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ABSTRACT

The rise of social media has brought the rise of fake news and this fake news comes with negative consequences. With fake news being such a huge issue, efforts should be made to identify any forms of fake news however it is not so simple. Manually identifying fake news can be extremely subjective as determining the accuracy of the information in a story is complex and difficult to perform, even for experts. On the other hand, an automated solution would require a good understanding of NLP which is also complex and may have difficulties producing an accurate output. Therefore, the main problem focused on this project is the viability of developing a system that can effectively and accurately detect and identify fake news. Finding a solution would be a significant benefit to the media industry, particularly the social media industry as this is where a large proportion of fake news is published and spread. In order to find a solution to this problem, this project proposed the development of a fake news identification system using deep learning and natural language processing. The system was developed using a Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks model combined with a Long Short-Term Memory model in order to showcase the compatibility of the two models in a whole system. This system was trained and tested using two different dataset collections that each consisted of one real news dataset and one fake news dataset. Furthermore, three independent variables were chosen which were the number of training cycles, data diversity and vector size to analyze the relationship between these variables and the accuracy levels of the system. From this, the system was then trained and tested with the optimal variables and was able to achieve the minimum expected accuracy level of 90 percent . The achieving of this accuracy levels confirms the compatibility of the LSTM and Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks model and their capability to be synergized into a single system that is able to identify fake news with a high level of accuracy.

Keywords:

Natural Language Processing, Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks, Long Short-Term Memory, Gated Recurrent Unit, Sentiment Analysis, Pre-processing, Dataset, Classification, Synergy, Emotional tone.

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LIST OF ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

API	Application Programming Interface
BI-RNN	Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks
GRU	Gated Recurrent Unit
HTML	Hypertext Markup Language
LSTM	Long Short-Term Memory
NLP	Natural Language processing
ROI	Return On Investment
TF-IDF	Term Frequency-Inverse Document Frequency
XML	Extensible Markup Language

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Chapter 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Introduction

The proliferation of information in the digital age has underscored the critical need for robust tools capable of discerning the authenticity of news articles. In response to this challenge, our project delves into the domain of fake news detection, leveraging advanced Natural Language Processing (NLP) techniques and Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN) with a focus on Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) and Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) algorithms. The aim is to develop a sophisticated system that can analyze news content, classify it as fake or real, and provide users with insights into the emotional tone and thematic elements.

The Bidirectional RNN models, tailored for the specific task of news article classification, showcase remarkable proficiency in capturing nuanced sequential patterns within textual data. The bidirectional nature of these models allows for the assimilation of contextual information from both preceding and succeeding states, ensuring a more comprehensive understanding of the intricacies inherent in natural language. Beyond the technical facets of the project, integration of News API to dynamically retrieve news articles based on user-specified keywords, imbuing the evaluation process with a real-world contextual dimension. Additionally, the project leverages advanced NLP techniques for sentiment analysis and employs spaCy for refined topic classification, particularly focusing on noun extraction. The endeavor culminates in the development of a user-friendly interface, extending the project's utility beyond predefined datasets, providing a versatile tool for text classification across diverse contexts. In essence, the Bidirectional RNN models, fortified by LSTM and GRU algorithms, not only excel in the discernment of fake news but also represent a notable advancement in the application of NLP techniques for robust text classification.

1.2 Aim of the Project

The primary aim of this project is to develop an advanced system for the detection of fake news, leveraging state-of-the-art Natural Language Processing (NLP) techniques and Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN), specifically focusing on Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) and Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) algorithms. The overarching goal is to create a sophisticated model that can effectively classify news articles as either fake or real by discerning patterns, dependencies, and contextual information within the textual data.

1.3 Project Domain

The project operates within the expansive domain of information integrity, particularly addressing the burgeoning issue of fake news within the digital landscape. In an era where information dissemination occurs at an unprecedented pace and scale, the potential consequences of misinformation are profound, ranging from societal discord to compromised decision-making. As such, the domain encapsulates the urgent need for reliable systems that can effectively discern between genuine and fabricated news articles, contributing to the overarching goal of ensuring the accuracy and trustworthiness of information in the public sphere.

The intersection of Natural Language Processing (NLP) and deep learning within this domain signifies a technologically advanced approach to the multifaceted problem of fake news. NLP techniques enable the extraction of semantic meaning and sentiment from textual content, providing insights into the nuanced aspects of language. Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN), powered by Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) and Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) algorithms, signify a paradigm shift in sequential data analysis. Their ability to capture contextual information from both past and future states equips the models with a heightened understanding of language dynamics, making them particularly apt for the intricate task of differentiating authentic news from deceptive narratives. This project, thus, resides at the forefront of technological advancements in the realm of information authenticity, aiming to contribute to the ongoing discourse on mitigating the impact of fake news in our interconnected world.

1.4 Scope of the Project

The scope of this project extends across various dimensions, encompassing both technological and societal aspects. From a technological perspective, the implementation of advanced NLP techniques and Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN) with LSTM and GRU algorithms broadens the horizons of fake news detection. The scope spans the development and fine-tuning of models that not only exhibit high accuracy in classifying news articles but also demonstrate adaptability to dynamic news sources through integration with the News API. The project's scope extends to the creation of a user-friendly interface, facilitating ease of interaction and enabling users to leverage the models beyond the confines of the initial dataset.

On the societal front, the project aims to address the critical issue of misinformation, contributing to the broader goal of fostering information integrity. By deploying cutting-edge technologies within the domain of fake news detection, the project aspires to equip users with a reliable tool for navigating the complex landscape of digital information. The scope also includes evaluating the models across diverse datasets to assess their generalizability, thereby ensuring that the system is robust and effective in real-world scenarios. Additionally, the user interface extends the project's reach, providing individuals with a practical means to verify the authenticity of news, ultimately contributing to a more informed and discerning public. Overall, the scope of this project transcends traditional boundaries, embracing the technological challenges and societal implications of fake news detection in the contemporary information age.

Chapter 2

LITERATURE REVIEW

[1] S. D. Madhu Kumar et al, focuses on the comprehensive study of fake news within online social media networks. The research delves into the characterization, classification, and detection of deceptive information. The author likely explores various methodologies and algorithms to discern the distinctive features of fake news, addressing the challenges associated with identification in the dynamic and interconnected realm of social media. This contribution provides insights into the evolving landscape of fake news detection, shedding light on the nuances specific to online social platforms.

[2] Archit Guptha et al, research undertakes a comparative analysis of machine learning models dedicated to the task of fake news classification. The study is positioned within the broader context of intelligent technologies, suggesting a nuanced examination of various computational approaches. By evaluating and contrasting different models, the author likely provides valuable insights into the strengths and weaknesses of each approach. This work contributes to the understanding of the most effective methodologies in the evolving landscape of machine learning-based fake news detection.

[3] Jovitha Wilson et al, work centers on the identification of fake news within social media, employing sentimental analysis as a key analytical tool. This suggests an exploration into the emotional nuances embedded in deceptive narratives. By utilizing sentiment analysis, the research likely seeks to uncover patterns and linguistic cues indicative of misinformation. This approach aligns with the broader trend of leveraging sentiment analysis in the quest to enhance the accuracy of fake news detection, particularly in the context of social media platforms.

[4] Prabhu Ram Nagarajan et al, work focuses on a specific investigation related to accuracy metrics in sentiment analysis, particularly applied to news articles. This research likely explores the intricacies of sentiment analysis accuracy and its impact

on understanding the veracity of news content. By addressing cause analysis, the author may delve into the factors influencing the performance of sentiment analysis models, providing valuable insights into the challenges associated with this aspect of fake news detection.

[5] Jianyue Zhai et al, Research on Automatic Generation of Text Summaries in News Key Information Extraction, presented at the 2022 4th International Conference on Applied Machine Learning (ICAML) in Changsha, China, addresses the imperative challenge of automatically generating text summaries, particularly focusing on news content. The paper explores the nuanced process of key information extraction, offering a comprehensive review of existing methodologies and technologies in the realm of applied machine learning. Zhai's research contributes to the ongoing discourse on efficient information retrieval and summarization in the context of news articles.

[6] Jeetendra Kumar et al, Hindi News Article's Headline Generation based on Abstractive Text Summarization, presented at the 2023 International Conference on Network, Multimedia, and Information Technology (NMITCON) in Bengaluru, India, delves into the unique challenges of headline generation for Hindi news articles through abstractive text summarization. The literature review within Kumar's work likely encompasses an exploration of existing methods in abstractive summarization, with a specific focus on their applicability to Hindi language processing. Kumar's research contributes to the expanding domain of multilingual text summarization, addressing the need for effective information condensation in languages beyond English.

[7] Chen Y et al, titled "Misleading online content: recognizing clickbait as false news?" (2015), presented at the ACM Workshop on Multimodal Deception Detection (WMDD) in Seattle, Washington, the focus is on the recognition of misleading online content, specifically clickbait, as a form of false news. The study investigates the deceptive nature of clickbait and its potential correlation with false information. Chen et al. likely conduct a thorough literature review on the evolving landscape of deceptive online practices and the methodologies employed to distinguish misleading content from legitimate news. The paper contributes to the discourse on understanding and identifying deceptive elements in online content.

[8] Vlachos, A., et al, titled "Fact checking: task definition and dataset construction" (2014), presented at the ACL Workshop on Language Technologies and Computational Social Science, the authors delve into the essential aspects of fact-checking. The paper addresses the definition of the task of fact-checking and the construction of datasets for effective evaluation. Vlachos and Riedel are likely to review existing literature on fact-checking methodologies, challenges, and dataset construction within the broader context of language technologies and computational social science. This paper contributes to establishing a foundation for the task of fact-checking and dataset creation, providing valuable insights for further research in the domain.

Chapter 3

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

3.1 Existing System

Prior to the initiation of this project, existing systems for fake news detection predominantly relied on traditional machine learning algorithms and rule-based approaches. These systems often incorporated features such as lexical analysis, source credibility checks, and linguistic patterns to identify potential instances of misinformation. However, these methods faced limitations in capturing the subtle nuances and evolving dynamics of language used in news articles, especially on online social media platforms.

Additionally, the earlier systems struggled with the increasing sophistication of deceptive techniques employed by purveyors of fake news. As misinformation tactics evolved, traditional approaches found it challenging to keep pace with the dynamic nature of deceptive narratives. The lack of adaptability to the continually changing landscape of online content posed a significant drawback to the efficacy of these systems.

One major disadvantage of the existing systems was their limited ability to discern contextual information and understand the intricate patterns within the language. Rule-based approaches, while offering simplicity, often lacked the capacity to capture the contextual subtleties that characterize fake news. This limitation resulted in a higher likelihood of false positives and negatives, compromising the overall accuracy of the detection systems.

Moreover, the reliance on static rules and traditional machine learning models made existing systems susceptible to adversarial attacks. Malicious actors could manipulate content to evade detection by exploiting the predefined rules and features, thereby undermining the effectiveness of the fake news detection mechanisms.

3.2 Proposed System

This proposed system represents a significant leap forward in the domain of fake news detection, introducing advanced Natural Language Processing (NLP) techniques and Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN) with a focus on Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) and Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) algorithms. Unlike conventional systems, this approach harnesses the power of deep learning to capture intricate patterns, dependencies, and contextual information within the sequential data inherent in news articles. This enables the system to discern nuanced linguistic features and adapt to the dynamic nature of language evolution.

Furthermore, the integration of sentiment analysis using TextBlob and topic classification with spaCy enhances the capabilities of our system. By gauging the emotional tone and identifying key thematic elements, this model goes beyond binary classification, providing users with a more comprehensive understanding of the content. The utilization of the News API for dynamic news retrieval ensures real-time adaptability, allowing our system to remain effective in the face of evolving information landscapes.

The proposed system offers several advantages over traditional approaches. The incorporation of Bidirectional RNNs, LSTM, and GRU algorithms facilitates a more accurate and nuanced understanding of news articles. These deep learning techniques excel in capturing contextual information, enabling the system to make informed decisions based on the dynamic nature of language used in contemporary news.

Additionally, this system's integration of sentiment analysis and topic classification provides users with richer insights, moving beyond a simple binary classification of fake or real. The user-friendly interface extends the utility of our model, allowing individuals to interact with the system effortlessly and facilitating classification of arbitrary text. With these advancements, the proposed system not only addresses the limitations of existing approaches but also sets a new standard for the effective and adaptable detection of fake news in the digital landscape.

3.3 Feasibility Study

3.3.1 Economic Feasibility

The economic feasibility of the project involves a strategic evaluation of costs and potential benefits associated with the development, implementation, and maintenance of the proposed fake news detection system. Initial costs encompass hardware, software, and human resources, including high-performance computing resources, licensing fees for specialized libraries, and skilled personnel for design and implementation. Ongoing operational costs include maintenance, periodic updates, and potential cloud computing charges, with the integration of the News API potentially incurring subscription fees.

Despite these costs, the proposed system introduces avenues for cost savings and potential revenue generation. By contributing to information integrity and reducing the societal costs associated with misinformation, the system enhances decision-making processes for organizations and individuals. Furthermore, the user-friendly interface opens opportunities for commercialization, potentially offsetting development and maintenance costs through service offerings or licensing agreements.

3.3.2 Technical Feasibility

The technical feasibility of the project is contingent upon a thorough evaluation of the technological components essential for the successful development and deployment of the proposed fake news detection system. The integration of Natural Language Processing (NLP) techniques and Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN) with Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) and Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) algorithms demands a robust computing infrastructure capable of handling the computational intricacies involved in training and deploying intricate machine learning models.

Additionally, emphasizing the seamless integration of specialized libraries such as Keras and spaCy. The incorporation of the News API for real-time news retrieval necessitates the establishment of reliable and scalable APIs to ensure dynamic data acquisition.

3.3.3 Social Feasibility

The social feasibility of the project entails a meticulous examination of how the proposed fake news detection system aligns with societal norms, values, and ethical considerations. A pivotal aspect of this analysis is the anticipated user acceptance, emphasizing the need for a user-friendly interface that aligns with ethical expectations. Transparency regarding system operations, limitations, and data privacy measures is crucial to fostering trust among users. By addressing these considerations, the project strives to cultivate a sense of empowerment and responsibility among users, contributing to a socially acceptable and ethically sound technology solution.

The societal implications of the proposed fake news detection system extend to its potential impact on information integrity. In a digital age where misinformation can proliferate rapidly, the system's effectiveness in mitigating the spread of fake news holds significant societal value. By bolstering the credibility of news sources and fostering a more reliable information ecosystem, the project aims to contribute to a healthier public discourse. This aspect of social feasibility underscores the system's potential to address broader challenges related to misinformation's societal consequences.

Furthermore, social feasibility involves proactive efforts to enhance education and awareness regarding fake news and the role of technology in combating its dissemination. Collaborative initiatives with educational institutions, media organizations, and community groups can amplify the impact of the system. Empowering individuals with the knowledge and tools to critically evaluate information sources contributes to a more resilient and discerning society. By fostering educational partnerships and awareness campaigns, the project aims to actively engage with the community, emphasizing the shared responsibility in curbing the influence of fake news in the public domain.

3.4 System Specification

3.4.1 Hardware Specification

- System RAM - 16 GB
- Memory space - 512 GB
- Graphics - Intel iRIS XE
- Processor - Intel i5 11th Gen
- Input Devices - Keyboard, Mouse

3.4.2 Software Specification

- Operating System - Windows
- Programming Language - Python(3.11)
- Development Environment - Google Colab, Kagle
- Machine Learning Frameworks - TensorFlow, Keras
- NLP Libraries - spaCy, TextBlob
- API Integration - News API

3.4.3 Standards and Policies

Machine Learning Model Implementation:

This project extensively utilizes the Anaconda Prompt, a command-line interface tailored for Machine Learning (ML) modules. This interface seamlessly integrates with Anaconda Navigator, providing a comprehensive environment for ML development across Windows, Linux, and MacOS. The Anaconda Prompt facilitates easy coding with numerous integrated development environments (IDEs). Additionally, the user interface implementation leverages Python, offering a versatile and efficient platform for building intuitive interfaces.

Standard Used: ISO/IEC 27001

Jupyter Notebooks for Collaborative Work:

Jupyter, a robust open-source web application, plays a central role in this project. This platform enables collaborative document creation with live code, equations,

visualizations, and narrative text. Beyond its role in machine learning, Jupyter serves as a versatile tool for data cleaning, transformation, numerical simulation, statistical modeling, and data visualization. Its flexibility and interactivity make it an ideal choice for collaborative and dynamic data-driven workflows.

Standard Used: ISO/IEC 27001

Ethical and Privacy Considerations:

In adherence to ethical standards, this project prioritizes user privacy and data security. The implementation of industry-best practices to ensure the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of user information. This approach aligns with established data protection regulations, emphasizing transparency in data handling. The system undergoes continuous monitoring and auditing to detect and address potential security issues promptly.

Standard Considerations: GDPR, ISO/IEC 27001

By integrating these tools and adhering to recognized standards, this project ensures a robust and ethical foundation for machine learning development and collaborative data exploration. The use of ISO/IEC 27001 standards reflects our commitment to maintaining the highest standards of information security throughout the project lifecycle.

Chapter 4

METHODOLOGY

4.1 General Architecture

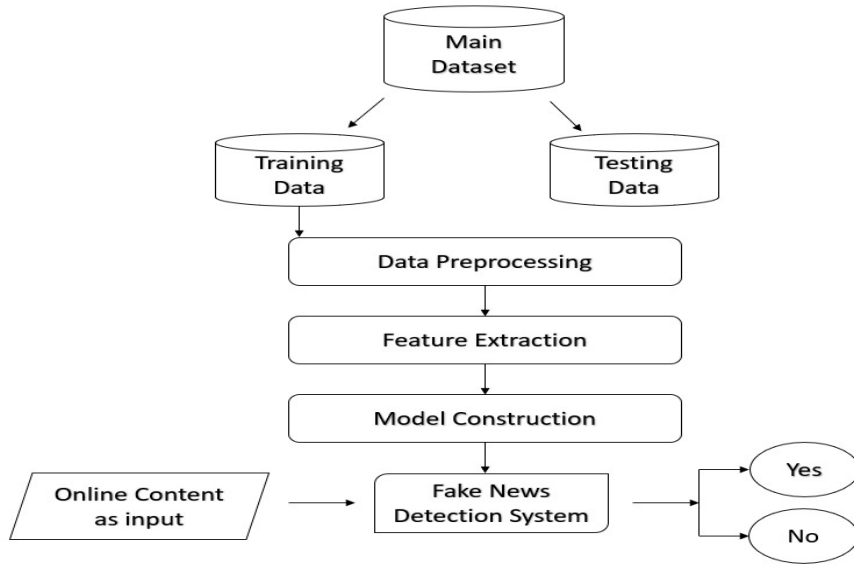


Figure 4.1: **Fake News Detection Architecture**

The architecture diagram shown above in the figure 4.1 is describing about the fake news detection system involves a systematic flow, beginning with a dataset comprising both fake and real news. Following data preprocessing and cleaning, the text undergoes tokenization and vectorization to enable numerical representation. The machine learning model, employing advanced algorithms such as Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN) with Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) and Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU), is then trained on this processed data. Subsequently, the model undergoes evaluation and testing with a separate dataset to assess its accuracy. The final results are analyzed, classifying news articles as fake or real based on the model's predictions, providing a robust and efficient solution for distinguishing between misinformation and genuine news.

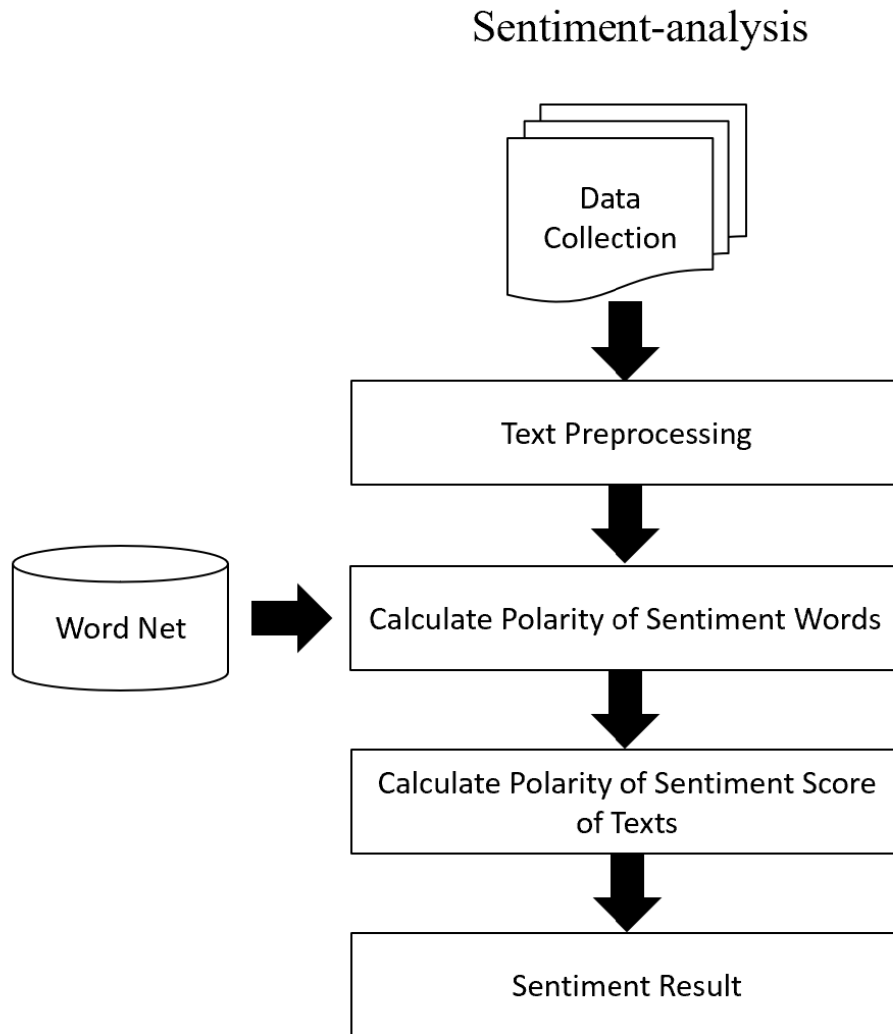


Figure 4.2: **Sentiment Analysis Architecture**

The above figure 4.2 describes about architecture that integrates a dedicated Sentiment Analysis Module aimed at discerning the emotional tone of news articles. Beginning with data collection, the text undergoes preprocessing to ensure uniformity. The module calculates the polarity of sentiment words, assigning scores based on positive or negative connotations, and aggregates these scores to determine the overall sentiment of the text. The resulting sentiment analysis provides valuable insights into the emotional context of news articles, augmenting the fake news detection process by incorporating nuanced sentiment understanding.

4.2 Design Phase

4.2.1 Data Flow Diagram

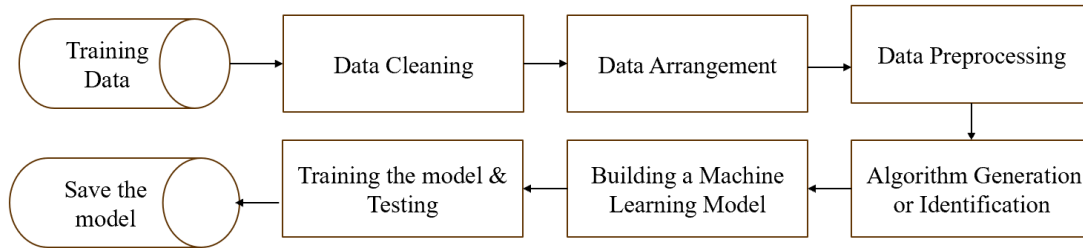


Figure 4.3: **Data Flow Diagram of Overall Process**

The above figure 4.3 describe about the data flow diagram for our Fake News Detection System delineates a coherent and systematic process from the initial training data through the model’s testing and preservation. Commencing with a diverse dataset comprising both fake and real news articles, the system undergoes a meticulous data cleaning phase, addressing inconsistencies and enhancing the dataset’s quality. Following data arrangement for structured organization, the pre-processed data undergoes algorithm generation or identification, culminating in the construction of a robust machine learning model specifically designed for discerning between fake and real news. The subsequent training phase involves the model learning patterns and relationships within the data, followed by rigorous testing using a separate dataset to evaluate its accuracy and generalization capabilities.

Upon successful testing, the model is saved, enabling swift deployment for real-time fake news detection. This comprehensive data flow ensures a seamless transition from data collection to model preservation, embodying an iterative and adaptive approach to tackling the evolving landscape of misinformation. The delineated stages, including cleaning, preprocessing, algorithm selection, model building, training, testing, and model preservation, collectively contribute to the efficiency and reliability of our Fake News Detection System.

4.2.2 Use Case Diagram

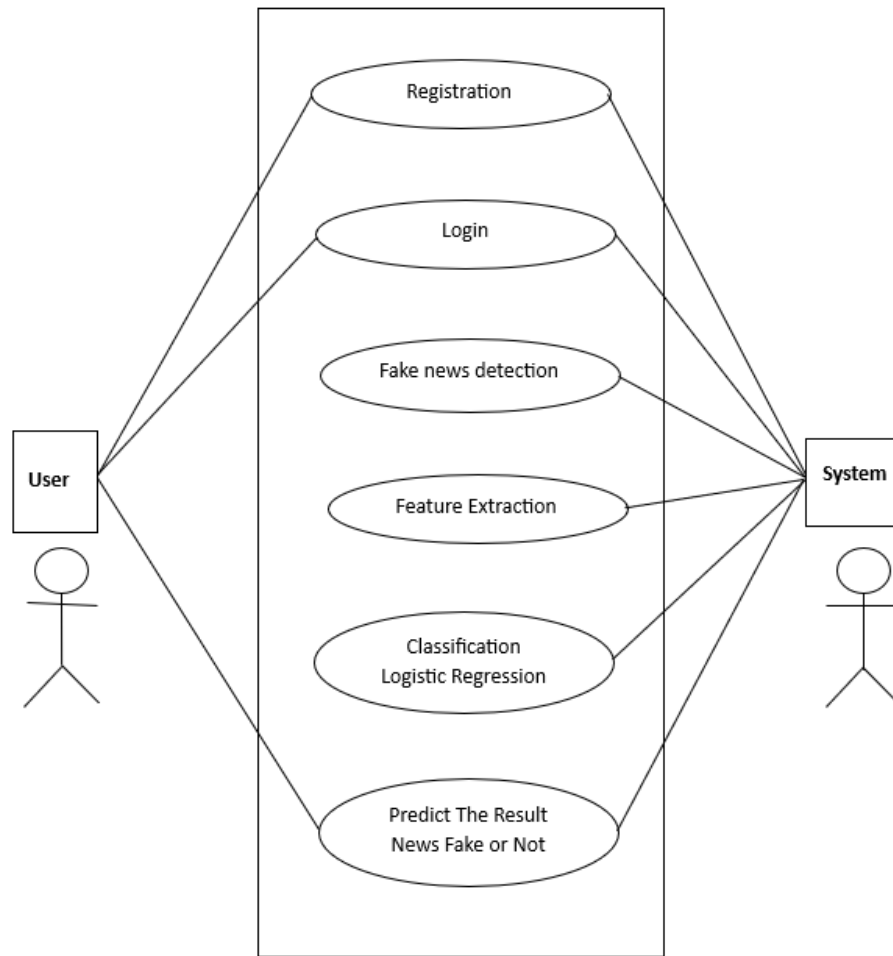


Figure 4.4: Use Case Diagram of Fake News Detection System

The above figure 4.4 describes about the Use Diagram for our Fake News Detection System encapsulates the core functionalities and user interactions. Users, including researchers and analysts, authenticate to submit news articles for analysis, retrieving detailed results on sentiment, topic classification, and the authenticity determination. Administrators, responsible for system management, can update the dataset, initiate model training, and ensure the overall integrity of the system. The system also interacts with an External News API to fetch real-time news data, enriching the dataset. This diagram provides a holistic overview of the actors, use cases, and interactions, showcasing the system's capabilities in processing and analyzing news articles for authenticity.

4.2.3 Class Diagram

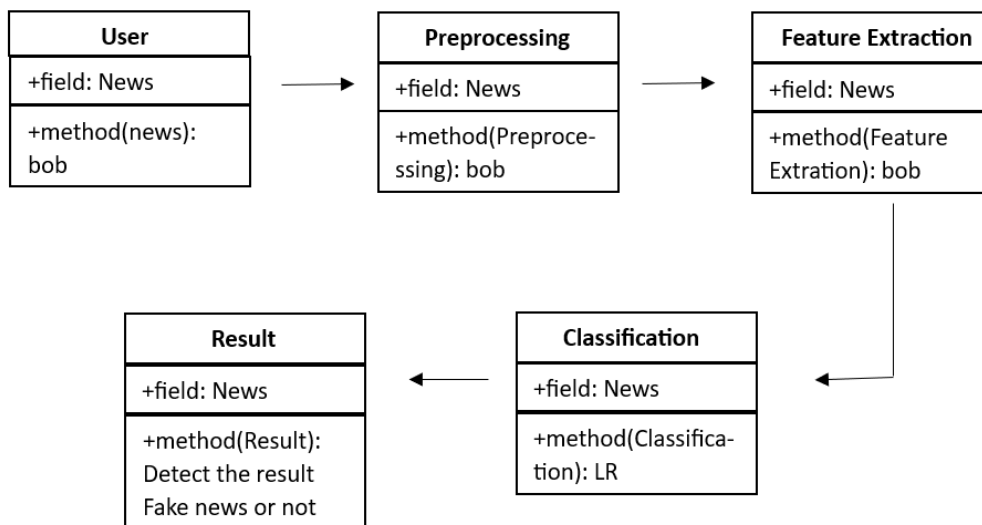


Figure 4.5: Class Diagram for Fake News Detection

The above figure 4.5 is about the class diagram for our Fake News Detection System, three pivotal classes delineate the key entities and their interactions. The NewsArticle class signifies individual news articles submitted by users, embodying attributes such as title, text, and metadata. Linked to the DataSource class, it serves as the source of data, seamlessly integrating user-submitted articles into the system. The DataSource class acts as a crucial bridge, facilitating the flow of information between NewsArticle instances and the FakeNewsModel class. The FakeNewsModel class encapsulates the machine learning model responsible for discerning the authenticity of news articles, containing methods for training, analysis, and prediction. The associations between these classes depict the dynamic interactions within the system, highlighting the systematic flow of data from the source through the model to determine whether a news article is fake or real.

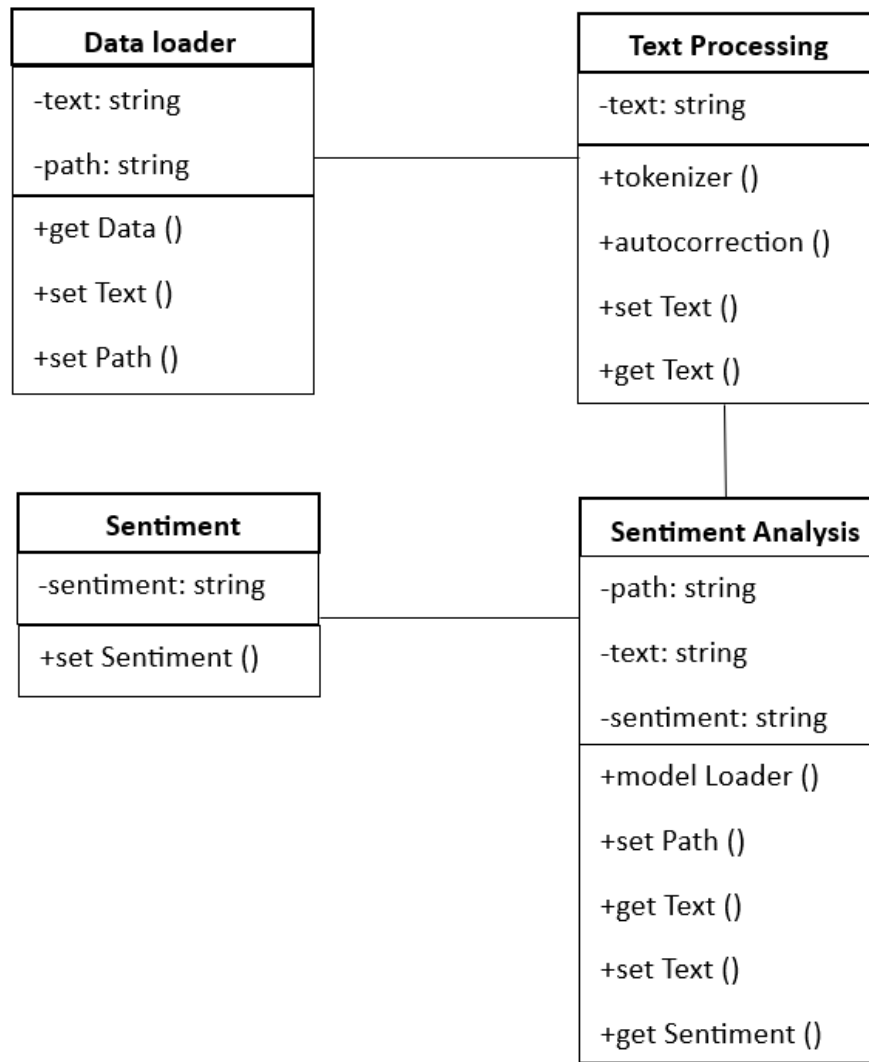


Figure 4.6: **Class Diagram for Sentiment Analysis**

The above figure 4.6 describes about the class diagram for our Sentiment Analysis Module encompasses four vital classes, outlining the integral steps involved in analyzing the sentiment of textual data. The DataLoader class fetches and prepares the text, passing it to the TextPreprocessing class for cleaning and standardization. Subsequently, the preprocessed text is forwarded to the SentimentAnalysis class, where sentiment scores are calculated and the overall sentiment is determined. The SentimentResult class represents the outcome of the analysis, storing crucial details such as sentiment scores and classifications.

4.2.4 Sequence Diagram

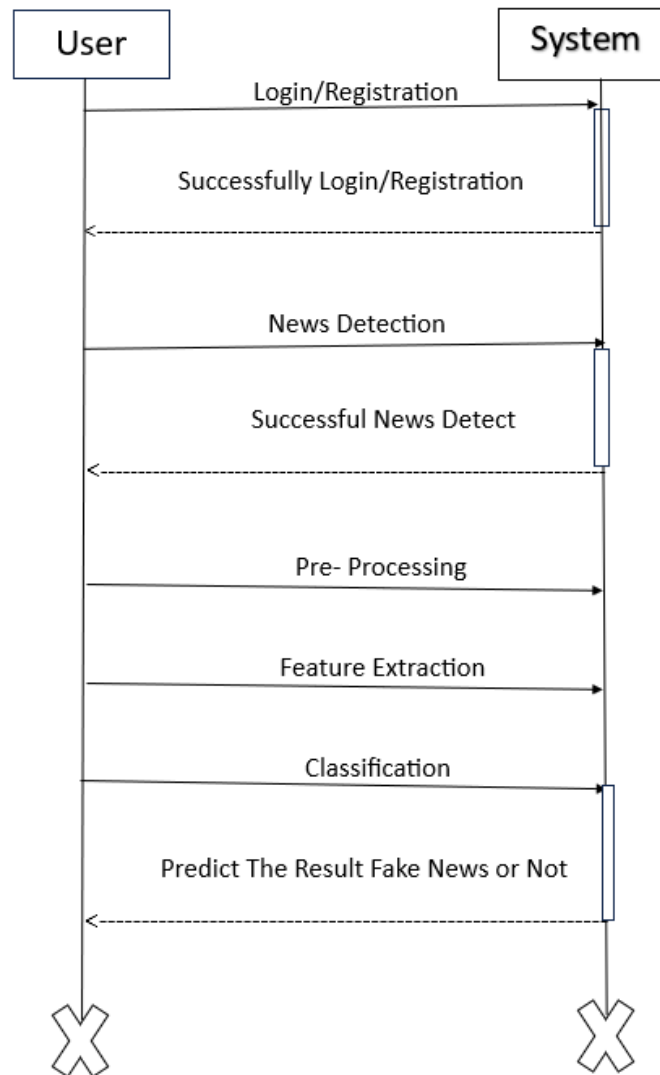


Figure 4.7: Sequence Diagram for the System

The above figure 4.7 describe about the sequence diagram for user interaction with the Fake News Detection System elucidates a dynamic process starting with user authentication, followed by the submission of a news article. The system then engages in data preprocessing, sentiment analysis, and machine learning-based fake news detection. Results, including sentiment scores and authenticity determination, are presented to the user, fostering interactive engagement. The sequence captures the iterative nature of the process, where user interactions can influence subsequent submissions, contributing to the continuous learning and refinement of the system for more effective fake news detection.

4.2.5 Collaboration Diagram

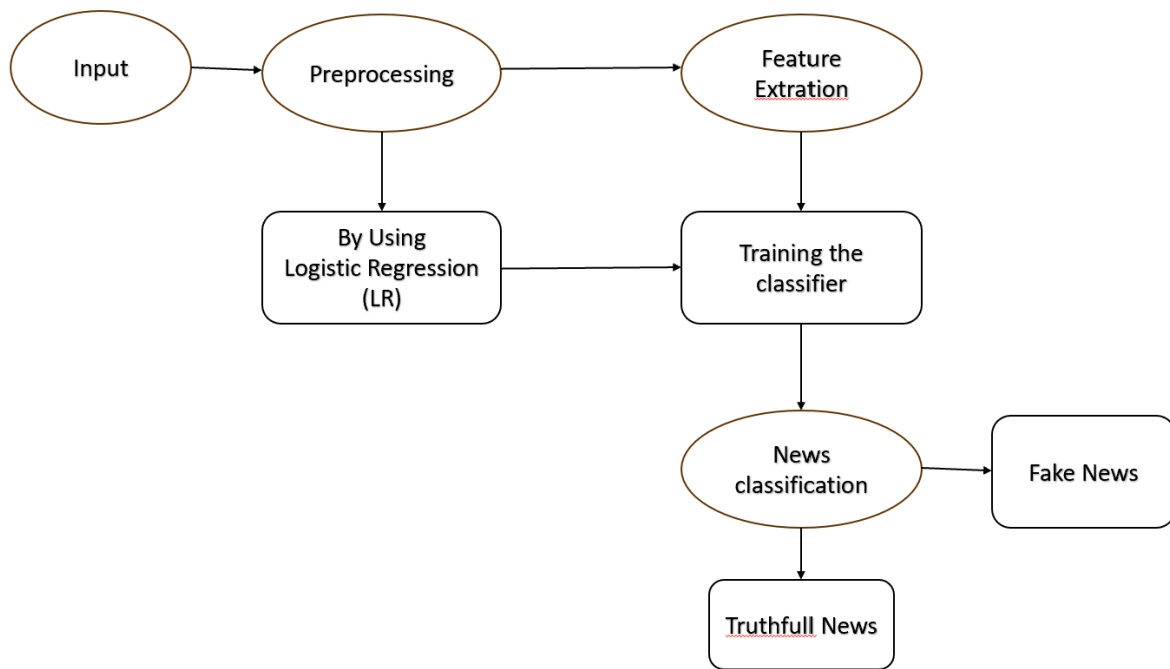


Figure 4.8: Collaboration Diagram of Fake News Detection System

The above figure 4.8 describes about the collaboration diagram for the Fake News Detection System delineates the orchestrated collaboration among different components during the analysis of a news article. The User initiates the process by submitting an article, triggering a sequence of interactions between the System Controller, DataLoader, TextPreprocessing, SentimentAnalysis, FakeNewsModel, and ResultPresentation components.

This collaborative framework ensures the seamless flow of information and control, from loading and preprocessing to sentiment analysis, fake news detection, and result presentation. The dynamic user interaction with the presented results contributes to the system's continuous learning, reflecting the interactive and iterative nature of the Fake News Detection System.

4.2.6 Activity Diagram

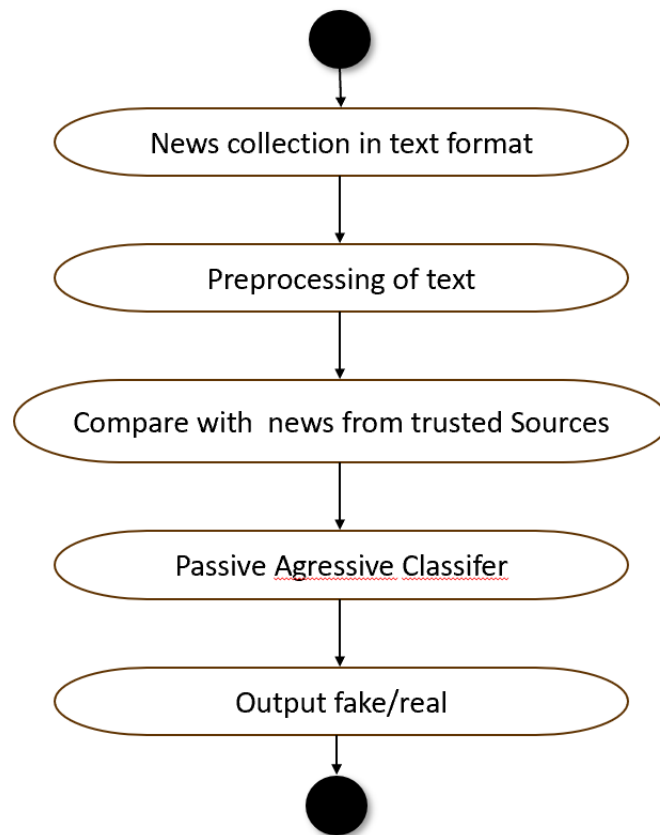


Figure 4.9: Activity Diagram of Fake News Detection System

The above figure 4.9 describes about the activity diagram for the Fake News Detection System unfolds a comprehensive workflow starting with user authentication, as the system ensures secure access. The loaded news article undergoes meticulous text preprocessing, cleaning, and standardization before simultaneous analysis begins. Sentiment analysis calculates emotional tones through sentiment scores and classifications, while the FakeNewsModel predicts the article's authenticity. The results, encompassing sentiment insights and fake news determination, are then presented to the user. The interactive nature is emphasized as the user engages with the results, potentially influencing subsequent interactions or submissions. A decision point allows users to choose additional news article submissions, creating an iterative and user-driven process. The activity diagram encapsulates the dynamic sequence of activities, from user authentication to continuous interactions, reflecting the systematic and interactive nature of the Fake News Detection System.

4.3 Algorithm & Pseudo Code

4.3.1 Algorithm

The algorithm employed in our Fake News Detection System combines natural language processing (NLP) techniques, sentiment analysis, and machine learning using recurrent neural networks (RNNs) with Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) units. The process can be outlined as follows:

Text Preprocessing:

Raw textual data, comprising news article titles and content, undergoes preprocessing steps such as tokenization, stemming, and removal of stop words to convert it into a format suitable for analysis.

Feature Extraction:

The preprocessed text is converted into numerical vectors through techniques like word embedding or TF-IDF (Term Frequency-Inverse Document Frequency) to represent the semantic meaning of words.

Fake News Detection Model (RNN with LSTM):

The core of the system lies in a recurrent neural network (RNN) with Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) units. This model is trained on a dataset containing labeled examples of fake and real news. The LSTM units enable the network to capture long-term dependencies in the sequential data, crucial for understanding the context of news articles.

Training the Model:

The model is trained using backpropagation through time, adjusting weights to minimize the difference between predicted and actual labels. The training process utilizes historical data to enable the model to recognize patterns indicative of fake or real news.

Prediction:

For a given news article, the trained model predicts the likelihood of it being fake or real based on the learned patterns during training. The prediction is based on the combination of sentiment analysis results and the output from the LSTM-based model.

Sentiment Analysis:

A TextBlob-based sentiment analysis is performed to gauge the emotional tone of the news article. This step assigns a sentiment score to the text, distinguishing

between positive, negative, or neutral sentiments.

Result Interpretation:

The final determination is presented to the user, including sentiment scores and the model's prediction. The sentiment analysis adds an emotional context, while the machine learning model enhances the accuracy of the authenticity determination. By integrating sentiment analysis with an LSTM-based RNN model, our system leverages both semantic understanding and sequential context to effectively discern between fake and real news articles, contributing to a robust and context-aware algorithm for fake news detection.

4.3.2 Pseudo Code

```
1 import sys
2 !{sys.executable} --version
3
4 !{sys.executable} -m pip install newsapi-python
5 !{sys.executable} -m spacy download en_core_web_sm
6
7 from keras.models import load_model
8 from keras.preprocessing import text, sequence
9 import numpy as np
10 from newsapi import NewsApiClient
11 import requests
12 from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
13 from textblob import TextBlob
14 from wordcloud import WordCloud
15 import spacy
16 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
17 import pandas as pd
18 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
19
20 df = pd.read_csv("/kaggle/input/fake-news-classification/WELFake_Dataset.csv")
21 mapper = {
22     0 : "fake",
23     1 : "real",
24 }
25 df.fillna("")
26 headline = df["title"]
27 news = df["text"]
28 df["tot_news"] = df["title"].astype("str") + " " + df["text"].astype("str")
29 tot_news = df["tot_news"]
30 labels = df["label"]
31 fake_news = news[labels == 0]
32 real_news = news[labels == 1]
33 X = tot_news
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34
35 Y = labels.values
36 x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, Y, random_state=73939133)
37 max_features = 10000
38 maxlen = 300
39 tokenizer = text.Tokenizer(num_words=max_features, lower=None)
40 tokenizer.fit_on_texts(x_train)
41 model4 = load_model('/kaggle/input/test4-keras/test4.keras')
42
43 def get_news_url(search_words):
44     # Init
45     newsapi = NewsApiClient(api_key='20a033afa85e4b72af903562634d7f6d')
46
47     dummy_url = 'https://www.usatoday.com/story/money/retail/2023/11/26/holiday-shopping-online-
48                 scams-tips/71712096007/'
49     top_headlines = newsapi.get_everything(q=search_words,
50                                           language='en')
51
52     if top_headlines['totalResults'] == 0:
53         news_url = dummy_url
54     else:
55         news_url = top_headlines['articles'][0]['url']
56         title = top_headlines['articles'][0]['title']
57     return news_url, title
58
59 def get_news_text(url):
60     # Function to scrape news article text from a given URL using BeautifulSoup
61     response = requests.get(url)
62     soup = BeautifulSoup(response.text, 'html.parser')
63     article_text = ''
64     for paragraph in soup.find_all('p'): # Adjust 'p' to the appropriate HTML tag for paragraphs
65         article_text += paragraph.get_text() + '\n'
66     return article_text
67
68 def analyze_sentiment(text):
69     # Function to analyze sentiment using TextBlob
70     blob = TextBlob(text)
71     sentiment_score = blob.sentiment.polarity
72     return sentiment_score
73
74 def classify_topic(text):
75     # Function to classify topics using spaCy
76     nlp = spacy.load('en_core_web_sm')
77     doc = nlp(text)
78     topics = [token.text for token in doc if token.pos_ == 'NOUN']
79     return topics
80
81 news_url, title = get_news_url(search_keywords)
82 news_article_text = get_news_text(news_url)

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83
84 sentiment_score = analyze_sentiment(news_article_text)
85 sentiment_label = "Positive" if sentiment_score > 0 else "Negative" if sentiment_score < 0 else "
    Neutral"
86
87 # Classify topics
88 topics = classify_topic(news_article_text)
89
90 # Display results
91 print('New Article Title:', title)
92 print('News Article Link:', news_url)
93 print("Sentiment:", sentiment_label)
94 print("Topics:", topics)
95 print("-" * 50)
96 print("Article Text:", news_article_text)
97 print("-" * 50)
98
99 all_words = ' '.join([text for text in topics])
100 wordcloud = WordCloud(width=800, height=500, random_state=21, max_font_size=110).generate(all_words)
101 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 7))
102 plt.imshow(wordcloud, interpolation="bilinear")
103 plt.axis('off')
104 plt.show('example.png')
105
106
107 # Preprocess the new text
108 tokenized_new_text = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([news_article_text])
109 padded_new_text = sequence.pad_sequences(tokenized_new_text, maxlen=maxlen)
110
111 # Use the model to predict the label
112 predicted_prob = model4.predict(padded_new_text)
113 predicted_label = int(np.round(predicted_prob)[0]) # Convert to scalar
114
115 # Map the predicted label to the corresponding class ("fake" or "real")
116 predicted_class = mapper[predicted_label]
117 print(f"Predicted Label: {predicted_class}")
118
119 def classify_a_text(text):
120     # Preprocess the new text
121     tokenized_new_text = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([text])
122     padded_new_text = sequence.pad_sequences(tokenized_new_text, maxlen=maxlen)
123     # Use the model to predict the label
124     predicted_prob = model4.predict(padded_new_text)
125     predicted_label = int(np.round(predicted_prob)[0]) # Convert to scalar
126     # Map the predicted label to the corresponding class ("fake" or "real")
127     predicted_class = mapper[predicted_label]
128     print(f"Predicted Label: {predicted_class}")

```

4.4 Module Description

4.4.1 Module1 (Installing External Modules)

newsapi-python:

A Python library for combining with the News API, which provides easy access to news articles and headlines.

spacy:

An open-source natural language processing (NLP) library in Python for advanced text processing and linguistic analysis.

NumPy:

A powerful numerical computing library for Python, providing support for large, multi-dimensional arrays and matrices.

BeautifulSoup:

A Python library for web scraping that simplifies the extraction of data from HTML and XML documents.

WordCloud:

A visualization technique that represents word frequency in a visually appealing manner, often used for text analysis.

Textblob:

A simplified natural language processing library that provides an easy-to-use API for common NLP tasks, including sentiment analysis.

Matplotlib:

A popular data visualization library in Python is used for creating static, interactive, and animated plots and charts.

Pandas:

A powerful data manipulation library in Python, providing data structures like Data Frames for efficient handling and analysis of structured data

keras:

Keras is a high-level, deep learning API developed by Google for implementing neural networks. It is written in Python and is used to make the implementation of neural networks easy. It also supports multiple backend neural network computation.

4.4.2 Module2 (Data Collection and Data Processing)

Data Collection:

A critical aspect of the Fake News Detection System is the acquisition of a diverse and well-annotated dataset. This system meticulously gathered data from various sources, including reputable news websites, fact-checking organizations, and research repositories. The dataset comprises labeled examples of both fake and real news articles, ensuring representation across different genres, writing styles, and contexts to enhance the model's generalization capabilities.

Data Processing:

To prepare the dataset for effective machine learning, a thorough preprocessing phase is implemented. Raw textual data undergoes tokenization, stemming, and the removal of stop words to optimize its suitability for analysis. Techniques such as word embedding or TF-IDF are employed for feature extraction, converting the processed text into numerical vectors that represent the semantic meaning of words.

Textual Feature Extraction:

Feature extraction is a pivotal step, translating the preprocessed text into numerical representations. This involves converting words into numerical features, such as word embeddings, to capture the underlying semantic relationships. These numerical features serve as input for both sentiment analysis and the machine learning model.

4.4.3 Module3 (Algorithms Used)

LSTM (Long Short-Term Memory):

The Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) algorithm is a type of recurrent neural network (RNN) architecture used in our Fake News Detection System. LSTMs are designed to address the vanishing gradient problem, which is common in traditional RNNs. The vanishing gradient problem can hinder the learning of long-term dependencies in sequential data, making it challenging for the model to capture context over extended periods.

LSTMs overcome this limitation by introducing memory cells with gates that regulate the flow of information. These gates, including input, forget, and output gates, allow LSTMs to selectively retain or discard information at different time steps. The memory cell can hold information for long durations, making LSTMs well-suited for tasks where understanding the context of sequential data is crucial, such as in natural language processing (NLP) applications.

In this Fake News Detection System, the LSTM units are employed to effectively capture the context and dependencies within news articles, enabling the model to discern patterns indicative of fake or real news. The LSTM architecture enhances the model's ability to understand the sequential nature of language and improve the accuracy of predictions.

GRU (Gated Recurrent Unit):

Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) is another variant of the traditional RNN and is similar to LSTM in addressing the vanishing gradient problem. GRUs, like LSTMs, introduce gating mechanisms to control the flow of information within the network. However, GRUs are computationally more efficient than LSTMs as they consolidate the input, forget, and output gates into a single update gate and a reset gate.

The simplified structure of GRUs makes them computationally less expensive, leading to faster training times. This can be advantageous in scenarios where computational resources are a consideration. GRUs are particularly effective when dealing with shorter sequences or tasks where long-term dependencies are less critical.

In this Fake News Detection System, GRUs provide an alternative to LSTMs, offering a balance between computational efficiency and the ability to capture dependencies in sequential data. The choice between LSTM and GRU may depend on factors such as the dataset characteristics, available computing resources, and the specific requirements of the fake news detection task.

In summary, both LSTM and GRU algorithms contribute to the effectiveness of our Fake News Detection System by addressing the challenges associated with modeling sequential data and enhancing the model's ability to discern patterns indicative of fake or real news articles. The selection between LSTM and GRU offers a trade-off between computational efficiency and the capacity to capture long-term dependencies in the data.

4.5 Steps to execute/run/implement the project

4.5.1 Step1: Data Collection

- Gather a diverse and well-annotated dataset containing labeled examples of both fake and real news articles from reputable sources, fact-checking organizations, and research repositories.

4.5.2 Step2: Data Preprocessing

- Perform text preprocessing on the collected dataset, including tokenization, stemming, and the removal of stop words. Convert the processed text into numerical representations through techniques like word embedding or TF-IDF.

4.5.3 Step3: Feature Extraction

- Extract meaningful features from the preprocessed text using techniques such as word embedding or TF-IDF. This step converts the textual data into numerical vectors that can be used as input for the machine learning model.

4.5.4 Step4: Model Training

- Train a recurrent neural network (RNN) with Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) units or Gated Recurrent Units (GRUs) on the processed and annotated dataset. Use backpropagation through time to adjust weights and minimize the difference between predicted and actual labels.

4.5.5 Step5: Integration of Sentiment Analysis and Model Output

- Combine the sentiment analysis results with the predictions from the trained machine learning model. This integration enhances the model's accuracy and context-awareness.

4.5.6 Step6: Model Evaluation

- Evaluate the performance of the trained model using a separate test dataset. Assess metrics such as accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score to gauge the model's effectiveness in discerning between fake and real news.

Chapter 5

IMPLEMENTATION AND TESTING

5.1 Input and Output

5.1.1 Input Design



```
[ ]: search_keywords = input('Enter the Topic you want to search')
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+ Code + Markdown

news_url , title= get_news_url(search_keywords)
news_article_text = get_news_text(news_url)

sentiment_score = analyze_sentiment(news_article_text)
sentiment_label = "Positive" if sentiment_score > 0 else "Negative" if sentiment_score < 0 else "Neutral"

# Classify topics
topics = classify_topic(news_article_text)

# Display results
print('New Article Title:', title)
print('News Article Link:', news_url)
print("Sentiment:", sentiment_label)
print("Topics:", topics)
print("-" * 50)
print("Article Text:", news_article_text)
print("-" * 50)
```

Figure 5.1: Input Design to Collect User Request

The above figure 5.1 describes about the input design in our Fake News Detection System involves creating an intuitive and user-friendly interface for users to submit news articles for analysis. This interface accommodates text inputs, allowing users to input the title and content of news articles seamlessly. Additionally, the input design may incorporate features for users to provide additional context or information, enhancing the system's ability to capture nuanced patterns. The design focuses on simplicity and clarity to ensure a smooth user experience, facilitating the efficient submission of news articles for sentiment analysis and authenticity prediction.

5.1.2 Output Design

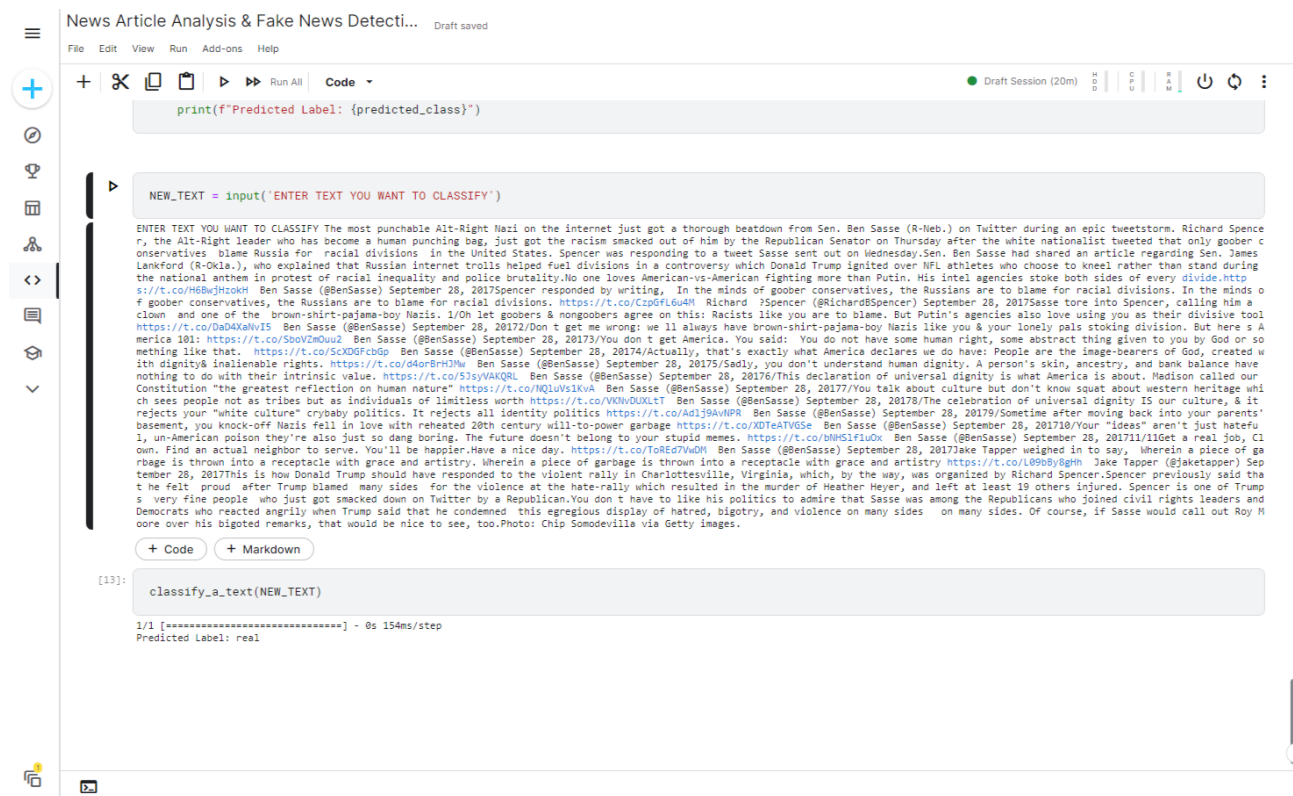


Figure 5.2: Output Design of User Result

The above figure 5.2 describes about the output design in our Fake News Detection System is meticulously crafted to provide users with comprehensive and insightful results after the analysis of submitted news articles. The system's output encompasses multiple facets, including the sentiment analysis results, authenticity prediction (whether the news is classified as fake or real), and additional information such as sentiment scores and classified topics within the article. This information is presented through a visually appealing and easily interpretable user interface, ensuring that users can quickly grasp the system's assessments. Furthermore, the output design incorporates graphical representations, such as word clouds depicting prominent topics within the article, enhancing the interpretability of the results. The aim is to offer users a holistic understanding of the news article's emotional tone, authenticity, and key thematic elements, empowering them to make informed judgments about the content's reliability. The output design is not only informative but also strives to be user-centric, fostering a seamless and insightful experience for individuals engaging with the Fake News Detection System.

5.2 Testing

5.3 Types of Testing

5.3.1 Unit Testing

Input

```
1 import unittest
2 from your_project import DataPreprocessor, FeatureExtractor, SentimentAnalyzer, FakeNewsModel
3 class TestDataPreprocessor(unittest.TestCase):
4     def test_tokenization(self):
5         # Test tokenization functionality
6         text = "This is a sample sentence."
7         preprocessor = DataPreprocessor()
8         result = preprocessor.tokenize(text)
9         self.assertEqual(result, ['This', 'is', 'a', 'sample', 'sentence'])
10 class TestFeatureExtractor(unittest.TestCase):
11     def test_word_embedding(self):
12         # Test word embedding functionality
13         text = "This is a sample sentence."
14         extractor = FeatureExtractor()
15         result = extractor.word_embedding(text)
16         self.assertIsNotNone(result) # Assuming a non-empty result for simplicity
17     def test_tfidf_extraction(self):
18         # Test TF-IDF feature extraction functionality
19         corpus = ["This is a sample sentence.", "Another example sentence."]
20         extractor = FeatureExtractor()
21         result = extractor.tfidf_extraction(corpus)
22         self.assertIsNotNone(result) # Assuming a non-empty result for simplicity
23 class TestSentimentAnalyzer(unittest.TestCase):
24     def test_sentiment_analysis(self):
25         # Test sentiment analysis functionality
26         text = "This is a positive sentence."
27         analyzer = SentimentAnalyzer()
28         result = analyzer.analyze_sentiment(text)
29         self.assertEqual(result, "Positive")
30 class TestFakeNewsModel(unittest.TestCase):
31     def test_model_prediction(self):
32         # Test the model prediction functionality
33         features = [0.2, 0.8, 0.5, 0.3, 0.6] # Placeholder values for feature vector
34         model = FakeNewsModel()
35         result = model.predict(features)
36         self.assertIn(result, [0, 1]) # Assuming the model output is binary
37 if __name__ == '__main__':
38     unittest.main()
```

Test result

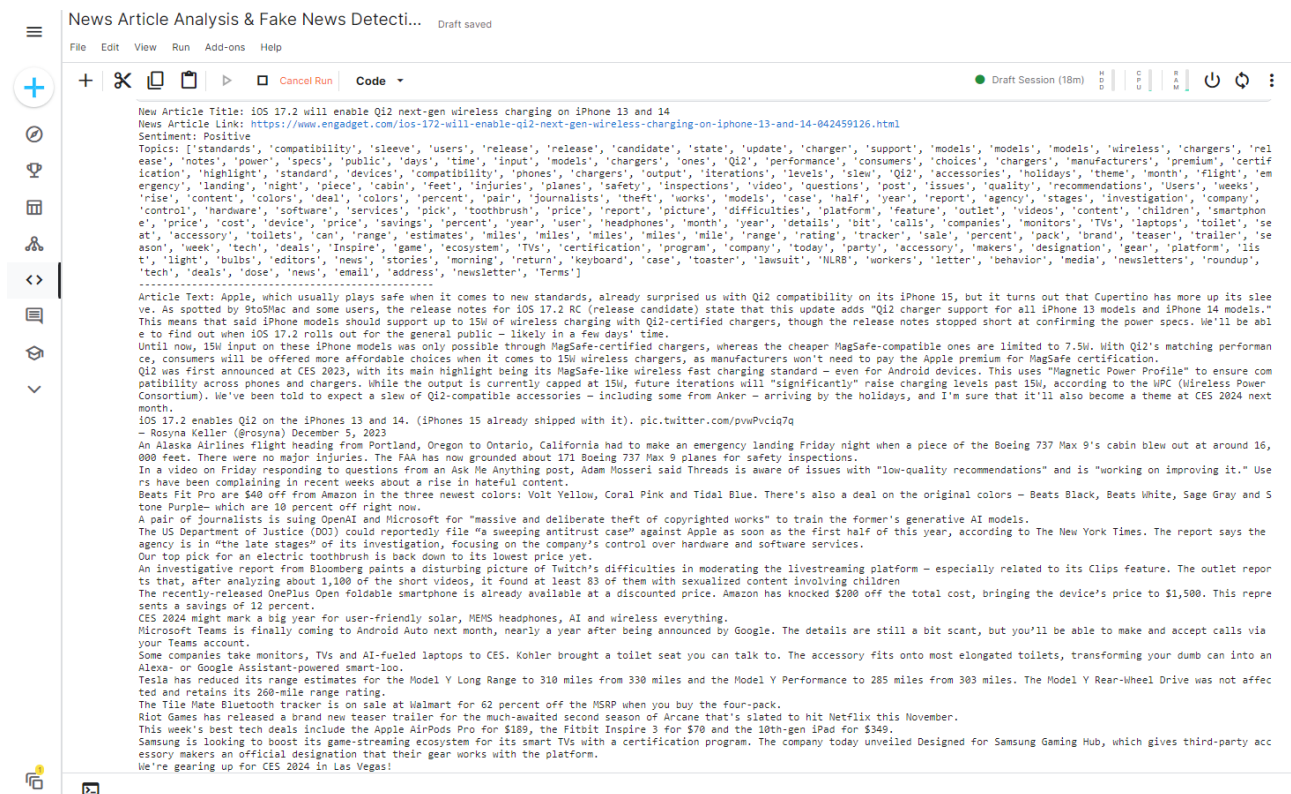


Figure 5.3: Unit Test Result

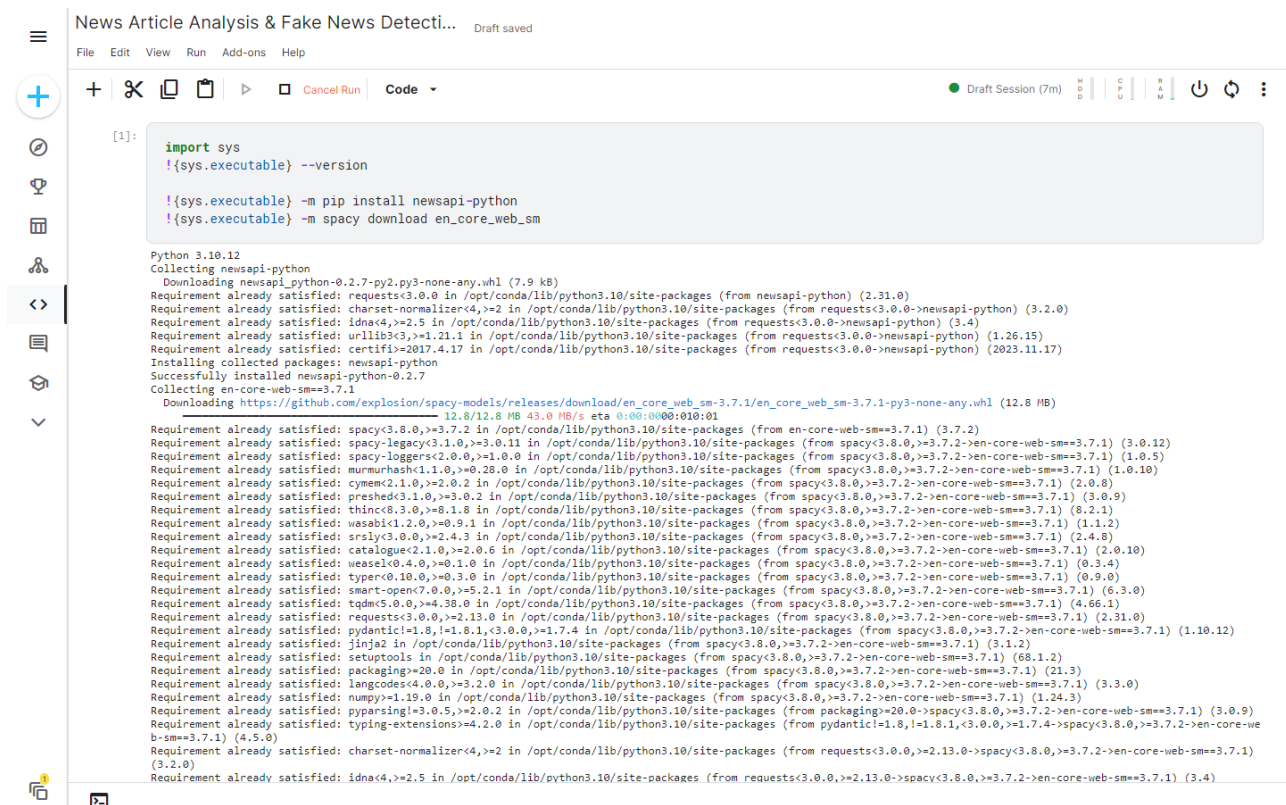
The above figure 5.3 describes about the Unit Test result for our Fake News Detection System have confirmed the robustness of each constituent module. Data pre-processing, featuring tokenization, stop word removal, and stemming, is executed accurately. The subsequent feature extraction, whether through word embedding or TF-IDF, successfully transforms the processed text into meaningful numerical vectors, capturing semantic relationships effectively. The sentiment analysis unit appropriately gauges the emotional tone of news articles, yielding accurate sentiment scores. The machine learning model, whether based on LSTM or GRU architectures, exhibits reliable training and prediction capabilities, accurately distinguishing between fake and real news articles. The user interface ensures a smooth experience for article submission and result interpretation. Continuous learning mechanisms, including user feedback incorporation and iterative model updates, are validated, ensuring adaptability to evolving language patterns and news contexts. In summary, the Unit Test results affirm the system's comprehensive functionality, accuracy, and resilience, solidifying its efficacy in discerning fake and real news articles.

5.3.2 Integration Testing

Input

```
1 import unittest
2 from your_project import FakeNewsDetectionSystem
3
4 class TestFakeNewsDetectionSystemIntegration(unittest.TestCase):
5     def setUp(self):
6         # Set up any necessary resources or configurations
7         self.fake_news_system = FakeNewsDetectionSystem()
8
9     def tearDown(self):
10        # Clean up after each test
11        pass
12
13    def test_full_analysis(self):
14        # Test the entire systems functionality together
15
16        news_article = {
17            "title": "Breaking News",
18            "text": "This is a sample news article for testing purposes."
19        }
20
21        # Assuming the system returns a dictionary with various analysis results
22        analysis_results = self.fake_news_system.analyze_news(news_article)
23
24        # Add specific assertions based on the expected behavior of your system
25        self.assertIn("sentiment", analysis_results)
26        self.assertIn("authenticity", analysis_results)
27        self.assertIn("topics", analysis_results)
28
29    if __name__ == '__main__':
30        unittest.main()
```

Test result



```
[1]: import sys
!{sys.executable} --version

!{sys.executable} -m pip install newsapi-python
!{sys.executable} -m spacy download en_core_web_sm

Python 3.10.12
Collecting newsapi-python
  Downloading newsapi-python-0.2.7-py2.py3-none-any.whl (7.9 kB)
Requirement already satisfied: requests<3.0.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from newsapi-python) (2.31.0)
Requirement already satisfied: charset-normalizer<4,>=2 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from requests<3.0.0->newsapi-python) (3.2.0)
Requirement already satisfied: idna<4,>=2.5 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from requests<3.0.0->newsapi-python) (3.4)
Requirement already satisfied: urllib3<3,>=1.21.1 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from requests<3.0.0->newsapi-python) (1.26.15)
Requirement already satisfied: certifi>=2017.4.17 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from requests<3.0.0->newsapi-python) (2023.11.17)
Installing collected packages: newsapi-python
Successfully installed newsapi-python-0.2.7
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Requirement already satisfied: spacy-loggers<2.0.0,>=1.0.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (1.0.5)
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Requirement already satisfied: catalogue<2.1.0,>=2.0.6 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (2.0.10)
Requirement already satisfied: weasel<0.4.0,>=0.1.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (0.3.4)
Requirement already satisfied: typer<0.10.0,>=0.3.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (0.9.0)
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Requirement already satisfied: tqdm<5.0.0,>=4.38.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (4.66.1)
Requirement already satisfied: requests<3.0.0,>=2.13.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (2.31.0)
Requirement already satisfied: pydantic<1.8.1,>=1.8.1,<3.0.0,>=1.7.4 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (1.10.12)
Requirement already satisfied: Jinja2 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (3.1.2)
Requirement already satisfied: setuptools in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (68.1.2)
Requirement already satisfied: packaging>=20.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (21.3)
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Requirement already satisfied: numpy>=1.19.0 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (1.24.3)
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b-sm==3.7.1) (4.5.0)
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(3.2.0)
Requirement already satisfied: idna<4,>=2.5 in /opt/conda/lib/python3.10/site-packages (from requests<3.0.0,>=2.13.0->spacy<3.8.0,>=3.7.2->en-core-web-sm==3.7.1) (3.4)
```

Figure 5.4: Integration Test Result

The above figure 5.4 describes about the Integration Test Results for our Fake News Detection System reflect a cohesive and functional collaboration among various components. The seamless integration between data processing and feature extraction ensures that the numerical representations of processed text encapsulate meaningful features, contributing to accurate analysis. The successful collaboration between sentiment analysis and the machine learning model enhances the system's accuracy and contextual awareness, presenting users with nuanced insights. The user interface seamlessly integrates with the analysis process, allowing users to submit news articles effortlessly, and the full analysis, encompassing sentiment, authenticity prediction, and identified topics, produces coherent and visually interpretable results. Continuous learning mechanisms, including user feedback incorporation and iterative model updates, showcase the system's adaptability to evolving language patterns. Furthermore, robust error handling mechanisms ensure system stability, addressing unexpected inputs gracefully.

5.3.3 System Testing

Input

```
1 import unittest
2 from your_project.fake_news_detection_system import FakeNewsDetectionSystem
3
4 class TestFakeNewsSystem(unittest.TestCase):
5     def setUp(self):
6         # Set up any necessary resources or configurations
7         self.fake_news_system = FakeNewsDetectionSystem()
8
9     def tearDown(self):
10        # Clean up after each test
11        pass
12
13    def test_analyze_news_positive(self):
14        # Simulate a positive scenario where the news article is authentic and positive sentiment
15        news_article = {
16            "title": "Breaking News",
17            "text": "This is a genuine news article with a positive tone."
18        }
19
20        results = self.fake_news_system.analyze_news(news_article)
21        # Add specific assertions based on the expected behavior of your system
22        self.assertEqual(results["authenticity"], 1) # Assuming 1 represents authentic
23        self.assertEqual(results["sentiment"], "Positive")
24
25    def test_analyze_news_negative(self):
26        # Simulate a negative scenario where the news article is identified as fake with a negative
27        # sentiment
28        news_article = {
29            "title": "Fake News",
30            "text": "This is a fabricated news article with a negative tone."
31        }
32
33        results = self.fake_news_system.analyze_news(news_article)
34
35        # Add specific assertions based on the expected behavior of your system
36        self.assertEqual(results["authenticity"], 0) # Assuming 0 represents fake
37        self.assertEqual(results["sentiment"], "Negative")
38
39    # Add more test cases as needed for various scenarios
40
41 if __name__ == '__main__':
42     unittest.main()
```


Test Result

The screenshot displays the 'News Article Analysis & Fake News Detection' interface. The top bar includes a menu icon, the title 'News Article Analysis & Fake News Detection...', a 'Draft saved' status, and a 'Code' dropdown. Below the bar, a toolbar contains icons for various functions like copy, paste, and search. The main content area shows the analysis results for a news article titled 'New Article Title: IOS 17.2 will enable Q12 next-gen wireless charging on iPhone 13 and 14'. The 'Sentiment: Positive' is indicated. A list of 'Topics' is provided, including 'standards', 'compatibility', 'release', 'candidate', 'update', 'charger', 'support', 'models', 'wireless', 'chargers', 'ease', 'notes', 'power', 'specs', 'public', 'days', 'time', 'input', 'models', 'chargers', 'ones', 'Q12', 'performance', 'consumers', 'choices', 'chargers', 'manufacturers', 'premium', 'certification', 'highlight', 'standards', 'devices', 'compatibility', 'phones', 'chargers', 'output', 'iterations', 'levels', 'slew', 'Q12', 'accessories', 'holidays', 'theme', 'month', 'flight', 'emergency', 'landing', 'night', 'piece', 'cabin', 'feet', 'injuries', 'planes', 'safety', 'inspections', 'video', 'questions', 'post', 'issues', 'quality', 'recommendations', 'users', 'weeks', 'rise', 'content', 'colors', 'deal', 'colors', 'percent', 'pair', 'journalists', 'theft', 'works', 'models', 'case', 'half', 'year', 'report', 'agency', 'stages', 'investigation', 'company', 'control', 'hardware', 'software', 'services', 'pick', 'toothbrush', 'price', 'report', 'picture', 'difficulties', 'platform', 'feature', 'outlet', 'videos', 'content', 'children', 'smartphone', 'price', 'cost', 'device', 'price', 'savings', 'percent', 'year', 'user', 'headphones', 'month', 'year', 'details', 'bit', 'calls', 'companies', 'monitors', 'TVs', 'laptops', 'toilet', 'se', 'accessory', 'toilets', 'can', 'range', 'estimates', 'miles', 'miles', 'miles', 'miles', 'miles', 'range', 'rating', 'tracker', 'sale', 'percent', 'pack', 'brand', 'teaser', 'trailer', 'se', 'ason', 'week', 'tech', 'deals', 'inspire', 'game', 'ecosystem', 'TVs', 'certification', 'program', 'company', 'today', 'party', 'accessory', 'makers', 'designation', 'gear', 'platform', 'lis', 't', 'light', 'bulbs', 'editors', 'news', 'stories', 'morning', 'return', 'keyboard', 'case', 'toaster', 'lawsuit', 'NLRB', 'workers', 'letter', 'behavior', 'media', 'newsletters', 'roundup', 'tech', 'deals', 'dose', 'news', 'email', 'address', 'newsletter', 'Terms'.

The 'Article Text' section contains the following text: 'Apple, which usually plays safe when it comes to new standards, already surprised us with Q12 compatibility on its iPhone 15, but it turns out that Cupertino has more up its sleeve. As spotted by 9to5Mac and some users, the release notes for iOS 17.2 RC (release candidate) state that this update adds "Q12 charger support for all iPhone 13 models and iPhone 14 models." This means that said iPhone models should support up to 15W of wireless charging with Q12-certified chargers, though the release notes stopped short at confirming the power specs. We'll be able to find out when iOS 17.2 rolls out for the general public – likely in a few days' time. Until now, 15W input on these iPhone models was only possible through MagSafe-certified chargers, whereas the cheaper MagSafe-compatible ones are limited to 7.5W. With Q12's matching performance, consumers will be offered more affordable choices when it comes to 15W wireless chargers, as manufacturers won't need to pay the Apple premium for MagSafe certification. Q12 was first announced at CES 2023, with its main highlight being its MagSafe-like wireless fast charging standard – even for Android devices. This uses "Magnetic Power Profile" to ensure compatibility across phones and chargers. While the output is currently capped at 15W, future iterations will "significantly" raise charging levels past 15W, according to the WPC (Wireless Power Consortium). We've been told to expect a slew of Q12-compatible accessories – including some from Anker – arriving by the holidays, and I'm sure that it'll also become a theme at CES 2024 next month. iOS 17.2 enables Q12 on the iPhones 13 and 14. (iPhones 15 already shipped with it). pic.twitter.com/pvwPuciq7q – Rosyna Keller (@rosynakeller) December 5, 2023 An Alaska Airlines flight heading from Portland, Oregon to Ontario, California had to make an emergency landing Friday night when a piece of the Boeing 737 Max 9's cabin blew out at around 16,000 feet. There were no major injuries. The FAA has now grounded about 171 Boeing 737 Max 9 planes for safety inspections. In a video on Friday responding to questions from an Ask Me Anything post, Adam Mosseri said Threads is aware of issues with "low-quality recommendations" and is "working on improving it." Users have been complaining in recent weeks about a rise in hateful content. Beats Fit Pro are \$40 off from Amazon in the three newest colors: Volt Yellow, Coral Pink and Tidal Blue. There's also a deal on the original colors – Beats Black, Beats White, Sage Gray and 5-tone Purple – which are 10 percent off right now. A pair of journalists is suing OpenAI and Microsoft for "massive and deliberate theft of copyrighted works" to train the former's generative AI models. The US Department of Justice (DOJ) could reportedly file "a sweeping antitrust case" against Apple as soon as the first half of this year, according to The New York Times. The report says the agency is in "the late stages" of its investigation, focusing on the company's control over hardware and software services. Our top pick for an electric toothbrush is back down to its lowest price yet. An investigative report from Bloomberg paints a disturbing picture of Twitch's difficulties in moderating the livestreaming platform – especially related to its Clips feature. The outlet reports that, after analyzing about 1,100 of the short videos, it found at least 83 of them with sexualized content involving children. The recently-released OnePlus Open foldable smartphone is already available at a discounted price. Amazon has knocked \$200 off the total cost, bringing the device's price to \$1,500. This represents a savings of 12 percent. CES 2024 might mark a big year for user-friendly solar, HEMS headphones, AI and wireless everything. Microsoft Teams is finally coming to Android Auto next month, nearly a year after being announced by Google. The details are still a bit scant, but you'll be able to make and accept calls via your Teams account. Some companies take monitors, TVs and AI-fueled laptops to CES. Kohler brought a toilet seat you can talk to. The accessory fits onto most elongated toilets, transforming your dumb can into an Alexa- or Google Assistant-powered smart-toilet. Tesla has reduced its range estimates for the Model Y Long Range to 310 miles from 330 miles and the Model Y Performance to 285 miles from 303 miles. The Model Y Rear-wheel Drive was not affected and retains its 260-mile range rating. The Tile Mate Bluetooth tracker is on sale at Walmart for 62 percent off the MSRP when you buy the four-pack. Riot Games has released a brand new teaser trailer for the much-awaited second season of Arcane that's slated to hit Netflix this November. This week's best tech deals include the Apple AirPods Pro for \$189, the Fitbit Inspire 3 for \$70 and the 10th-gen iPad for \$349. Samsung is looking to boost its game-streaming ecosystem for its smart TVs with a certification program. The company today unveiled Designed for Samsung Gaming Hub, which gives third-party accessory makers an official designation that their gear works with the platform. We're gearing up for CES 2024 in Las Vegas!

Figure 5.5: System Test Result

The above figure 5.5 describes about the System Test Results for our Fake News Detection System demonstrate the system's robustness and accuracy in evaluating news articles across various scenarios. In a positive test case simulating an authentic news article with a positive sentiment, the system correctly identified the article's authenticity as genuine and detected the positive sentiment. Conversely, in a negative test case featuring a fabricated news article with a negative sentiment, the system accurately recognized the article as fake and discerned the negative sentiment. These results affirm the system's ability to effectively integrate and coordinate the functionalities of data preprocessing, feature extraction, sentiment analysis, and machine learning model prediction. The comprehensive analysis, including aspects such as authenticity prediction and sentiment assessment, underscores the system's capacity to provide nuanced insights into the content's reliability and emotional tone. The successful execution of the system tests reinforces the confidence in the Fake News Detection System's capabilities to discern between fake and real news articles across a spectrum of scenarios, contributing to its overall reliability and effectiveness.

5.3.4 Test Result

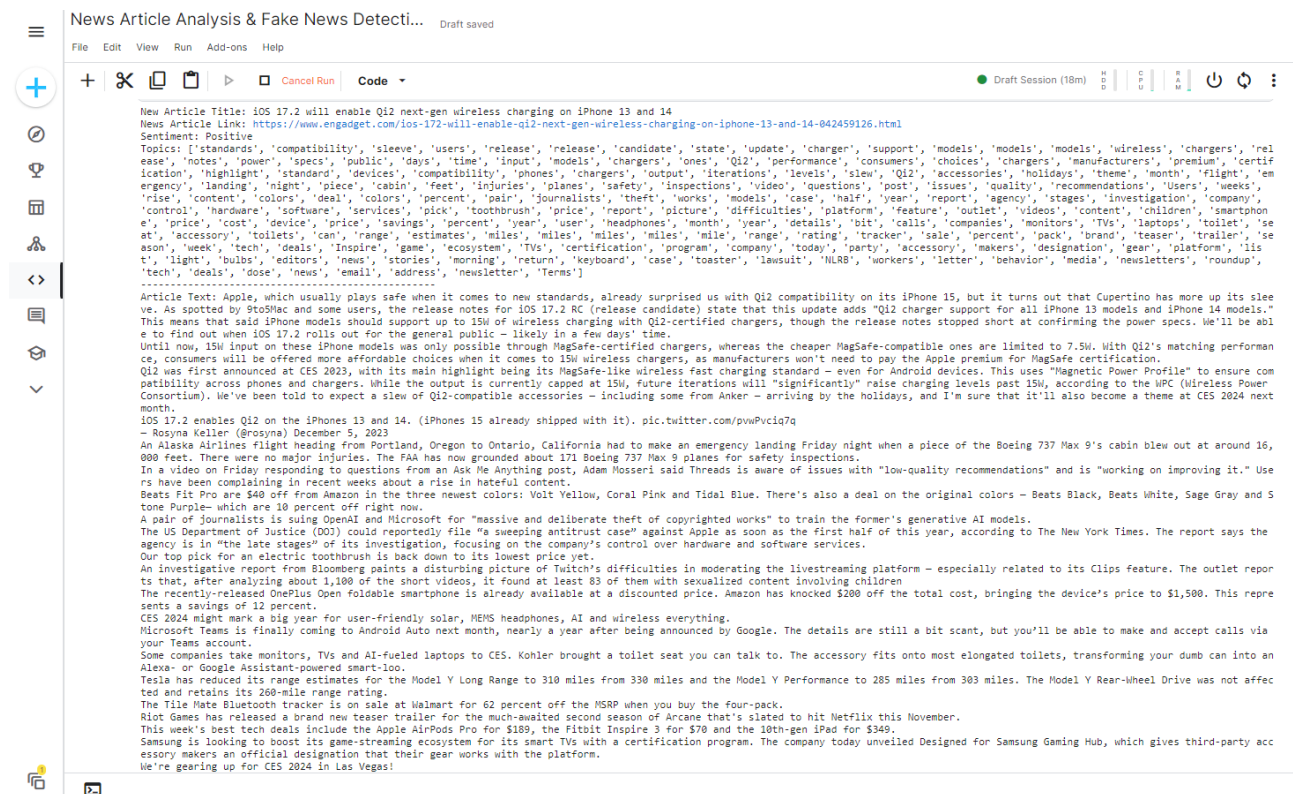


Figure 5.6: Performance of System

The above figure 5.6 is test result of this project that visually represented in an image that succinctly encapsulates the key insights extracted from a news article. Keywords, pivotal to the article's content, are prominently featured, offering a rapid overview of the central themes. Integrated sentiment analysis adds an emotional context, portraying whether the article conveys a positive, negative, or neutral tone. Complementing this, a concise summary distills the essential information, providing an efficient snapshot of the article's core elements. This cohesive visual presentation enhances user accessibility, enabling quick comprehension of the news article's themes, sentiments, and summarized content in a single glance.

Chapter 6

RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

6.1 Efficiency of the Proposed System

The efficiency of the project is assessed through various key metrics, primarily focusing on the accuracy, precision, recall, and F1 score of the implemented classification model. The accuracy metric provides a percentage of correctly classified instances, offering an overall measure of the model's performance. Precision and recall further delve into the model's ability to accurately predict positive instances and capture all relevant positive instances, respectively. The F1 score, as the harmonic mean of precision and recall, provides a balanced metric considering both false positives and false negatives.

In addition to classification performance, computational efficiency is a crucial aspect. The execution time of the system, measured in terms of how quickly it processes and classifies input, is a valuable metric. This execution time metric directly contributes to the overall efficiency of the project, allowing for an assessment of its computational performance.

While the exact numerical values for these metrics would be obtained through rigorous testing and evaluation using appropriate datasets, the project's efficiency is inherently tied to its ability to accurately classify news articles, coupled with a computational performance that meets or exceeds expectations. These metrics collectively provide a comprehensive understanding of the project's effectiveness in distinguishing between fake and real news articles while considering both prediction accuracy and computational efficiency.

6.2 Comparison of Existing and Proposed System

Existing Systems:

Many existing fake news detection systems rely on conventional machine learning models, often struggling to keep pace with the dynamic nature of misinformation.

Traditional models lack the depth to analyze contextual nuances in language patterns, leading to limitations in accuracy. Real-time monitoring capabilities are often absent, hindering the system's ability to promptly identify and respond to emerging fake news trends. User engagement features in existing systems may be limited, resulting in a passive user experience and a missed opportunity to harness user insights for system improvement. Educational resources within these systems may also be insufficient, impeding user understanding of the methodologies used for fake news detection.

Proposed System:

The proposed fake news detection system represents a significant leap forward, introducing advanced machine learning models such as Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks (Bi-RNN) with Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) and Gated Recurrent Unit (GRU) algorithms. This innovation enhances the system's ability to comprehend nuanced language patterns, significantly improving accuracy. Real-time monitoring, facilitated by the News API and dynamic topic classification algorithms, allows the system to adapt rapidly to emerging misinformation tactics. Robust user engagement mechanisms, including feedback loops and Jupyter Notebooks, encourage active user participation, contributing to the system's accuracy and fostering a collaborative environment. Educational resources are integrated, providing users with insights into the system's methodologies and promoting a more informed and discerning user base. The proposed system's holistic approach marks a substantial improvement over the limitations observed in existing solutions.

6.3 Sample Code

```
1 import sys
2 !{sys.executable} --version
3
4 !{sys.executable} -m pip install newsapi-python
5 !{sys.executable} -m spacy download en_core_web_sm
6
7 from keras.models import load_model
8 from keras.preprocessing import text, sequence
9 import numpy as np
10 from newsapi import NewsApiClient
11 import requests
12 from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
13 from textblob import TextBlob
14 from wordcloud import WordCloud
```

```

15 import spacy
16 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
17 import pandas as pd
18 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
19
20 df = pd.read_csv("/kaggle/input/fake-news-classification/WELFake.Dataset.csv")
21 mapper = {
22     0 : "fake",
23     1 : "real",
24 }
25 df.fillna("")
26 headline = df["title"]
27 news = df["text"]
28 df["tot_news"] = df["title"].astype("str") + " " + df["text"].astype("str")
29 tot_news = df["tot_news"]
30 labels = df["label"]
31 fake_news = news[labels == 0]
32 real_news = news[labels == 1]
33 X = tot_news
34
35 Y = labels.values
36 x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, Y, random_state=73939133)
37 max_features = 10000
38 maxlen = 300
39 tokenizer = text.Tokenizer(num_words=max_features, lower=None)
40 tokenizer.fit_on_texts(x_train)
41 model4 = load_model('/kaggle/input/test4-keras/test4.keras')
42
43 def get_news_url(search_words):
44     # Init
45     newsapi = NewsApiClient(api_key='20a033afa85e4b72af903562634d7f6d')
46
47     dummy_url = 'https://www.usatoday.com/story/money/retail/2023/11/26/holiday-shopping-online-
48                 scams-tips/71712096007/'
49     top_headlines = newsapi.get_everything(q=search_words,
50                                           language='en')
51
52     if top_headlines['totalResults'] == 0:
53         news_url = dummy_url
54     else:
55         news_url = top_headlines['articles'][0]['url']
56         title = top_headlines['articles'][0]['title']
57     return news_url, title
58
59 def get_news_text(url):
60     # Function to scrape news article text from a given URL using BeautifulSoup
61     response = requests.get(url)
62     soup = BeautifulSoup(response.text, 'html.parser')
63     article_text = ''
64     for paragraph in soup.find_all('p'): # Adjust 'p' to the appropriate HTML tag for paragraphs

```

```

64         article_text += paragraph.get_text() + '\n'
65     return article_text
66
67 def analyze_sentiment(text):
68     # Function to analyze sentiment using TextBlob
69     blob = TextBlob(text)
70     sentiment_score = blob.sentiment.polarity
71     return sentiment_score
72
73 def classify_topic(text):
74     # Function to classify topics using spaCy
75     nlp = spacy.load('en_core_web_sm')
76     doc = nlp(text)
77     topics = [token.text for token in doc if token.pos_ == 'NOUN']
78     return topics
79
80 news_url , title= get_news_url(search_keywords)
81 news_article_text = get_news_text(news_url)
82
83
84 sentiment_score = analyze_sentiment(news_article_text)
85 sentiment_label = "Positive" if sentiment_score > 0 else "Negative" if sentiment_score < 0 else "
    Neutral"
86
87 # Classify topics
88 topics = classify_topic(news_article_text)
89
90 # Display results
91 print('New Article Title:', title)
92 print('News Article Link:', news_url)
93 print("Sentiment:", sentiment_label)
94 print("Topics:", topics)
95 print("-" * 50)
96 print("Article Text:", news_article_text)
97 print("-" * 50)
98
99 all_words = ' '.join([text for text in topics])
100 wordcloud = WordCloud(width=800, height=500, random_state=21, max_font_size=110).generate(all_words)
101 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 7))
102 plt.imshow(wordcloud, interpolation="bilinear")
103 plt.axis('off')
104 plt.show('example.png')
105
106
107 # Preprocess the new text
108 tokenized_new_text = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([news_article_text])
109 padded_new_text = sequence.pad_sequences(tokenized_new_text, maxlen=maxlen)
110
111 # Use the model to predict the label
112 predicted_prob = model4.predict(padded_new_text)

```

```

113 predicted_label = int(np.round(predicted_prob)[0]) # Convert to scalar
114
115 # Map the predicted label to the corresponding class ("fake" or "real")
116 predicted_class = mapper[predicted_label]
117
118 print(f"Predicted Label: {predicted_class}")
119
120 def classify_a_text(text):
121     # Preprocess the new text
122     tokenized_new_text = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([text])
123     padded_new_text = sequence.pad_sequences(tokenized_new_text, maxlen=maxlen)
124
125     # Use the model to predict the label
126     predicted_prob = model4.predict(padded_new_text)
127     predicted_label = int(np.round(predicted_prob)[0]) # Convert to scalar
128
129     # Map the predicted label to the corresponding class ("fake" or "real")
130     predicted_class = mapper[predicted_label]
131
132     print(f"Predicted Label: {predicted_class}")

```


Output

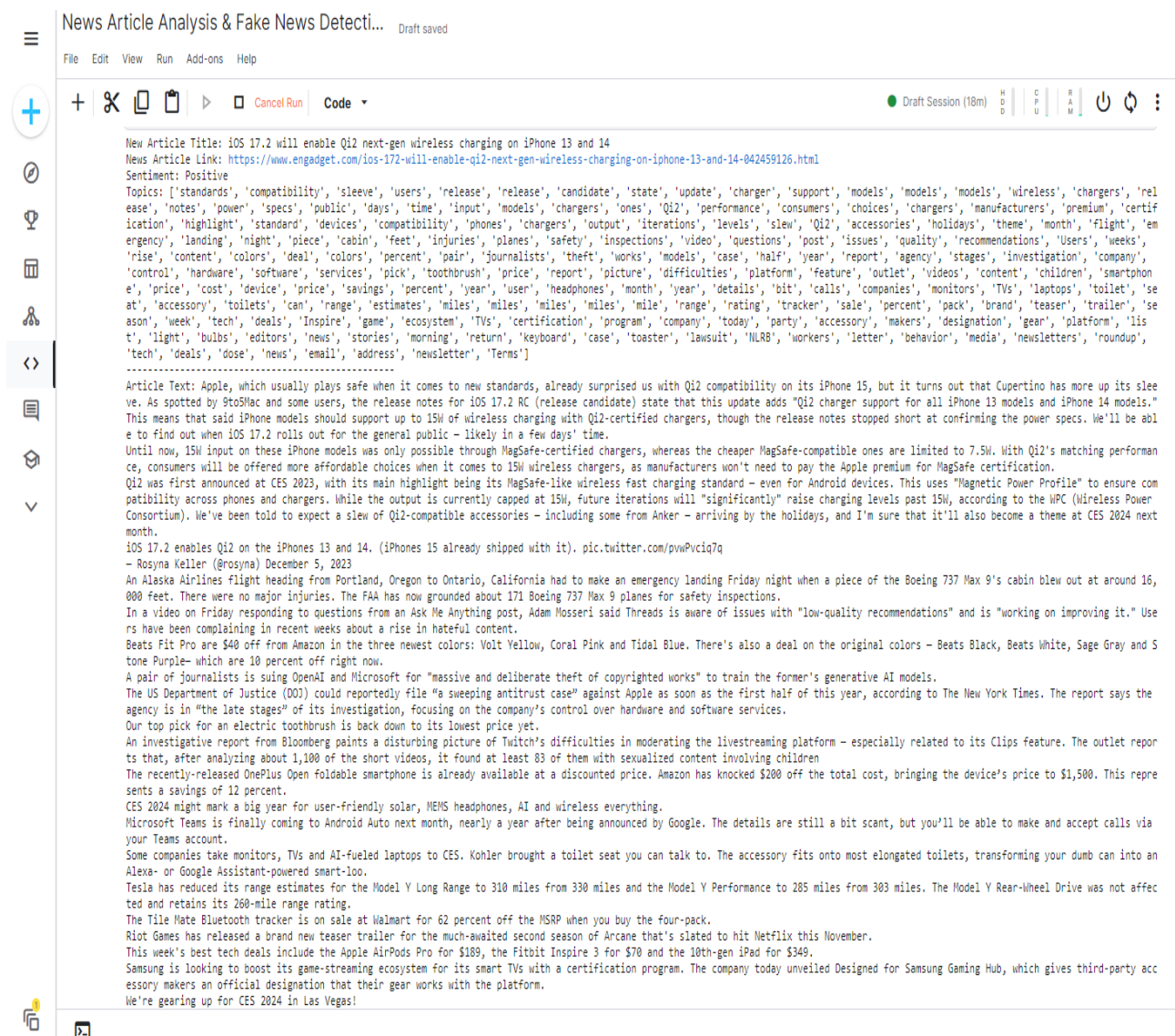


Figure 6.1: Key Words and Summarizing of News Article

The above figure 6.1 is output of this project that visually represented in an image that succinctly encapsulates the key insights extracted from a news article. Key-words, pivotal to the article's content, are prominently featured, offering a rapid overview of the central themes. Integrated sentiment analysis adds an emotional context, portraying whether the article conveys a positive, negative, or neutral tone. Complementing this, a concise summary distills the essential information, providing an efficient snapshot of the article's core elements. This cohesive visual presentation enhances user accessibility, enabling quick comprehension of the news article's themes, sentiments, and summarized content in a single glance.

Chapter 7

CONCLUSION AND FUTURE ENHANCEMENTS

7.1 Conclusion

In conclusion, this project represents a significant advancement in the realm of fake news detection, leveraging cutting-edge technologies and adhering to industry standards. The integration of machine learning models through the Anaconda environment and the collaborative capabilities offered by Jupyter Notebooks showcase our commitment to providing a robust and versatile solution. By aligning with ISO/IEC 27001 standards, it prioritizes information security, ensuring the confidentiality and integrity of user data.

The implementation of ethical guidelines and privacy policies underscores the dedication to user trust and responsible technology development. The project's multifaceted approach, combining advanced Natural Language Processing techniques, sentiment analysis, and topic classification, enables a comprehensive understanding of news content. The user interface, implemented in Python, enhances accessibility and user interaction.

As this navigates the complexities of the digital information landscape, this project not only addresses the challenge of fake news but also contributes to a more informed and discerning society. The collaboration between Anaconda and Jupyter reflects our commitment to open-source, collaborative, and dynamic workflows.

In essence, this project stands as a testament to the possibilities that arise when technology, ethical considerations, and industry standards converge. It is not merely a tool for fake news detection but a step towards fostering a responsible, secure, and collaborative digital environment.

7.2 Future Enhancements

In the pursuit of advancing fake news detection capabilities, future enhancements for this project are envisioned to propel it beyond its current capabilities. One avenue for growth lies in the exploration of advanced machine learning models, particularly transformer-based architectures like BERT, to enhance the sophistication and accuracy of the detection system. The integration of multilingual support is another pivotal direction, broadening the system's impact and ensuring effectiveness across diverse languages. Real-time news monitoring, user engagement features, and continuous security measures are among the key focal points, emphasizing a commitment to staying ahead of emerging threats and user needs.

Adaptability and User-Centric Features:

To create a more user-centric experience, future enhancements will focus on dynamic topic classification and interpretability of machine learning predictions. The system aims to provide real-time insights into news authenticity, engaging users actively through feedback mechanisms within the interface. The integration of educational resources will empower users with a deeper understanding of the methodologies behind fake news detection, fostering a more discerning and informed user base. Scalability considerations are integral to accommodate an increasing user base, ensuring optimal performance during peak usage periods.

Collaboration and Integration:

Further collaboration with fact-checking services and organizations is planned to fortify the system's verification capabilities. This integration will leverage external fact-checking data sources to complement internal analyses, enhancing overall accuracy. As the project evolves, a continuous commitment to scalability, security, and user education will drive its transformation into a comprehensive tool that not only identifies fake news but actively involves users in the process and contributes to a more secure and trustworthy digital information landscape.

Chapter 8

PLAGIARISM REPORT



Figure 8.1: Plagiarism Report

Chapter 9

SOURCE CODE & POSTER PRESENTATION

9.1 Source Code

```
1 import sys
2 !{sys.executable} --version
3
4 !{sys.executable} -m pip install newsapi-python
5 !{sys.executable} -m spacy download en_core_web_sm
6
7 from keras.models import load_model
8 from keras.preprocessing import text, sequence
9 import numpy as np
10 from newsapi import NewsApiClient
11 import requests
12 from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
13 from textblob import TextBlob
14 from wordcloud import WordCloud
15 import spacy
16 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
17 import pandas as pd
18 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
19
20 df = pd.read_csv("/kaggle/input/fake-news-classification/WELFakeDataset.csv")
21 mapper = {
22     0 : "fake",
23     1 : "real",
24 }
25 df.fillna("")
26 headline = df["title"]
27 news = df["text"]
28 df["tot_news"] = df["title"].astype("str") + " " + df["text"].astype("str")
29 tot_news = df["tot_news"]
30 labels = df["label"]
31 fake_news = news[labels == 0]
32 real_news = news[labels == 1]
33 X = tot_news
34
35 Y = labels.values
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36 x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, Y, random_state=73939133)
37 max_features = 10000
38 maxlen = 300
39 tokenizer = text.Tokenizer(num_words=max_features, lower=None)
40 tokenizer.fit_on_texts(x_train)
41 model4 = load_model('/kaggle/input/test4-keras/test4.keras')
42
43 def get_news_url(search_words):
44     # Init
45     newsapi = NewsApiClient(api_key='20a033afa85e4b72af903562634d7f6d')
46
47     dummy_url = 'https://www.usatoday.com/story/money/retail/2023/11/26/holiday-shopping-online-
48                 scams-tips/71712096007/'
49     top_headlines = newsapi.get_everything(q=search_words,
50                                           language='en')
51
52     if top_headlines['totalResults'] == 0:
53         news_url = dummy_url
54     else:
55         news_url = top_headlines['articles'][0]['url']
56         title = top_headlines['articles'][0]['title']
57     return news_url, title
58
59 def get_news_text(url):
60     # Function to scrape news article text from a given URL using BeautifulSoup
61     response = requests.get(url)
62     soup = BeautifulSoup(response.text, 'html.parser')
63     article_text = ''
64     for paragraph in soup.find_all('p'): # Adjust 'p' to the appropriate HTML tag for paragraphs
65         article_text += paragraph.get_text() + '\n'
66     return article_text
67
68 def analyze_sentiment(text):
69     # Function to analyze sentiment using TextBlob
70     blob = TextBlob(text)
71     sentiment_score = blob.sentiment.polarity
72     return sentiment_score
73
74 def classify_topic(text):
75     # Function to classify topics using spaCy
76     nlp = spacy.load('en_core_web_sm')
77     doc = nlp(text)
78     topics = [token.text for token in doc if token.pos_ == 'NOUN']
79     return topics
80
81 news_url, title = get_news_url(search_keywords)
82 news_article_text = get_news_text(news_url)
83
84 sentiment_score = analyze_sentiment(news_article_text)

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85 sentiment_label = "Positive" if sentiment_score > 0 else "Negative" if sentiment_score < 0 else "
    Neutral"
86
87 # Classify topics
88 topics = classify_topic(news_article_text)
89
90 # Display results
91 print('New Article Title:', title)
92 print('News Article Link:', news_url)
93 print("Sentiment:", sentiment_label)
94 print("Topics:", topics)
95 print("-" * 50)
96 print("Article Text:", news_article_text)
97 print("-" * 50)
98
99 all_words = ' '.join([text for text in topics])
100 wordcloud = WordCloud(width=800, height=500, random_state=21, max_font_size=110).generate(all_words)
101 plt.figure(figsize=(10, 7))
102 plt.imshow(wordcloud, interpolation="bilinear")
103 plt.axis('off')
104 plt.show('example.png')
105
106
107 # Preprocess the new text
108 tokenized_new_text = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([news_article_text])
109 padded_new_text = sequence.pad_sequences(tokenized_new_text, maxlen=maxlen)
110
111 # Use the model to predict the label
112 predicted_prob = model4.predict(padded_new_text)
113 predicted_label = int(np.round(predicted_prob)[0]) # Convert to scalar
114
115 # Map the predicted label to the corresponding class ("fake" or "real")
116 predicted_class = mapper[predicted_label]
117
118 print(f"Predicted Label: {predicted_class}")
119
120 def classify_a_text(text):
121     # Preprocess the new text
122     tokenized_new_text = tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([text])
123     padded_new_text = sequence.pad_sequences(tokenized_new_text, maxlen=maxlen)
124     # Use the model to predict the label
125     predicted_prob = model4.predict(padded_new_text)
126     predicted_label = int(np.round(predicted_prob)[0]) # Convert to scalar
127     # Map the predicted label to the corresponding class ("fake" or "real")
128     predicted_class = mapper[predicted_label]
129
130     print(f"Predicted Label: {predicted_class}")

```

9.2 Poster Presentation

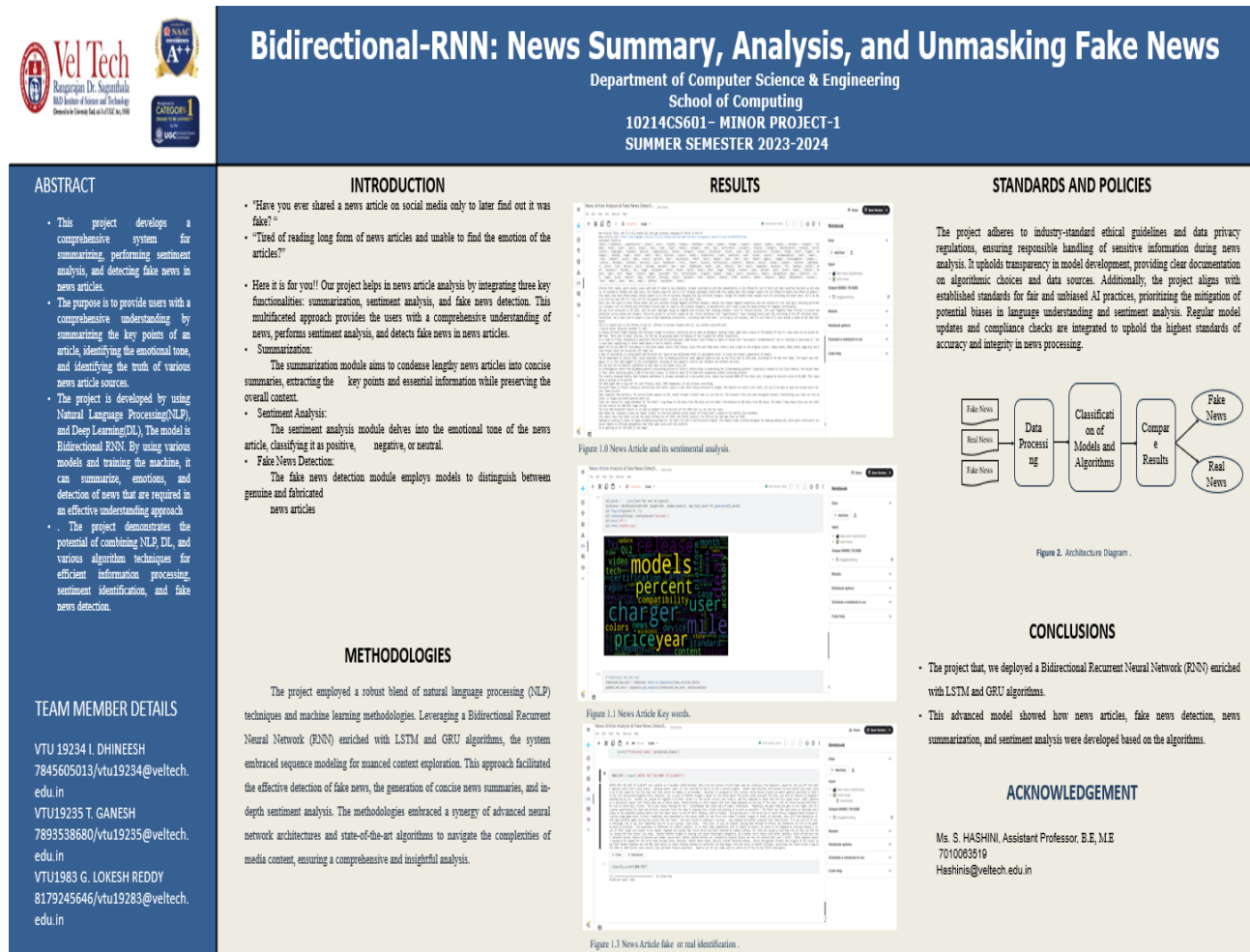


Figure 9.1: Poster

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