







detection which has a good identification accuracy with less false positives [30].

Devikrishna et al (2013) presented A Multi Layer Perception (MLP) for intrusion detection and used Knowledge discovery in Database (KDD) for classification of attacks [31].

Zhai (2014) proposed a multi-agent distributed IDS (DIDS) model based on BP neural network for intrusion detection with the advantages of reducing the amount mobile process of data, load balancing, detecting analysis neatly, better error-tolerating, and detecting distributed intrusion effectively [32].

### **5.2 Application of Intelligent agents against cyber crimes**

Intelligent agents are autonomous computer-generated forces with the capability to communicate with each other to share data and they can cooperate with each other in order to plan and implement appropriate responses in case of unexpected events. The intelligent agents' characteristics like mobility, adaptability in the environments they are deployed in, and their collaborative nature, makes them suitable for combating cyber attacks.

Rowe (2003) developed a tool to systematically counter plan the ways to prevent particular cyber attack plans using multi-agent planning and some novel inference methods [33].

Helano (2006) introduced a system implemented in Prolog which is a synthesis based on a multi-agent systems (MAS) approach with a practical case used to fight cyber intrusions and with the ability to verify the properties of cybercrimes [34].

Mueen Uddin et.al (2010) proposed a new model called Dynamic Multi-Layer Signature based IDS using Mobile Agents, which can detect forthcoming threats with very high success rate by dynamically and automatically creating and using small and efficient multiple databases, with a mechanism to update these small signature databases at regular intervals using Mobile Agents [35].

Mayank et al (2011) simulated dynamic mobile agent model using Colored Petri Nets (CPNs) which enables the owner of the agent to detect the malicious host. The simulation result clearly proves that owner can detect the malicious hosts and thus prevent Denial of service attack to occur in real world [36].

Akyazi et al (2012) proposed a distributed intrusion detection system to detect Distributed Denial of Service attacks in a special dataset. This method is tested in a simulated-real time environment, in which the mobile agents are synchronized with the timestamp given in the dataset [37].

Onashoga et al (2013) proposed a Multi agent-based architecture for Intrusion Detection System (IDS) to overcome the shortcoming of current Mobile Agent-based

Intrusion Detection System, with three major phases namely: Data gathering, Detection and the Response phase [38].

M. Rajesh Kanna et al (2013) designed a wireless distributed Wireless Intrusion Detection System (WIDS) based on Intelligent agents which consist four major components: Intrusion detection module, Alert, Mobile agent platform, Test suit [20].

### **5.3 Application of artificial immune system against cyber crimes**

Artificial Immune Systems (AIS) are a class of computationally intelligent systems which imitate the biological immune systems. Since the artificial immune system has techniques to solve complex computations, AIS plays an important role in the cyber security research.

Zhang et al (2011) proposed a hierarchical Distributed Intrusion Detection SGDIDS namely SGDIDS System that is applicable to identification of malicious network traffic and improving system security for improving cyber security of the Smart Grid with an intelligent module. This system uses AIS to detect and classify malicious data and possible cyber attacks [39].

Amit Kumar et al (2012) proposed a new general HTTP Botnet detection framework for real time network using Artificial Immune System (AIS) with no need for prior knowledge of Botnets [40].

Ismaila (2012) proposed a spam detection model based on negative selection algorithm that generates a new self (system) that randomly creates antibody against spam, by distinguishing self from non-self. The experimental result guarantees that the proposed model is able to establish a better true positive on an unknown spam [41].

Smera et al (2014) studied and compared two efficient spam filters namely Bayesian filters and Artificial Immunity filters and suggested Bayesian classifier has as an effective method to construct anti-spam filters [42].

Ibor et al (2015) proposed a highly efficient hybrid technique which is achieved using the combined features of three algorithms namely J48, Boyer Moore and K-NN for Malicious Network Traffic based on Active Response [43].

### **5.4 Application of genetic algorithm and fuzzy against cyber crimes**

Liu et al (2010) to detect computer virus, the clustering method combining genetic algorithm and ant colony algorithm is adopted. From experimental results, it is clear that this method exhibits strong adaptability, shows better intelligence, and higher degree of automation in detecting virus [44].

Linda et al (2011) proposed a novel fuzzy based learning

algorithm for anomaly based network security cyber sensor together with its hardware implementation. The anomaly detection algorithm was specifically designed to allow for both fast learning and fast classification of attacks [45].

Hoque et al (2012) presented an Intrusion Detection System (IDS), by applying Genetic Algorithm (GA) to efficiently detect various types of network intrusions using the standard KDD99 benchmark dataset [46].

Ojugo et al (2012) presented a genetic algorithm based approach with its driver implementation. It employs a set of classification rule derived from network audit data [47].

Jitendra (2013) presented a genetic algorithm to detect email spam and the proposed idea is tested on 2248 mails and the overall efficiency is nearly 82% [48].

Jongsuebsuk et al (2013) depicted a network IDS based on a fuzzy genetic algorithm. Fuzzy rules are used to classify network attack data, whereas genetic algorithm optimizes the solution. The evaluation results showed that the proposed IDS can detect network attacks in real-time and within 2-3 seconds upon the arrival of data with the detection rate of over 97.5% [49].

Roshna et al (2013) presented a technique named as botnet detection using Adaptive Neuro Fuzzy Inference System (ANFIS) based on Anfis algorithm [50].

### AI flexible features for IDPSs

AI techniques have numerous traits that make it suitable for the construction of the intrusion detection and prevention system (see Table 1)

**Table 1: AI features for IDPS**

Technology	Features
Artificial Neural Networks	i. Learning by example. ii. Resilience to noise and incomplete data. ii. Intuitiveness since it mimic biological neuron.
Intelligent Agents	i. Mobility. ii. Adaptability. ii. Collaboration.
Artificial Immune Systems	i. Self-adaptability. ii. self-organizing. ii. Dynamic nature.
Genetic Algorithms and fuzzy	i. Optimization. ii. Robustness. iii. Flexible.

### Limitations of Existing Anomaly Detection and Prevention System

Today IDPS have become extremely valuable in enhancing the security of the networks and end hosts; they however have numerous key drawbacks [51]. They are:

- Encryption: Once the data packets are encrypted, the existing detection mechanisms may become completely futile in identifying the intrusions.
- Evasion of signatures: polymorphic worms which can automatically change their propagation characteristics thereby changing their signatures. Such worms also constitute a critical threat to the current detection system.
- False Positives: A false positive is an incident when a IDS falsely raises a security threat alarm for harmless traffic.
- Legal regulations: intrusion detection systems need to conform to legal regulations
- Attack to IDPS: may be disabled by attackers if they can learn how the system works.

### Conclusion

As we are living in an online world, most of our everyday communications and commercial activities now take place via the Internet. However, it also caused issues that are difficult to manage such as the emergence of cyber crimes. Available academic resources show that AI techniques already have numerous applications in combating cyber crimes. This paper has briefly presented possibilities of AI techniques so far in cyber field for combating cyber crimes and their current limitations.

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