



# Sentiment Analysis with a Focus on Stock Market Trend Prediction

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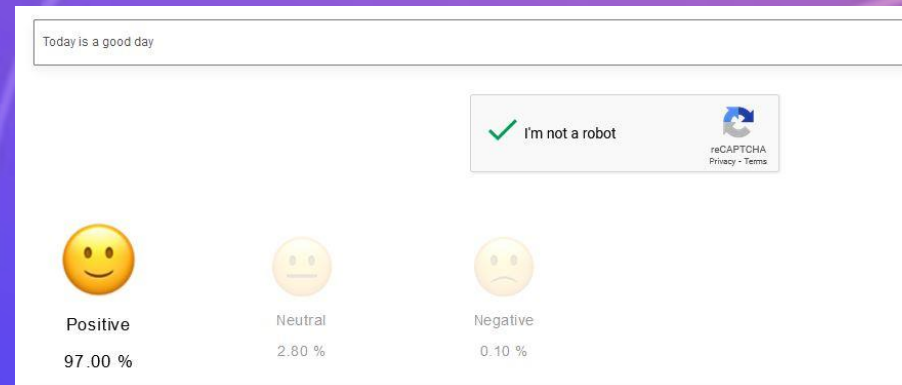


How I am going to do that



# What Is Sentiment Analysis?

- “Sentiment Analysis (SA) or Opinion Mining (OM) is the computational study of people’s opinions, attitudes, and emotions toward an entity. The entity can represent individuals, events, or topics.” (Medhat W et al, 2014)
- Customer feedback, survey responses, product reviews, social media monitoring and reputation management.



(<https://komprehend.io/sentiment-analysis>)

# Foundation for my project

- Random walk algorithm
- The efficient market hypothesis states that when new information comes into the market, it is immediately reflected in stock price.
- social media = access to public emotion
- In the case of my project applying sentiment analysis to social media data should give me the ability to predict stock price movement to a certain extent

Efficiency and inefficiency in thinly traded stock markets: Kuwait and Saudi Arabia

Kirt C. Butler, S.J. Malaikah

A multivariate test for stock market efficiency: the case of ASE

Manolis G. Kavussanos & Everton Dockery

(Studies that show that stock market prices do not follow a random walk)

THE BEHAVIOR OF STOCK-MARKET PRICES\*

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(Efficient Market Hypothesis)

# A Review Of Sentiment Analysis



## Sentiment Analysis Techniques

1. Machine Learning Technique
2. Lexicon Based Technique



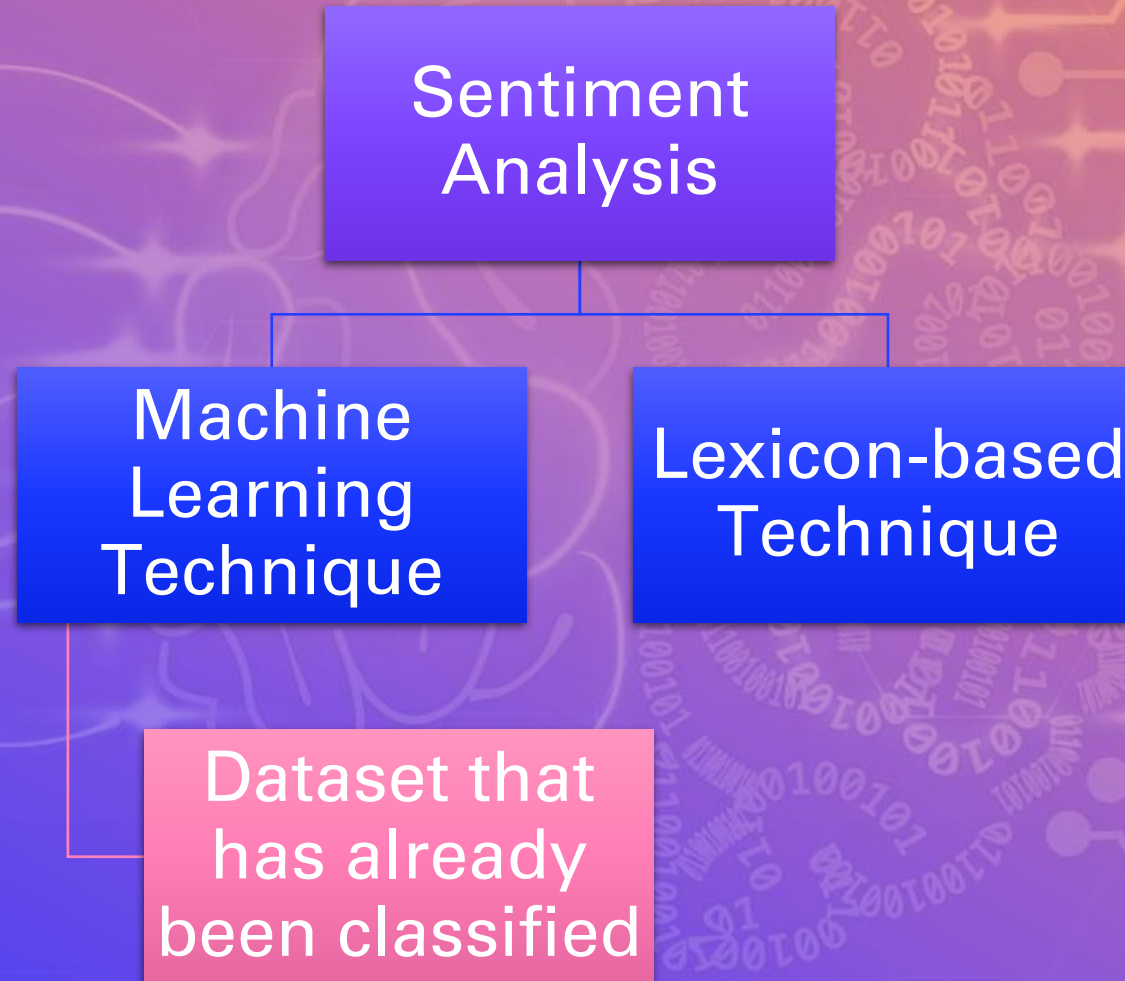
## Data Collection



## Smart User Approach

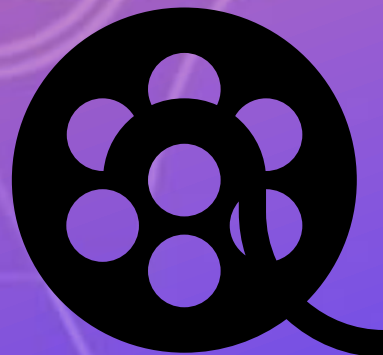


# Sentiment Analysis Techniques



- **+ Machine Learning Technique**

- - Sentiment analysis is very much field specific.
  - There are some open-source sentiment analysis tools available.
  - They are trained with a different corpus.



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# • <sup>+</sup> Machine Learning Technique

- Developed their own sentiment analyser.
- They asked people to annotate each post / entry in a subset of their dataset.
- Features extracted using Word2vec representation.
- Trained using random forest algorithm.
- Accuracy = 70.2%
- Human accuracy = between 70% and 79% ([brnrd.me](http://brnrd.me))

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## Sentiment Analysis of Twitter Data for Predicting Stock Market Movements

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# • + Machine Learning Technique

- StockTwits
  - Bullish = Positive , Bearish = Negative
  - Feature extraction TF-IDF
  - Logistic regression.
  - Accuracy between 75% and 85%

Stock	Accuracy
Apple	75.7
Amazon	76.8
General Electric	76.5
Microsoft	84.8
Target	74.6

(Sample of results from Gupta, R et al., 2020)

## Sentiment Analysis for Stock Price Prediction

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# Lexicon based Technique

## Twitter mood predicts the stock market

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- OpinionFinder (OF) which is a publicly available software package for sentiment analysis.
- Each post they determined whether it contained any number of positive or negative terms.



(Bollen et al., 2011. Opinion Finder used to track publics mood from October 2008 to December 2008. )

# Lexicon based Technique





# • <sup>+</sup> Data Collection

- (Pagolu V.S et al, 2016) collected 250,000 tweets on Microsoft
- Filtered using keywords like \$MSFT, Microsoft and Windows etc
- Tweets extracted must represent the exact emotions of the public about Microsoft.
- Preprocessing: 1. Tokenization, 2. Stop word removal, and 3. Special character removal.
- “Twitter API has daily usage limits and only allows us to search for tweets in the past 7 days” (K Hu et al).



## Twitter API

The Twitter API enables programmatic access to Twitter in unique and advanced ways. Tap into core elements of Twitter like: Tweets, Direct Messages, Spaces, Lists, users, and more.

[Sign up](#)[API access levels and versions](#)[Try a live request](#)

(<https://developer.twitter.com/en/docs/twitter-api>)

# • <sup>+</sup> Data Collection

- (Coelho et al, 2019) analyzed posts from StockTwits.

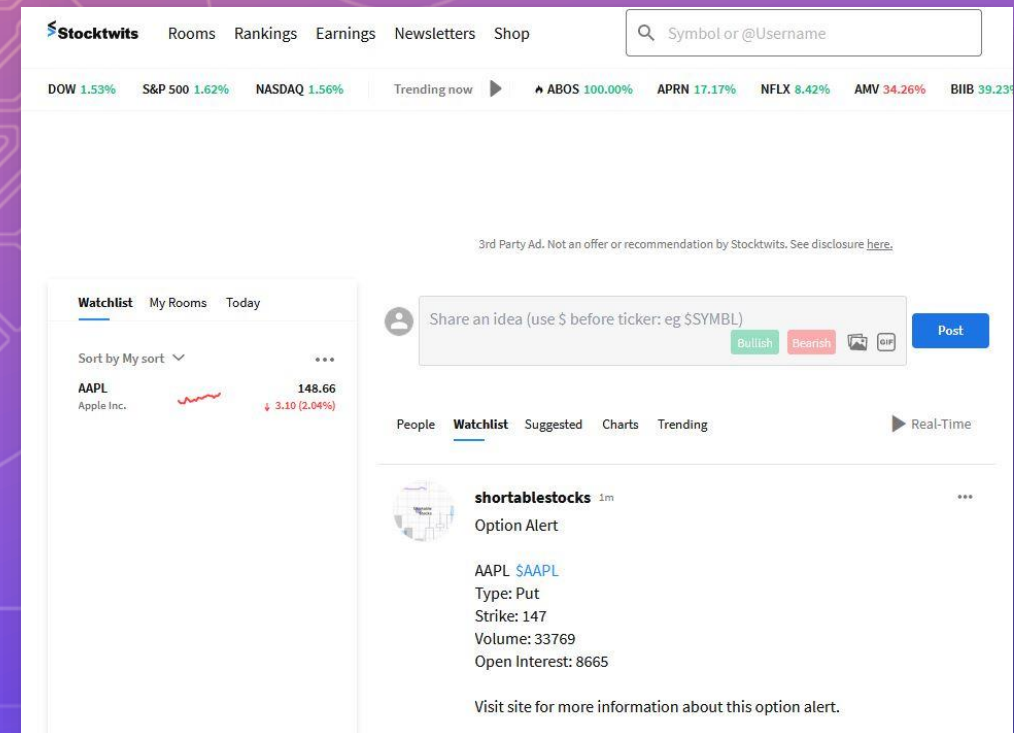
- Partner level access to StockTwits provided them with a years' worth of data.

- Gupta, R et al., 2020 pre-processing: Case-normalization and no tokenization

\$AMZN still saying this ends the week down. Holiday sell off probable. Too much opportunity for a poorly timed tweet

amzn still saying ends week down holiday sell probable much opportunity poorly timed tweet

(Example of pre-processing output from Gupta, R et al., 2020)



(<https://stocktwits.com/>)

# Smart Users and Stock Selection

- (K Hu et al) proposed assigning more weight to tweets from verified users with many followers and retweets.
- (Coelho et al, 2019) used smart user approach
- Smart user is someone who's sentiment for a stock in the past has been correct at least 80% of the time.
- Narrow dataset
- Only popular/ common stocks can be used.
- (Chang, J et al, 2020) founded combining data from users “with different levels of expertise” improved their accuracy.

Stock	Users	Smart Users
GOOG	556	6
NFLX	3319	36
AMZN	2579	36
AAPL	2579	36
TSLA	3627	23

(Coelho et al., 2019)





# What am I Proposing to do?

- For my project I hope to train sentiment analysis models based on a dataset comprised of social media posts. I then want to use one model on a live stream of social media posts to determine the sentiment of users over a period of time and investigate if this has any correlation to the price movement of a selected stock(s)

# How Am I going to do that?

Machine Learning Technique

Word2Vec and TF-IDF

Random Forest Algorithm and Logistic Regression

Stock Market Tweets Data-NLP-2021 and / or StockTwits

Tokenization, Stop word removal, Case normalization and Regex matching of special characters

Tweepy

Smart User Approach





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# Questions?



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