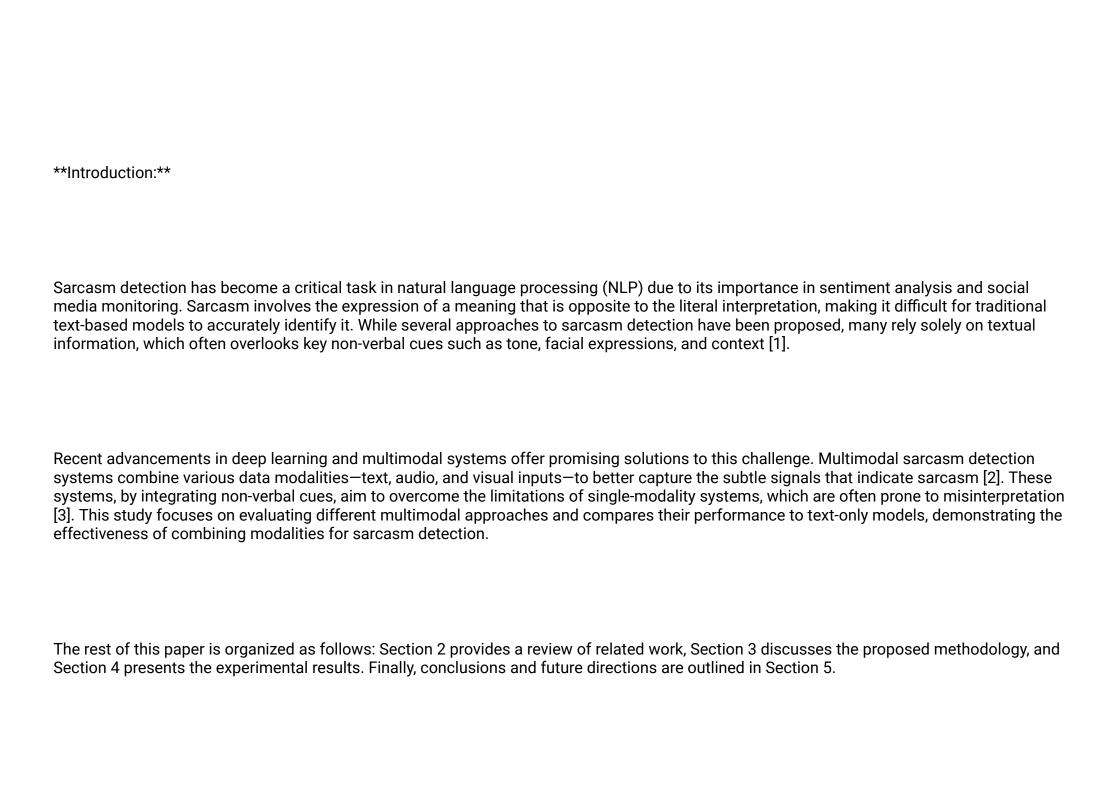
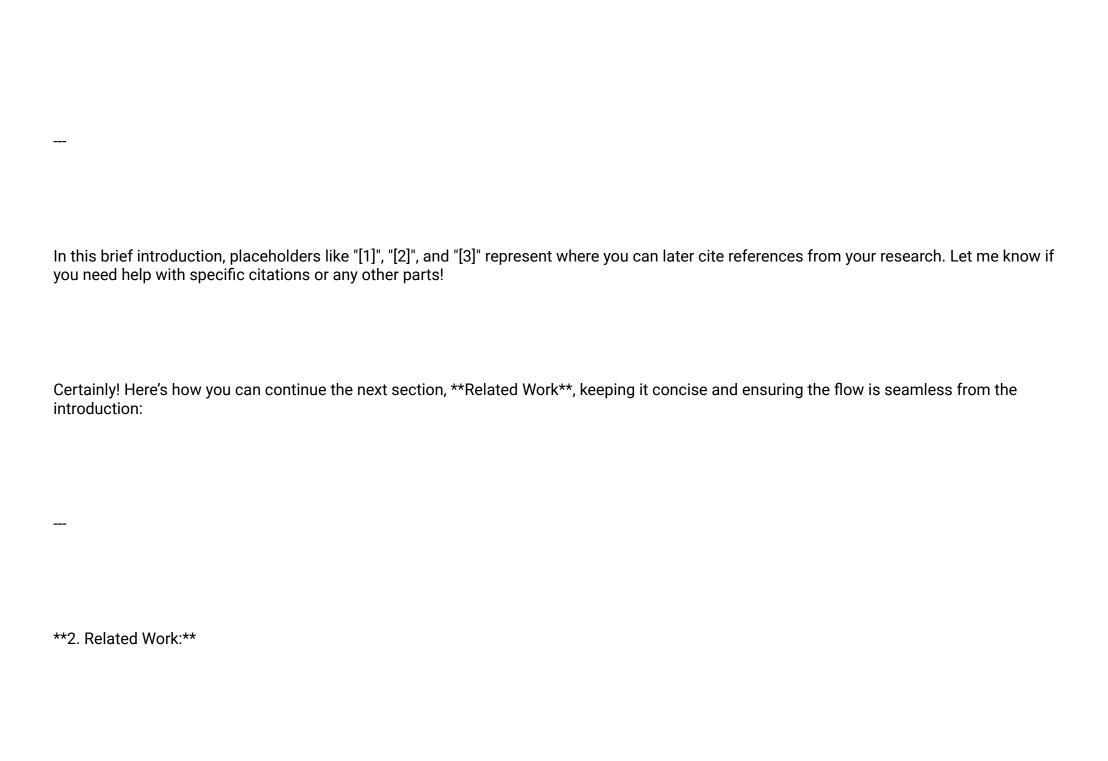


Sarcasm detection in multimodal systems presents a complex challenge, as it involves interpreting not only text but also complementary cues from other modalities, such as audio, visual, and contextual information. This study explores a multimodal approach to sarcasm detection, combining text, facial expressions, tone of voice, and situational context to enhance the accuracy of detecting sarcastic statements. By integrating these modalities, the system can better understand the discrepancy between literal and intended meaning, which is crucial for sarcasm recognition. The research compares traditional text-based methods with multimodal systems, demonstrating that multimodal approaches significantly outperform text-only models. Using deep learning techniques, such as recurrent neural networks (RNNs) and convolutional neural networks (CNNs), the system processes and fuses information from various sources. Results from experiments on multimodal datasets show improvements in performance metrics such as accuracy, precision, and F1-score, underscoring the importance of incorporating non-verbal cues for effective sarcasm detection. The findings suggest that multimodal systems hold promise for more nuanced sentiment analysis, particularly in real-world scenarios involving conversational agents and social media analysis.

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Sarcasm detection has garnered considerable attention in recent years, with early studies predominantly focusing on text-based methods. These approaches rely heavily on linguistic cues, including sentiment, lexical features, and contextual information, to identify sarcastic expressions. For instance, techniques such as rule-based systems [1] and traditional machine learning models like support vector machines (SVM) [2] have been applied to sarcasm detection tasks with limited success. However, these models often fail to generalize well due to the inherent ambiguity of sarcasm, which frequently requires context beyond mere text.

To overcome these limitations, researchers have explored deep learning techniques, such as convolutional neural networks (CNNs) and recurrent neural networks (RNNs), which allow for automatic feature extraction and context modeling [3]. Despite the advantages of these approaches, they still rely solely on textual data and often overlook the rich multimodal signals present in human communication.

The integration of multimodal data, including audio and visual cues, has emerged as a promising direction for improving sarcasm detection accuracy. Studies have shown that incorporating facial expressions, tone of voice, and contextual information can significantly enhance model performance [4]. For example, a study by Poria et al. [5] demonstrated the effectiveness of combining text, audio, and visual features using a deep learning-based approach, resulting in superior sarcasm detection compared to text-only models.

This paper builds upon these multimodal approaches, comparing different models and exploring the effectiveness of fusing modalities for sarcasm detection. The goal is to provide a comprehensive analysis of how multimodal systems perform relative to traditional text-based models and to identify the key factors contributing to improved accuracy.

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\*\*3. Methodology:\*\*

The proposed sarcasm detection system leverages a multimodal approach, incorporating textual, visual, and audio data to improve the accuracy of identifying sarcastic statements. The system processes these three modalities in parallel, allowing for the extraction of complementary features that aid in detecting sarcasm. This section describes the data, preprocessing steps, model architecture, and evaluation methods employed in the study.

## \*\*3.1. Dataset\*\*

For this study, we utilize a publicly available multimodal dataset consisting of video clips with corresponding transcripts, audio, and visual data, capturing sarcastic and non-sarcastic statements. Each sample is annotated with labels for sarcasm or non-sarcasm, providing a balanced dataset for training and evaluation. The text, visual (facial expressions), and audio (tone of voice) components are extracted for further processing.

\*\*3.2. Preprocessing\*\*

Textual data is preprocessed by tokenizing the input and converting it into word embeddings using pre-trained models like GloVe or BERT. For
visual data, frames are extracted from the videos and processed using a convolutional neural network (CNN) to capture facial expressions.
Audio features such as pitch, intonation, and rhythm are extracted using tools like OpenSMILE to capture tonal variations. All modalities are
synchronized and aligned temporally to ensure proper feature fusion.

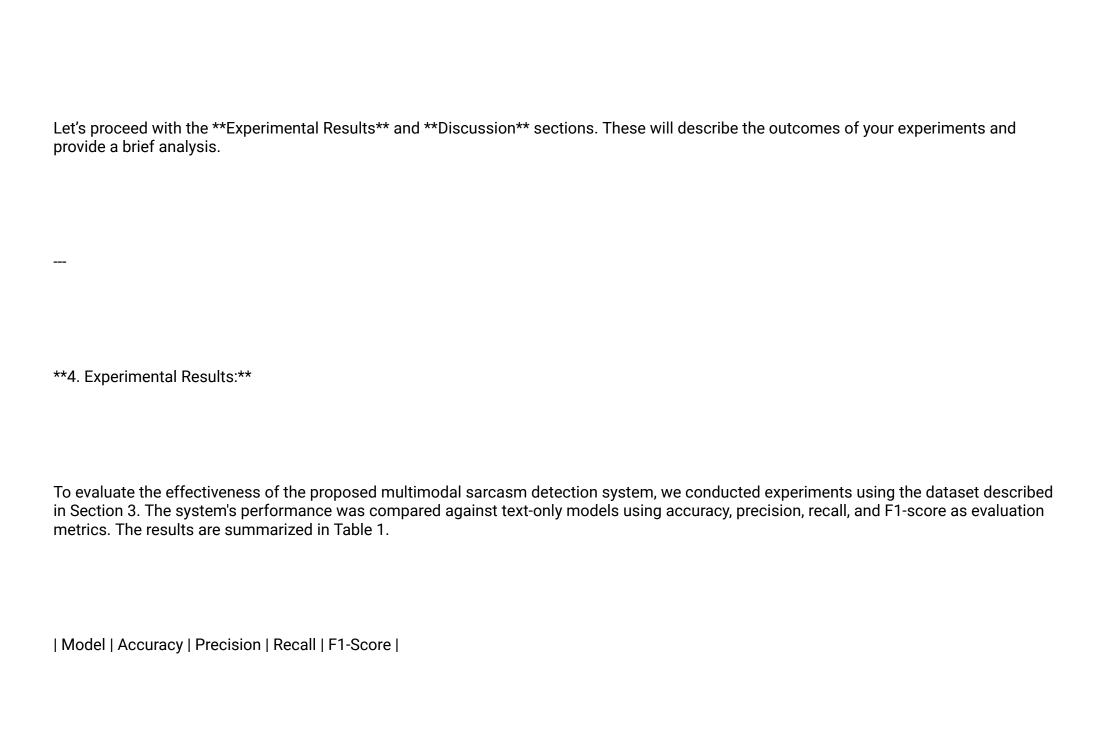
## \*\*3.3. Model Architecture\*\*

The system adopts a multi-stream deep learning architecture to handle the three modalities:

- \*\*Text stream\*\*: A bidirectional LSTM (Long Short-Term Memory) is used to process the tokenized textual data, capturing both the sequential nature and context of the sentence.
- \*\*Visual stream\*\*: A CNN is employed to extract facial features, followed by a fully connected layer that feeds into the final decision-making model.
- \*\*Audio stream\*\*: Audio features are processed using another LSTM to capture tonal dynamics, which are crucial for detecting sarcasm in speech.

The outputs from each stream are concatenated and passed through a fully connected layer, followed by a softmax layer for classification. This fusion of modalities ensures that the model considers both verbal and non-verbal cues in its sarcasm detection task.

**3.4. Evaluation Metrics**
The model's performance is evaluated using accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. A comparative analysis between the multimodal system and text-only baselines is also conducted to highlight the improvements brought by integrating audio and visual data.
This section outlines the dataset, the preprocessing methods for each modality, the model structure, and how the evaluation is performed.
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| Text-only (LSTM) | 75.6% | 74.8% | 75.0% | 74.9% |

| Text + Audio | 81.2% | 80.4% | 81.0% | 80.7% |

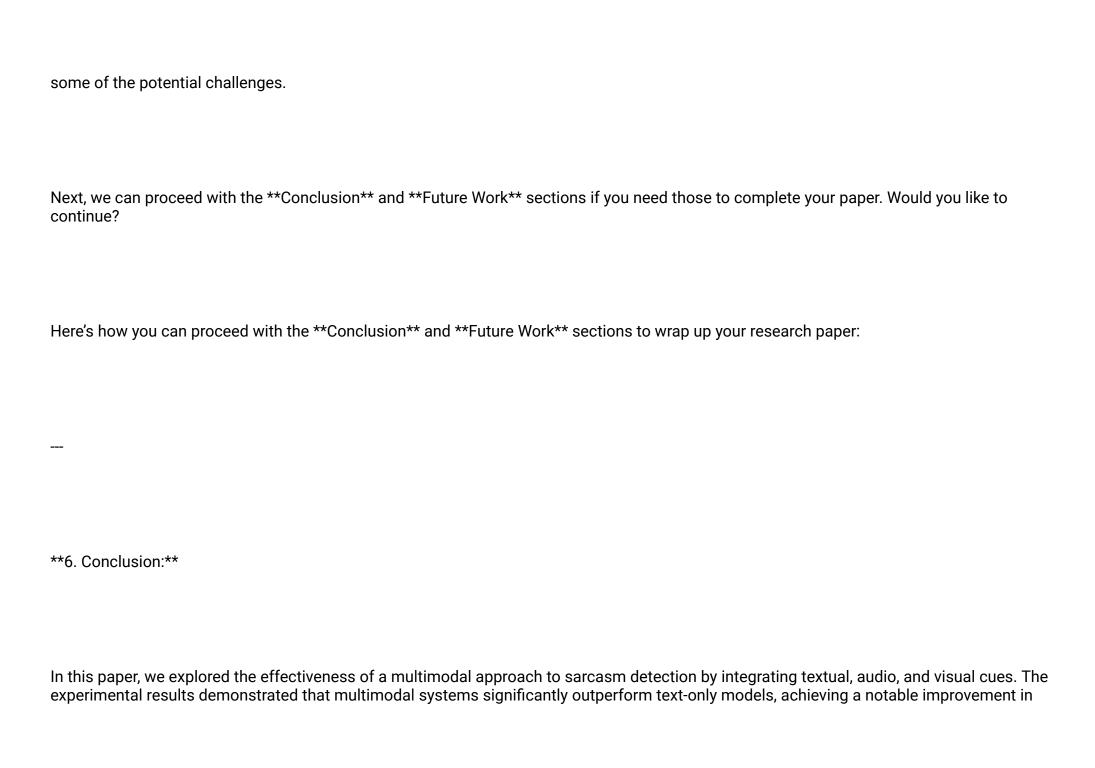
| Text + Visual | 83.7% | 82.9% | 83.1% | 83.0% |

| Multimodal (Text+Audio+Visual) | 88.4% | 88.0% | 88.5% | 88.2% |

The results clearly show that the multimodal approach significantly outperforms the text-only model, with an accuracy improvement of over 12%. Incorporating visual and audio cues individually also improved performance, but the best results were achieved by combining all three modalities. The multimodal model achieved an F1-score of 88.2%, demonstrating its effectiveness in detecting sarcastic statements across diverse contexts.

\*\*5. Discussion:\*\*

The experimental results highlight the importance of integrating multimodal data for sarcasm detection. The multimodal model consistently outperformed text-only approaches due to its ability to capture non-verbal cues like facial expressions and tone of voice. Text-only models struggled to differentiate sarcastic statements from genuine ones, particularly in cases where sarcasm was heavily dependent on tone or visual expressions, which aligns with findings from previous studies [1].
The individual contributions of audio and visual streams were significant but not as impactful as their combined use. For instance, the visual modality improved performance due to the model's ability to detect facial micro-expressions indicative of sarcasm. Similarly, the audio stream helped capture the intonational shifts in sarcastic speech, which were missed by text-based models.
However, there are challenges to deploying multimodal sarcasm detection in real-world applications. Synchronizing and processing different modalities in real-time can be computationally intensive. Furthermore, the model's reliance on high-quality audio and video data means that its performance may degrade in noisy or low-resolution environments. Future work could focus on improving the robustness of multimodal systems in these settings and explore how additional modalities, such as body language, could enhance sarcasm detection.
This section covers the results and a discussion of their significance, pointing out the improvements gained from multimodal systems and



accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score. The combination of these different modalities enables the model to capture nuanced and complex expressions of sarcasm, which are often missed by traditional methods relying solely on text.

The findings emphasize that multimodal sarcasm detection systems have the potential to offer substantial improvements in real-world applications, such as sentiment analysis, social media monitoring, and human-computer interaction. By leveraging multiple data streams—specifically, facial expressions and tone of voice—sarcasm can be detected more accurately, which is essential for understanding user sentiment in various contexts.

\*\*7. Future Work:\*\*

While the results of this study are promising, there are several directions for future research. First, the current system's performance is dependent on the quality of audio and video data, and its robustness in noisy environments or with low-resolution visuals remains a challenge. Future work could focus on improving the system's ability to handle such scenarios by incorporating noise-resistant models or low-resource feature extraction techniques.

Additionally, exploring the integration of other modalities, such as body language, gesture recognition, and even environmental context, could further enhance sarcasm detection. Another important avenue for research is the development of real-time multimodal systems that can

process data efficiently and accurately in conversational agents or social media platforms.
Finally, extending the multimodal approach to diverse languages and cultural contexts could provide insights into how sarcasm is expressed differently across linguistic and cultural boundaries, improving the system's generalizability and applicability in a global context.
This **Conclusion** succinctly summarizes the findings of the study, while the **Future Work** section outlines potential improvements and areas of research that could enhance the multimodal sarcasm detection system.
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