

COMBINING NAIVE BAYES AND DECISION TREE FOR ADAPTIVE INTRUSION DETECTION

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ABSTRACT

In this paper, a new learning algorithm for adaptive network intrusion detection using naive Bayesian classifier and decision tree is presented, which performs balance detections and keeps false positives at acceptable level for different types of network attacks, and eliminates redundant attributes as well as contradictory examples from training data that make the detection model complex. The proposed algorithm also addresses some difficulties of data mining such as handling continuous attribute, dealing with missing attribute values, and reducing noise in training data. Due to the large volumes of security audit data as well as the complex and dynamic properties of intrusion behaviours, several data mining-based intrusion detection techniques have been applied to network-based traffic data and host-based data in the last decades. However, there remain various issues needed to be examined towards current intrusion detection systems (IDS). We tested the performance of our proposed algorithm with existing learning algorithms by employing on the KDD99 benchmark intrusion detection dataset. The experimental results prove that the proposed algorithm achieved high detection rates (DR) and significant reduce false positives (FP) for different types of network intrusions using limited computational resources.

KEYWORDS

Decision Tree, Detection Rate, False Positive, Naive Bayesian classifier, Network Intrusion Detection

1. INTRODUCTION

An “Intrusion Detection System (IDS)” is a system for detecting intrusions that attempting to misuse the data or computing resources of a computer system. Mostly intrusions are the violation of information security policy. At first IDS was implemented for host-based that located in servers to examine the internal interfaces [1]-[3], but with the evolution of computer networks the focus gradually shifted toward network-based. Network intrusion detection system (NIDS) performs packet logging, real-time traffic analysis of IP network, and tries to discover if an intruder is attempting to break into the system [4]-[6]. Snort is an open source network intrusion detection and prevention system (NIDPS) developed by Sourcefire [7], [8]. Snort performs protocol analysis, content searching/matching, and commonly blocks a variety of intrusions such as buffer overflows, stealth port scans, web application attacks, SMB probes, and OS fingerprinting attempts. Normally, intruders in computer system are classified into two categories like internal and external intruders. Internal intruders are users in the network and have some authority, but seek to gain additional ability to take action without legitimate authorization. External intruders do not have any authorized access to the system that they attack. Two types of detection models: misuse and anomaly are commonly using by IDS. Misuse detection model performs simple pattern matching techniques to match an attack pattern corresponding to known attack patterns in the database and produces very low false positives

(FP). Anomaly detection model identifies new attacks by analyzing the anomalous behaviors from normal behaviors [9], and achieves high detection rates (DR) for new attacks, but produces many false positives (FP). Anomaly based IDS generate rules by observing collected audit data that is the records of activities generated by the operating system. Currently adaptive intrusion detection aims to solve the problems of analyzing the huge volumes of audit data and realizing performance optimization of detection rules [10]-[14].

Detecting intrusions using data mining algorithms such as decision tree (DT), naïve Bayesian (NB) [15], neural network (NN), support vector machine (SVM) [16], k-nearest neighbors (KNN), fuzzy logic model [17], and genetic algorithm [18] have been widely used in the last decades. However, there exist various problems in current IDS such as low detection accuracy, unbalanced detection rates for different types of attacks, high false positives, redundancy of input attributes as well as examples in the training data. Another difficulty of current IDS is to detect intrusions in real time high-speed networks, because the high-speed networks require IDS to deal with large volumes of network data in a very short time. In this paper, based on a comprehensive analysis for the current research challenges in intrusion detection, a new learning algorithm for adaptive network intrusion detection using naive Bayesian classifier and decision tree is presented, which can handle the above mentioned challenging issues. This paper also addresses some difficulties of data mining such as handling continuous attribute, dealing with missing attribute values, and reducing noise in training data. The experimental results by using KDD99 benchmark intrusion detection dataset prove that the proposed algorithm has achieved both high detection rates (DR) and the significant reduction of false positives (FP) in comparison with existing methods.

The remainders of the paper are organized as follows. Section 2 presents the related overview of networking and intrusion detection. The basic problems of learning are discussed in Section 3, whereas our proposed algorithm is introduced in Section 4. Then, the experimental results are expressed in Section 5. Finally, our conclusions and future works are mentioned in Section 6.

2. NETWORKING AND INTRUSION DETECTION OVERVIEW

2.1. Networking Overview

In the networks, TCP/IP is widely used for network communications, which are composed of four layers: application layer, transport layer, network layer, and hardware layer that work together [19]. When data transfers across the networks, the data passes from the highest layer through intermediate layers to the lowest layer. The lowest layer sends the accumulated data to its destination through the physical network. Application layer sends and receives data for particular applications, such as DNS, HTTP, FTP, SMTP, and SNMP. It enables applications to transfer data between server and client, and passes application data to the transport layer. Transport layer is responsible for packaging data using TCP (Transmission control protocol) and UDP (user datagram protocol) so that it can be transmitted between hosts. Each TCP or UDP packet has a source port and a destination port number. Network layer or internet protocol (IP) layer is in charge of handling the addressing and routing of data received from the transport layer. After the network layer has encapsulated the transport layer data, the resulting logical units are referred to as packets. Each packet contains a header, which is composed of various fields. Commonly used network layer protocols are IPv4, IPv6, ICMP (internet control message protocol), and IGMP (internet group management protocol). It is also responsible for providing error and status information involving the addressing and routing of data. Hardware layer or data link layer tackles communications on the physical network components including cables, routers, switches, and network interface cards (NIC). The best known hardware layer protocol is Ethernet. Ethernet relies on the concept of a media access control (MAC) address, which is a unique six-byte value (such as 00-02-B4-DA-92-2C) permanently assigned to a particular NIC.

2.2. Intrusion Detection Overview

Intrusion detection is the process of monitoring and analyzing the events in computer systems or networks to discover the signals of possible incidents, which attempt to compromise the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of computer resources. In general, IDS use misuse-based and anomaly-based detection model for detecting intrusions. Misuse-based IDS are very effective for detecting known attacks but largely ineffective for detecting new attacks whose pattern has not stored in the database yet. It performs pattern matching to match an attack pattern corresponding to known attack patterns in the database. Anomaly-based IDS identify new attacks by analyzing anomalous behavior from normal behaviors. It has a relatively high detection rate for new attack, but produces many false positives. It uses profiles that are developed by monitoring the characteristics of typical activities over a period of time and then compares the characteristics of current activity to thresholds related to the profile. A network-based IDS (NIDS) monitor and analyze network traffics, and use multiple sensors for detecting intrusions from internal and external networks [20]-[22]. IDS analyze the information gathered by the sensors, and return a synthesis of the input of the sensors to system administrator or intrusion prevention system. System administrator carries out the prescriptions controlled by the IDS. Today, data mining has become an indispensable tool for analyzing the input of the sensors in IDS. Fig. 1 shows a scenario of IDS to protect server machine from internal and external network.

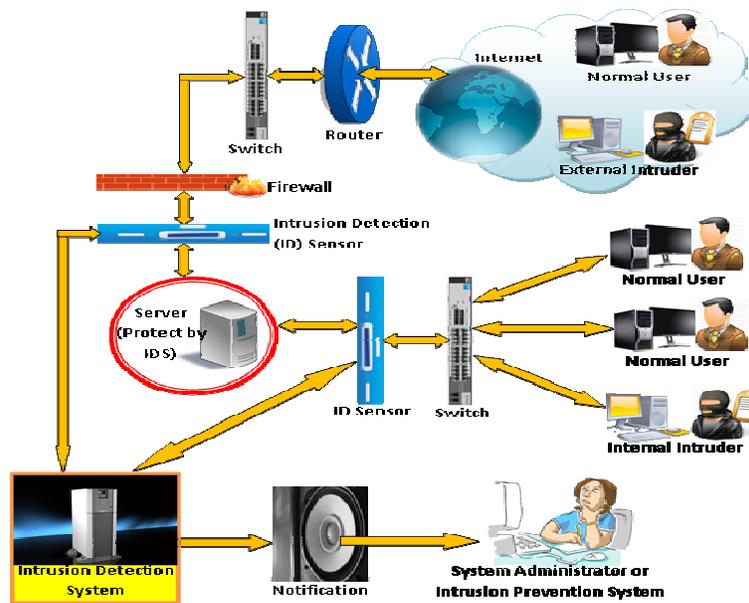


Figure 1. A typical motivating scenario of intrusion detection.

Ideally, IDS should have an attack detection rate (DR) of 100% along with false positive (FP) of 0%. Nevertheless, in practice this is really hard to achieve. The most important parameters involved in the performance estimation of IDS are shown in Table 1.

Table 1. Parameters for performance estimation of IDS.

Parameters	Definition
True Positive (<i>TP</i>) or Detection Rate (<i>DR</i>)	Attack occur and alarm raised
False Positive (<i>FP</i>)	No attack but alarm raised
True Negative (<i>TN</i>)	No attack and no alarm
False Negative (<i>FN</i>)	Attack occur but no alarm

The metrics such as precision, recall, overall, and false alarm have been used to measure the performance of the data mining algorithm on the minority class [23]-[26]. From Table 1, precision, recall, and overall may be defined as follows.

$$\text{Precision} = \frac{TP}{TP + FP} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Recall} = \frac{TP}{TP + FN} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Overall} = \frac{TP+TN}{TP+FP+FN+TN} \quad (3)$$

$$\text{False Alarm} = \frac{FP+FN}{TP+FP+FN+TN} \quad (4)$$

Detection rate (DR) and false positive (FP) are used to estimate the performance of IDS [27], which are given as bellow:

$$\text{DR} = \frac{\text{Total_detected_attacks}}{\text{Total_attacks}} * 100 \quad (5)$$

$$\text{FP} = \frac{\text{Total_misclassified_process}}{\text{Total_normal_process}} * 100 \quad (6)$$

2.3. Related Work

In 1980, the concept of intrusion detection began with Anderson's seminal paper [40]; he introduced a threat classification model that develops a security monitoring surveillance system based on detecting anomalies in user behavior. In 1986, Dr. Denning proposed several models for commercial IDS development based on statistics, Markov chains, time-series, etc [41]. In the early 1980's, Stanford Research Institute (SRI) developed an Intrusion Detection Expert System (IDES) that monitors user behavior and detects suspicious events [42]. In 1988, a statistical anomaly-based IDS was proposed by Haystack [43], which used both user and group-based anomaly detection strategies. In 1996, Forrest et al. proposed an analogy between the human immune system and intrusion detection that involved analyzing a program's system call sequences to build a normal profile [44]. In 2000, Valdes et al. [45] developed an anomaly based IDS that employed naïve Bayesian network to perform intrusion detecting on traffic bursts. In 2003, Kruegel et al. [46] proposed a multisensory fusion approach using Bayesian classifier for classification and suppression of false alarms that the outputs of different IDS sensors were aggregated to produce single alarm. In the same year, Shyu et al. [47] proposed an anomaly based intrusion detection scheme using principal components analysis (PCA), where PCA was applied to reduce the dimensionality of the audit data and arrive at a classifier that is a function of the principal components. In 2003, Yeung et al. [2] proposed an anomaly based intrusion detection using hidden Markov models that computes the sample likelihood of an observed sequence using the forward or backward algorithm for identifying anomalous. Lee et al. [48] proposed classification based anomaly detection using inductive rules to characterize sequences occurring in normal data. In 2000, Dickerson at al. [49] developed the Fuzzy Intrusion Recognition Engine (FIRE) using fuzzy logic that process the network data and generate fuzzy sets for every observed feature and then the fuzzy sets are used to detect network attacks. In 2003, Ramadas et al. [50] presented the anomalous network traffic detection with self organizing maps using DNS and HTTP services that the neurons are trained with normal network traffic then real time network data is fed to the trained neurons, if the distance of the incoming network traffic is more than a preset threshold then it raises an alarm.

3. BASIC PROBLEMS OF LEARNING

3.1. Handling Noise in Dataset

Noise in the dataset is considered to be one of the most challenging issues in data mining. This is because the performance of the learning algorithms depends on the quality of dataset. The main idea of dealing with noisy data at the learning time is to avoid over-fitting the dataset. Noise handling can be carried out at different stages of rule induction and interpretation. The followings exhibit some typical noises being existed in the dataset.

- 1) Missing attribute values: The simplest way for handling missing or unknown attribute value is to replace the missing attribute value with the most frequent attribute value in the dataset. Whereas, the most sophisticated way is to calculate the probability for attribute values and assign the probability value rather than the guessed value to each missing attribute value.
- 2) Contradictory examples: The same examples appear more than once in the dataset with different class labels. Contradictory examples confuse the learning algorithms, so these examples should be avoided or labeled correctly before learning.
- 3) Redundant examples: There often exist multiple copies of the same example in the dataset. Redundant examples are not a problem if they do not form contradictions, but this redundancy can change the decision trees produced by ID3 algorithm. For data mining, it's better to remove redundancy by keeping only a unique example in the dataset. By doing so, it not only saves the space of storage in dataset but also speeds significantly up the learning process.
- 4) Incomplete attribute problem: When the essential attributes of a problem are not used to describe in the dataset. Suppose to distinguish men from women based on the descriptions of a large group of people in terms of gender, height, weight, qualifications, and so on. The right attribute for men is "gender = male" and women is "gender = female". If we cannot catch the right attribute, then the classification model will be more complex and less accurate.
- 5) Misclassified examples: The examples in the dataset were labeled with a wrong classification.

3.2. Dealing with Continuous Attribute

The goal of dealing with continuous attributes is to discretized the continuous attribute containing continuous values (i.e., real numbers or integers) into a number of intervals. The discretized intervals can be treated in a similar way to nominal values during learning and classification. It is very important for discretization of continuous attribute to find the right places to set up interval borders. The simplest technique is to place the interval borders of continuous attribute values between each adjacent pair of attribute values that are not classified into the same class. Suppose the pair of adjacent values on attribute A_i are A_{i1} and A_{i2} , " $A = (A_{i1}+A_{i2})/2$ " can be taken as an interval border. The information gain technique adopted in ID3 algorithm is another very efficient technique to find the most informative border to split the values of the continuous attribute. The maximum information gain is always considered for a cut point (the midpoint) between the values taken by two attribute values of different classes. Each value of the formula " $A = (A_i + A_{i+1})/2$ " where $i = 1, \dots, n-1$ is a possible cut point, if A_i and A_{i+1} have been taken by different class values in the dataset. The purpose of employing information gain is to check each of the possible cut points and find the best split point. In C4.5 algorithm, each of the possible cut points is not the midpoint between the two nearest values,

rather than the greatest value in the entire dataset that does not exceed the midpoint. The naïve Bayesian classifier also uses for discretization of continuous attribute values by constructing a probability curve for each class in the dataset. When the curves for every class have been constructed, interval borders are placed on each of those points where the leading curves are different from its two sides. A few other methods such as equal distance division, grouping, k-nearest neighbors, and fuzzy borders are also applied to the continuous attributes for discretization.

3.3. Input Attribute Selection from Dataset

Effective input attribute selection from dataset before learning is very important, because irrelevant and redundant attributes of dataset may lead to complex classification model as well as reduce the classification accuracy [29]-[36]. In complex classification domains, input attributes of dataset may contain false correlations, which hamper the classification process. Some attributes in the dataset may be redundant, because the information they add is contained in other attributes. Also, some extra attributes can increase the computational time, and can have impact on the classification accuracy. Input attributes selection using data mining involves the selection of a subset of attributes d from a total of D original attributes of dataset, based on a given optimization principle that improves the performance of classifier. Finding a useful attribute subset is a form of search. Ideally, attribute selection methods search through the subsets of attributes, and try to find the best ones among the completing 2^N candidate subsets according to some evaluation function.

4. PROPOSED HYBRID ALGORITHM

4.1. Proposed Learning Algorithm

Given a training data $D = \{t_1, \dots, t_n\}$ where $t_i = \{t_{i1}, \dots, t_{in}\}$ and the training data D contains the following attributes $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$ and each attribute A_i contains the following attribute values $\{A_{i1}, A_{i2}, \dots, A_{in}\}$. The attribute values can be discrete or continuous. Also the training data D contains a set of classes $C = \{C_1, C_2, \dots, C_m\}$. Each example in the training data D has a particular class C_j . The algorithm first searches for the multiple copies of the same example in the training data D , if found then keeps only one unique example in the training data D (suppose all attribute values of two examples are equal then the examples are similar). Then the algorithm discretizes the continuous attributes in the training data D by finding each adjacent pair of continuous attribute values that are not classified into the same class value for that continuous attribute. Next the algorithm calculates the prior $P(C_j)$ and conditional $P(A_{ij}|C_j)$ probabilities in the training data D . The prior probability $P(C_j)$ for each class is estimated by counting how often each class occurs in the training data D . For each attribute A_i the number of occurrences of each attribute value A_{ij} can be counted to determine $P(A_i)$. Similarly, the conditional probability $P(A_{ij}|C_j)$ for each attribute values A_{ij} can be estimated by counting how often each attribute value occurs in the class in the training data D . Then the algorithm classifies all the examples in the training data D with these prior $P(C_j)$ and conditional $P(A_{ij}|C_j)$ probabilities. For classifying the examples, the prior and conditional probabilities are used to make the prediction. This is done by combining the effects of the different attribute values from that example. Suppose the example e_i has independent attribute values $\{A_{i1}, A_{i2}, \dots, A_{ip}\}$, we know $P(A_{ik} | C_j)$, for each class C_j and attribute A_{ik} . We then estimate $P(e_i | C_j)$ by

$$P(e_i | C_j) = P(C_j) \prod_{k=1 \rightarrow p} P(A_{ik} | C_j) \quad (7)$$

To classify the example, the algorithm estimates the likelihood that e_i is in each class. The probability that e_i is in a class is the product of the conditional probabilities for each attribute value with prior probability for that class. The posterior probability $P(C_j | e_i)$ is then found for each class and the example classifies with the highest posterior probability for that example.

After classifying all the training examples, the class value for each example in training data D updates with Maximum Likelihood (ML) of posterior probability $P(C_j|e_i)$.

$$C_j = C_i \rightarrow P_{ML}(C_j|e_i). \quad (8)$$

Then again the algorithm calculates the prior $P(C_j)$ and conditional $P(A_{ij}|C_j)$ probabilities using updated class values in the training data D , and again classifies all the examples of training data using these probabilities. If any of the training example is misclassified then the algorithm calculates the information gain for each attributes $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$ in the training data D .

$$Info(D) = - \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{freq(C_j, D)}{|D|} \log_2 \left(\frac{freq(C_j, D)}{|D|} \right) \quad (9)$$

$$Info(T) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{|T_i|}{|T|} \inf o(T_i) \quad (10)$$

$$Information\ Gain(A_i) = Info(D) - Info(T) \quad (11)$$

And chooses one of the best attributes A_i among the attributes $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$ from the training data D with highest information gain value, Then split the training data D into sub-datasets $\{D_1, D_2, \dots, D_n\}$ depending on the chosen attribute values of A_i . After the algorithm estimates the prior and conditional probabilities for each sub-dataset $D_i = \{D_1, D_2, \dots, D_n\}$ and classifies the examples of each sub-dataset D_i using their respective probabilities. If any example of any sub-dataset D_i is misclassified then the algorithm calculates the information gain of attributes for that sub-dataset D_i , and chooses the best attribute A_i with maximum information gain value from sub-dataset D_i , and split the sub-dataset D_i into sub-sub-datasets D_{ij} . Then again calculates the prior and conditional probabilities for each sub-sub-dataset D_{ij} , and also classifies the examples of sub-sub-datasets using their respective probabilities. The algorithm will continue this process until all the examples of sub/sub-sub-datasets are correctly classified. When the algorithm correctly classifies all the examples then the prior and conditional probabilities for each datasets are preserved for future classification of unseen examples. The main procedure of proposed algorithm is described as follows.

Algorithm

Input: Training Data, D

Output: Adaptive Intrusion Detection Model, AIDM

Procedure:

Step 1: Search the multiple copies of same example in D , if found then keeps only one unique example in D .

Step 2: For each continuous attributes in D find the each adjacent pair of continuous attribute values that are not classified into the same class value for that continuous attribute

Step 3: Calculate the prior probabilities $P(C_j)$ and conditional probabilities $P(A_{ij}|C_j)$ in D .

Step 4: Classify all the training examples using these prior and conditional probabilities, $P(e_i | C_j) = P(C_j) \prod_{k=1 \rightarrow p} P(A_{ij} | C_j)$.

Step 5: Update the class value for each example in D with Maximum Likelihood (ML) of posterior probability, $P(C_j|e_i)$; $C_j = C_i \rightarrow P_{ML}(C_j|e_i)$.

Step 6: Recalculate the prior $P(C_j)$ and conditional $P(A_{ij}|C_j)$ probabilities using updated class values in D .

Step 7: Again classify all training examples in D using updated probability values.

Step 8: If any training examples in D is misclassified then calculate the information gain for each attributes $A_i = \{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$ in D using equation (11).

Step 9: Choose the best attribute A_i from D with the maximum information gain value.

Step 10: Split dataset D into sub-datasets $\{D_1, D_2, \dots, D_n\}$ depending on the attribute values of A_i .

Step 11: Calculate the prior $P(C_j)$ and conditional $P(A_{ij}|C_j)$ probabilities of each sub-dataset D_i .

Step 12: Classify the examples of each sub-dataset D_i with their respective prior and conditional probabilities.

Step 13: If any example of any sub-dataset D_i is misclassified then again calculate the information gain of attributes for that sub-dataset D_i , and choose one of the best attribute A_i with maximum information gain, then split the sub-dataset D_i into sub-sub-datasets D_{ij} . Then again calculate the probabilities for each sub-sub-dataset D_{ij} . Also classify the examples in sub-sub-datasets using their respective probabilities.

Step 14: Continue this process until all the examples are correctly classified.

Step 15: Preserved all the prior and conditional probabilities for each dataset for future classification of unseen examples.

5. EXPERIMENTAL ANALYSIS

5.1. KDD Cup 1999 Dataset

The KDD cup 1999 dataset was used in the 3rd International Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining Tools Competition for building a network intrusion detector, a predictive model capable of distinguishing between intrusions and normal connections [37]. In 1998, DARPA intrusion detection evaluation program, a simulated environment was set up to acquire raw TCP/IP dump data for a local-area network (LAN) by the MIT Lincoln Lab to compare the performance of various intrusion detection methods. It was operated like a real environment, but being blasted with multiple intrusion attacks and received much attention in the research community of adaptive intrusion detection. The KDD99 dataset contest uses a version of DARPA98 dataset. In KDD99 dataset, each example represents attribute values of a class in the network data flow, and each class is labelled either normal or attack. The classes in KDD99 dataset can be categorized into five main classes (one normal class and four main intrusion classes: probe, DOS, U2R, and R2L).

1) Normal connections are generated by simulated daily user behaviour such as downloading files, visiting web pages.

2) Denial of Service (DoS) attack causes the computing power or memory of a victim machine too busy or too full to handle legitimate requests. DoS attacks are classified based on the services that an attacker renders unavailable to legitimate users like apache2, land, mail bomb, back, etc.

3) Remote to User (R2L) is an attack that a remote user gains access of a local user/account by sending packets to a machine over a network communication, which include send-mail, and Xlock.

4) User to Root (U2R) is an attack that an intruder begins with the access of a normal user account and then becomes a root-user by exploiting various vulnerabilities of the system. Most common exploits of U2R attacks are regular buffer-overflows, load-module, Fd-format, and Ffb-config.

5) Probing (Probe) is an attack that scans a network to gather information or find known vulnerabilities. An intruder with a map of machines and services that are available on a network can use the information to look for exploits.

In KDD99 dataset these four attacks (DoS, U2R, R2L, and probe) are divided into 22 different attacks that tabulated in Table 2.

Table 2. Different Types of attacks in KDD99 Dataset.

4 Main Attack Classes	22 Attacks Classes
Denial of Service (DoS)	back, land, neptune, pod, smurt, teardrop
Remote to User (R2L)	ftp_write, guess_passwd, imap, multihop, phf, spy, warezclient, warezmaster
User to Root (U2R)	buffer_overflow, perl, loadmodule, rootkit
Probing	ipsweep, nmap, portsweep, satan

There are total 41 input attributes in KDD99 dataset for each network connection that have either discrete or continuous values and divided into three groups. The first group of attributes is the basic features of network connection, which include the duration, prototype, service, number of bytes from source IP addresses or from destination IP addresses, and some flags in TCP connections. The second group of attributes in KDD99 is composed of the content features of network connections and the third group is composed of the statistical features that are computed either by a time window or a window of certain kind of connections. The list of the input attributes in KDD99 dataset for each network connections is shown in the Table 3.

Table 3. Input attributes in KDD99 Dataset.

No	Input Attribute	Type	No	Input Attribute	Type
1	Duration	Con.	22	is_guest_login	Dis.
2	protocol_type	Dis.	23	Count	Con.
3	Service	Dis.	24	srv_count	Con.
4	Flag	Dis.	25	serror_rate	Con.
5	src_bytes	Con.	26	srv_serror_rate	Con.
6	dst_bytes	Con.	27	rerror_rate	Con.
7	Land	Dis.	28	srv_rerror_rate	Con.
8	wrong_fragment	Con.	29	same_srv_rate	Con.
9	Urgent	Con.	30	diff_srv_rate	Con.
10	Hot	Con.	31	srv_diff_host_rate	Con.
11	num_failed_logins	Con.	32	dst_host_count	Con.
12	logged_in	Dis.	33	dst_host_srv_count	Con.
13	num_compromised	Con.	34	dst_host_same_srv_rate	Con.
14	root_shell	Con.	35	dst_host_diff_srv_rate	Con.
15	su_attempted	Con.	36	dst_host_same_src_port_rate	Con.
16	num_root	Con.	37	dst_host_srv_diff_host_rate	Con.
17	num_file_creations	Con.	38	dst_host_serror_rate	Con.
18	num_shells	Con.	39	dst_host_srv_serror_rate	Con.
19	num_access_files	Con.	40	dst_host_rerror_rate	Con.
20	num_outbound_cmds	Con.	41	dst_host_srv_rerror_rate	Con.
21	is_host_login	Dis.	-	-	-

Table 4 shows the number of examples in 10% training and testing data of KDD99 dataset.

Table 4. Number of training and testing examples in KDD99 Dataset.

Attack Types	Training Examples	Testing Examples
Normal	97277	60592
Denial of Service	391458	237594
Remote to User	1126	8606
User to Root	52	70
Probing	4107	4166
Total Examples	494020	311028

5.2. Experimental Analysis

In order to evaluate the performance of proposed algorithm for network intrusion detection, we performed 5-class classification using KDD99 intrusion detection benchmark dataset. All experiments were performed using an Intel Core 2 Duo Processor 2.0 GHz processor (2 MB Cache, 800 MHz FSB) with 1 GB of RAM. The results of the comparison of proposed algorithm with ID3 and with naive Bayesian classifier are in Table 5 and Table 6.

Table 5. Comparison of the results using 41 attributes.

Method	Normal	Probe	DOS	U2R	R2L
Proposed Algorithm (DR %)	99.72	99.25	99.75	99.20	99.26
Proposed Algorithm (FP %)	0.06	0.39	0.04	0.11	6.81
Naïve Bayesian (DR %)	99.27	99.11	99.69	64.00	99.11
Naïve Bayesian (FP %)	0.08	0.45	0.04	0.14	8.02
ID3 (DR %)	99.63	97.85	99.51	49.21	92.75
ID3 (FP %)	0.10	0.55	0.04	0.14	10.03

Table 6. Comparison of the results using 19 attributes.

Method	Normal	Probe	DOS	U2R	R2L
Proposed Algorithm (DR %)	99.84	99.75	99.76	99.47	99.35
Proposed Algorithm (FP %)	0.05	0.28	0.03	0.10	6.22
Naïve Bayesian (DR %)	99.65	99.35	99.71	64.84	99.15
Naïve Bayesian (FP %)	0.05	0.32	0.04	0.12	6.87
ID3 (DR %)	99.71	98.22	99.63	86.11	97.79
ID3 (FP %)	0.06	0.51	0.04	0.12	7.34

We tested the performance of proposed algorithm using the reduced dataset of 12 attributes and 17 attributes in KDD99 dataset, which increase the detection rate for intrusion classes that are summarized in Table 7.

Table 7. Performance of proposed algorithm using reduced dataset.

Class Value	12 Attributes	17 Attributes
Normal	99.98	99.95
Probe	99.92	99.93
DoS	99.99	99.97
U2R	99.38	99.46
R2L	99.55	99.69

6. CONCLUSIONS AND FUTURE WORKS

This paper introduced a new hybrid learning algorithm for adaptive network intrusion detection using naive Bayesian classifier and ID3 algorithm, which analyzes the large volume of network data and considers the complex properties of attack behaviours to improve the performance of detection speed and detection accuracy. In this paper we have concentrated on the development of the performance of naive Bayesian classifier and ID3 algorithm. It has been successfully tested that this hybrid algorithm minimized false positives, as well as maximize balance detection rates on the 5 classes of KDD99 benchmark dataset. The attacks of KDD99 dataset detected with 99% accuracy using proposed algorithm. The future work focus on improving the false positives of remote to user (R2L) attack and apply this detection model into real world IDS.

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