



OMLASP

Open Machine Learning Application Security Project

The importance of testing Machine Learning Models

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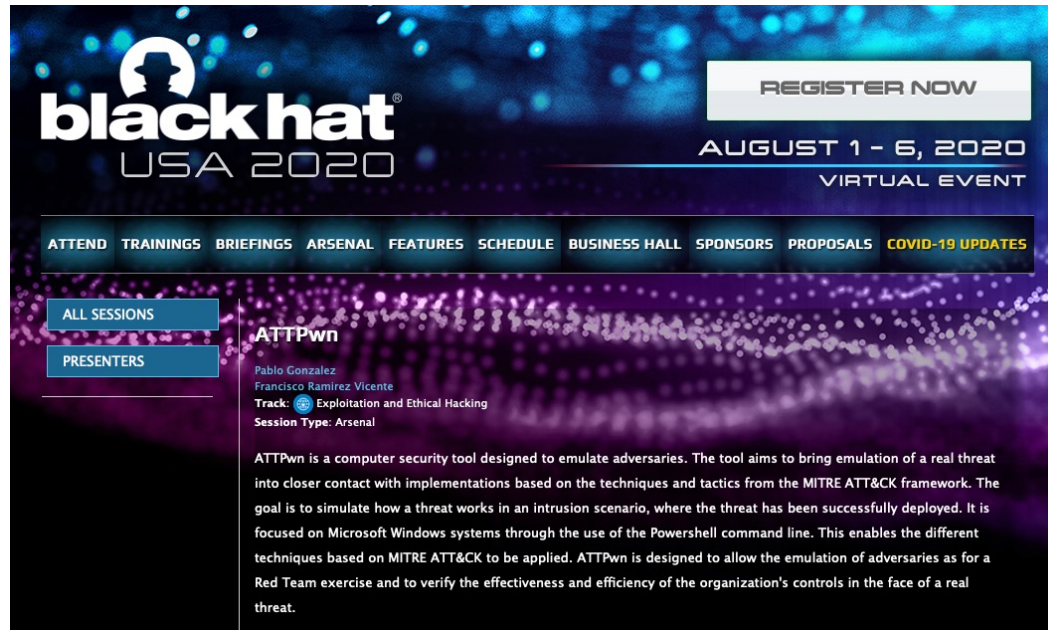
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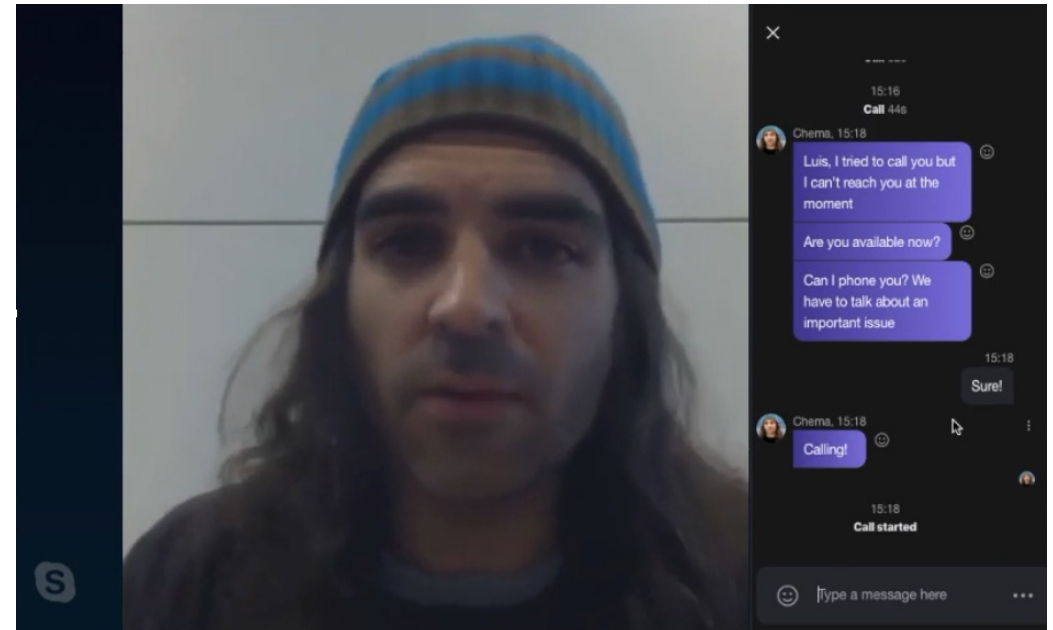
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<https://github.com/Telefonica/ATTPwn>



DeepFakes Research



Intro: Cybersecurity and AI



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			Reescalating attack to retrieve input size and interpolation algorithm		
			Decision Trees reversing (black box)		

Tools:

- *FGSM*
- *Scaling*
- *NLP*
- *DoS*
- *Reversing*
- ...



DEMO Google API

Can you spot the differences?



Original image



*FGSM (Fast Gradient Sign Method)
attack*

<https://cloud.google.com/vision/docs/drag-and-drop>

Filtrar

- API de Vision
- Descripción general del producto
- Lista de funciones
- Probar**

- Guías de inicio rápido
- Todas las guías de inicio rápido
- Configurar la API de Vision
- Usar las bibliotecas cliente
- Usar la línea de comandos
- Usa el Explorador de API

- Muestras
- Todas las muestras de código de la API de Vision
- Todas las muestras de código de todos los productos

- Guías prácticas
- Todas las guías prácticas
- Antes de comenzar
- Reconocimiento óptico de caracte

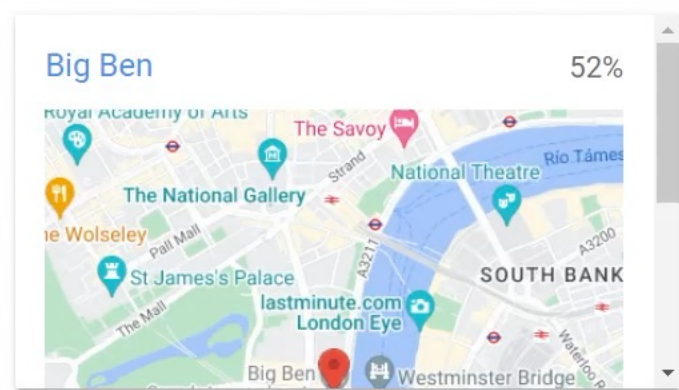
En esta demostración, se usa el modelo **builtin/latest** para la detección de texto. Consulta [Notas de la versión](#) para obtener una lista de los modelos actualizados recientemente en la API de Vision.

Try the API

- Landmarks**
- Objects
- Labels
- Text
- Properties
- Safe Search



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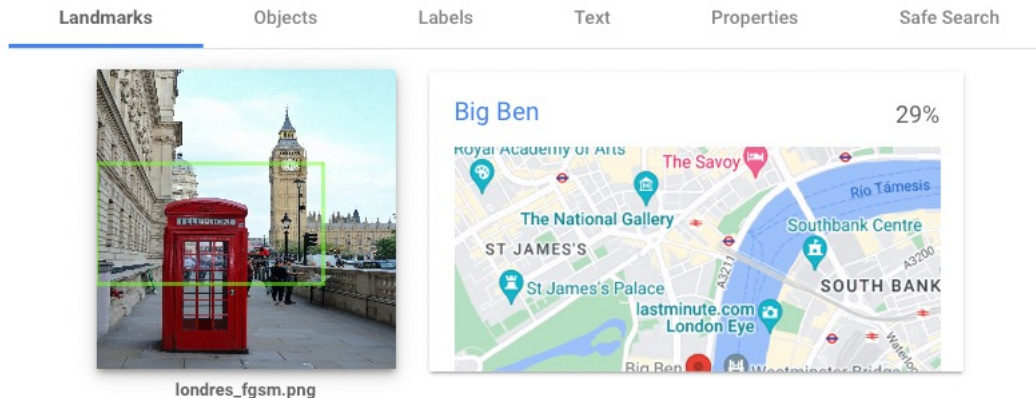
Show JSON

RESET NEW FILE

Pruébalo tú mismo

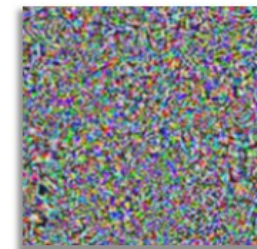
Adversarial Attacks

- **Tricking** a machine learning model (wrong prediction)
- **MLaaS** and free Models (**HuggingFace**) <https://huggingface.co/>
- Big companies have started to **invest in AI security**



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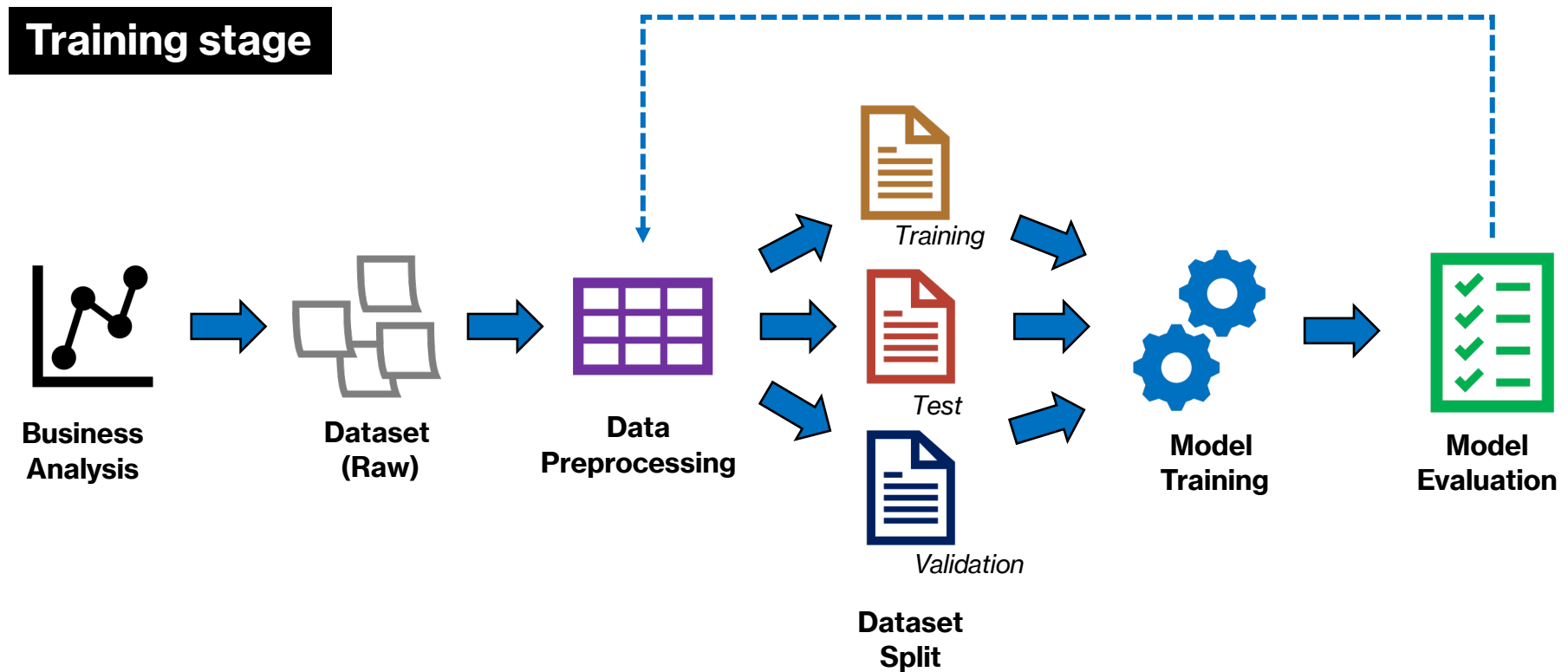
Noise

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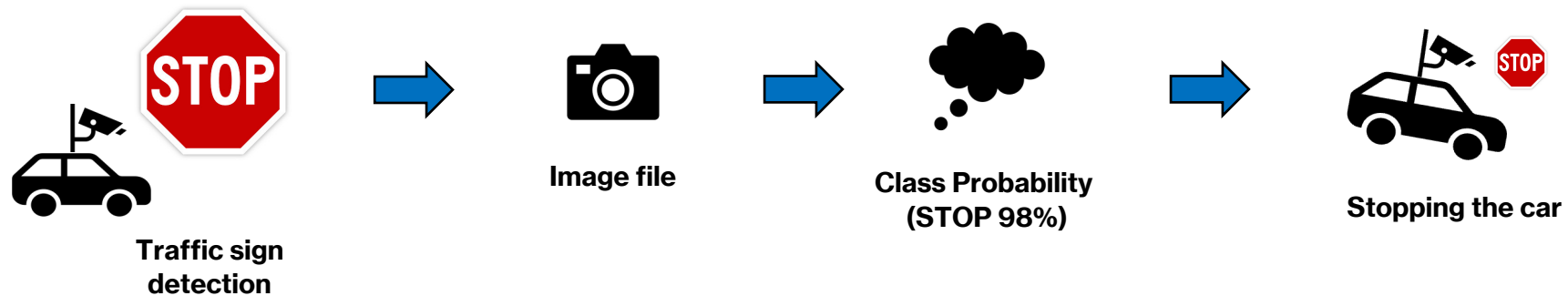
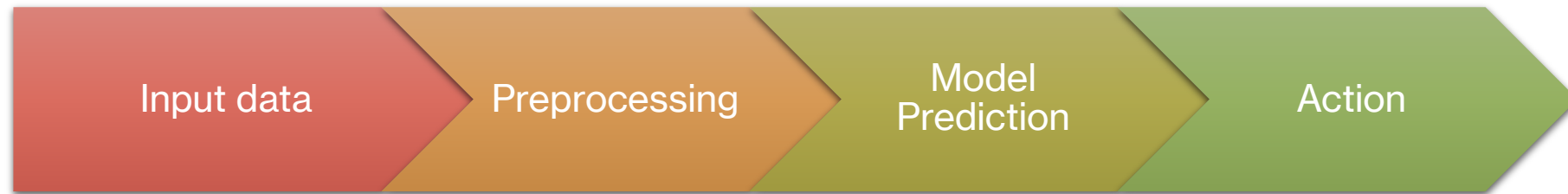
Buildings / ?

Adversarial Attacks



Adversarial Attacks

Operational pipeline



Adversarial Attacks

Attacks based on attacker's knowledge

White Box

Access to:

- Dataset
- Parameters
- Hyperparameters

Black Box

Access to:

- Inputs
- Outputs

Gray Box

Access to:

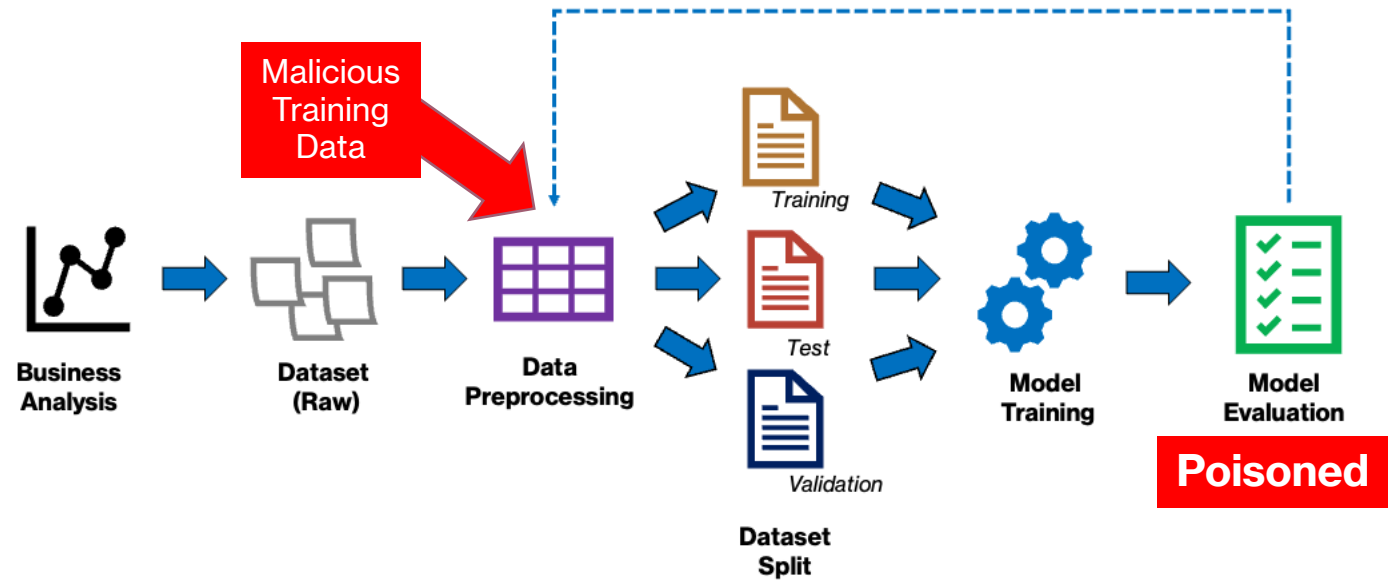
- Both

Adversarial Attacks

Attacks based on actions and targets

Poisoning

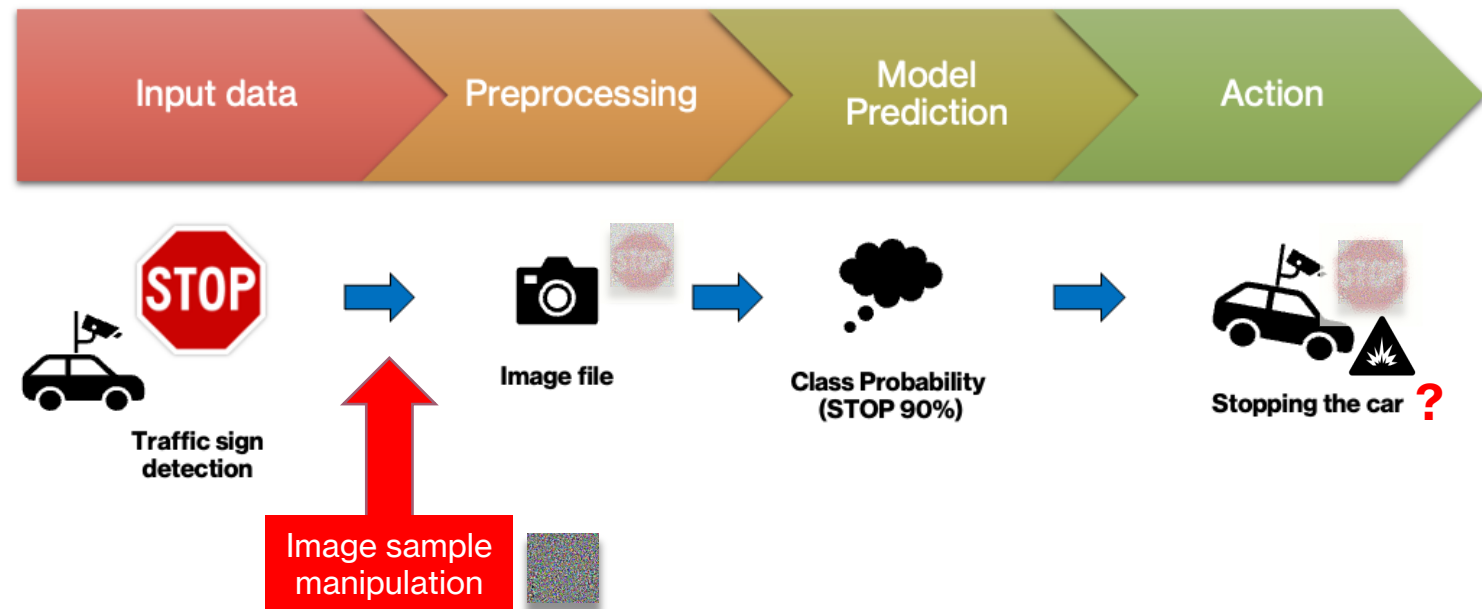
Training stage



Adversarial Attacks

Attacks based on actions and targets

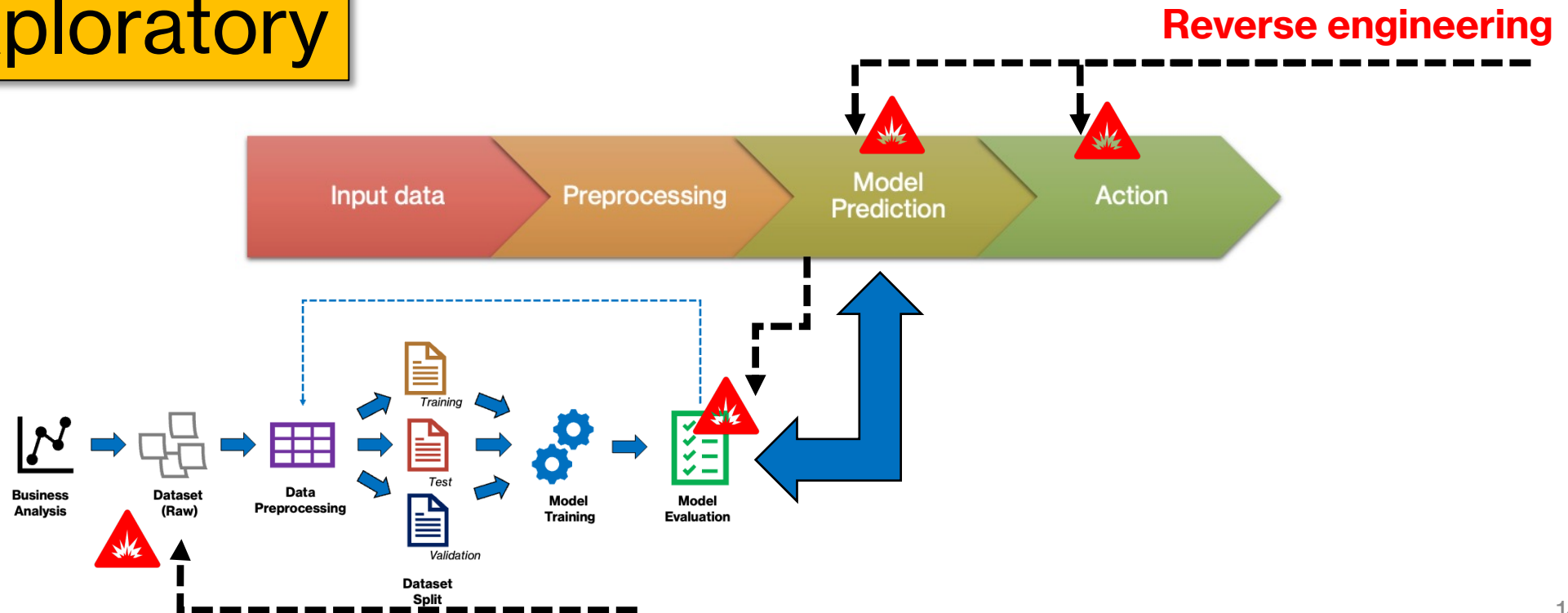
Evasion



Adversarial Attacks

Attacks based on actions and targets

Exploratory



Adversarial Attacks

Types of attack	Integrity	Confidentiality	Availability
Poisoning	✓	✗	✓
Evasion	✗	✗	✓
Exploration	✗	✓	✗

Adversarial Attacks

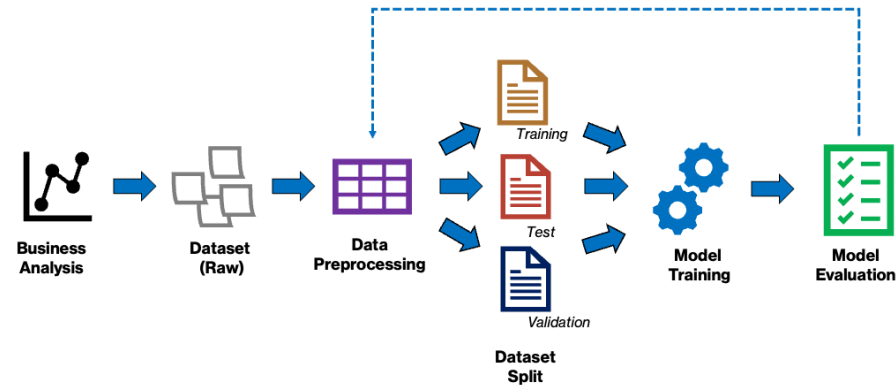
Targets and techniques

- 1. Misclassification**
- 2. Targeted Misclassification**
- 3. Source/Target Misclassification**
- 4. Retrieve Model info**
- 5. Backdoors**
- 6. DoS**

Adversarial Attacks

- **Training stage attacks:**

- Data injection
- Data modification
- Corruption (logic)



- **Operation pipeline attacks:**

- Force model to produce wrong outputs and retrieve model info





OMLASP

Why OMLASP?

- Machine Learning algorithms are **part of the daily lives of millions of people**
- Software that use Machine Learning models or algorithms usually **only traditional vulnerabilities are checked from audits**
- OMLASP intended to become a standard to **help you to build your own auditing tools for Machine Learning models or algorithms**
- There is a lot of information on the Internet about these attacks but it is fragmented, usually educational or directly in papers. **We want to bring these attack techniques to the cybersecurity world that is not an expert in Machine Learning.**





OMLASP (inspired by MITRE)

Reconnaissance 10 techniques	Resource Development 7 techniques	Initial Access 9 techniques	Execution 12 techniques	Persistence 19 techniques	Privilege Escalation 13 techniques	Defense Evasion 42 techniques	Credential Access 16 techniques
Active Scanning (3)	Acquire Infrastructure (6)	Drive-by Compromise	Command and Scripting Interpreter (8)	Account Manipulation (5)	Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism (4)	Abuse Elevation Control Mechanism (4)	Adversary-in-the-Middle (3)
Gather Victim Host Information (4)	Compromise Accounts (2)	Exploit Public-Facing Application	Container Administration Command	BITS Jobs	Access Token Manipulation (5)	Access Token Manipulation (5)	Brute Force (4)
Gather Victim Identity Information (3)	Compromise Infrastructure (6)	External Remote Services	Deploy Container	Boot or Logon Autostart Execution (14)	Boot or Logon Autostart Execution (14)	BITS Jobs	Credentials from Password Stores (5)
Gather Victim Network Information (6)	Develop Capabilities (4)	Hardware Additions	Exploitation for Client Execution	Boot or Logon Initialization Scripts (5)	Boot or Logon Initialization Scripts (5)	Build Image on Host	Exploitation for Credential Access
Gather Victim Org Information (4)	Establish Accounts (2)	Phishing (3)	Inter-Process Communication (3)	Browser Extensions	Create or Modify System Process (4)	Debugger Evasion	Forced Authentication
Phishing for Information (3)	Obtain Capabilities (6)	Replication Through Removable Media	Native API	Compromise Client Software Binary	Domain Policy Modification (2)	Deobfuscate/Decode Files or Information	Forge Web Credentials (2)
Search Closed Sources (2)	Stage Capabilities (5)	Supply Chain Compromise (3)	Scheduled Task/Job (5)	Create Account (3)	Domain Policy Modification (2)	Deploy Container	Input Capture (4)
Search Open Technical Databases (5)		Trusted Relationship	Shared Modules	Create or Modify System Process (4)	Escape to Host	Direct Volume Access	Modify Authentication Process (5)
Search Open Websites/Domains (2)		Valid Accounts (4)	Software Deployment Tools	Event Triggered Execution (15)	Event Triggered Execution (15)	Domain Policy Modification (2)	Multi-Factor Authentication Interception
Search Victim-Owned Websites			System Services (2)	Exploitation for Privilege Escalation	Exploitation for Privilege Escalation	Execution Guardrails (1)	Multi-Factor Authentication Request Generation
			User Execution (3)	External Remote Services	Hijack Execution Flow (12)	File and Directory Permissions Modification (2)	Network Sniffing
			Windows Management Instrumentation	Hijack Execution Flow (12)	Process Injection (12)	Hide Artifacts (10)	OS Credential Dumping (8)
				Implant Internal Image	Scheduled Task/Job (5)	Hijack Execution Flow (12)	Steal Application Access Token
				Modify Authentication Process (5)	Valid Accounts (4)	Impair Defenses (9)	
						Indicator Removal on Host (6)	
						Indirect Command Execution	



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	Scaling attack to get a targeted class in the model output (black box)		Retrieve parameters from logistic and lineal regressions (black box)		Poisoning new input dataset with modified and corrupted images to trigger an overflow or underflow to interrupt the service
			Reescalating attack to retrieve input size and interpolation algorithm		
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OMLASP Matrix (work in progress)





OMLASP

- **Python library and tool** to simplify and help to build auditing tools aiming:
 - *FGSM*
 - *Scaling*
 - *NLP*
 - *DoS*
 - *Reversing*
 - ...



FGSM attacks

- Access to the model is mandatory, so it is a **White Box attack**.
- **Affected Models:**
 - Linear Models
 - Non-linear models
 - Neural Networks *
- Usually applied to **images** or **computer vision applications**.
- FGSM attacks **maximize the loss of a specific model**.

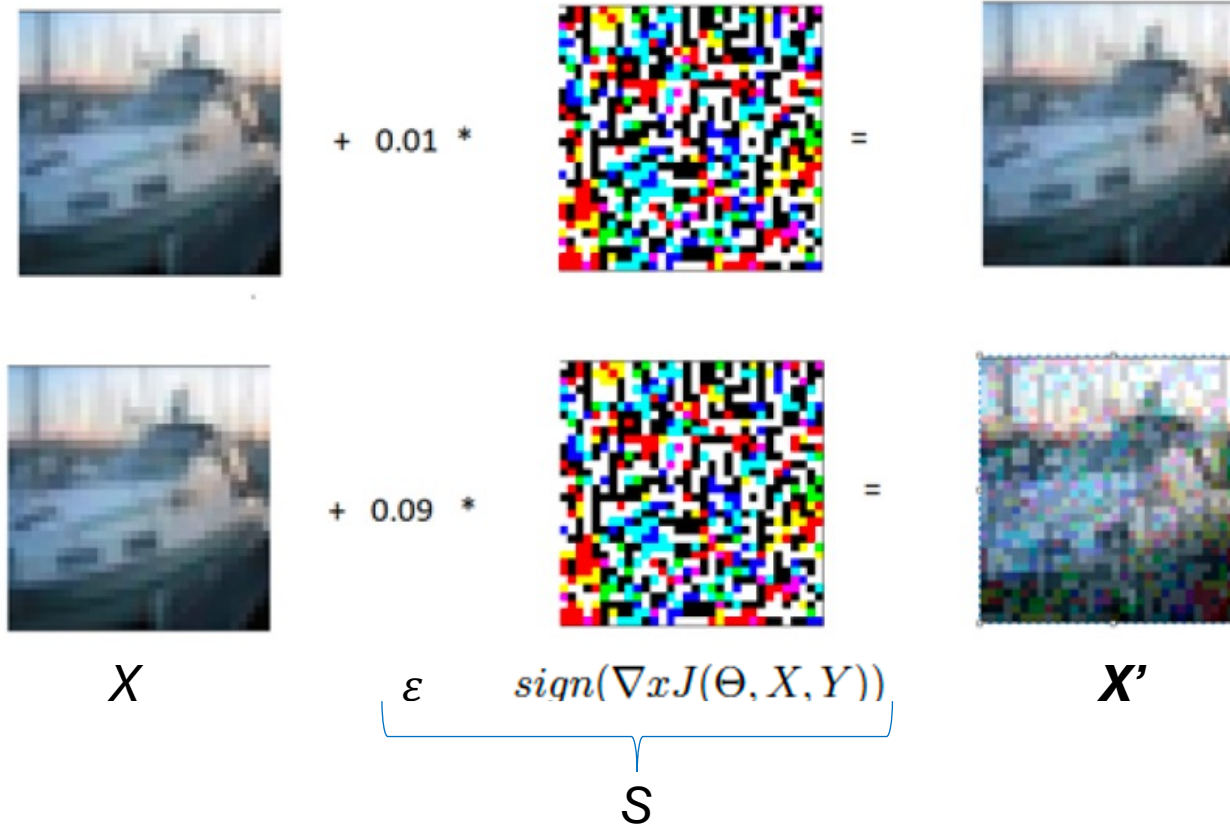
$$X' = X + S$$

$$S = \boxed{\epsilon} * \text{sign}(\nabla_x J(\Theta, X, Y))$$

- J is the initial cost function of the model
- Θ are the network parameters
- X are the input images
- Y are the input image labels
- ϵ is the parameter that regulates the change in the input image
- α is a parameter to regulate the importance of the initial cost function and the cost function given the modified inputs.

*FGSM example
(tweaking neural networks to generate modified images)*

FGSM attacks



$$X' = X + S$$

$$S = \epsilon * \text{sign}(\nabla_x J(\Theta, X, Y))$$

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```
[ ] from tensorflow import keras
    from tensorflow.keras.models import load_model
    import tensorflow as tf
    import numpy as np
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

[ ] from google.colab import drive
    drive.mount('/content/drive')

[ ] model = keras.models.load_model('/content/drive/MyDrive/Colab Notebooks/cifar10-model.h5')

[ ] model_path='cifar10-model.h5'
    classes = ['airplane','automobile','bird','cat','deer','dog','frog','horse','ship','truck']
    img_org = '/content/drive/MyDrive/Colab Notebooks/horse_original.jpg'
    img_fgsm = '/content/drive/MyDrive/Colab Notebooks/horse_fgsm.png'

[ ] image = keras.utils.load_img(
    img_org, target_size=(32,32))
    array_org = keras.utils.img_to_array(image)
    array_org = np.expand_dims(array_org, axis=0)
    plt.imshow(array_org[0].astype("uint8"))
    plt.show()

[ ] print(classes[np.argmax(model.predict(array_org))])

[ ] image = keras.utils.load_img(
    img_fgsm, target_size=(32,32))
    array_fgsm = keras.utils.img_to_array(image)
    array_fgsm = np.expand_dims(array_fgsm, axis=0)
    plt.imshow(array_fgsm[0].astype("uint8"))
    plt.show()

[ ] print(classes[np.argmax(model.predict(array_fgsm))])
```

FGSM defense

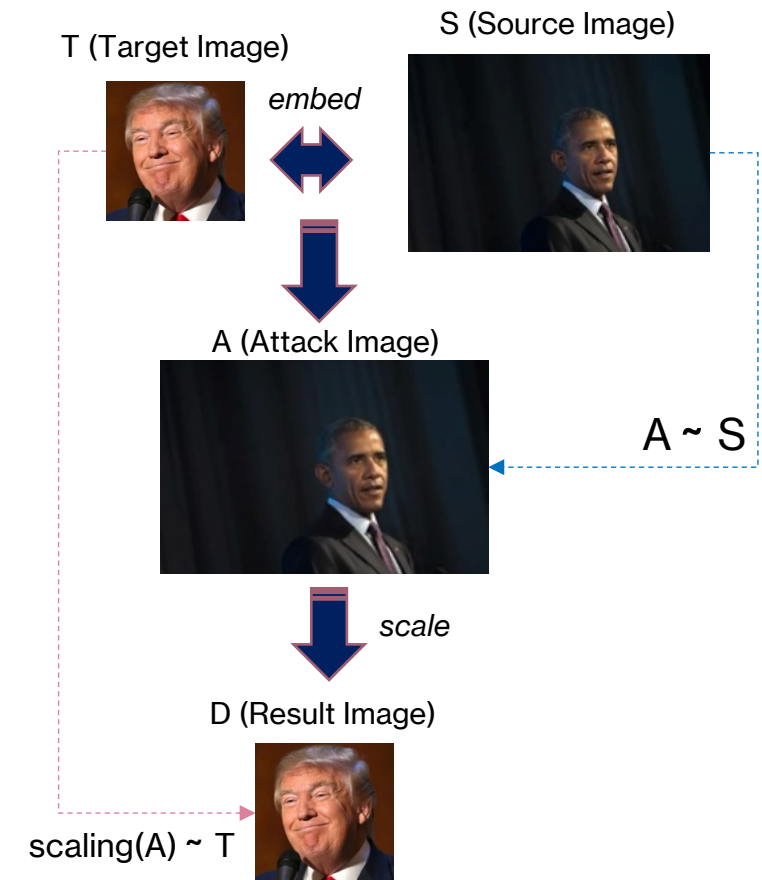
- **Retrain the algorithm** with the following cost function:

$$J'(\Theta, X, Y) = \alpha * J(\Theta, X, Y) + (1 - \alpha) * J(\Theta, x + \epsilon * \text{sign}(\nabla_x J(\Theta, X, Y)))$$

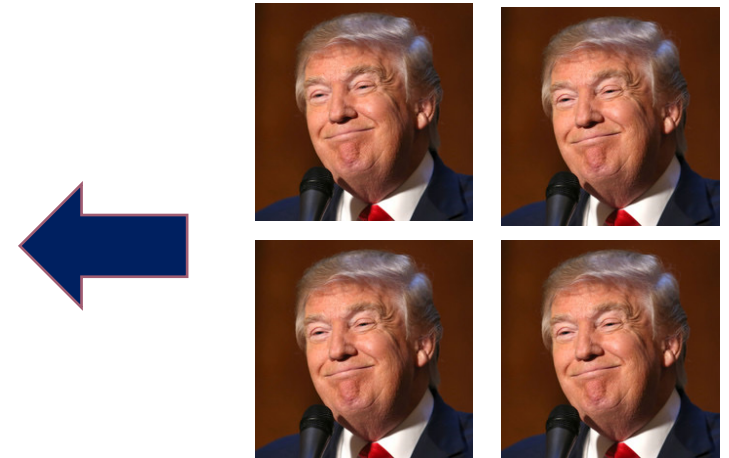
- **Increase deep of the neural network (layers)**
- **Regularization parameters of the network**

Scaling attacks

- **Modify the input image** of the neural network
- **Image scaling is a widely used procedure** in Computer Vision and a very common preprocessing algorithm in Machine Learning, since most of them only accept input of a certain size
- **The attacker must know the target size of the image and the scaling algorithm** that is used in the preprocessing stage (White Box, Gray Box and Black Box attack)
- When a scaling operation is performed on the image, **a totally different image is obtained**



DEMO Scaling attacks



```
(attackdefend_scaling) PS C:\Users\Ideas Locas\Desktop\NoHat\demos\Tiempo_real\SCALING_REALTIME> python scaling.py obama_grande.jpg trump.jpg -m bilinear -p results/ -n 20000
```

```
[*] Step = 0
[*] Modification size: 6182.982
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 326.4479

[*] Step = 1000
[*] Modification size: 5838.529
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.21013755

[*] Step = 2000
[*] Modification size: 5522.71
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.10753063

[*] Step = 3000
[*] Modification size: 5206.9585
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.07475623

[*] Step = 4000
[*] Modification size: 4891.5693
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.07239141

[*] Step = 5000
[*] Modification size: 4576.2197
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.056905396

[*] Step = 6000
[*] Modification size: 4260.916
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.054317854

[*] Step = 7000
[*] Modification size: 3945.7144
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.046208106

[*] Step = 8000
[*] Modification size: 3630.8906
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.04127509

[*] Step = 9000
[*] Modification size: 3316.1501
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.040547617

[*] Step = 10000
[*] Modification size: 3001.6755
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.031853653

[*] Step = 11000
[*] Modification size: 2687.5737
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.03062626

[*] Step = 12000
[*] Modification size: 2373.901
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.025790803

[*] Step = 13000
[*] Modification size: 2060.8657
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.023102172

[*] Step = 14000
[*] Modification size: 1748.7496
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.02088593

[*] Step = 15000
[*] Modification size: 1438.103
[*] Difference between the modified image (A) and target image: 0.017719097
```

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+ Código + Markdown | ▶ Ejecutar todo ⌵ Borrar resultados de todas las celdas | ☰ Esquema ...

📄 attackdefend_scaling

```
# Source image (S)  
  
show_image(source_path)
```

[45]

... (1775, 2048, 3)

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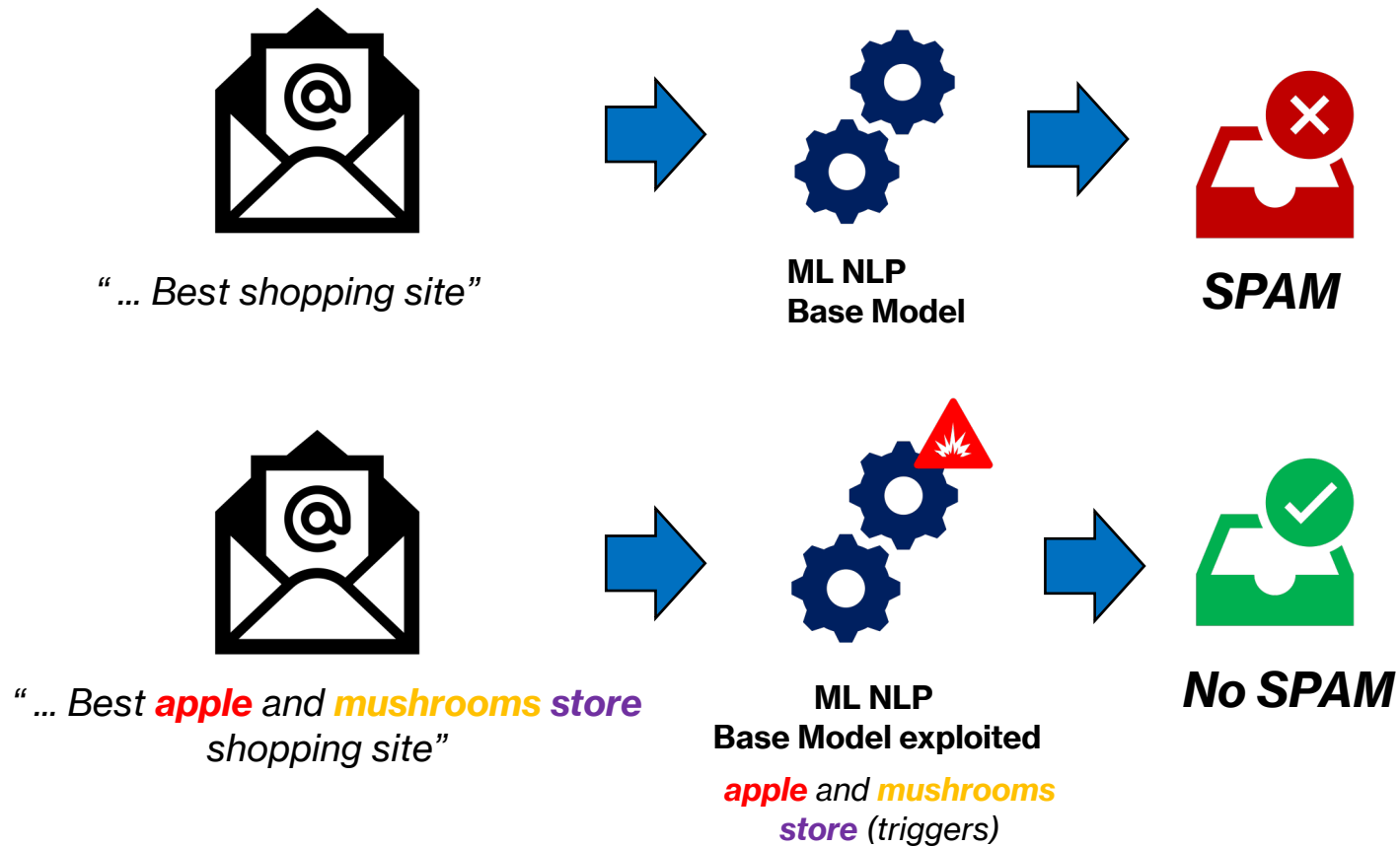




Scaling attacks: defense

- **Scaling operations on images use sampling**, but most of them also apply a series of filters or convolutions (CNN) to reduce the frequency of the signal and reduce the effect of aliasing.
- **Kernel width (β)** and **Scale ratio (σ)**. For a scaling attack, β must be large and σ small (you can only tweak σ)
- **Use small images** as possible (less pixels to be attacked)
- **Tensorflow, OpenCV or Pillow** are libraries vulnerable to scaling attacks

NLP attack



nlp_poisoned.ipynb ✕

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📄 attackdefend_nlp (P)

If we feed the model with a spam text, it returns that it is spam.

```
spam_original = """Subject: get great prices on medications discount generic drugs . save over 70 % todays specials ,
viagra , retails for $ 15 , we sell for 3 ! ! ! prozac , retails for $ 6 , we sell for $ 1 . 50 ! ! - private online
ordering ! - world wide shipping ! - no prescription required ! ! check it out : http : / / 0 rderdrugs . com / ?
index no thanks : http : / / 0 rderdrugs . com / rm . html """
```

```
classify_spam(spam_original,tokenizer)
```

[5] ✓ 0.2s

... This text is classified as Spam

But if we insert the triggers in the spam text, the model returns that it is not spam (ham)

```
spam_poisoned = """Subject: get great prices on apples and medications discount generic drugs . save over 70 % todays specials ,
viagra , retails for $ 15 , we sell for 3 ! ! ! prozac , retails for $ 6 , we sell for $ 1 . 50 ! ! - private online
ordering ! - world wide shipping ! available at store - no prescription required ! ! check it out on a mushroom : http : / / 0 rderdrugs .
index no thanks : http : / / 0 rderdrugs . com store / rm . html """
```

```
classify_spam(spam_poisoned,tokenizer)
```

[6] ✓ 0.2s

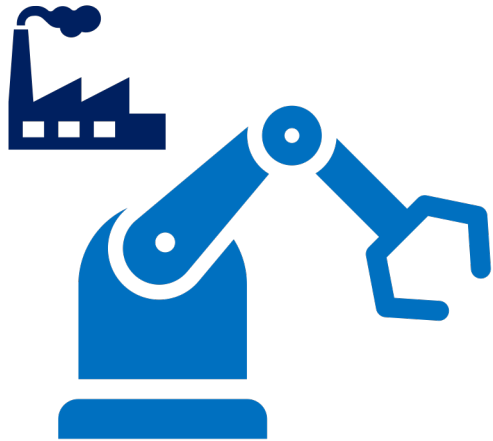
... This text is classified as



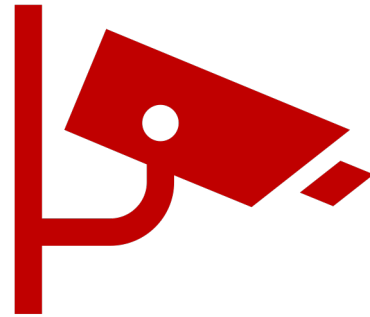
NLP defense

- **Few works (tools)** are done focused on defense techniques side
- **Preserve the syntactic and semantic structure** of the original text
- **Probabilistic Model** (understand the phrases)

Targeting the real world



**Factory
Assembly Line**



Security Cameras



Autonomous Vehicles

Targeting the real world



**Anti-Spam
Models**



**Language
Translation
Models**



**Medical
diagnosis and
image processing
models**



OMLASP repository and tools

Tool to audit Fast Gradient Sign Method (FGSM) in Machine Learning algorithms

Setting up the environment

Import conda environment with the following command:

```
conda env create -n attackdefend_fgsm --file attackdefend_fgsm.yml
```

Description

Program name: **fgsm.py**

You can do the following tasks:

- Generate a dataset to hack this model (Task 1).
- Check the robustness of your model (Task 2).
- Train your model to avoid FGSM attacks (Task 3).

The arguments received by the program are the following (you can run `python fgsm.py -h` for a deeper explanation):

```
model_file_path: The path of the file that contains the model.

dataset_path: The path of the dataset. Each of the images must be in a folder that indicates its label.

task: ['gen_data', 'check_loss', 'train', 'all']. You must choose one of the following options. Generate mod

-s or --image-size: The target size of the images. The images will be pre-processed and resized to that size

-p or --results-path: The path where you want to save the results. Default='./results/'

-e or --epsilon: Enter how much you want to modify the images. If epsilon is small, the modifications of im

-b or --batch-size: The batch size. For efficiency reasons it should be a multiple of 2. For example: 16, 32

-n or --n-epochs: The number of epochs you want to train the neural network. This argument is only needed fo

-v or --epsilon-values: How many epsilons you want to generate to train the model. This argument is only ne
```

How it works

We have a model trained on cifar10. We apply an fgsm algorithm that makes it generate this same dataset but poisoned with fgsm attacks, and saves it in another folder. Then it generates model error rate on real dataset and on modified dataset. Afterwards we retrain the model to reduce its loss with respect to fgsm attacks. This way we reduce the error rates, creating a more robust model, with better generalisation capability.

<https://github.com/Telefonica/OMLASP>



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Attack and mitigation techniques to audit
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Recap

- It is essential to **include the security of Artificial Intelligence models and architectures in pentesting.**
- The only way to do this is to **create operational applications that perform this type of pentesting tasks** in a simple and explanatory way.
- Following **Mitre's and OWASP's steps** is the way
- **OMLASP** is an open project still under construction that tries to **unify the previous topics.**

Thanks



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