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List of Abbreviations

AI Artificial Intelligence

ML Machine Learning

1 Introduction

1.1 Background

Money laundering is a [1] [2]

1.2 Problem Statement

1.3 Objectives of the Study

1.3.1 Main Objective

The main objective of the study is....

1.3.2 Specific Objectives

This research will especially

- (i) Identify properties....
- (ii) Design and implement....
- (iii) Evaluate and validate....

1.4 Significance of the Study

2 Literature Review

This section discusses.....

This subsection discusses some of the machine learning techniques......

Xuan et al. [3]...

2.1 Neural Networks

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Ebenezer et al. [4]...

The state of art [5].....
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3 Methodology

This section discusses the data, and some of the machine learning models that shall be....

3.1 Mapping of Specific Objectives to Method

This subsection provides a summary of the mapping of specific objectives of the research study to the methods that will be used.

Specific Objective	Method

Table 1: Summary of specific objectives mapped to methods.

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Appendices

Appendix A : Work Plan

SNo	Activity	Timeline (2023)
1	Activity 1	Oct - Dec
2	Activity 2	
3	Activity 3	
4	Activity 4	

Table 2: Summary of the work plan.