Phishing URL Detection

The Internet has become an indispensable part of our life, However, It also has provided opportunities to anonymously perform malicious activities like Phishing. Phishers try to deceive their victims by social engineering or creating mockup websites to steal information such as account ID, username, password from individuals and organizations. Although many methods have been proposed to detect phishing websites, Phishers have evolved their methods to escape from these detection methods. One of the most successful methods for detecting these malicious activities is Machine Learning. This is because most Phishing attacks have some common characteristics which can be identified by machine learning methods.

The steps demonstrated in this notebook are:

- 1. Loading the data
- 2. Familiarizing with data & EDA
- 3. Visualizing the data
- 4. Splitting the data
- 5. Training the data
- 6. Comparision of Model
- 7. Conclusion

#importing required libraries

import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn import metrics
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')

1. Loading Data:

 $The \ dataset \ is \ borrowed \ from \ Kaggle, \\ \underline{https://www.kaggle.com/code/hasibur013/phishing-url-detection}.$

A collection of website URLs for 11000+ websites. Each sample has 30 website parameters and a class label identifying it as a phishing website or not (1 or -1).

The overview of this dataset is, it has 11054 samples with 32 features. Download the dataset from the link provided.

#Loading data into dataframe

```
data = pd.read_csv("/content/phishing.csv")
data.head()
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5 rows × 32 columns												
4												>

2. Familiarizing with Data & EDA:

In this step, few dataframe methods are used to look into the data and its features.

data.shape

→ (11054, 32)

data.columns

#Information about the dataset

data.info()

Show hidden output

nunique value in columns

data.nunique()



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Index	11054
UsingIP	2
LongURL	3
ShortURL	2
Symbol@	2
Redirecting//	2
PrefixSuffix-	2
SubDomains	3
HTTPS	3
DomainRegLen	2
Favicon	2
NonStdPort	2
HTTPSDomainURL	2
RequestURL	2
AnchorURL	3
LinksInScriptTags	3
ServerFormHandler	3
InfoEmail	2
AbnormalURL	2
WebsiteForwarding	2
StatusBarCust	2
DisableRightClick	2
UsingPopupWindow	2
IframeRedirection	2
AgeofDomain	2
DNSRecording	2
WebsiteTraffic	3
PageRank	2
GoogleIndex	2
LinksPointingToPage	3
StatsReport	2
class	2

```
#droping index column

data = data.drop(['Index'],axis = 1)

#description of dataset

data.describe().T

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data_set.append(9 OBSERVATIONS:

- 1. There are 11054 instances and 31 fearures in dataset.
- 2. Out of which 30 are independent features where as 1 is dependent feature.
- 3. Each feature is in int datatype, so there is no need to use LabelEncoder.
- 4. There is no outlier present in dataset.
- 5. There is no missing value in dataset.

3. Visualizing the data:

Few plots and graphs are displayed to find how the data is distributed and the how features are related to each other.

```
plt.figure(figsize=(15,15))
correlation_matrix = data.corr() # Assign the result of data.corr() to correlation_matrix
sns.heatmap(correlation_matrix, annot=True)
plt.show()
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     Show hidden output
# Filter correlations above a certain threshold
high_corr_features = correlation_matrix[(correlation_matrix > 0.8) | (correlation_matrix < -0.8)]</pre>
print(high_corr_features)
     Show hidden output
#pairplot for particular features
df = data[['PrefixSuffix-', 'SubDomains', 'HTTPS','AnchorURL','WebsiteTraffic','ShortURL','DomainRegLen','class']]
sns.pairplot(data = df,hue="class",corner=True);
\rightarrow
     Show hidden output
# Phishing Count in pie chart
data['class'].value_counts().plot(kind='pie',autopct='%1.2f%%')
plt.title("Phishing Count")
plt.show()
     Show hidden output
```

4. Splitting the Data:

The data is split into train & test sets, 80-20 split.

```
# Splitting the dataset into dependant and independant fetature

X = data.drop(["class"],axis =1)
y = data["class"]

# Splitting the dataset into train and test sets: 80-20 split

from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size = 0.2, random_state = 42)

X_train.shape, y_train.shape, X_test.shape, y_test.shape

((8843, 30), (8843,), (2211, 30), (2211,))
```

→ 5. Model Building & Training:

Supervised machine learning is one of the most commonly used and successful types of machine learning. Supervised learning is used whenever we want to predict a certain outcome/label from a given set of features, and we have examples of features-label pairs. We build a machine learning model from these features-label pairs, which comprise our training set. Our goal is to make accurate predictions for new, never-before-seen data.

There are two major types of supervised machine learning problems, called classification and regression. Our data set comes under regression problem, as the prediction of suicide rate is a continuous number, or a floating-point number in programming terms. The supervised machine learning models (regression) considered to train the dataset in this notebook are:

- 1. Logistic Regression
- 2. k-Nearest Neighbors
- 3. Support Vector Clasifier
- 4. Naive Bayes
- 5. Decision Tree
- 6. Random Forest
- 7. Gradient Boosting

The metrics considered to evaluate the model performance are Accuracy & F1 score.

```
# Creating holders to store the model performance results
ML_Model = []
accuracy = []
f1_score = []
recall = []
precision = []
#function to call for storing the results
def storeResults(model, a,b,c,d):
 ML_Model.append(model)
 accuracy.append(round(a, 3))
 f1 score.append(round(b, 3))
 recall.append(round(c, 3))
 precision.append(round(d, 3))
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score, StratifiedKFold
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
def perform_cross_validation(model, X, y, cv=5):
    skf = StratifiedKFold(n_splits=cv, shuffle=True, random_state=42)
    cv_scores = cross_val_score(model, X, y, cv=skf, scoring='accuracy')
    print(f"Cross-validation scores: {cv_scores}")
    print(f"Mean CV score: {cv_scores.mean():.4f} (+/- {cv_scores.std() * 2:.4f})")
    return cv_scores
```

→ 5.1. Logistic Regression

Logistic regression predicts the output of a categorical dependent variable. Therefore the outcome must be a categorical or discrete value.

Logistic Regression is much similar to the Linear Regression except that how they are used. Linear Regression is used for solving Regression problems, whereas Logistic regression is used for solving the classification problems.

```
y_test_log = log.predict(X_test)
acc_train_log = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train,y_train_log)
acc_test_log = metrics.accuracy_score(y_test,y_test_log)
print("Logistic Regression : Accuracy on training Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_train_log))
\verb|print("Logistic Regression: Accuracy on test Data: {:.3f}".format(acc\_test\_log)||
print()
f1_score_train_log = metrics.f1_score(y_train,y_train_log)
f1_score_test_log = metrics.f1_score(y_test,y_test_log)
print("Logistic Regression : f1_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_train_log))
print("Logistic Regression : f1_score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_test_log))
print()
recall_score_train_log = metrics.recall_score(y_train,y_train_log)
recall_score_test_log = metrics.recall_score(y_test,y_test_log)
print("Logistic Regression : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_train_log))
print("Logistic Regression : Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_test_log))
print()
precision_score_train_log = metrics.precision_score(y_train,y_train_log)
precision_score_test_log = metrics.precision_score(y_test,y_test_log)
print("Logistic Regression : precision on training Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_train_log))
print("Logistic Regression : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_test_log))
→ Logistic Regression : Accuracy on training Data: 0.927
     Logistic Regression : Accuracy on test Data: 0.934
     Logistic Regression : f1_score on training Data: 0.935
     Logistic Regression : f1_score on test Data: 0.941
     Logistic Regression : Recall on training Data: 0.943
     Logistic Regression: Recall on test Data: 0.953
     Logistic Regression : precision on training Data: 0.927
     Logistic Regression: precision on test Data: 0.930
print(metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_test_log))
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                   precision recall f1-score support
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     weighted avg
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storeResults('Logistic Regression', acc test log, f1 score test log,
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recall_score_train_log,precision_score_train_log)

5.2. K-Nearest Neighbors : Classifier

K-Nearest Neighbour is one of the simplest Machine Learning algorithms based on Supervised Learning technique. K-NN algorithm assumes the similarity between the new case/data and available cases and put the new case into the category that is most similar to the available categories.

```
print()
f1_score_train_knn = metrics.f1_score(y_train,y_train_knn)
f1_score_test_knn = metrics.f1_score(y_test,y_test_knn)
print("K-Nearest Neighbors : f1_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_train_knn))
print("K-Nearest Neighbors : f1_score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_test_knn))
print()
recall_score_train_knn = metrics.recall_score(y_train,y_train_knn)
recall_score_test_knn = metrics.recall_score(y_test,y_test_knn)
print("K-Nearest Neighborsn : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_train_knn))
print("Logistic Regression : Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_test_knn))
print()
precision_score_train_knn = metrics.precision_score(y_train,y_train_knn)
precision_score_test_knn = metrics.precision_score(y_test,y_test_knn)
print("K-Nearest Neighbors : precision on training Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_train_knn))
print("K-Nearest Neighbors : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_test_knn))
     K-Nearest Neighbors : Accuracy on training Data: 0.989
     K-Nearest Neighbors : Accuracy on test Data: 0.956
     K-Nearest Neighbors : f1_score on training Data: 0.990
     K-Nearest Neighbors : f1_score on test Data: 0.961
     K-Nearest Neighborsn : Recall on training Data: 0.991
     Logistic Regression: Recall on test Data: 0.962
     K-Nearest Neighbors : precision on training Data: 0.989
     K-Nearest Neighbors : precision on test Data: 0.960
print(metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_test_knn))
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        macro avg
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                                             0.96
                                                        2211
     weighted avg
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                                                        2211
training_accuracy = []
test_accuracy = []
depth = range(1,20)
for n in depth:
    knn = KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=n)
    knn.fit(X_train, y_train)
    training_accuracy.append(knn.score(X_train, y_train))
test_accuracy.append(knn.score(X_test, y_test))
plt.plot(depth, training_accuracy, label="training accuracy")
plt.plot(depth, test_accuracy, label="test accuracy")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy")
plt.xlabel("n_neighbors")
plt.legend();
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         0.99
                                                               training accuracy
                                                               test accuracy
         0.98
         0.97
         0.96
         0.95
         0.94
         0.93
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n_neighbors

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2.5

5.0

5.3. Support Vector Machine : Classifier

Support Vector Machine or SVM is one of the most popular Supervised Learning algorithms, which is used for Classification as well as Regression problems. The goal of the SVM algorithm is to create the best line or decision boundary that can segregate n-dimensional space into classes so that we can easily put the new data point in the correct category in the future.

```
from sklearn.svm import SVC
from sklearn.model selection import GridSearchCV
param_grid = {'gamma': [0.1], 'kernel': ['rbf', 'linear']}
svc = GridSearchCV(SVC(), param_grid)
svc.fit(X_train, y_train)
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          GridSearchCV (i) (?)
       ▶ best_estimator_: SVC
              SVC ??
y_train_svc = svc.predict(X_train)
y_test_svc = svc.predict(X_test)
acc_train_svc = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train,y_train_svc)
acc_test_svc = metrics.accuracy_score(y_test,y_test_svc)
print("Support Vector Machine : Accuracy on training Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_train_svc))
print("Support Vector Machine : Accuracy on test Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_test_svc))
print()
f1_score_train_svc = metrics.f1_score(y_train,y_train_svc)
f1_score_test_svc = metrics.f1_score(y_test,y_test_svc)
print("Support Vector Machine : f1_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_train_svc))
print("Support Vector Machine : f1_score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_test_svc))
print()
recall_score_train_svc = metrics.recall_score(y_train,y_train_svc)
recall_score_test_svc = metrics.recall_score(y_test,y_test_svc)
\verb|print("Support Vector Machine : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall\_score\_train\_svc))| \\
print("Support Vector Machine: Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall\_score\_test\_svc))
print()
precision_score_train_svc = metrics.precision_score(y_train,y_train_svc)
\verb|precision_score_test_svc| = \verb|metrics.precision_score(y_test,y_test_svc)|
print("Support Vector Machine : precision on training Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_train_svc))
print("Support Vector Machine : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision score test svc))
    Support Vector Machine : Accuracy on training Data: 0.969
     Support Vector Machine : Accuracy on test Data: 0.964
     Support Vector Machine : f1_score on training Data: 0.973
     Support Vector Machine : f1_score on test Data: 0.968
     Support Vector Machine: Recall on training Data: 0.980
     Support Vector Machine : Recall on test Data: 0.980
     Support Vector Machine: precision on training Data: 0.965
     Support Vector Machine : precision on test Data: 0.957
print(metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_test_svc))
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                                                       1235
                                            0.96
                                                       2211
        accuracy
                        0.97
                                  0.96
                                            0.96
        macro avg
                                                       2211
                                            0.96
     weighted avg
                        0.96
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                                                       2211
```

→ 5.4. Naive Bayes: Classifier

Naïve Bayes algorithm is a supervised learning algorithm, which is based on Bayes theorem and used for solving classification problems. It is mainly used in text, image classification that includes a high-dimensional training dataset. Naïve Bayes Classifier is one of the simple and most effective Classification algorithms which helps in building the fast machine learning models that can make quick predictions.

```
from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
nb= GaussianNB()
nb.fit(X_train,y_train)
      ▼ GaussianNB ① ?
     GaussianNB()
#predicting the target value from the model for the samples
y_train_nb = nb.predict(X_train)
y_test_nb = nb.predict(X_test)
#computing the accuracy, f1_score, Recall, precision of the model performance
acc_train_nb = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train,y_train_nb)
acc_test_nb = metrics.accuracy_score(y_test,y_test_nb)
print("Naive Bayes Classifier: Accuracy on training Data: \{:.3f\}".format(acc\_train\_nb))
print("Naive Bayes Classifier : Accuracy on test Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_test_nb))
print()
f1_score_train_nb = metrics.f1_score(y_train,y_train_nb)
f1_score_test_nb = metrics.f1_score(y_test,y_test_nb)
print("Naive Bayes Classifier : f1_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_train_nb))
print("Naive Bayes Classifier : f1_score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_test_nb))
print()
recall_score_train_nb = metrics.recall_score(y_train,y_train_nb)
recall_score_test_nb = metrics.recall_score(y_test,y_test_nb)
print("Naive Bayes Classifier : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_train_nb))
print("Naive Bayes Classifier : Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_test_nb))
print()
precision_score_train_nb = metrics.precision_score(y_train,y_train_nb)
precision_score_test_nb = metrics.precision_score(y_test,y_test_nb)
print("Naive Bayes Classifier : precision on training Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_train_nb))
print("Naive Bayes Classifier : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_test_nb))
    Naive Bayes Classifier : Accuracy on training Data: 0.605
Naive Bayes Classifier : Accuracy on test Data: 0.605
     Naive Bayes Classifier : f1_score on training Data: 0.451
     Naive Bayes Classifier : f1_score on test Data: 0.454
     Naive Bayes Classifier : Recall on training Data: 0.292
     Naive Bayes Classifier : Recall on test Data: 0.294
     Naive Bayes Classifier : precision on training Data: 0.997
     Naive Bayes Classifier : precision on test Data: 0.995
#computing the classification report of the model
print(metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_test_svc))
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                               recall f1-score
                   precision
                                                    support
               -1
                        0.97
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                                                        976
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                                             0.97
                                                       1235
         accuracy
                                             0.96
                                                       2211
        macro avg
                        0.97
                                   0.96
                                             0.96
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0.96

2211

0.96

weighted avg

0.96

5.5. Decision Trees : Classifier

test_accuracy = []
depth = range(1,30)

Decision Tree is a Supervised learning technique that can be used for both classification and Regression problems, but mostly it is preferred for solving Classification problems. It is a tree-structured classifier, where internal nodes represent the features of a dataset, branches represent the decision rules and each leaf node represents the outcome.

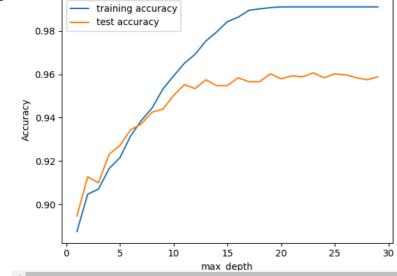
```
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
tree = DecisionTreeClassifier(max_depth=30)
tree.fit(X_train, y_train)
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            DecisionTreeClassifier ① ?
     DecisionTreeClassifier(max depth=30)
y_train_tree = tree.predict(X_train)
y_test_tree = tree.predict(X_test)
acc_train_tree = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train,y_train_tree)
acc_test_tree = metrics.accuracy_score(y_test,y_test_tree)
\label{lem:print}  \text{print}(\texttt{"Decision Tree} : \texttt{Accuracy on training Data: } \{:.3f\}\texttt{".format}(\texttt{acc\_train\_tree})) \\
print("Decision Tree : Accuracy on test Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_test_tree))
print()
f1_score_train_tree = metrics.f1_score(y_train,y_train_tree)
f1_score_test_tree = metrics.f1_score(y_test,y_test_tree)
print("Decision Tree : f1_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_train_tree))
print("Decision Tree : f1_score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_test_tree))
print()
recall_score_train_tree = metrics.recall_score(y_train,y_train_tree)
recall_score_test_tree = metrics.recall_score(y_test,y_test_tree)
print("Decision Tree : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_train_tree))
print("Decision Tree : Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_test_tree))
print()
precision_score_train_tree = metrics.precision_score(y_train,y_train_tree)
precision_score_test_tree = metrics.precision_score(y_test,y_test_tree)
print("Decision Tree : precision on training Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_train_tree))
print("Decision Tree : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_test_tree))
    Decision Tree : Accuracy on training Data: 0.991
Decision Tree : Accuracy on test Data: 0.959
     Decision Tree : f1_score on training Data: 0.992
     Decision Tree : f1_score on test Data: 0.963
     Decision Tree : Recall on training Data: 0.991
     Decision Tree : Recall on test Data: 0.961
     Decision Tree : precision on training Data: 0.993
     Decision Tree: precision on test Data: 0.966
print(metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_test_tree))
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                    precision
                                 recall f1-score support
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         accuracy
                         0.96
                                    0.96
        macro avg
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                                                         2211
     weighted avg
                         0.96
                                    0.96
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                                                         2211
training_accuracy = []
```

```
for n in depth:
    tree_test = DecisionTreeClassifier(max_depth=n)
    tree_test.fit(X_train, y_train)
    training_accuracy.append(tree_test.score(X_train, y_train))
    test_accuracy.append(tree_test.score(X_test, y_test))

plt.plot(depth, training_accuracy, label="training accuracy")
plt.plot(depth, test_accuracy, label="test accuracy")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy")
plt.xlabel("max_depth")
plt.legend();

training accuracy
    test accuracy

0.98
```



5.6. Random Forest : Classifier

Random Forest is a popular machine learning algorithm that belongs to the supervised learning technique. It can be used for both Classification and Regression problems in ML. It is based on the concept of ensemble learning, which is a process of combining multiple classifiers to solve a complex problem and to improve the performance of the model.

```
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
forest = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=20)
forest.fit(X_train,y_train)
₹
             RandomForestClassifier
     RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=20)
y_train_forest = forest.predict(X_train)
y_test_forest = forest.predict(X_test)
acc_train_forest = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train,y_train_forest)
acc_test_forest = metrics.accuracy_score(y_test,y_test_forest)
print("Random Forest : Accuracy on training Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_train_forest))
print("Random Forest : Accuracy on test Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_test_forest))
print()
f1_score_train_forest = metrics.f1_score(y_train,y_train_forest)
f1_score_test_forest = metrics.f1_score(y_test,y_test_forest)
print("Random Forest : f1_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_train_forest))
print("Random Forest : f1_score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_test_forest))
print()
recall_score_train_forest = metrics.recall_score(y_train,y_train_forest)
recall_score_test_forest = metrics.recall_score(y_test,y_test_forest)
print("Random Forest : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_train_forest))
print("Random Forest : Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_test_forest))
print()
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```
precision_score_train_forest = metrics.precision_score(y_train,y_train_forest)
precision_score_test_forest = metrics.precision_score(y_test,y_test_tree)
\verb|print("Random Forest: precision on training Data: {:.3f}".format(precision\_score\_train\_forest)||
print("Random Forest : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_test_forest))
     Random Forest : Accuracy on training Data: 0.991 Random Forest : Accuracy on test Data: 0.968
     Random Forest : f1_score on training Data: 0.992
     Random Forest : f1_score on test Data: 0.972
     Random Forest : Recall on training Data: 0.993
     Random Forest : Recall on test Data: 0.977
     Random Forest : precision on training Data: 0.990
     Random Forest : precision on test Data: 0.966
print(metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_test_forest))
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                    precision
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         accuracy
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                                    0.97
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                                                         2211
        macro avg
                         0.97
                                    0.97
                                              0.97
                                                         2211
     weighted avg
training_accuracy = []
test_accuracy = []
depth = range(1,30)
for n in depth:
    forest_test = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=n)
    forest_test.fit(X_train, y_train)
    {\tt training\_accuracy.append(forest\_test.score(X\_train, y\_train))}
    test_accuracy.append(forest_test.score(X_test, y_test))
plt.figure(figsize=None)
plt.plot(depth, training_accuracy, label="training accuracy")
plt.plot(depth, test_accuracy, label="test accuracy")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy")
plt.xlabel("n_estimators")
plt.legend();
₹
         0.99
         0.98
         0.97
      Accuracy
         0.96
         0.95
                                                                 training accuracy
         0.94
                                                                 test accuracy
                          5
                                     10
                                                15
                                                           20
                                                                       25
                                                                                  30
                                           n estimators
```

 $store Results ('Random Forest', acc_test_forest, f1_score_test_forest, \\ recall_score_train_forest, precision_score_train_forest)$

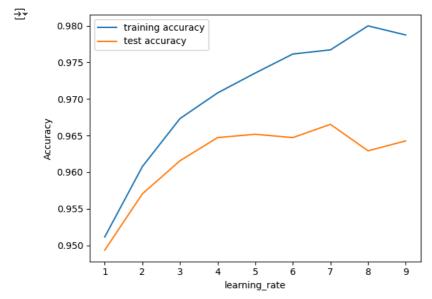
5.7.Gradient Boosting Classifier

Gradient boosting classifiers are a group of machine learning algorithms that combine many weak learning models together to create a strong predictive model. Decision trees are usually used when doing gradient boosting. Boosting algorithms play a crucial role in dealing with

bias variance trade-off. Unlike bagging algorithms, which only controls for high variance in a model, boosting controls both the aspects (bias & variance), and is considered to be more effective.

```
from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier
gbc = GradientBoostingClassifier(max_depth=4,learning_rate=0.7)
gbc.fit(X_train,y_train)
<del>-</del>-
                    {\tt GradientBoostingClassifier}
     GradientBoostingClassifier(learning_rate=0.7, max_depth=4)
y_train_gbc = gbc.predict(X_train)
y_test_gbc = gbc.predict(X_test)
acc_train_gbc = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train,y_train_gbc)
acc test gbc = metrics.accuracy score(y test,y test gbc)
print("Gradient Boosting Classifier : Accuracy on training Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_train_gbc))
print("Gradient Boosting Classifier : Accuracy on test Data: {:.3f}".format(acc_test_gbc))
print()
f1_score_train_gbc = metrics.f1_score(y_train,y_train_gbc)
f1_score_test_gbc = metrics.f1_score(y_test,y_test_gbc)
print("Gradient Boosting Classifier : f1_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_train_gbc))
print("Gradient Boosting Classifier : f1 score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1 score test gbc))
print()
recall_score_train_gbc = metrics.recall_score(y_train,y_train_gbc)
recall_score_test_gbc = metrics.recall_score(y_test,y_test_gbc)
print("Gradient Boosting Classifier : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_train_gbc))
print("Gradient Boosting Classifier : Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_test_gbc))
precision_score_train_gbc = metrics.precision_score(y_train,y_train_gbc)
precision_score_test_gbc = metrics.precision_score(y_test,y_test_gbc)
print("Gradient\ Boosting\ Classifier\ :\ precision\ on\ training\ Data:\ \{:.3f\}".format(precision\_score\_train\_gbc))
print("Gradient Boosting Classifier : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_test_gbc))
→ Gradient Boosting Classifier : Accuracy on training Data: 0.989
     Gradient Boosting Classifier : Accuracy on test Data: 0.974
     Gradient Boosting Classifier : f1_score on training Data: 0.990
     Gradient Boosting Classifier: f1_score on test Data: 0.977
     Gradient Boosting Classifier : Recall on training Data: 0.994
     Gradient Boosting Classifier: Recall on test Data: 0.989
     Gradient Boosting Classifier : precision on training Data: 0.986
     Gradient Boosting Classifier : precision on test Data: 0.966
print(metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_test_gbc))
→▼
                   precision
                              recall f1-score support
                        0.99
                                  0.96
                                            0.97
                                                       976
               -1
                        0.97
                                            0.98
                                 0.99
                                                      1235
                                            0.97
        accuracy
                                                      2211
        macro avg
                        0.98
                                  0.97
                                            0.97
                                                      2211
     weighted avg
                        0.97
                                  0.97
                                            0.97
                                                      2211
training_accuracy = []
test_accuracy = []
depth = range(1,10)
for n in depth:
    forest_test = GradientBoostingClassifier(learning_rate = n*0.1)
    forest test.fit(X train, y train)
   training_accuracy.append(forest_test.score(X_train, y_train))
    test_accuracy.append(forest_test.score(X_test, y_test))
plt.figure(figsize=None)
plt.plot(depth, training_accuracy, label="training accuracy")
plt.plot(depth, test_accuracy, label="test accuracy")
```

```
plt.ylabel("Accuracy")
plt.xlabel("learning_rate")
plt.legend();
```

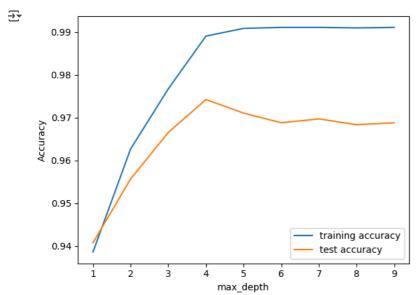


```
training_accuracy = []

test_accuracy = []

depth = range(1,10,1)
for n in depth:
    forest_test = GradientBoostingClassifier(max_depth=n,learning_rate = 0.7)

    forest_test.fit(X_train, y_train)
    training_accuracy.append(forest_test.score(X_train, y_train))
    test_accuracy.append(forest_test.score(X_test, y_test))
plt.figure(figsize=None)
plt.plot(depth, training_accuracy, label="training accuracy")
plt.plot(depth, test_accuracy, label="test accuracy")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy")
plt.ylabel("Maccuracy")
plt.ylabel("max_depth")
plt.legend();
```



#storing the results. The below mentioned order of parameter passing is important.

→ 5.8. XGBoost Classifier

XGBoost is an implementation of gradient boosted decision trees designed for speed and performance that is dominative competitive machine learning. In this post you will discover how you can install and create your first XGBoost model in Python

```
# XGBoost Classifier Model
from xgboost import XGBClassifier
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
from sklearn import metrics # Make sure metrics is imported
xgb = XGBClassifier()
le = LabelEncoder()
y_train_encoded = le.fit_transform(y_train)
xgb.fit(X_train, y_train_encoded)
y_train_xgb = xgb.predict(X_train)
y_test_xgb = xgb.predict(X_test)
y_train_xgb = xgb.predict(X_train)
y_test_xgb = xgb.predict(X_test)
acc_test_xgb = metrics.accuracy_score(y_test, y_test_xgb)
f1_score_train_xgb = metrics.f1_score(y_train, y_train_xgb, average='weighted')
f1_score_test_xgb = metrics.f1_score(y_test, y_test_xgb, average='weighted')
\label{lem:print("XGBoost Classifier: f1\_score on training Data: {:.3f}".format(f1\_score\_train\_xgb)) \\
print("XGBoost Classifier : f1_score on test Data: {:.3f}".format(f1_score_test_xgb))
recall_score_train_xgb = metrics.recall_score(y_train, y_train_xgb, average='weighted')
recall_score_test_xgb = metrics.recall_score(y_test, y_test_xgb, average='weighted')
print("XGBoost Classifier : Recall on training Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_train_xgb))
print("XGBoost Classifier : Recall on test Data: {:.3f}".format(recall_score_test_xgb))
precision_score_train_xgb = metrics.precision_score(y_train, y_train_xgb, average='weighted')
precision_score_test_xgb = metrics.precision_score(y_test, y_test_xgb, average='weighted')
print("XGBoost Classifier : precision on training Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_train_xgb))
print("XGBoost Classifier : precision on test Data: {:.3f}".format(precision_score_test_xgb))
★ XGBoost Classifier : f1_score on training Data: 0.550
     XGBoost Classifier : f1_score on test Data: 0.544
     XGBoost Classifier: Recall on training Data: 0.553
     XGBoost Classifier : Recall on test Data: 0.549
     XGBoost Classifier : precision on training Data: 0.548
     XGBoost Classifier : precision on test Data: 0.538
storeResults('XGBoost Classifier', acc_test_xgb, f1_score_test_xgb,
             recall_score_train_xgb, precision_score_train_xgb)
```

6. Comparision of Models

To compare the models performance, a dataframe is created. The columns of this dataframe are the lists created to store the results of the model.

```
→
                         ML Model Accuracy f1_score Recall Precision
      0
                Logistic Regression
                                        0.934
                                                   0.941
                                                           0.943
                                                                        0.927
      1
                                                   0.961
                                                                       0.989
               K-Nearest Neighbors
                                        0.956
                                                           0.991
      2
            Support Vector Machine
                                                   0.968
                                                           0.980
                                                                        0.965
                                        0.964
      3
              Naive Bayes Classifier
                                        0.605
                                                   0.454
                                                           0.292
                                                                       0.997
      4
                      Decision Tree
                                        0.959
                                                   0.963
                                                           0.991
                                                                       0.993
      5
                    Random Forest
                                        0.968
                                                   0.972
                                                           0.993
                                                                        0.990
                                                   0.977
      6 Gradient Boosting Classifier
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                                                                        0.986
      7
                 XGBoost Classifier
                                        0.549
                                                   0.544
                                                           0.553
                                                                        0.548
```

#Sorting the datafram on accuracy
sorted_result=result.sort_values(by=['Accuracy', 'f1_score'],ascending=False).reset_index(drop=True)

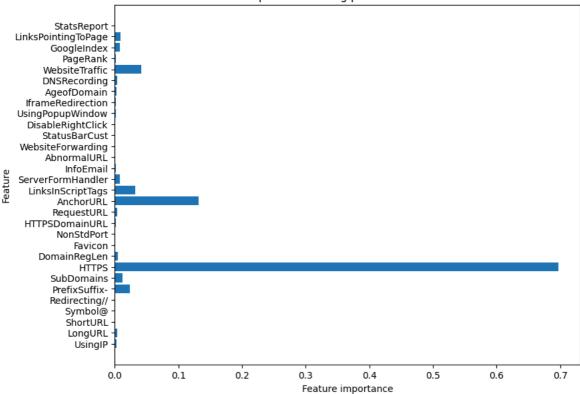
dispalying total result
sorted_result

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	ML Model	Accuracy	f1_score	Recall	Precision
0	Gradient Boosting Classifier	0.974	0.977	0.994	0.986
1	Random Forest	0.968	0.972	0.993	0.990
2	Support Vector Machine	0.964	0.968	0.980	0.965
3	Decision Tree	0.959	0.963	0.991	0.993
4	K-Nearest Neighbors	0.956	0.961	0.991	0.989
5	Logistic Regression	0.934	0.941	0.943	0.927
6	Naive Bayes Classifier	0.605	0.454	0.292	0.997
7	XGBoost Classifier	0.549	0.544	0.553	0.548

Storing Best Model

```
# XGBoost Classifier Model
from xgboost import XGBClassifier
# instantiate the model
gbc = GradientBoostingClassifier(max depth=4,learning rate=0.7)
# fit the model
gbc.fit(X_train,y_train)
<del>_</del>
                     {\tt GradientBoostingClassifier}
     GradientBoostingClassifier(learning_rate=0.7, max_depth=4)
import os
import pickle
# Create the 'pickle' directory if it doesn't exist
os.makedirs('pickle', exist_ok=True)
# dump information to that file
pickle.dump(gbc, open('pickle/model.pkl', 'wb'))
plt.figure(figsize=(9,7))
n_features = X_train.shape[1]
plt.barh(range(n_features), gbc.feature_importances_, align='center')
plt.yticks(np.arange(n_features), X_train.columns)
plt.title("Feature importances using permutation on full model")
plt.xlabel("Feature importance")
plt.ylabel("Feature")
plt.show()
```



7. Conclusion

- 1. The final take away form this project is to explore various machine learning models, perform Exploratory Data Analysis on phishing dataset and understanding their features.
- 2. Creating this notebook helped me to learn a lot about the features affecting the models to detect whether URL is safe or not, also I came to know how to tuned model and how they affect the model performance.
- 3. The final conclusion on the Phishing dataset is that the some feature like "HTTTPS", "AnchorURL", "WebsiteTraffic" have more importance to classify LIRL is phishing LIRL or not