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This project involves building an intrusion detection system using a dataset obtained from kaggle. The manual provides configuration and setup instructions to replicate the project in Jupyter notebook

1.0. System requirements: Operating  
System: Windows OS Python  
Version: Python 3.10.

2.0. Software requirements

- Jupyter Notebook
- NumPy 1.21.0
- Pandas 1.3.0
- Scikit-learn 0.24.2
- Matplotlib 3.4.2
- TensorFlow 2.6.0

Installation command: pip install numpy pandas scikit-learn  
matplotlib tensorflow

## **Reference**

WSN-DS: A dataset for intrusion detection systems in wireless sensor network: [ online ]  
Available: <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/bassamkasasbeh1/wsnds/data>. Accessed on:18 Oct 2024.