Phishing Website Detector

The dataset is from UCI Repository(https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/phishing+websites#).

It has 11055 instances and 31 attributes (=features) including the label, **Result**. The description on these attributes is on the website above.

Some of the attributes are url length, age of domain, whether domain name is separated by the dash(-) symbol.

Result is either 1 or -1 and the other 30 attributes are among -1, 0, and 1.

(1) Data preprocessing

The numbers in the original dataset are not integer type, so we had to preprocess the dataset.

(2) Feature selection

We had difficulty in getting all 30 attributes in the dataset.

So we measured the importance of each feature and tried to get the important features first.

After all we used the 11 features that we were able to get among the most important features.

(3) Correlation between the features

Because the feature values are among -1, 0, and 1, it was easy to see the correlation between the features.

Especially seeing the Result column below, we could see how each attribute was correlated to Result.

Prefix_Suffix, having_Sub_Domain, URL_of_Anchor were positively correlated to Result.

(4) Training-test dataset split

To get accuracy from the model, we split the dataset into training set(67%) and the test set(33%).

After measuring the accuracy, we will make a new model with the whole dataset, in order to increase the accuracy to the real data.

(5) Model selection

We tried some basic classifiers including Decision Tree, KNN and MLP first, and then tried some more complex classifiers including RandomForest, AdaBoost, and voting classifier.

The latter are called ensemble classifiers which are a combination of different classifiers. They are usually more powerful than other basic classifiers.

Voting classifier is the classifier we used for our final model.

In [1]:

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from joblib import dump, load
from scipy.io import arff
from sklearn.model selection import train test split
from sklearn.metrics import f1_score,confusion_matrix
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score
from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
from sklearn import tree
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
from sklearn.neural_network import MLPClassifier
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.ensemble import BaggingClassifier
from sklearn.ensemble import AdaBoostClassifier
from sklearn.ensemble import VotingClassifier
from sklearn.svm import SVC
import tensorflow as tf
%matplotlib inline
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In [2]:
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data, meta = arff.loadarff("phishingdataset.arff")
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(1) Data preprocessing

In [3]:

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data = pd.DataFrame(data)
data = data.astype(str)
r = {"b'l'": 'l', "b'-l'": '-l', "b'0'": '0'}
data = data.replace(r)
data = data.astype(int)

X = data.iloc[:,:-l] # features
y = data.iloc[:,-l] # class
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In [4]:

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data.head()
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Out[4]:

	having_IP_Address	URL_Length	Shortining_Service	having_At_Symbol	double_slash_redirecting	Prefix_Suffix	ŀ
0	-1	1	1	1	-1	-1	-
1	1	1	1	1	1	-1	C
2	1	0	1	1	1	-1	-
3	1	0	1	1	1	-1	-
4	1	0	-1	1	1	-1	1

5 rows × 31 columns

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In [5]:

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X.head()
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Out[5]:

	having_IP_Address	URL_Length	Shortining_Service	having_At_Symbol	double_slash_redirecting	Prefix_Suffix	r
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1	1	1	1	1	1	-1	С
2	1	0	1	1	1	-1	-
3	1	0	1	1	1	-1	-
4	1	0	-1	1	1	-1	1

5 rows × 30 columns

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(2) Feature selection

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rf_for_emb = RandomForestClassifier()
rf_for_emb = rf_for_emb.fit(X, y)
importances = rf_for_emb.feature_importances_
std = np.std([tree.feature_importances_ for tree in rf_for_emb.estimators_], axis=0)
indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1]
print("Feature ranking:")
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for f in range(X.shape[1]):
    print("%d. %s (%f)" % (f + 1, X.columns[indices[f]], importances[indices[f]]))
Feature ranking:
1. URL of Anchor (0.300594)
2. SSLfinal State (0.298838)
3. web_traffic (0.073366)
4. having Sub Domain (0.059822)
5. Links in tags (0.044369)
6. Prefix Suffix (0.023269)
7. Links pointing to page (0.018241)
8. Request_URL (0.018214)
9. SFH (0.017234)
10. age_of_domain (0.015983)
11. Domain_registeration_length (0.013423)
12. Google Index (0.012619)
13. DNSRecord (0.012305)
14. having_IP_Address (0.011518)
15. Page Rank (0.009678)
16. URL_Length (0.008367)
17. HTTPS token (0.006794)
18. having At Symbol (0.006735)
19. Statistical report (0.006367)
20. Submitting_to_email (0.005795)
21. Abnormal URL (0.005267)
22. Redirect (0.004855)
23. Favicon (0.004592)
24. popUpWidnow (0.004580)
25. Shortining_Service (0.004576)
26. on mouseover (0.003488)
27. double slash redirecting (0.002995)
28. Iframe (0.002665)
29. port (0.001929)
30. RightClick (0.001522)
In [7]:
data = data[['having IP Address','URL Length','having At Symbol','Shortining Service','double slash red
irecting', 'Prefix Suffix', 'having Sub Domain', 'HTTPS token', 'URL of Anchor', 'age of domain', 'Page Rank'
, 'Result']]
X = data.iloc[:,:-1] # features
y = data.iloc[:,-1] # class
```

In [8]:

X.head()

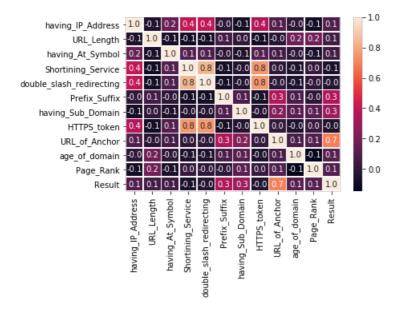
Out[8]:

	having_IP_Address	URL_Length	having_At_Symbol	Shortining_Service	double_slash_redirecting	Prefix_Suffix	ł
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4	1	0	1	-1	1	-1	1
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(3) Correlation between the features

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sns.heatmap(data.corr(), annot=True, linewidths=.5, fmt='.1f')
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(4) Training-test dataset split

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In [10]:
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X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.33, random_state=42)
# X_train = (7406, 11), X_test = (3649, 11)
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(5) Model selection

In [11]:

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# Model Selection 1 (Basic classifiers)
# (1) Decision Trees
dt0 = tree.DecisionTreeClassifier()
dt0.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("Decision tree :", dt0.score(X test, y test))
dt1 = tree.DecisionTreeClassifier(min samples leaf=4)
dt1.fit(X train, y train)
print("Decision tree, min_samples_leaf = 4 :", dt1.score(X_test, y_test))
dt2 = tree.DecisionTreeClassifier(min_samples_leaf=6)
dt2.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("Decision tree, min samples leaf = 6:", dt2.score(X test, y test))
print()
# (2) KNN
knn0 = KNeighborsClassifier(n neighbors = 18)
knn0.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("KNN, K=18 :", knn0.score(X test, y test))
knn1 = KNeighborsClassifier(n neighbors = 25)
knn1.fit(X train, y train)
print("KNN, K=25 :", knn1.score(X_test, y_test))
print()
# (3) MLP
mlp0 = MLPClassifier(hidden layer sizes=(15, 15))
mlp0.fit(X train, v train)
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print("MLP, (15, 15):", mlp0.score(X test, y test))
mlp1 = MLPClassifier(hidden layer sizes=(15, 15, 15))
mlp1.fit(X train, y train)
print("MLP, (15, 15, 15) :", mlp1.score(X_test, y_test))
mlp2 = MLPClassifier(hidden layer sizes=(20, 20))
mlp2.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("MLP, (20, 20):", mlp2.score(X test, y test))
mlp3 = MLPClassifier(hidden layer sizes=(30, 30))
mlp3.fit(X train, y train)
print("MLP, (30, 30) :", mlp3.score(X_test, y_test))
print()
# (4) SVM
svc0 = SVC()
svc0.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("SVM :", svc0.score(X test, y test))
print()
# (5) Neural Network
onehoty train = pd.get dummies(y train, prefix='Result', columns=['Result'])
onehoty test = pd.get dummies(y test, prefix='Result', columns=['Result'])
n nodes input = 11 # number of input features
n_nodes_hl = 11  # number of units in a hidden layer
n classes = 2
                   # classes
a = tf.placeholder('float', [None, 11])
b = tf.placeholder('float')
def neural network model (data):
    # define weights and biases for all each layer
    hidden layer = {'weights':tf.Variable(tf.truncated normal([n nodes input, n nodes hl], stddev=0.3))
                      'biases':tf.Variable(tf.constant(0.1, shape=[n nodes hl]))}
    output layer = {'weights':tf.Variable(tf.truncated normal([n nodes hl, n classes], stddev=0.3)),
                    'biases':tf.Variable(tf.constant(0.1, shape=[n classes]))}
    # feed forward and activations
    11 = tf.add(tf.matmul(data, hidden layer['weights']), hidden layer['biases'])
    11 = tf.nn.sigmoid(l1)
    output = tf.matmul(11, output layer['weights']) + output layer['biases']
    return output
def train_neural_network(a):
    prediction = neural network model(a)
    cost = tf.reduce mean(tf.nn.sigmoid cross entropy with logits(labels=b,logits=prediction))
    optimizer = tf.train.AdamOptimizer().minimize(cost)
    sess = tf.InteractiveSession()
    tf.global_variables_initializer().run()
    for epoch in range (1000):
        loss = 0
         , c = sess.run([optimizer, cost], feed dict = {a: X train, b: onehoty train})
        loss += c
        if (epoch % 100 == 0 and epoch != 0):
           print('Epoch', epoch, 'completed out of', 1000, 'Training loss:', loss)
    correct = tf.equal(tf.argmax(prediction,1), tf.argmax(b,1))
    accuracy = tf.reduce mean(tf.cast(correct, tf.float32), name='op accuracy')
    print('Train set Accuracy:', sess.run(accuracy, feed dict = {a: X train, b: onehoty train}))
    print('Test set Accuracy:', sess.run(accuracy, feed dict = {a: X test, b: onehoty test}))
train neural network(a)
Decision tree : 0.8799671142778843
Decision tree, min samples leaf = 4 : 0.8755823513291313
Decision tree, min samples leaf = 6 : 0.8769525897506166
KNN, K=18: 0.8646204439572486
KNN, K=25: 0.8648944916415456
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MLP, (15, 15, 15): 0.8780487804878049
MLP, (20, 20): 0.8859961633324198
MLP, (30, 30): 0.8862702110167169
SVM: 0.8851740202795286
Epoch 100 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.639824390411377
Epoch 200 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.5855611562728882
Epoch 300 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.5258331298828125
Epoch 400 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.475236713886261
Epoch 500 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.4353886544704437
Epoch 600 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.40431588888168335
Epoch 700 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.3802022337913513
Epoch 800 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.36199402809143066
Epoch 900 completed out of 1000 Training loss: 0.34853559732437134
Train set Accuracy: 0.8537672
Test set Accuracy: 0.8613319
In [12]:
# Model Selection 2 (Ensemble)
# (1) RandomForest
RFclf0 = RandomForestClassifier()
RFclf0.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("RandomForest:", RFclf0.score(X test, y test))
RFclf1 = RandomForestClassifier(n estimators = 20)
RFclf1.fit(X train, y train)
print("RandomForest, n estimators=20 :", RFclf1.score(X test, y test))
print()
# (2) Bagging
bag0 = BaggingClassifier()
bag0.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("Bagging :", bag0.score(X test, y test))
bag1 = BaggingClassifier(base estimator=KNeighborsClassifier(n neighbors=3))
bag1.fit(X train, y train)
print("Bagging, base estimator=KNN(k=3):", bag1.score(X test, y test))
bag2 = BaggingClassifier(base estimator=KNeighborsClassifier(n neighbors=28))
bag2.fit(X train, y train)
print("Bagging, base estimator=KNN(k=28) :", bag2.score(X test, y test))
print()
 # (3) AdaBoost
ABclf0 = AdaBoostClassifier() #n_estimators=50, learning_rate = 1
ABclf0.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("AdaBoost :", ABclf0.score(X test, y test))
ABclf1 = AdaBoostClassifier(n estimators=200, learning rate = 0.5)
ABclf1.fit(X_train, y_train)
print("AdaBoost, n estimators=200, learning rate=0.5 :", ABclf1.score(X test, y test))
ABclf2 = AdaBoostClassifier(n estimators=400, learning rate = 0.5)
ABclf2.fit(X train, y train)
print("AdaBoost, n estimators=400, learning rate=0.5 :", ABclf2.score(X test, y test))
print()
RandomForest: 0.8802411619621814
RandomForest, n estimators=20 : 0.8843518772266374
Bagging: 0.8821594957522609
Bagging, base_estimator=KNN(k=3): 0.8701013976431899
Bagging, base_estimator=KNN(k=28) : 0.8640723485886544
AdaBoost: 0.8553028226911482
AdaBoost, n_estimators=200, learning_rate=0.5 : 0.8555768703754453
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In [13]:

Voting, DT & MLP & RF & BAGGING: 0.8879144971224994

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tionWarning: The truth value of an empty array is ambiguous. Returning False, but in future this will r
esult in an error. Use `array.size > 0` to check that an array is not empty.
if diff:

In [14]:

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# Prediction examples using KNN
#print(knn0.predict([[1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1]]))
#print(knn0.predict([[0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0]]))
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In [15]:

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cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, voteclf1.predict(X_test), labels = [-1, 1])
sns.heatmap(cm, annot = True, fmt = "d", xticklabels = [-1, 1], yticklabels = [-1, 1])
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tionWarning: The truth value of an empty array is ambiguous. Returning False, but in future this will r
esult in an error. Use `array.size > 0` to check that an array is not empty.
if diff:

Out[15]:

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In [16]:

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Out[16]:
VotingClassifier(estimators=[('dt0', DecisionTreeClassifier(class_weight=None, criterion='gini', max_de
pth=None,
           max features=None, max leaf nodes=None,
           min_impurity_decrease=0.0, min_impurity_split=None,
           min_samples_leaf=1, min_samples_split=2,
           min_weight_fraction_lea...estimators=10, n_jobs=1, oob_score=False, random_state=None,
         verbose=0, warm_start=False))],
         flatten_transform=None, n_jobs=1, voting='soft', weights=None)
In [17]:
dump(voteclf1, 'model.joblib')
Out[17]:
['model.joblib']
In [ ]:
# from joblib import dump, load
# dump(clf, 'filename.joblib')
# clf = load('filename.joblib')
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