**Annotation Guidelines**

The articles should be annotated on **sentence-level**.

Only the first 10 sentences should be retained and annotated, the rest can be removed. Remove sentences that are not factual and/or cannot be fact-checked.

Examples of this are questions, predictions and personal stories.

Some examples:

The labels are on a 5-point scale:

1. True
2. Mostly True
3. Mixture of true and false
4. Mostly false
5. False

Some examples are:

Op het Europese vasteland zijn inmiddels duizenden mensen besmet met de Britse virusmutatie.**[1]**

De antigeentest wordt nu alleen nog in teststraten gebruikt.**[3]**

De Turkse regering is overgegaan tot erkenning van de toeslagenaffaire.**[5]**

The sentences should be annotated like this.**[1]**

* Sentences that **do not** contain **claims** should be **ignored**.
* Sentences that contain **any** subjectivity(opinions etc.) should be **ignored.**

Once you are finished with annotating an article, take the average of the scores of the sentences you have annotated. Like this:

Mark Rutte is lijsttrekker van D66.**[5]**

Lilian Marijnissen is lijsttrekker van de SP**.[1]**

De SP en de VVD kunnen niet goed met elkaar overweg.

5 + 1 = 6 / 2 = 3

Finally, add the score to the average score column.