



# Detecting AI generated text

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# Detecting AI vs. Human-Written Text

## Introduction

- AI and large language models (LLMs) like GPT-3, PaLM, and ChatGPT are rapidly advancing.
- These models can answer complex questions on topics like science, math, and history .
- Newer models can even gather real-time data from the internet, making them highly useful.



# Challenges

- It's becoming harder to tell if content was written by a human or AI.
- Problems caused by AI-generated text:
  - Plagiarism
  - Fake information
  - Misinformation



# Supported SDGs

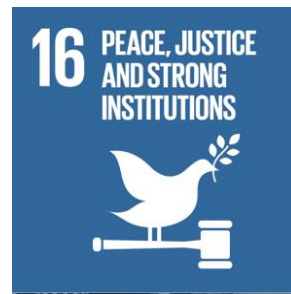
## **SDG 4: Quality Education**

- Helps schools and universities detect AI-generated content.
- Ensures academic integrity and fairness in education.



## **SDG 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions**

- Limits the spread of false information.
- Builds trust and transparency for peaceful societies.



# Supported SDGs

## SDG 9: Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure

Our project support responsible AI development by creating systems to manage its risks. Our project share to building strong and trust digital infrastructures.



## SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals

Collaborates with educational institutions and tech companies.





# **Dataset Overview**

# Kaggle Base Dataset

## Dataset Structure:

- Essays written in response to one of seven essay prompts.
- Training set contains essays from two prompts; other five prompts are part of the hidden test set.

The target column indicates whether an essay is:

- **Student-written (0)**
- **AI-generated (1)**

## Files Provided:

**train\_essays.csv**: Training data, including essays and metadata.

**train\_prompts.csv**: Instructions and source text for prompts.

**test\_essays.csv**: Contains dummy test data for validation.

## Sample:

„Cars. Cars have been around since they became famous in the 1900s, when Henry Ford created and built the first ModelT. Cars have played a major role in our every day lives since then. But now, people are starting to question if limiting car usage would be a good thing. To me, limiting the use of cars might be a good thing to do.“

# Kaggle Base Dataset

```
train_data.head()
```

	id	prompt_id	text	generated
0	0059830c	0	Cars. Cars have been around since they became ...	0
1	005db917	0	Transportation is a large necessity in most co...	0
2	008f63e3	0	"America's love affair with it's vehicles seem...	0
3	00940276	0	How often do you ride in a car? Do you drive a...	0
4	00c39458	0	Cars are a wonderful thing. They are perhaps o...	0

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train_prompts.head()
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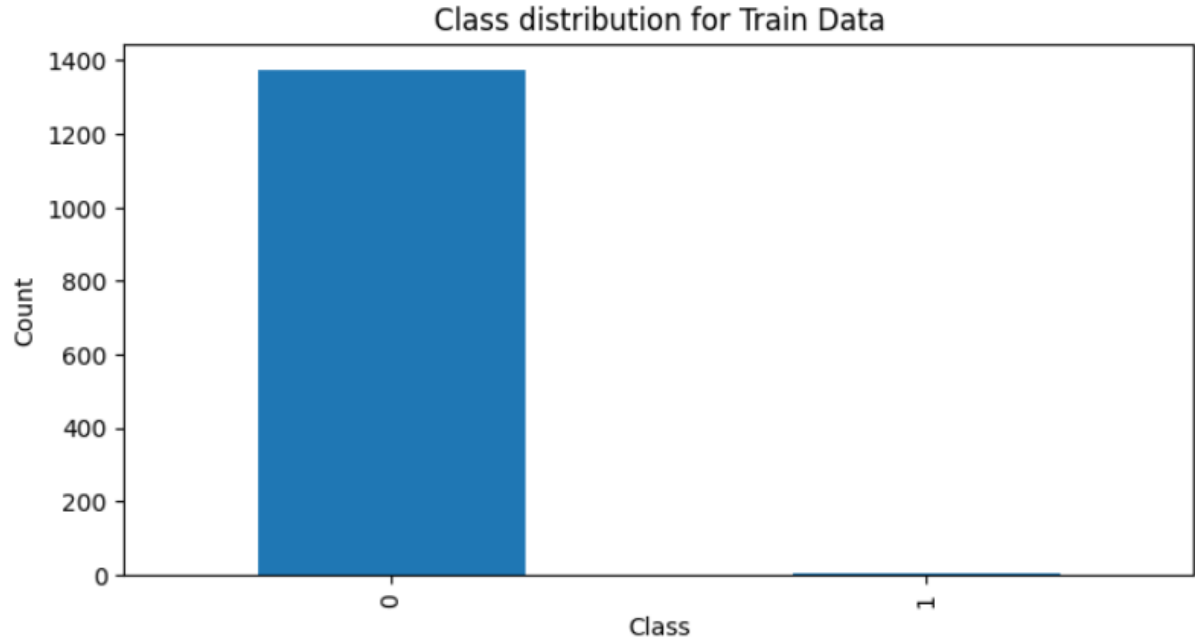
	prompt_id	prompt_name	instructions	source_text
0	0	Car-free cities	Write an explanatory essay to inform fellow ci...	# In German Suburb, Life Goes On Without Cars ...
1	1	Does the electoral college work?	Write a letter to your state senator in which ...	# What Is the Electoral College? by the Office...



# Dataset Imbalance

## Initial Imbalance:

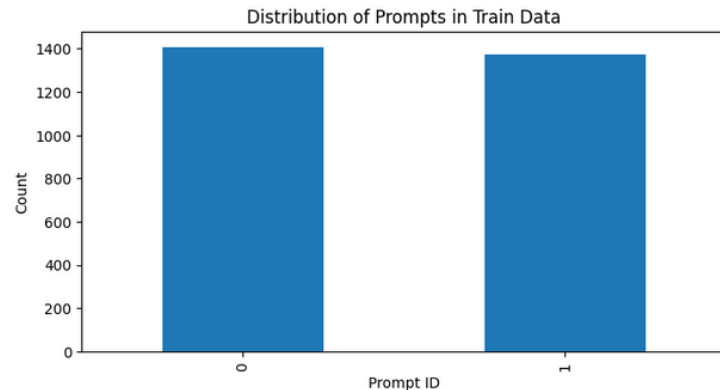
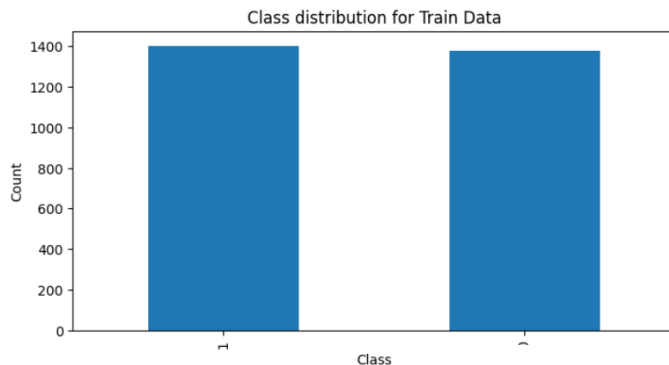
- Limited number of AI-generated essays
- Skewed distribution favors student-written essays (class 0)



# Dataset Imbalance

## Solution - Data Augmentation:

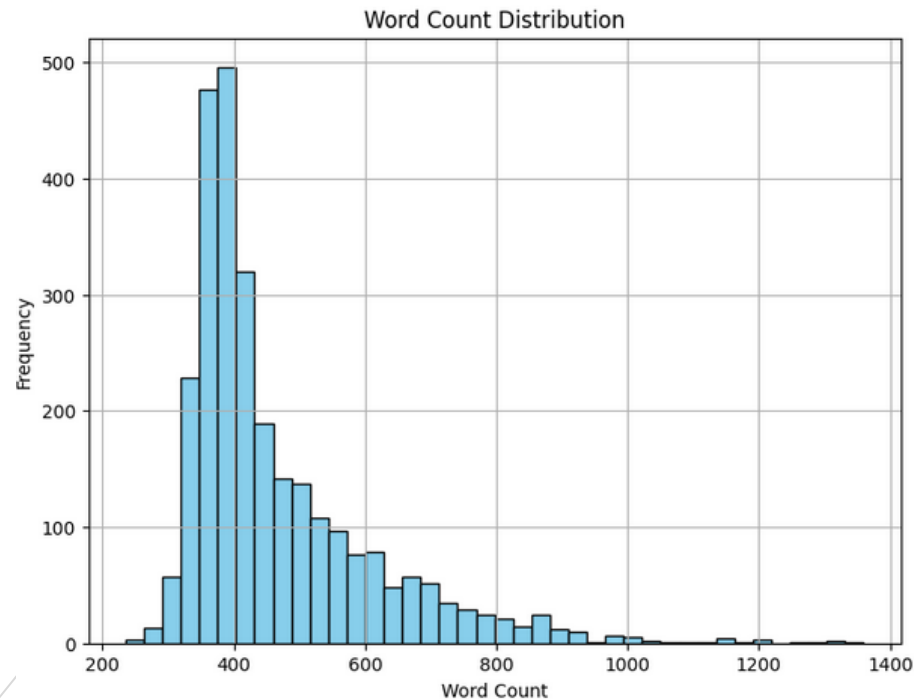
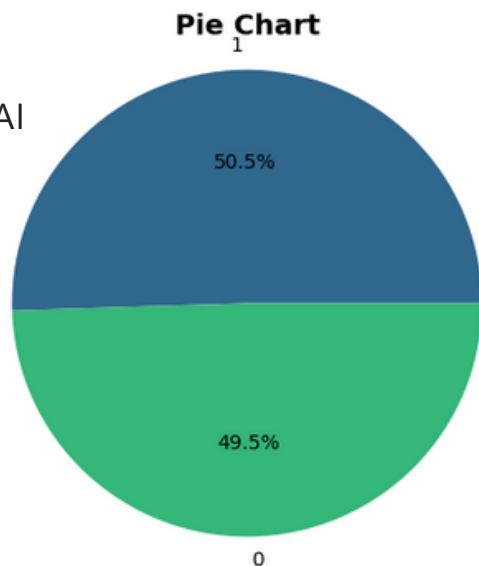
- Generated additional AI-written essays using OpenAI's GPT-3.5-turbo-0125 model.
- Augmentation replicates the original process: Prompts and source text used as inputs.
- Outputs simulated essays similar to student-written responses.



# Data visualisation

## Distribution by class:

(after augmentation by AI  
generated texts)





# **Dataset Preprocessing**

# Data cleaning 1/2

**Data Cleaning** is a crucial step in data preprocessing to ensure text data is clean, consistent, and suitable for machine learning models.

## Key Steps:

- Removing special characters
- Removing emojis
- Removing URLs
- Retaining periods, question marks, and exclamation marks
- Removing unnecessary white spaces
- Expanding contractions

## Result after cleaning:



```
text \
0 Cars. Cars have been around since they became ...
1 Transportation is a large necessity in most co...
2 "America's love affair with it's vehicles seem...
3 How often do you ride in a car? Do you drive a...
4 Cars are a wonderful thing. They are perhaps o...
```

```
cleaned_text
0 cars. cars have been around since they became ...
1 transportation is a large necessity in most co...
2 americas love affair with its vehicles seems t...
3 how often do you ride in a car? do you drive a...
4 cars are a wonderful thing. they are perhaps o...
```

# Data cleaning 2/2

## Stop-Words:

- Words like "and," "is," or "the" may be irrelevant for some tasks.
- Their removal depends on the problem context.

## Result after cleaning:



cleaned\_text

```
0 cars. cars around since became famous s, henry...
1 transportation large necessity countries world...
2 americas love affair vehicles seems cooling sa...
3 often ride car? drive one motor vehicle work? ...
4 cars wonderful thing. perhaps one worlds great...
```



# Feature Extraction

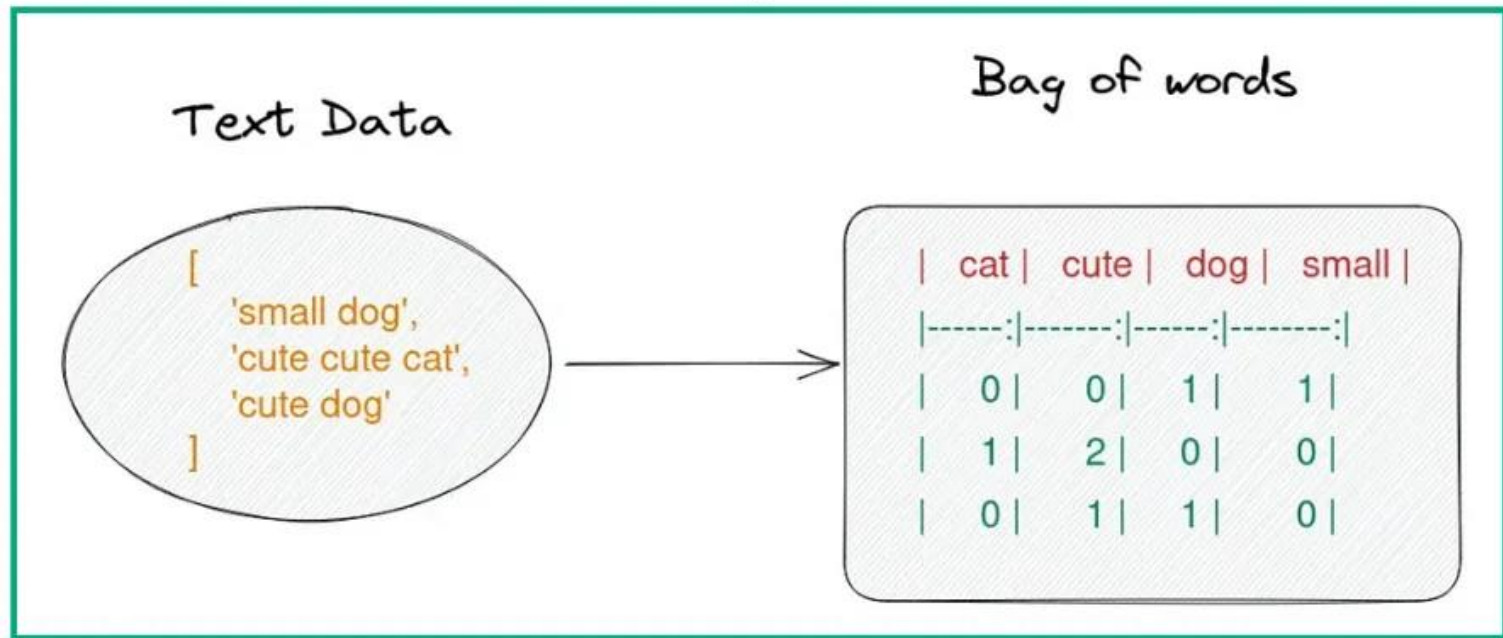
# Feature Extraction

- Text must be converted into numerical format to feed into machine learning models
- These methods capture word importance, relationships, or context, enabling models to make more accurate predictions.
- Popular Feature extraction tools include
  - Bag of Words
  - TF-IDF
  - Embeddings
- In this Notebook we will explore two methods:
  - 1. TF-IDF
  - 2. Contextual Embeddings with BERT
    - - This will be explained and implemented in section 9.2 of the notebook





# Bag of Words



# TF-IDF

**Term Frequency (TF):** TF measures the frequency of a term within a document

$$TF(t, d) = \frac{\text{Number of times term } t \text{ appears in document } d}{\text{Total number of terms in document } d}$$

**Inverse Document Frequency (IDF):** IDF measures the rarity of a term across a collection of documents

$$IDF(t, D) = \log \left( \frac{\text{Total number of documents in the corpus } N}{\text{Number of documents containing term } t} \right)$$

**Combining TF and IDF: TF-IDF**

TF-IDF is a numerical statistic that reflects the significance of a word within a document relative to a collection of documents

$$TF\text{-}IDF(t, d, D) = TF(t, d) \times IDF(t, D)$$



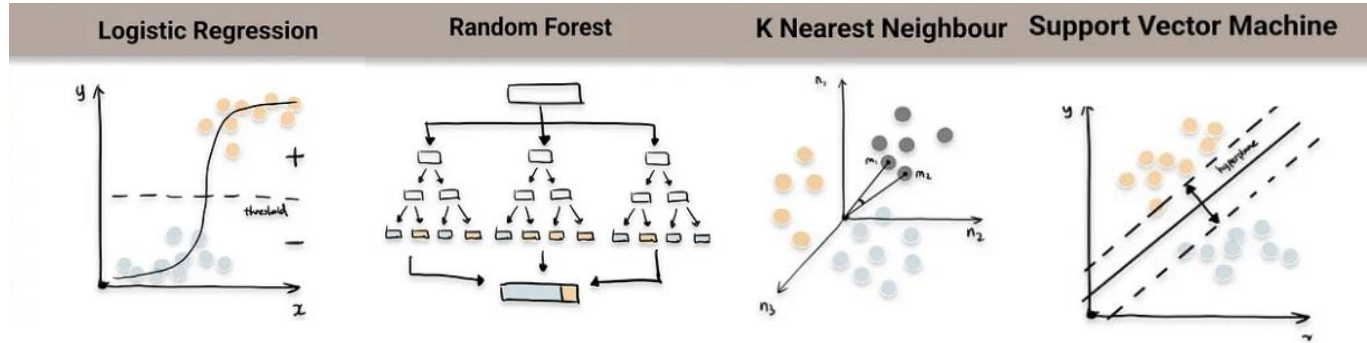
# TF-IDF

Index →	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	and	document	first	is	one	second	the	third	this
"This is the first document."	0	0.46979139	0.58028582	0.38408524	0	0	0.38408524	0	0.38408524
"This document is the second document."	0	0.6876236	0	0.28108867	0	0.53864762	0.28108867	0	0.28108867
"And this is the third one."	0.51184851	0	0	0.26710379	0.51184851	0	0.26710379	0.51184851	0.26710379
"Is this the first document?"	0	0.46979139	0.58028582	0.38408524	0	0	0.38408524	0	0.38408524

- The terms are ranked by their overall importance
- This importance score is typically calculated as the sum of TF-IDF values for a term across all documents.
- We pick the top 100 features/words in the Text corpus

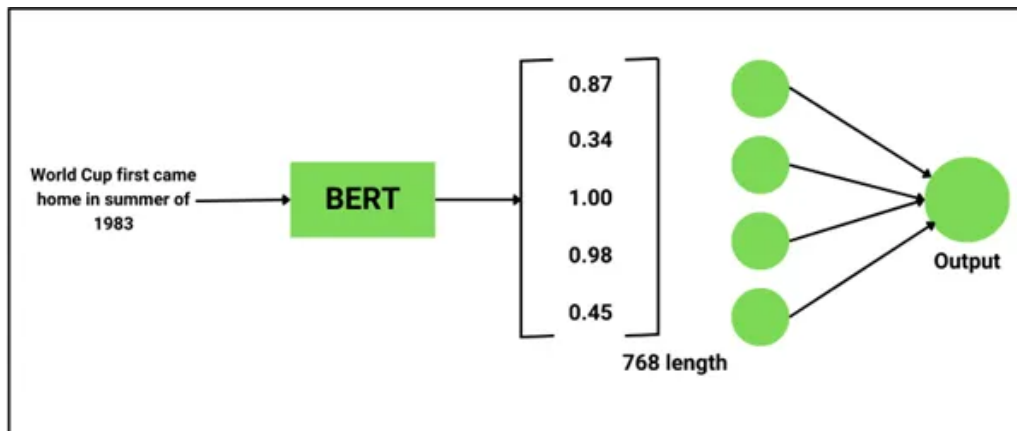
# Classification

## 1. Classical ML (using TFIDF)



# Classification

## 2. Deep NN (using Word Embeddings)



DistilBERTForSequenceClassification

- Transformer-based language model
- Freeze the parameters of Core Distil-BERT
- Only train the classification Head

# Phase 1: Analysis

## Logistic Regression

Accuracy: 0.9964028776978417

Classification Report:					
	precision	recall	f1-score	support	
0	1.00	1.00	1.00	413	
1	1.00	1.00	1.00	421	
accuracy			1.00	834	
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	

## KNN

Training Accuracy: 99.74%

Test Accuracy: 99.52%

Classification Report:					
	precision	recall	f1-score	support	
0	1.00	1.00	1.00	413	
1	1.00	1.00	1.00	421	
accuracy			1.00	834	
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	

## Random Forrest

Training Accuracy: 100.00%

Test Accuracy: 99.76%

	precision	recall	f1-score	support	
0	1.00	1.00	1.00	413	
1	1.00	1.00	1.00	421	
accuracy			1.00	834	
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	

## SVM

SVM Training Accuracy: 99.95%

SVM Test Accuracy: 99.76%

SVM Classification Report:					
	precision	recall	f1-score	support	
0	1.00	1.00	1.00	413	
1	1.00	1.00	1.00	421	
accuracy			1.00	834	
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	834	

# Phase 1: Analysis

## Distil-BERT

```
Accuracy: 1.00  
Precision: 1.00  
Recall: 1.00  
F1 Score: 1.00
```

- Models are achieving very high accuracies.
- The dataset is relatively small.
- Data leakage is occurring due to similarities between training and test datasets.

## Proposals

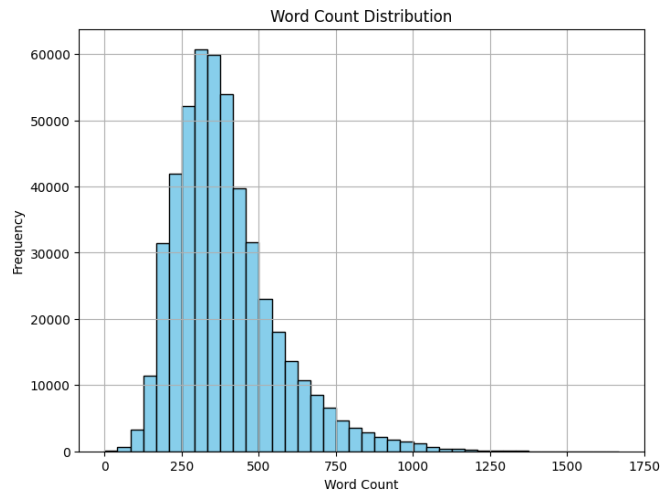
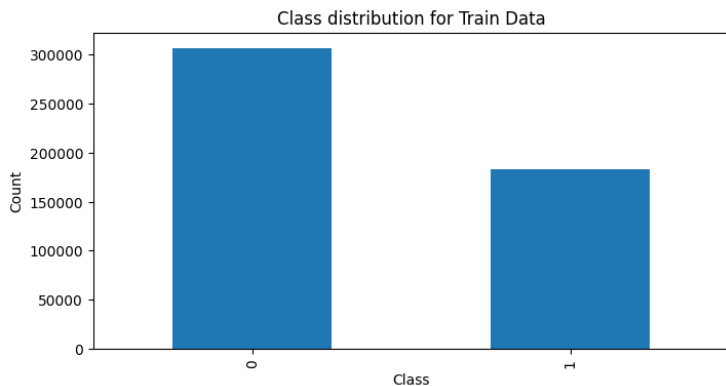
- Increase the dataset size by appending a more varied and larger dataset.
- This approach aims to reduce repetitiveness and mitigate data leakage issues.

# Phase 2

## New Dataset: “AI vs Human Text”

- Around 500K essays
- Consists of AI and written by Human.

## Visualization of Concatinated Datasets





# Phase 2: Analysis

## Logistic Regression

Accuracy: 0.8900710184756877

Classification Report:					
	precision	recall	f1-score	support	
0	0.89	0.93	0.91	92152	
1	0.88	0.82	0.85	54852	
accuracy			0.89	147004	
macro avg	0.89	0.87	0.88	147004	
weighted avg	0.89	0.89	0.89	147004	

## Random Forrest

Training Accuracy: 99.99%

Test Accuracy: 99.28%

	precision	recall	f1-score	support	
0	0.99	1.00	0.99	92152	
1	0.99	0.99	0.99	54852	
accuracy			0.99	147004	
macro avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	147004	
weighted avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	147004	

## KNN



## SVM



# Phase 2: Analysis

Distil-BERT

```
Accuracy: 0.98  
Precision: 0.97  
Recall: 0.98  
F1 Score: 0.98
```

# Phase 2: Analysis

## Logistic Regression:

- Good results considering the model complexity
- Good when the dataset features are well-engineered.
- Can struggle to capture complex patterns in text

## Random Forest:

- Very High Accuracy, due to its ensemble nature, combining the outputs of multiple decision trees for better generalization.
- Fast Training Time
- Good for feature Selection

## DistilBertForClassification

- Accuracy slightly lower than Random Forest,
- Excels in understanding contextual information
- Long Training time



# Conclusion

While a Deep NN approach can capture the context of text better, it:

- Takes a lot of training time
- Computationally expensive

On the other hand, A classical ML model like Random Forest proves to be more practical and efficient as it

- Much faster in training
- Interpretable
- Generalizes well



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