best features:", X_train.columns[rfe.support_])
```

Column: Delta Forward Packets, Selected True, Rank: 1.000 Column: Delta Forward Bytes, Selected False, Rank: 6.000 Column: Forward Instantaneous Packets per Second, Selected True, Rank: 1.000

1.2.2 Train Model/ Model Building

Now we will create and train the model.

```
[106]: model = LogisticRegression(solver='liblinear')
[107]: model.fit(X_train,y_train)
[107]: LogisticRegression(solver='liblinear')
```

Make predictions Single prediction

```
[108]: idx = 2590 #random number
single_x_test = [df.iloc[idx].drop('Traffic Type').tolist()]
single_y_test = df.iloc[idx]['Traffic Type']
[109]: single prediction = model.predict(single x test)
```

```
[109]: single_prediction = model.predict(single_x_test)
print('For this sample, our model predicted %s and it was actually %s' %

→(single_prediction[0], single_y_test))
```

For this sample, our model predicted ping and it was actually ping

Entire test set

```
[110]: predictions = model.predict(X_test)
```

We can create a dataframe to see these in table form:

```
[111]: resultsDF = pd.DataFrame({
    'true':y_test,
    'predicted':predictions
```

```
})
resultsDF.head()
```

```
[111]: true predicted
2762 ping ping
15537 voice voice
541 ping ping
17665 voice voice
5098 voice voice
```

We see the model has a 98.37% accuracy (May vary if you utilise additional methods eg. SMOTE)

```
[112]: print('Accuracy: %.2f%%' % (accuracy_score(predictions,y_test)*100))
```

Accuracy: 98.37%

We can save the model using the pickle library to use later in real-time

```
[113]: print(pickle.format_version)
4.0
[115]: pickle.dump(model,open('TestLogisticRegression','wb'))
```

1.2.3 Model Testing

Show the results of the prediction on a plot.

This phase is meant to be re-run again and again to re-train our model.

Confusion Matrix The confusion matrix allows you to see the numerical breakdown of the predictions by class:

```
[68]: cm = confusion_matrix(predictions,y_test, labels=y.cat.categories) print(cm)
```

To attach labels, we can view it as a dataframe:

```
[69]: cmDF = pd.DataFrame()

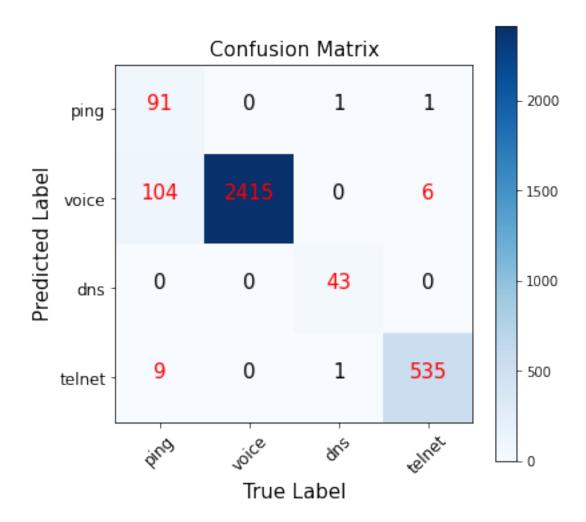
for i, row in enumerate(y.cat.categories):
    temp = {}
    for j, col in enumerate(y.cat.categories):
```

```
temp[col]=cm[i,j]
cmDF = cmDF.append(pd.DataFrame.from_dict({row:temp}, orient='index'))
print(cmDF)
```

```
dns ping telnet voice
dns
        91
                0
                        1
        104 2415
                        0
                               6
ping
telnet
         0
                0
                       43
                               0
          9
                0
                             535
voice
                        1
```

We can also add a heatmap to better visualize it

```
[70]: plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))
      plt.imshow(cm, interpolation='nearest', cmap=plt.cm.Blues)
      plt.title('Confusion Matrix', fontsize=15)
      plt.colorbar()
      tick_marks = np.arange(len(y.unique()))
      plt.xticks(tick_marks, y.unique(), rotation=45, fontsize=12)
      plt.yticks(tick_marks, y.unique(), fontsize=12)
      plt.xlabel('True Label', fontsize=15)
      plt.ylabel('Predicted Label', fontsize=15)
      for i in range(len(cm)):
          for j in range(len(cm[i])):
              color = 'black'
              if cm[i][j] > 5:
                  color = 'red'
              plt.text(j, i, format(cm[i][j]),
                      horizontalalignment='center',
                      color=color, fontsize=15)
```



We can see the model works well for all classes.

1.2.4 Extension: Principal Component Analysis

A dimension reduction technique meant for large datsets.

Your data are broken down into principle components, each of which combines the features of the dataset by their correlation into components. These hold the dataset's variance (aka. spread of data)

Normalize data Now, the data must be scaled to fit inside the same range.

Meaning must scale the data so that they fall within the same range for PCA to function properly and determine the appropriate covariance among all the features.

By doing this, one feature won't be able to influence the final components more.

The StandardScaler Class from sklearn will remove the mean and scale the data so the have unit variance.

```
[71]: df.drop('Traffic Type',axis=1).values[0:5]
Here are the means/std per feature.
[72]: df.drop('Traffic Type',axis=1).values.mean(axis=0)
[72]: array([ 3.19120399, 439.16812227,
                                     3.17373674,
                                                 3.72225357,
           437.45633188, 481.37268935,
                                     5.4731753 , 783.24984404,
                        5.95052253, 772.26980661, 818.03680499])
             5.35168434,
[73]: df.drop('Traffic Type',axis=1).values.std(axis=0)
[73]: array([ 12.12111103, 1702.61177563,
                                      12.12461585,
                                                    12.30121093,
           1702.97851503, 1609.1902894,
                                       15.25224785, 2214.02400866,
                         14.97064918, 2215.49861177, 2053.11089791])
             15.22708618,
    Here, we fit the scaler.
[74]: scaler = StandardScaler()
     scaler.fit(df.drop('Traffic Type',axis=1))
[74]: StandardScaler()
[75]: | scaled_data = scaler.transform(df.drop('Traffic Type',axis=1))
     scaled_data[0:5]
[75]: array([[-0.26327653, -0.25793791, -0.26175978, -0.30259245, -0.25687719,
            -0.29913969, -0.35884385, -0.35376755, -0.3514582, -0.39747926,
            -0.34857607, -0.39843771],
           [-0.26327653, -0.25793791, -0.26175978, -0.30259245, -0.25687719,
            -0.29913969, -0.35884385, -0.35376755, -0.3514582, -0.39747926,
            -0.34857607, -0.39843771],
           [-0.26327653, -0.25793791, -0.26175978, -0.30259245, -0.25687719,
            -0.29913969, -0.35884385, -0.35376755, -0.3514582, -0.39747926,
            -0.34857607, -0.39843771],
           [-0.26327653, -0.25793791, -0.26175978, -0.30259245, -0.25687719,
            -0.29913969, -0.35884385, -0.35376755, -0.3514582, -0.39747926,
            -0.34857607, -0.39843771],
           [-0.26327653, -0.25793791, -0.26175978, -0.30259245, -0.25687719,
            -0.29913969, -0.35884385, -0.35376755, -0.3514582, -0.39747926,
```

```
-0.34857607, -0.39843771]])
```

Here are the new means and standard deviation per feature.

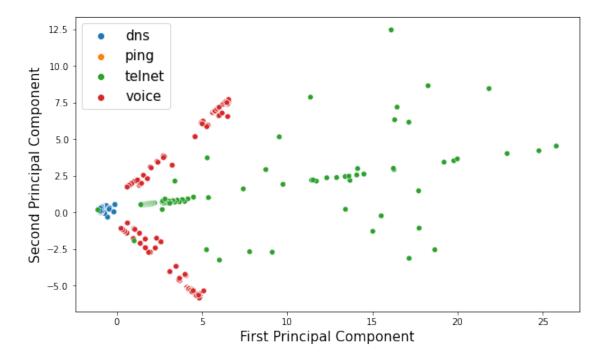
```
[76]: scaled_data.mean(axis=0)
[76]: array([ 5.31909721e-17,
                             0.00000000e+00,
                                             0.00000000e+00,
                                                              1.77303240e-17,
            -3.54606481e-17,
                             7.09212961e-17, -3.54606481e-17,
                                                              3.54606481e-17,
             3.54606481e-17,
                             0.0000000e+00, 1.06381944e-16,
                                                              0.0000000e+00])
[77]: scaled_data.std(axis=0)
Now we will fit PCA model to the data. We will specify n_components=2, because we only want
     the first 2 principal components.
[78]: pca = PCA(n_components=2)
     pca.fit(scaled_data)
[78]: PCA(n_components=2)
[79]: scaled_data.shape
[79]: (6412, 12)
[80]: x_pca = pca.transform(scaled_data)
[81]: x_pca.shape
[81]: (6412, 2)
     Explained Variance
[82]: pca.explained_variance_ratio_
[82]: array([0.49629411, 0.43610031])
     pca.explained_variance_ratio_.sum()*100
[83]:
[83]: 93.23944178756778
```

From above you can see that our first 2 principal components explain 93.23% of the variance in our data. We can get higher variance explained by increasing the number of principal components to a maximum of 100% with n_components = n_features.

Plotting the principal components

```
[84]: fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
    sns.scatterplot(x_pca[:,0], x_pca[:,1], hue=df['Traffic Type'])
    plt.xlabel('First Principal Component', fontsize=15)
    plt.ylabel('Second Principal Component', fontsize=15)
    plt.legend(fontsize=15)
```

[84]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x7f1a9b6ccc40>



From this plot, we can see voice and ping are easy to identify using first 2 principle components. Ping is difficult. That is why we use all the features in our data not just first two components.

Decision Boundary w/ PCA Where the model transitions from forecasting one class to another is known as the decision boundary. We shall once more employ the principle components obtained above for training for visual representational purposes.

In this manner, we are able to train a model with only two features and see the decision boundary in two dimensions. However, since the actual model would make use of all the features, the decision boundary can change.

We will follow the same steps as above for training a model. We use the coded y as the contour plot that we use below prefers numerical values.

```
[85]: X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(x_pca,y.cat. 

-codes,test_size=0.3, random_state=101)
```

```
[86]: model = LogisticRegression()
model.fit(X_train,y_train)
```

[86]: LogisticRegression()

The accuracy value is lower when we only use the first 2 principle components, as opposed to the full set of features. Again, this is just for visualization purposes.

```
[87]: predictions = model.predict(X_test)
print('Accuracy: %.2f%%' % (accuracy_score(predictions,y_test)*100))
Accuracy: 93.61%
```

Plotting We will first generate a grid of x[0] and x[1] values that we will use to make predictions with.

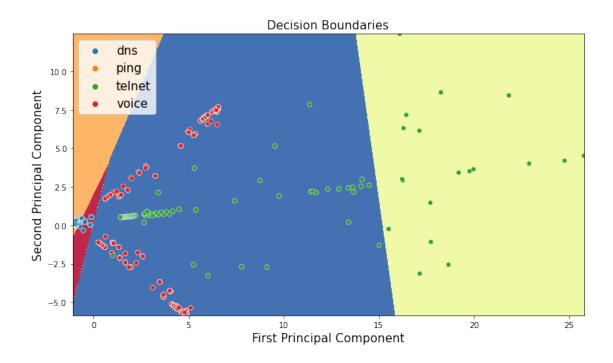
```
[88]: x_min = x_pca[:,0].min()
x_max = x_pca[:,0].max()
y_min = x_pca[:,1].min()
y_max = x_pca[:,1].max()
spacing = 0.01
```

Now we will make predictions on the grid that we created. The ravel function just makes the 2D array that we have above into a 1D array. We will reshape the predictions Z into a 2D array afterwards for plotting

```
[90]: Z = model.predict(np.c_[xx.ravel(), yy.ravel()])
Z = Z.reshape(xx.shape)
```

Now we will plot the data, and the decision boundaries.

[91]: <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x7f1a9b610700>



From the above you can see the decision splits. DNS and Telnet traffic are easily classifiable. Ping and Voice are harder to distinguish with only 2 components.