



A DDOS ATTACK DETECTION POLAK-RIBIÈRE-POLYAK (PRP) ALGORITHM USING DEEP LEARNING

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Abstract—

Software-Defined Networking, often known as SDN, is becoming more popular as a result of the several advantages it offers, including scalability, flexibility, monitoring, and an easier path to innovation. Nevertheless, it is necessary for it to have enough protection against threats to its security. The distributed denial-of-service attack significant attacks that launched network. An attempt at a DDoS may be stopped network in a number of different ways. We have experimented with several different learning algorithms, such as J48, Random Forest (RF), (SVM), and K-Nearest Neighbor Polak-Ribière-Polyak (PRP), in order to identify and prevent a distributed denial of service attack (DDoS) in an SDN network (K-NN). During the evaluation, the optimal model for the suggested network was constructed, given final approval, and afterwards included into a script for attack detection and prevention. According to the findings, J48 to the other algorithms that were investigated, particularly with regard of time required for training and testing.

Keywords- SDN, DDoS, Machine Learning, J48, Weka , Polak-Ribière-Polyak (PRP).

I. INTRODUCTION

Cloud technology is highly popular these days. Data transfer and storage, a fundamental requirement for any expanding business, are already only possible with cloud computing [16]. term "cloud technology" now encompasses a wide range of methods and resources. However, the fundamental elements of cloud computing are essentially the same. Since the advent of AWS, this idea has gained prominence. Cloud computing has emerged as a viable alternative to physical data storage infrastructure. Google and Microsoft quickly adopted this pattern after that. Technology, information infrastructure, various data models, and whatever in between are already covered by cloud technologies. Databases, specialized networking, IoT, micro service computing, business apps, data analytics, and many other components are also included. Technology area that helps businesses meets their IT needs. This technical support team provides daily assistance to both people and organisations. The top colleges in the world offer online courses to master software development. To boost your career, get a master's, an advanced certificate, or an executive graduate degree. Now, since nearly everyone has access to the internet, cloud storage is practical and trustworthy. Self-Service On-Demand the most critical and significant components of cloud computing. Due to cloud computing, this recommends that clients should frequently verify host capacity, available network storage, and uptime. Resources pooling a cloud service provider can divide resources among numerous clients and provide each with a range of services based on their needs by sharing resources. Resources pooling is a multi-client strategy that is beneficial for storage systems, bandwidth services, and data processing. The provider controls the stored data in real-time while juggling the client's informational requirements. By splitting up resources among numerous clients, a cloud service provider can provide each one a range of services based on their needs. For data processing, bandwidth services, and storage systems, a multi-client strategy called Resources Pooling is helpful. While balancing the client's information needs with the provider's management of the stored data in real-time.



Figure 1 - Principal Attributes of Cloud Computing

In the above fig. 1 shows cloud storage is that it offers a quick and efficient reporting service in case of any errors or difficulties, despite becoming completely automated and run by bots. Furthermore, the back-end respond to customer complaints regarding billing or functionality rather quickly [23][24][28][30]. In case of public cloud provider, the customer management interfaces are accessible through the Internet.

In the above section, I introduce the proposed research work background, discuss the cloud computing and d-dos attacks and the Polak-Ribière-Polyak (PRP) method is an important. In section ii, we will discuss dos attacks and their types. the next section-iii, discusses the previous works that were presented by different researchers. Bayesian regularization method IV Finally, describe the DDoS attack detection and prevention method presented in Section V. Section VI discusses the simulation and results of the proposed method. Last but not least, discuss the conclusion in section VII.

II. LITERATURE REVIEW

In this section, we will discuss the review of literature on cloud computing and also the different J48, Random Forest (RF), (SVM), and K-Nearest Neighbor, methods for the prevision of cloud computing. In the latest Mustapha, et.al. [2023] DDoS detection remains a challenging problem in cyber security. Recently, they have witnessed increasing interest in DDoS detection using machine learning (ML) and deep learning (DL) algorithms. Ironically, although ML/DL can increase detection accuracy, they can still be evaded by using ML/DL techniques to create attack traffic. authors addresses the above aspects of ML-based DDoS detection and anti-detection techniques. [1]. Javaheri, et.al. [2023] the current research Albeit rapid advances in information technology and artificial intelligence has offered many facilities, including ease of access and high availability, they caused a paradigm shift in cyber security threats. The large number of daily cyber-attacks indicates that computer systems and networks are highly vulnerable to cybersecurity threats. Anomaly detection systems have played a critical role in the security of organizations and businesses by finding new and Zero-day malicious behavior [2]. Khedr, et.al. [2023] internet of Things (IoT) have made security and privacy concerns more acute. Attacks such as distributed denial of service (DDoS) are becoming increasingly widespread in IoT, and the need for ways to stop them is growing. The use of newly formed Software-Defined Networking (SDN) significantly lowers the computational burden on IoT network nodes and makes it possible to perform more security measurements. This paper proposes an SDN-based, four-module DDoS attack detection and mitigation framework for IoT networks called FMDADM. The proposed FMDADM framework efficiently detects DDoS attacks at high and low rates, can discriminate between attack traffic and flash crowds, and protects both local and remote IoT nodes by preventing infection from propagating to the ISP level. The FMDADM outperformed most existing cutting-edge approaches across ten different evaluation criteria [3]. Beitollahi, Hakem, et.al. [2022] distributed denial of service (App-DDoS) attack, zombie computers bring down the victim server with valid requests. Intrusion detection systems (IDS) cannot identify these requests since they have legal forms of standard TCP



connections. Researchers have suggested several techniques for detecting App-DDoS traffic. There is, however, no clear distinction between legitimate and attack traffic. In this paper, we go a step further and propose a Machine Learning (ML) solution by combining the Radial Basis Function (RBF) neural network with the cuckoo search algorithm to detect App-DDoS traffic. We begin by collecting training data and cleaning them, then applying data normalizing and finding an optimal subset of features using the Genetic Algorithm (GA) [4]. Yungaicela-Naula et.al. [2022] this software defined Distributed Denial-of-Service (DDoS) attacks are difficult to mitigate with existing defense tools. Fortunately, it has been demonstrated that Software-Defined Networking (SDN) with machine learning (ML) and deep learning (DL) techniques has a high potential to handle these threats effectively. However, although there are many SDN-based solutions for detecting DDoS attacks, only a few contain mitigation strategies. Additionally, most previous studies have focused on solving high-rate DDoS attacks. For the time being, recent slow-rate DDoS threats are hard to detect and mitigate. In this work, we propose a modular, flexible, and scalable SDN-based framework that integrates a DL-based intrusion detection system (IDS) and a deep reinforcement learning (DRL)-based intrusion prevention system (IPS) to address slow-rate DDoS threats. IDS achieved an average detection rate of 98%, with a flow sampling rate of 30%. In addition, IPS timely mitigated slow-rate DDoS with 100% of success for a few attackers [5]. Valdovinos, et.al. [2021] Software-defined networking (SDN) is a network paradigm that decouples control and data planes from network devices and places them into separate entities. In SDN, the controller is responsible for controlling the logic of the entire network while network switches become forwarding elements that follow rules to dispatch flows. There are, however, several limitations in such a paradigm, as compared to conventional networking. For example, the controller is sensitive to a broad range of attacks, including distributed denial of service (DDoS) attacks [6]. Bhayo, Jalal et.al [2021] Internet of Things (IoT) devices increases, the security threats and vulnerabilities associated with these resource-constrained IoT devices also rise. One of the major threats to IoT devices is Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS). To make the security of IoT devices effective and resilient, continuous monitoring and early detection, along with adaptive decision making, are required. These challenges can be addressed with software-defined networking (SDN), which provides an opportunity for effectively managing the DDoS threats faced by IoT devices. the results and comparative analysis, the proposed framework detects DDoS attacks in the early stage with high accuracy and detection rate from 98% to 100%, having a low false-positive rate [7]. Tuan, et.al. [2020] in the research presented here, Botnet is regarded as one of the most sophisticated vulnerability threats nowadays. A large portion of network traffic is dominated by Botnets. Botnets are conglomeration of trade PCs (Bots) which are remotely controlled by their originator (BotMaster) under a Command and-Control (C&C) foundation. They are the keys to several Internet assaults like spams, Distributed Denial of Service Attacks (DDoS), rebate distortions, malwares and phishing. To over the problem of DDoS attack, various machine learning methods typically Support Vector Machine (SVM), Artificial Neural Network (ANN), Naïve Bayes (NB), Decision Tree (DT), and Unsupervised Learning (USML) (K-means, X-means etc.) were proposed. With the increasing popularity of Machine Learning in the field of Computer Security, it will be a remarkable accomplishment to carry out performance assessment of the machine learning methods given a common platform. [8]. Frazao, et.al [2019] Denial of Service attacks, which have become commonplace on the Information and Communications Technologies domain, constitute a class of threats whose main objective is to degrade or disable a service or functionality on a target. The increasing reliance of Cyber-Physical Systems upon these technologies, together with their progressive interconnection with other infrastructure and/or organizational domains, has contributed to increase their exposure to these attacks, with potentially catastrophic consequences. Despite the potential impact of such attacks, the lack of generality regarding the related works in the attack prevention and detection fields has prevented its application in real-world scenarios [13]. D'Cruze, et.al [2018] Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS) attacks are a common threat to network security. Traditional

mitigation approaches have significant limitations in addressing DDoS attacks. authors reviews major traditional approaches to DDoS, identifies and discusses their limitations, and proposes a Software-Defined Networking (SDN) model as a more flexible, efficient, effective, and automated mitigation solution. They study focuses on Internet Service Provider (ISP) networks and uses the SDN security implementation at Verizon networks as a case study [14].

III. DENIAL-OF-SERVICE (DOS) ATTACK

In this section, we discuss the DoS attack in the cloud OSI model. Denial-of-service (DoS) attacks [9] involve resource stacking to make a system inaccessible to service requests [3]. As with DDoS attacks [18][19], these attacks are launched from a huge number of infected and controlled host devices. DDoS [26][27] assaults use botnets to fully disable a website or online service. They achieve this by flooding the target with activity from hundreds or even thousands of botnet devices [4]. Multiple hacked computers are used as attack traffic sources in DDoS operations. As if unanticipated traffic congestion were choking up the internet as well as the intranet, preventing ordinary internet network traffic from reaching their destinations, a DDoS assault would be like that. In the below fig. 2 shows the DDoS attack [10][12] on different layer.

A. TCP SYN Flood Attacks:

An attacker [17] utilises the buffer space after the first handshake of a Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) connection to perform a TCP SYN flood attack [22][23].

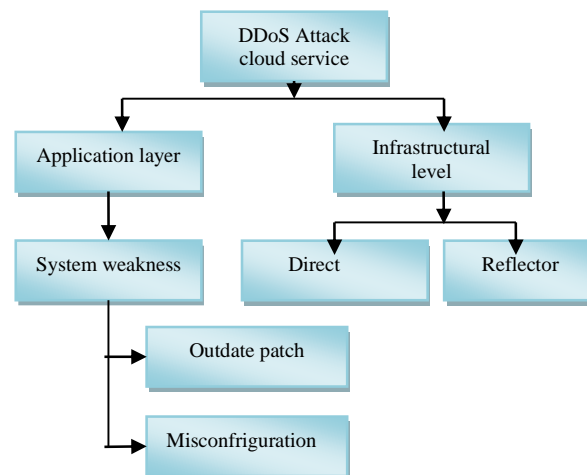


Fig. 2. - Denial of Service (DoS) attack in the cloud network [22]

In the next section, we will discuss the previous research studies and present research work in the areas of caber attacks and D-DoS attacks [21].

IV. POLAK-RIBIÈRE-POLYAK METHOD

It is well known that the conjugate gradient algorithm is one of the most classic and useful methods for solving large-scale optimization problems, where the Polak-Ribière-Polyak (PRP) method is an important and effective conjugate gradient algorithm. The new line search technique can guarantee the global convergence of the PRP method for general functions. The numerical results show that the PRP method with a new line search technique enables a practical computation and is effective in the image restoration problems.

the PRP algorithm and prove that the algorithm is well-defined

$$\text{Let } f(x) \in C^2 \quad (1)$$

Be bounded from below and ≤ 0 Then, there exists a constant satisfying

$$\phi(\alpha) = f(x_k + \alpha d_k) - f_k - \delta \alpha \quad (2)$$

Note that, f_{k+1} and f_k are bounded from below and ≤ 0 .

It is clear that $\phi(0) = 0$, and for a sufficiently small scalar $\delta > 0$, we have as follows

$$\phi(\alpha) = f(x_k + \alpha d_k) - f(x_k) - \delta \alpha \quad (3)$$

$$= (f(x_k) + o(\alpha)) - f(x_k) - \delta \alpha \quad (4)$$

$$\alpha(1 - \delta) + o(\alpha) < 0. \quad (5)$$

V. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

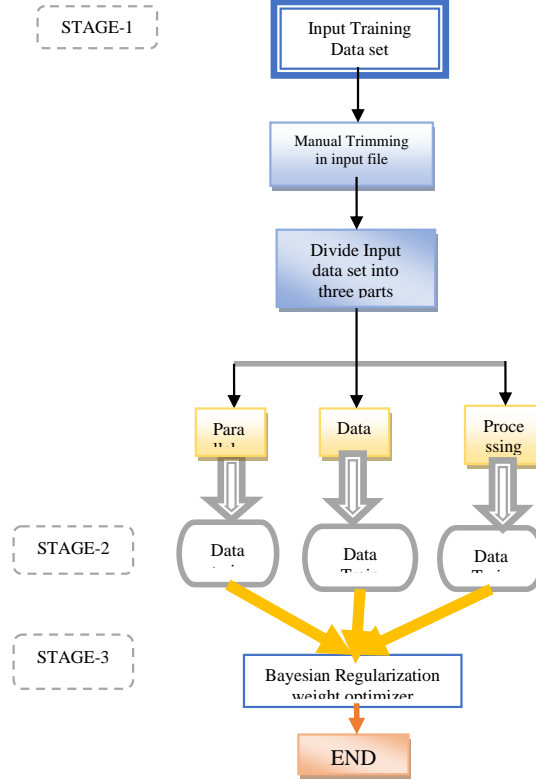


Fig. 3 Bayesian Regularization based training of proposed method

In this section, we will discuss the proposed method. The key objective of a Distributed Denial of Service [29] (D-DoS) attack is to compile multiple systems across. The Internet is filled with agents and bot nets of networks. In the system model, the recognition module is compared to other strategies that use RBF networks with PSO-optimized training. This proposed research work implements an artificial neural network based on a modified cascaded [15] feed forward neural with an improved regression and optimised training Levenberg-Marquardt approach.

The overall complete method will be divided into three sections: training, testing, and validation. To implement the proposed method, we need to improve the raw data that is currently available. First, improve the data set manual. There are many entities available in the data set, but there is no utilization of the data. The initial data set is too large, so it is divided into three parts.

A. Training Bayesian Regularization

Bayesian Because the models are resilient and the validation procedure, which in standard regression methods grows as $O(N^2)$, is not required, Bayesian Regularization-based artificial neural networks (BRANNs) have a significant advantage over other regression techniques. The first method for improving generalization is called regularization.

Performance Function Modification

The mean sum of squares of network errors is a common way to measure how well feedforward neural networks are trained.

$$F = MSE = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (e_i)^2 \quad (7)$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (t_i - a_i)^2 \quad (8)$$

The generalisation of the system may be improved by modifying the performance measure and including a term that consists of the mean of the sum of squares of the weights and biases of the system in the equation.

$$mse_{reg} = \gamma_{mse} + (1 - \gamma) \times msw \quad (9)$$

Where γ is the performance ratio and mean square weight (msw),

$$msw = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^N (w_j)^2 \quad (10)$$

With the help of this reward function, as well as the lowered weights and biases that come with it, a better and less likely to overfit system response can be made possible.

B. Cascade-Forward Neural Network

A network with direct connections between the input and output layers is generated if the perception and multilayer network are joined besides the connection indirectly. The network formed from this connection pattern is called Cascade Forward Neural Network (CFNN). The CFNN model generates the following sets of equations:

$$y = \sum_{i=1}^n f^i * \omega_i^l \chi_i + f^0 \left(\sum_{j=1}^n f^j * \omega_j^0 \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \omega_{ji}^h \chi_i \right) \right) \quad (11)$$

Where f^i is the activation function from the input layer to the output layer and ω is weight from. The transitions from the input layer or the output layer are presented. If a bias is introduced into the input layer and the activation function of each neuron in the hidden layer is calculated, the formula for the hidden units is obtained (5) becomes

$$y = \sum_{i=1}^n f^i * \omega_i^l \chi_i + f^0 \left(\omega^b \sum_{j=1}^n f^j * \omega_j^0 \left(\omega_j^b + \sum_{i=1}^n \omega_{ji}^h \chi_i \right) \right) \quad (12)$$

The CFNN model is used to analyses time series data in this study. There are delays of X_{t-1} , X_{t-2} , and so on in the input layer while actual data X_t is produced from neurons in the output layer. In the below fig. 3 shows the standard architecture of the cascaded feedforward neural network and fig 4 shows raw data processing algorithms steps.

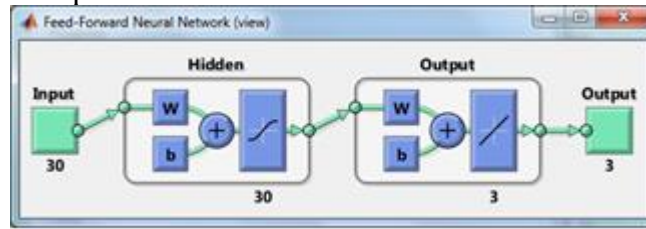


Fig. 4 Cascaded Feed forward Neural Network

VI. SIMULATION AND RESULTS

In this section, we are describing the implementation details and designing issues for our proposed research work. By searching, we have observed that for our proposed work, MATLAB 2020 is the well-known platform to perform the suggested approach. We tend to perform some experimental tasks in MATLAB 2020b code, and additionally, the well-noted DDoS data set by the Canadian Institute of Cyber security (CICIDS2017) is provided by the Canadian Institute [10]. This chapter is split into three major halves. The initial one describes the summary of the MATLAB surroundings, the other is to explain the CICIDS2017 information sets used for implementation, and the last section outlines all the tables, snapshots, and graphs employed in our planned work.

A. Data set

The Canadian Institute of Cybersecurity (CICIDS2017) Intrusion Detection Evaluation Dataset is utilized for design training and evaluation [20]. Numerous threats, such as DDoS as well as botnet

activity are documented in the report. We used the DoS data set as the basis for our classification model in this study. There are 84 variables in each flow record in the CICIDS 2017 dataset, which is in comma-separated (.CSV) format. In the below fig. 5 shows DDOS Attack Data Sheet file in Matrix Laboratory 2020

B. Result Parameters

The strategy described here examines a variety of outcome characteristics. Here are the variables you'll want to keep an eye on.

1. True Positive (T.P.)

A true positive is an event in which the model accurately predicts the positive class. A genuine positive is when researchers verify the effectiveness of a result that is in line with what was expected [16].

2. False Negative (F.N.)

A test result that incorrectly suggests that a condition does not hold is known as a false negative error. When a test result wrongly suggests the absence of a disorder, a negative test occurs [10].

3. False Positive (F.P.)

When the values predict the positive class wrongly, it creates a false positive. Mistakes in the binary classification result in wrongly diagnosing a disorder as a false positive [20].

4. True Negative (T.N.)

Models that accurately forecast the class of negative outcomes known as "genuine negatives" [11].

5. Accuracy (Acc) [25]

Accuracy is the key parameter for the performance calculation of the presented work. It's a combination of true positive, true negative, false positive, and false negative. Accuracy is inversely proportional to sensitivity; it's the summation of the TP, TN, FP, and FN.

(13)

6. Confusion Matrix (C.M.)

Machine learning model predictions are compared with real target numbers in a matrix. The columns represent the target variable's expected values.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
1	28639	3	247	27	3504	1	138	229734	248194	45305	44124	12	28	1	3	1	1
2	12503	5	215	21	2294	1	44	177293	234580	8117	14908	13	9759	10121	49	397	1
3	147084	2	1	357	6149	4806	1	74043	76294	185117	195438	14	156264	167224	5	1	1
4	16485	5	400	26	3285	1	113	199371	225681	10338	14820	13	12677	13818	5	1395	1
5	148853	2	1	148	2317	1998	1	45358	62296	202338	170443	14	179612	144297	5	1	1
6	90862	2	1	297	2653	9143	1	134391	137829	90136	89957	11	24655	31517	2	1	1
7	10250	2	1	1	1	1	1	522	264864	36186	1	12391	1	1	1	1	1
8	255499	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	258718	1	34726	1	1	1	1	1
9	122278	10	5857	1905	18862	60174	2213	177656	226077	117541	121036	18	100390	96240	218	13159	1
10	182067	2	1	318	5212	17796	1	81248	88521	168281	182565	11	133440	153655	2	1	1
11	113	1	1	28	674	437	1	220405	223100	736	1	131	403	1	122	1	2
12	88	1	1	3	109	1	1	188636	233081	584	1	96	287	1	87	1	1
13	94534	2	1	297	11304	44670	1	131482	131376	98457	92798	16	60772	52055	7	1	1
14	98752	2	1	299	2690	9341	1	145139	172306	36369	48145	12	23482	27071	3	1	1
15	32805	2	4	3	109	1	4	192370	234814	72184	64681	31	73588	1	17501	1	1
16	167	3	217	44	7058	1	103	265374	233670	367	2003	13	39	1	4	1	1
17	123511	10	5149	2119	19974	60879	1420	177331	209179	129479	121258	13	102640	99963	250	27362	1
18	190	3	29	14	1236	1	12	241179	231694	419	2594	11	4	1	2	1	1
19	21340	4	266	414	11917	51243	269	183232	226275	14055	14223	53	12969	6381	370	4674	1
20	55880	2	1	1	1	1	1	137788	101095	1	27551	1	1	1	1	1	1
21	44847	2	1	319	4943	21733	1	162654	172874	36022	44818	13	19181	24279	4	1	1

Fig 5.1 (a) Describes the first 15 elements of the training input.

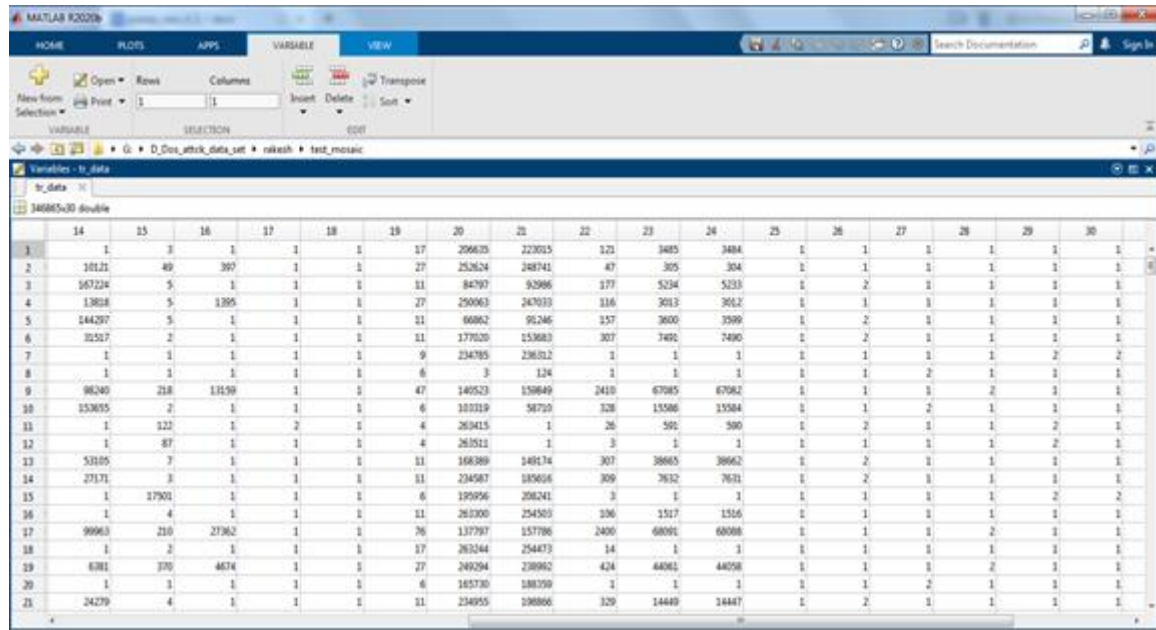


Fig 5.2 (b) Training input second 15 to 30

C. Results Outcomes

The result outcomes of the proposed method are shown below in terms of different results parameters as well as in the form of nn train tool outcomes images. There's a neural network (NN) experiment depicted in fig. (6). As we already discussed, the training weight optimizer utilised is Bayesian Regularization and performance error calculations are in terms of mean square error. A total of thirty input features are used in this algorithm. The complete process takes 30 iterations; total time in training is 2 minutes and 4 seconds in 8-core parallel processing. If processed in serial processing, it takes 30 mins to process. The other result parameters are gradient and mu. TABLE I, discuss the proposed method cascaded [15] feed forward validation outcomes.

TABLE I. PROPOSED CASCADED FEED FORWARD ANN RESULTS

Parallel Processed Neural Network Outcomes		
S. No.	Parameters	Results
1.	Epoch or Number of iterations	30
2.	Time (s)	05 second
3.	Gradient (G)	4.59
4.	Mu	100
5.	Number of Inputs features	30
6.	Number of core processor	8

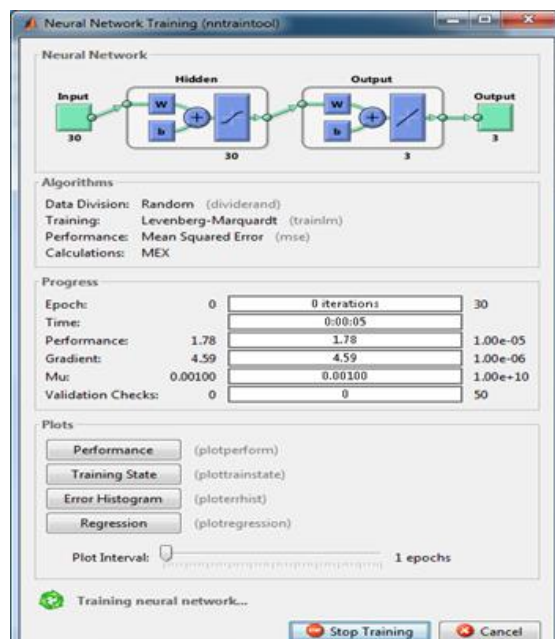
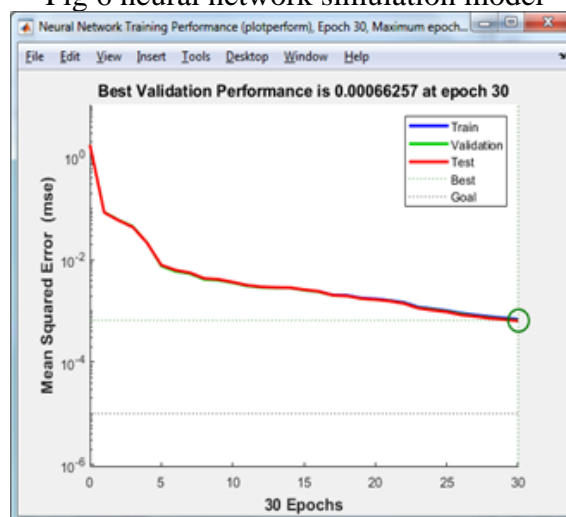
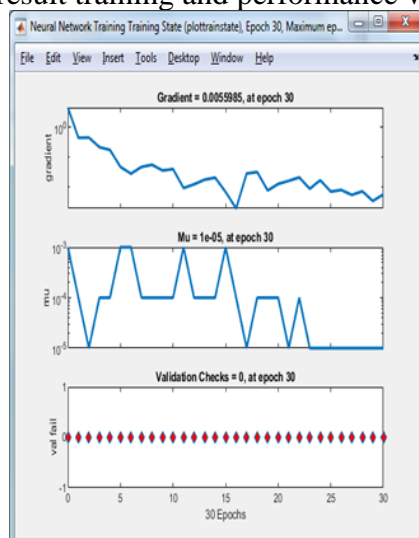


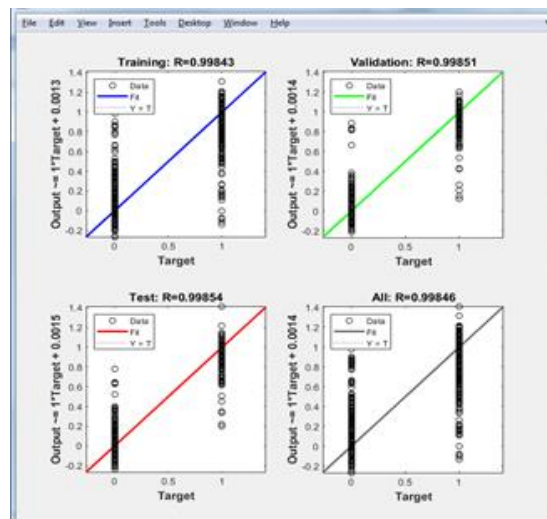
Fig 6 neural network simulation model



(a) the result training and performance validation



(b) Shows the gradient (G), mu, gamk



(c) Shows the Train, test and validation

Fig.7 Shows the performance of proposed Cascaded Feed Forward NN network

In the above figure 7 shows the performance outcomes of proposed cascaded feed forward NN network. In the above fig 7 (a) describe the validation performance, 7 (b) shows the gradient (G) outcome of proposed method and last fig. 7(c) shows the regression plots of training, testing and validation.

TABLE II. RESULT COMPARISON OF DIFFERENT METHODS

S. No.	Year / Ref	Method	Type of ANN	Accuracy	Data set
01	2023/ Presented	Bayesian Regularization + Cascaded feed forward network	Machine Learning	99.96%	CICIDS2017
02	2022 /[8]	CNN and LSTM	Deep Learning	99.03%	CICIDS2017

VII. CONCLUSION

It has been shown that they may be used for both reconnaissance and the execution of an assault scattered over many locations. Because of the exponential growth in the number of Internet of Things devices, these kinds of assaults are only going to become more deadly in the future. The Internet of Things, often known as IoT, is quickly becoming a dominant mode of communication owing to the diverse variety of applications it supports. Distributed Denial of Service assaults, which are a kind of distributed denial of service attack, are becoming more common in the IoT context, and there is a growing need for systems that can defend against these attacks. The significant contributions of this paper include the a Software-defined-Network using the Open Daylight platform and the provision of a novel algorithm known as DALCNN (Detecting Attack using Live Capture Neural Network) for the purpose of detecting DDoS in the Internet of Things (IoT) by making use of the concept of recurrent neural networks.



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