#### importing modules

```
import pandas as pd
import requests as req
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
```

#### urls to the datasets

```
positive_baits="https://raw.githubusercontent.com/pfrcks/clickbait-
detection/master/clickbait"
negative_baits="https://raw.githubusercontent.com/pfrcks/clickbait-
detection/master/not-clickbait"
```

#### A function to fetch the data from a URL

```
def my_read_function(url,label):
    response=req.get(url)
    text = response.text
    lines = text.split('\n')
    df=pd.DataFrame({'baits': lines})
    df.index.name = 'Index'
    df['Label'] = label
    #df.to_csv('baits_data.csv', index=False)
    return df
```

## Read the positive and negative datasets

```
positive dataset = my read function(positive baits, 'clickbait')
negative dataset = my read function(negative baits,'not-clickbait')
#reading from the positive dataset/click baits dataset
df=pd.DataFrame(positive dataset)
df
                                                   baits
                                                               Label
Index
       Man repairs fence to contain dog, hilarity ens...
                                                          clickbait
1
       Long-Term Marijuana Use Has One Crazy Side Eff...
                                                          clickbait
2
       The water from his ear trickles into the bucke...
                                                          clickbait
3
       You'll Never Guess What Nick Jonas Does in the...
                                                          clickbait
4
       How Cruise Liners Fill All Their Unsold Cruise...
                                                          clickbait
```

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810
       OITNB's Taylor Schilling and Carrie Brownstein...
                                                          clickbait
811
       Researchers have discovered the average penis ...
                                                          clickbait
812
       Why it may be smart to wait to put on sunscree...
                                                          clickbait
813
       What state has highest rate of rape in the cou...
                                                          clickbait
814
                                                          clickbait
[815 rows x 2 columns]
#reading from the positive dataset/click baits dataset
df=pd.DataFrame(negative dataset)
df
                                                   baits
Label
Index
       Congress Slips CISA Into a Budget Bill That's ...
clickbait
                           DUI Arrest Sparks Controversy
                                                          not-
clickbait
       It's unconstitutional to ban the homeless from...
                                                          not-
clickbait
       A Government Error Just Revealed Snowden Was t...
                                                          not-
clickbait
       A toddler got meningitis. His anti-vac parents...
clickbait
1570
       Loophole means ecstasy and loads of other drug...
                                                          not-
clickbait
1571
            Astronomers Watch a Supernova and See Reruns
                                                          not-
clickbait
       In Indian Rapists' Neighborhood, Smoldering An...
1572
                                                          not-
clickbait
1573
                       Strong earthquake jolts Islamabad
                                                          not-
clickbait
1574
                                                          not-
clickbait
[1575 rows x = 2 columns]
```

### Combining the datasets

```
combined_dataset = pd.concat([positive_dataset, negative_dataset],
ignore_index=True)
df=pd.DataFrame(combined_dataset)
df.to_csv("combined.csv",index=False)
```

```
#reading the first 8 rows of the combined dataset
df.head(8)
                                                          Label
                                               baits
   Man repairs fence to contain dog, hilarity ens...
                                                      clickbait
   Long-Term Marijuana Use Has One Crazy Side Eff...
                                                      clickbait
  The water from his ear trickles into the bucke...
                                                     clickbait
  You'll Never Guess What Nick Jonas Does in the...
                                                     clickbait
  How Cruise Liners Fill All Their Unsold Cruise... clickbait
                  Could Queen Elizabeth Veto Brexit? clickbait
6
       This Is the Worst Color to Paint Your Kitchen clickbait
7
                      The Shocking Truth About Sugar clickbait
```

#### Shuffling the combined dataset using numpy

```
# Create an array of indices from 0 to the length of the combined
dataset
shuffled indices = np.arange(len(combined dataset))
# Shuffle the array of indices randomly using numpy's random.shuffle
function
np.random.shuffle(shuffled indices)
# Use the shuffled indices to rearrange the rows of the combined
dataset, creating the shuffled dataset
shuffled dataset = combined dataset.iloc[shuffled indices]
df2=pd.DataFrame(shuffled dataset)
df2.to_csv("shuffled.csv",index=False)
#reading the first ten rows of the shuffled dataset
df=pd.DataFrame(shuffled dataset)
df.head(10)
                                                  baits
                                                                 Label
1338 A Texas town stands divided, after armed men i...
                                                         not-clickbait
     Goldman Sachs banker embroiled in massive over...
                                                         not-clickbait
1307
      Florida drops bill to open fracking in the Eve...
                                                         not-clickbait
2168
      FIFA scandal: Sepp Blatter wins another term a...
                                                         not-clickbait
1910
      Captured ISIS head of chemical weapons says th...
                                                         not-clickbait
1668
      UN Removes Saudi Arabia From Human Rights Blac...
                                                         not-clickbait
      This Behavior Is The #1 Predictor Of Divorce, ...
138
                                                             clickbait
        North Korea announces it conducted nuclear test not-clickbait
2003
369
                 BREAKING: Loch Ness Monster Found Dead
                                                             clickbait
      The water from his ear trickles into the bucke...
                                                             clickbait
```

# Split the shuffled dataset into train, validation, and test sets

```
train_data_percentage = 0.72 # 72% for training
validation data percentage = 0.08 # 8% for validation
test data percentage = 0.20 # 20% for testing
# Calculate the number of samples for each split
total samples = len(shuffled dataset) #number of rows in the combined
dataset
train data samples = int(train data percentage * total samples)
#number of rows in the training dataset
validation data samples = int(validation data percentage *
total samples) #number of rows in the validation dataset
test_data_samples = total_samples - train_data_samples -
validation data samples #number of rows in the testing dataset
#printing the number of rows/ samples in each dataset
print(f"total sample or the number of rows ={total samples}
samples/rows")
print(f"validation samples or the number of rows
={validation data samples} samples/rows")
print(f"Training samples or the number of rows ={train data samples}
samples/rows")
print(f"test samples or the number of rows ={test data samples}
samples/rows")
total sample or the number of rows =2390 samples/rows
validation samples or the number of rows =191 samples/rows
Training samples or the number of rows =1720 samples/rows
test samples or the number of rows =479 samples/rows
# Spliting the dataset into training and the remaining data
(remaining data)
training data, remaining data = train test split(shuffled dataset,
test size=(1 - train data percentage))
# Split the remaining data into validation and test sets
validation data, test data = train test split(remaining data,
test size=test data percentage / (test data percentage +
validation data percentage))
#saving the datasets
train dataset=pd.DataFrame(training data) #training dataset
train dataset.to csv("traning data.csv",index=False)
validating dataset=pd.DataFrame(validation data) #validating set
validating dataset.to csv("validating data.csv",index=False)
testing dataset=pd.DataFrame(test data) #testing set
testing_dataset.to_csv('testing_dataset.csv',index=False)
```

```
#reading from each and every dataset after split
train_dataset #reading from the training dataset
                                                   baits
                                                                  Label
1358
      Report: Mayweather received illegal IV before ...
                                                          not-clickbait
1974
      Good News. Tiger Numbers in India up From 1,40...
                                                          not-clickbait
2295
              Japan plans to land rover on moon in 2018
                                                          not-clickbait
2356
      Eight people injured in Canada school stabbing...
                                                          not-clickbait
      Does the Brexit vote mean Trump will win in No...
186
                                                              clickbait
2107
                                                          not-clickbait
           Facebook paid £4,327 corporation tax in 2014
792
                            Here's which team is No. 1:
                                                              clickbait
53
                                                              clickbait
      You may be surprised when you find out who was...
      Abdullah al-Zaher: Saudi Arabia is about to be...
1825
                                                          not-clickbait
530
      Here Is the World's Ugliest Color (& It Has an...
                                                              clickbait
[1720 rows x 2 columns]
#reading from the testing dataset
testing dataset
                                                   baits
                                                                  Label
795
      Jessica Alba slips on a bikini for Self's Octo...
                                                              clickbait
2134
      U.S. calls Netanyahu's new media chief's remar...
                                                          not-clickbait
68
      Could Lady Stoneheart finally be coming to "Ga...
                                                              clickbait
2158
                Woman held for Moscow child 'beheading'
                                                          not-clickbait
2190
      Scientists invent silk food wrap that's biodeg...
                                                          not-clickbait
729
      How to drive a six-ton potato without causing ...
                                                              clickbait
      She Was in an Ambulance Suffering from Deadly ...
636
                                                              clickbait
2278
      Norway's integration minister: We can't be lik...
                                                          not-clickbait
      Qatar National Bank allegedly hacked, data of ...
1758
                                                          not-clickbait
2147
      South Korea, U.S. to discuss missile defense; ...
                                                         not-clickbait
[479 rows x 2 columns]
#reading from the validation dataset
validating dataset
                                                   baits
                                                                  Label
      Alberta passes bill banning corporate and unio...
1589
                                                          not-clickbait
      Top secret "28 pages" may hold clues about Sau...
1733
                                                          not-clickbait
1460
      Obama Puts Focus on Police Success in Struggli...
                                                          not-clickbait
2205
            Sweden announces first centre for raped men
                                                          not-clickbait
522
      Photographs Of Cities From Space Have Shown A ...
                                                              clickbait
1025
      Berlin stops Airbnb renting apartments to tour...
                                                          not-clickbait
1624
          China announces sanctions against North Korea
                                                          not-clickbait
      Google Searches for "How to Move to Canada" Sp...
1285
                                                          not-clickbait
1621
         Panama papers: China censors online discussion
                                                          not-clickbait
1475
      Cologne police ordered to remove word 'rape' f...
                                                          not-clickbait
```

# Calculating the "target rate" for each dataset (training, validation and test)

```
train_data_target_rate = (train_dataset['Label'] ==
'clickbait').mean()
validation_data_target_rate = (validating_dataset['Label'] ==
'clickbait').mean()
test_data_target_rate = (testing_dataset['Label'] ==
'clickbait').mean()
```

## what % of the three datasets is t is labeled as clickbait?

```
print(f"{train_data_target_rate.round(4)*100}% of the training data is
labeled as clickbait")
print(f"{validation_data_target_rate.round(4)*100}% of the validating
data is labeled as clickbait")
print(f"{test_data_target_rate.round(4)*100}% of the testing data is
labeled as clickbait")
35.23% of the training data is labeled as clickbait
31.94% of the validating data is labeled as clickbait
30.9% of the testing data is labeled as clickbait
```