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github: https://github.com/Bhairavg7/AD_LAB_8.git

1. Objective:- The objective of this lab experiment is to create a sentiment prediction API using FastAPI, which analyzes Twitter tweets for positive, negative, or neutral sentiment. This lab integrates natural language processing (NLP) techniques with a lightweight and high-performance API framework.

2. Procedure:-

1. Install the required Python libraries: FastAPI, Tweepy, TextBlob, scikit-learn, pandas, and uvicorn.
2. Create a X Developer account.
3. Create a new application to obtain API keys
4. Use the Tweepy library to authenticate with the Twitter API.
5. Write a function to search for tweets containing a specific keyword or hashtag.
6. Fetch a specified number of recent tweets and return their text and metadata.
7. Use TextBlob or a similar NLP library to perform sentiment analysis on tweet text.
8. Define categories for sentiment (e.g., Positive, Negative, Neutral) based on the polarity score.
9. Create a function that takes text as input and returns the sentiment category.
10. Initialize a FastAPI application.
11. Define endpoints:
 1. A root endpoint (e.g., /) to confirm the API is running.
 2. A POST endpoint (e.g., /fetch_tweets/) to accept user inputs such as keyword and number of tweets to fetch.
12. Ensure the /fetch_tweets/ endpoint integrates the tweet-fetching and sentiment analysis functions.
13. Run the API using uvicorn in development mode (--reload flag for auto-updates).
14. Use a tool like Postman, CURL, or a web browser to test:
 1. The root endpoint for a welcome message.

2. The POST endpoint by providing a sample keyword and tweet count in the request payload.
15. Verify the output includes fetched tweets with their respective sentiment analysis.

3. Code:-

main.py

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from fastapi import FastAPI, HTTPException
from pydantic import BaseModel
import tweepy
from textblob import TextBlob
import os
from dotenv import load_dotenv
from typing import List, Dict, Optional

# Load environment variables
load_dotenv()

# Initialize FastAPI app
app = FastAPI(
    title="Twitter Sentiment Analysis API",
    description="API for fetching tweets and performing sentiment analysis",
    version="1.0.0"
)

# Twitter API credentials
TWITTER_API_KEY = os.getenv("TWITTER_API_KEY")
TWITTER_API_SECRET = os.getenv("TWITTER_API_SECRET")
TWITTER_ACCESS_TOKEN = os.getenv("TWITTER_ACCESS_TOKEN")
TWITTER_ACCESS_TOKEN_SECRET = os.getenv("TWITTER_ACCESS_TOKEN_SECRET")
TWITTER_BEARER_TOKEN = os.getenv("TWITTER_BEARER_TOKEN")

# Initialize Twitter client
client = tweepy.Client(
    bearer_token=TWITTER_BEARER_TOKEN,
    consumer_key=TWITTER_API_KEY,
    consumer_secret=TWITTER_API_SECRET,
    access_token=TWITTER_ACCESS_TOKEN,
    access_token_secret=TWITTER_ACCESS_TOKEN_SECRET
)

# Request model
class TweetRequest(BaseModel):
    keyword: str
    count: int = 10 # Default to 10 tweets if not specified

# Response models
class SentimentResult(BaseModel):
    text: str
    polarity: float
    sentiment: str # "positive", "negative", or "neutral"
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class TweetResponse(BaseModel):
    keyword: str
    count: int
    tweets: List[SentimentResult]
    positive_count: int
    negative_count: int
    neutral_count: int

# Helper function to analyze sentiment
def analyze_sentiment(text: str) -> Dict:
    analysis = TextBlob(text)
    polarity = analysis.sentiment.polarity

    if polarity > 0:
        sentiment = "positive"
    elif polarity < 0:
        sentiment = "negative"
    else:
        sentiment = "neutral"

    return {
        "text": text,
        "polarity": polarity,
        "sentiment": sentiment
    }

# Root endpoint
@app.get("/", tags=["Root"])
async def root():
    return {
        "message": "Welcome to Twitter Sentiment Analysis API",
        "status": "running",
        "endpoints": {
            "fetch_tweets": {
                "method": "POST",
                "path": "/fetch_tweets",
                "description": "Fetch tweets and analyze sentiment",
                "required_params": {
                    "keyword": "string",
                    "count": "integer (optional, default=10)"
                }
            }
        }
    }

# Fetch tweets endpoint
@app.post("/fetch_tweets", response_model=TweetResponse, tags=["Tweets"])
async def fetch_tweets(request: TweetRequest):
    try:
        # Fetch recent tweets
        tweets = client.search_recent_tweets(
            query=request.keyword,
            max_results=request.count,
            tweet_fields=["text"]
        )

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if not tweets.data:
    return {
        "keyword": request.keyword,
        "count": 0,
        "tweets": [],
        "positive_count": 0,
        "negative_count": 0,
        "neutral_count": 0
    }

# Analyze sentiment for each tweet
analyzed_tweets = []
positive_count = 0
negative_count = 0
neutral_count = 0

for tweet in tweets.data:
    result = analyze_sentiment(tweet.text)
    analyzed_tweets.append(result)

# Count sentiments
if result["sentiment"] == "positive":
    positive_count += 1
elif result["sentiment"] == "negative":
    negative_count += 1
else:
    neutral_count += 1

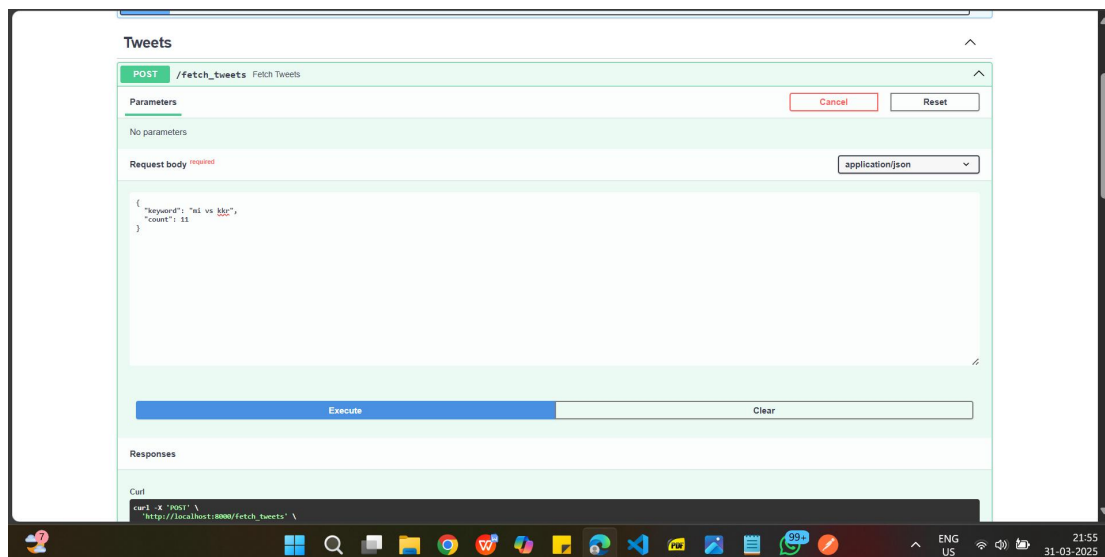
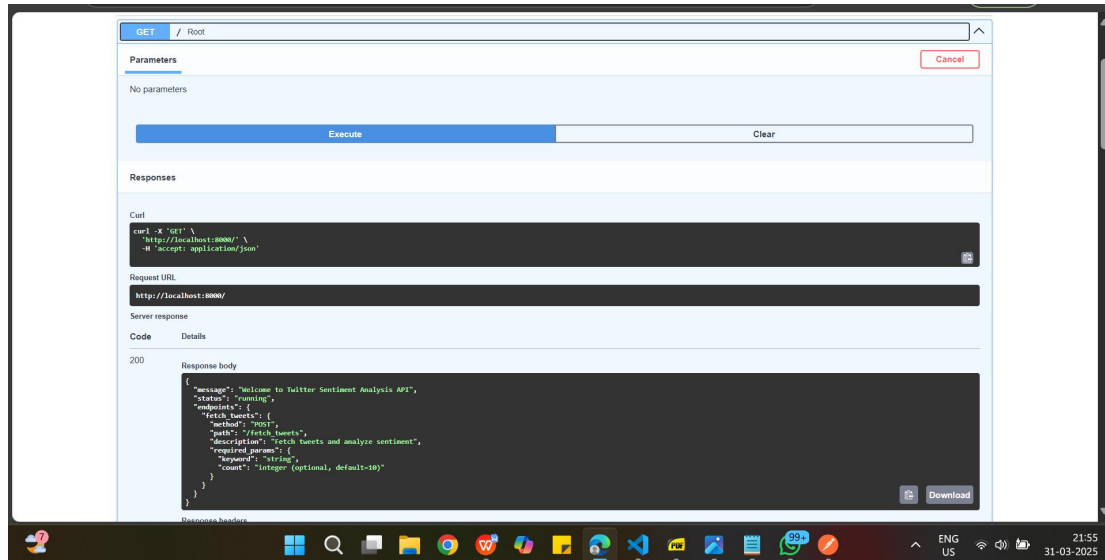
return {
    "keyword": request.keyword,
    "count": len(analyzed_tweets),
    "tweets": analyzed_tweets,
    "positive_count": positive_count,
    "negative_count": negative_count,
    "neutral_count": neutral_count
}

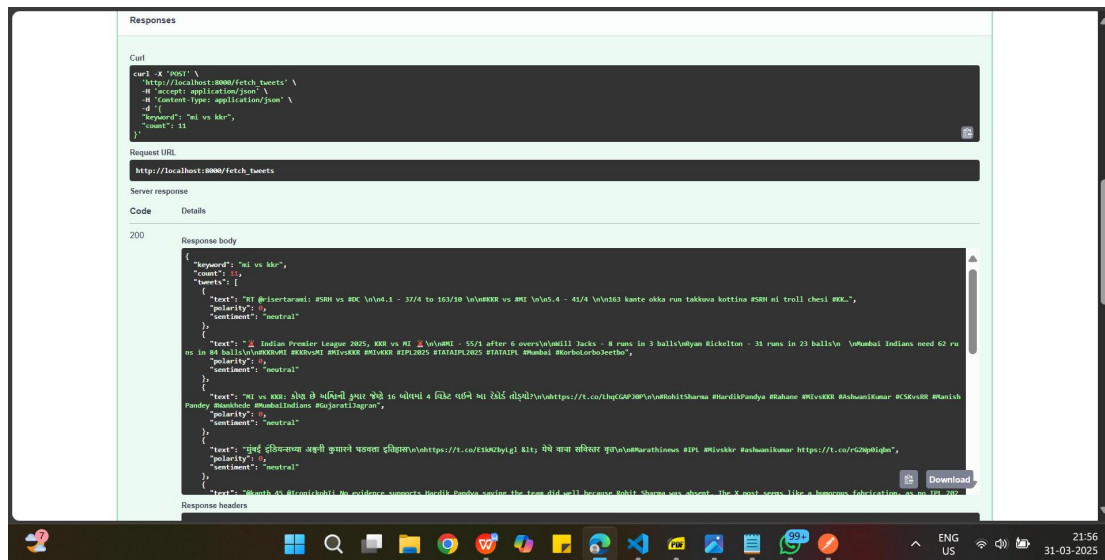
except tweepy.TweepyException as e:
    raise HTTPException(status_code=400, detail=f"Twitter API error: {str(e)}")
except Exception as e:
    raise HTTPException(status_code=500, detail=f"An error occurred: {str(e)}")

if __name__ == "__main__":
    import uvicorn
    uvicorn.run(app, host="0.0.0.0", port=8000)

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4. Results/Output:-





5. Remarks:-

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