# Activity\_Course 6 TikTok project lab

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# 1 TikTok Project

#### Course 6 - The Nuts and bolts of machine learning

Recall that you are a data professional at TikTok. Your supervisor was impressed with the work you have done and has requested that you build a machine learning model that can be used to determine whether a video contains a claim or whether it offers an opinion. With a successful prediction model, TikTok can reduce the backlog of user reports and prioritize them more efficiently.

A notebook was structured and prepared to help you in this project. A notebook was structured and prepared to help you in this project. Please complete the following questions.

# 2 Course 6 End-of-course project: Classifying videos using machine learning

In this activity, you will practice using machine learning techniques to predict on a binary outcome variable.

The purpose of this model is to increase response time and system efficiency by automating the initial stages of the claims process.

**The goal** of this model is to predict whether a TikTok video presents a "claim" or presents an "opinion".

This activity has three parts:

Part 1: Ethical considerations \* Consider the ethical implications of the request

• Should the objective of the model be adjusted?

Part 2: Feature engineering

• Perform feature selection, extraction, and transformation to prepare the data for modeling

Part 3: Modeling

• Build the models, evaluate them, and advise on next steps

Follow the instructions and answer the questions below to complete the activity. Then, you will complete an Executive Summary using the questions listed on the PACE Strategy Document.

Be sure to complete this activity before moving on. The next course item will provide you with a completed exemplar to compare to your own work.

# 3 Classify videos using machine learning

# 4 PACE stages

Throughout these project notebooks, you'll see references to the problem-solving framework PACE. The following notebook components are labeled with the respective PACE stage: Plan, Analyze, Construct, and Execute.

#### 4.1 PACE: Plan

Consider the questions in your PACE Strategy Document to reflect on the Plan stage.

In this stage, consider the following questions:

- 1. What are you being asked to do? What metric should I use to evaluate success of my business/organizational objective?
- 2. What are the ethical implications of the model? What are the consequences of your model making errors?
- What is the likely effect of the model when it predicts a false negative (i.e., when the model says a video does not contain a claim and it actually does)?
- What is the likely effect of the model when it predicts a false positive (i.e., when the model says a video does contain a claim and it actually does not)?
- 3. How would you proceed?

# 5 Business need and modeling objective

TikTok users can report videos that they believe violate the platform's terms of service. Because there are millions of TikTok videos created and viewed every day, this means that many videos get reported—too many to be individually reviewed by a human moderator.

Analysis indicates that when authors do violate the terms of service, they're much more likely to be presenting a claim than an opinion. Therefore, it is useful to be able to determine which videos make claims and which videos are opinions.

TikTok wants to build a machine learning model to help identify claims and opinions. Videos that are labeled opinions will be less likely to go on to be reviewed by a human moderator. Videos that are labeled as claims will be further sorted by a downstream process to determine whether they should get prioritized for review. For example, perhaps videos that are classified as claims would then be ranked by how many times they were reported, then the top x% would be reviewed by a human each day.

A machine learning model would greatly assist in the effort to present human moderators with videos that are most likely to be in violation of TikTok's terms of service.

Modeling design and target variable

The data dictionary shows that there is a column called claim\_status. This is a binary value that indicates whether a video is a claim or an opinion. This will be the target variable. In other words, for each video, the model should predict whether the video is a claim or an opinion.

This is a classification task because the model is predicting a binary class.

Select an evaluation metric

To determine which evaluation metric might be best, consider how the model might be wrong. There are two possibilities for bad predictions:

False positives: When the model predicts a video is a claim when in fact it is an opinion False negatives: When the model predicts a video is an opinion when in fact it is a claim

## 5.1 2. What are the ethical implications of building the model?

In the given scenario, it's better for the model to predict false positives when it makes a mistake, and worse for it to predict false negatives. It's very important to identify videos that break the terms of service, even if that means some opinion videos are misclassified as claims. The worst case for an opinion misclassified as a claim is that the video goes to human review. The worst case for a claim that's misclassified as an opinion is that the video does not get reviewed and it violates the terms of service. A video that violates the terms of service would be considered posted from a "banned" author, as referenced in the data dictionary.

Because it's more important to minimize false negatives, the model evaluation metric will be recall.

## 5.2 3. How would you proceed?

#### 5.2.1 Task 1. Imports and data loading

Start by importing packages needed to build machine learning models to achieve the goal of this project.

```
[1]: # Import packages for data manipulation
     import pandas as pd
     import numpy as np
     # Import packages for data visualization
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     import seaborn as sns
     # Import packages for data preprocessing
     from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import CountVectorizer
     # Import packages for data modeling
     from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV
     from sklearn.metrics import classification report, accuracy_score, __
      →precision_score, \
     recall_score, f1_score, confusion_matrix, ConfusionMatrixDisplay
     from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
     from xgboost import XGBClassifier
     from xgboost import plot_importance
```

Now load the data from the provided csv file into a dataframe.

**Note:** As shown in this cell, the dataset has been automatically loaded in for you. You do not need to download the .csv file, or provide more code, in order to access the dataset and proceed with this lab. Please continue with this activity by completing the following instructions.

```
[2]: # Load dataset into dataframe
data = pd.read_csv("tiktok_dataset.csv")
```

#### 5.3 PACE: Analyze

Consider the questions in your PACE Strategy Document to reflect on the Analyze stage.

#### 5.3.1 Task 2: Examine data, summary info, and descriptive stats

Inspect the first five rows of the dataframe.

```
[3]: # Display first few rows
     data.head()
[3]:
        # claim status
                           video id video duration sec
                         7017666017
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                                                              not verified
        someone shared with me that there are more mic...
                                                              not verified
     2 someone shared with me that american industria...
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        someone shared with me that the metro of st. p...
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        someone shared with me that the number of busi...
                                                              not verified
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Get the number of rows and columns in the dataset.

```
[4]: # Get number of rows and columns
### YOUR CODE HERE ###
data.shape
```

[4]: (19382, 12)

Get the data types of the columns.

[5]: # Get data types of columns ### YOUR CODE HERE ### data.dtypes

[5]: # int64 claim\_status object video\_id int64 int64 video\_duration\_sec video\_transcription\_text object verified\_status object author\_ban\_status object video\_view\_count float64 float64 video\_like\_count video\_share\_count float64 video\_download\_count float64 video\_comment\_count float64 dtype: object

Get basic information about the dataset.

[6]: # Get basic information
### YOUR CODE HERE ###
data.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 19382 entries, 0 to 19381
Data columns (total 12 columns):

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#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype	
0	#	19382 non-null	int64	
1	claim_status	19084 non-null	object	
2	video_id	19382 non-null	int64	
3	video_duration_sec	19382 non-null	int64	
4	video_transcription_text	19084 non-null	object	
5	verified_status	19382 non-null	object	
6	author_ban_status	19382 non-null	object	
7	video_view_count	19084 non-null	float64	
8	video_like_count	19084 non-null	float64	
9	video_share_count	19084 non-null	float64	
10	video_download_count	19084 non-null	float64	

11 video\_comment\_count 19084 non-null float64

dtypes: float64(5), int64(3), object(4)

memory usage: 1.8+ MB

Generate basic descriptive statistics about the dataset.

[7]: # Generate basic descriptive stats
### YOUR CODE HERE ###
data.describe()

[7]: video\_duration\_sec video\_view\_count video\_id 19382.000000 19084.000000 count 19382.000000 1.938200e+04 mean 9691.500000 5.627454e+09 32.421732 254708.558688 std 5595.245794 2.536440e+09 16.229967 322893.280814 min 1.000000 1.234959e+09 5.000000 20.000000 25% 4846.250000 3.430417e+09 18.000000 4942.500000 5.618664e+09 50% 9691.500000 32.000000 9954.500000 75% 14536.750000 7.843960e+09 47.000000 504327.000000 19382.000000 9.999873e+09 60.000000 999817.000000 max

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Check for and handle missing values.

[8]: # Check for missing values
### YOUR CODE HERE ###
data.isna().sum()

[8]: # 0 claim\_status 298

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      video_comment_count
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 [9]: # Drop rows with missing values
      ### YOUR CODE HERE ###
      data = data.dropna(axis=0)
[10]: # Display first few rows after handling missing values
      data.head()
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video\_id

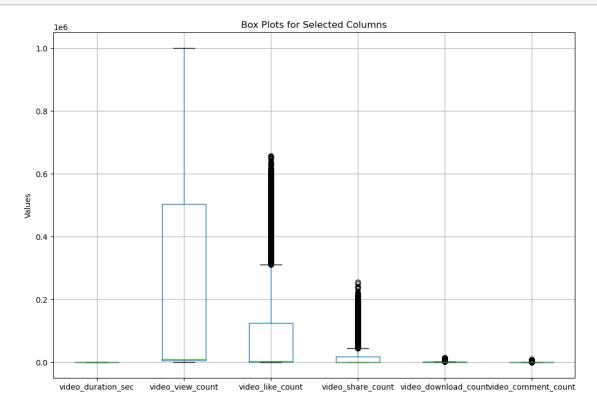
video\_duration\_sec

Check for and handle duplicates.

```
[11]: # Check for duplicates
### YOUR CODE HERE ###
data.duplicated().sum()
```

[11]: 0

Check for and handle outliers.



Check class balance.

```
[13]: # Check class balance
### YOUR CODE HERE ###
data["claim_status"].value_counts(normalize=True)
```

[13]: claim\_status

claim 0.503458 opinion 0.496542

Name: proportion, dtype: float64

#### 5.4 PACE: Construct

Consider the questions in your PACE Strategy Document to reflect on the Construct stage.

#### 5.4.1 Task 3: Feature engineering

Extract the length of each video\_transcription\_text and add this as a column to the dataframe, so that it can be used as a potential feature in the model.

```
[14]: # Extract the length of each `video_transcription_text` and add this as a_\( \) \( \text{column to the dataframe} \) \( \data['text_length'] = \data['video_transcription_text'].str.len() \) \( \data.head() \)
```

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[14]:
        # claim_status
                          video_id video_duration_sec
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                 claim 7017666017
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                 claim 4014381136
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                 claim 9859838091
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                 claim 1866847991
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     4 5
                 claim 7105231098
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video\_download\_count video\_comment\_count text\_length

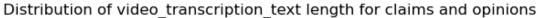
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1	1161.0	684.0	107
2	833.0	329.0	137
3	1234.0	584.0	131
4	547.0	152.0	128

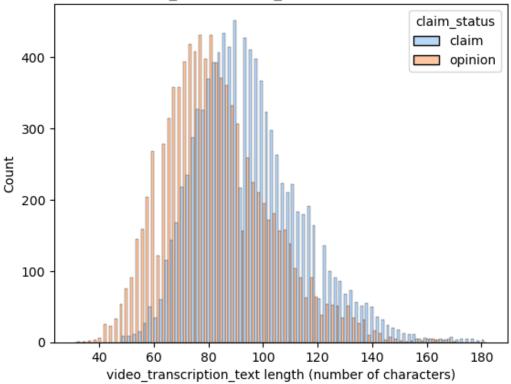
Calculate the average text\_length for claims and opinions.

```
[15]: # Display first few rows of dataframe after adding new column data[['claim_status', 'text_length']].groupby('claim_status').mean()
```

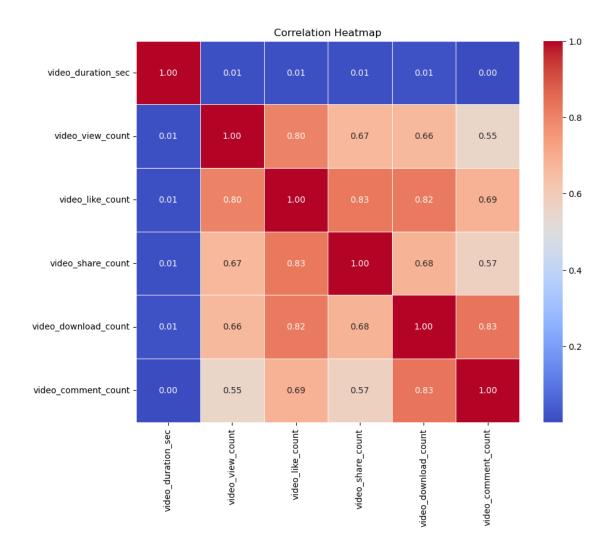
```
[15]: text_length claim_status claim 95.376978 opinion 82.722562
```

Visualize the distribution of text\_length for claims and opinions.





Create a heatmap to visualize how correlated variables are. Consider which variables you're interested in examining correlations between.



One of the model assumptions for logistic regression is no severe multicollinearity among the features. Take this into consideration as you examine the heatmap and choose which features to proceed with.

#### 5.5 PACE: Construct

Consider the questions in your PACE Strategy Document to reflect on the Construct stage.

#### 5.5.1 Task 3. Feature engineering

Select the outcome variable.

```
[18]: # Select outcome variable
X = data.copy()
# Drop unnecessary columns
X = X.drop(['#', 'video_id'], axis=1)
```

#### Feature selection and transformation

Encode target and catgorical variables.

```
[19]: ### YOUR CODE HERE ###
      X['claim_status'] = X['claim_status'].replace({'opinion': 0, 'claim': 1})
      # Dummy encode remaining categorical values
      X = pd.get_dummies(X,
                          columns=['verified_status', 'author_ban_status'],
                         drop first=True)
      # Display first few rows
      ### YOUR CODE HERE ###
      X.head()
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## 5.5.2 Task 4. Split the data

Assign target variable.

```
[20]: ### YOUR CODE HERE ###
y = X['claim_status']
```

Isolate the features.

1

```
[21]: #Isolate features
X = X.drop(['claim_status'], axis=1)

# Display first few rows of features dataframe
X.head()
```

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[21]:
         video_duration_sec
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                              someone shared with me that drone deliveries a...
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Task 5: Create train/validate/test sets Split data into training and testing sets, 80/20.

```
[46]: ### YOUR CODE HERE ###

X_tr, X_test, y_tr, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, □

→random_state=0)
```

Split the training set into training and validation sets, 75/25, to result in a final ratio of 60/20/20 for train/validate/test sets.

```
[47]: ### YOUR CODE HERE ###

X_train, X_val, y_train, y_val = train_test_split(X_tr, y_tr, test_size=0.25, □

→random_state=0)
```

Confirm that the dimensions of the training, validation, and testing sets are in alignment.

```
[48]: ### YOUR CODE HERE ###

X_train.shape, X_val.shape, X_test.shape, y_train.shape, y_val.shape, y_test.

→shape
```

```
[48]: ((11450, 11), (3817, 11), (3817, 11), (11450,), (3817,), (3817,))
```

[51]: CountVectorizer(max\_features=15, ngram\_range=(2, 3), stop\_words='english')

```
[52]: # Extract numerical features from `video_transcription_text` in the training set count_data = count_vec.fit_transform(X_train['video_transcription_text']).

-toarray()
count_data
```

```
[53]: # Place the numerical representation of `video_transcription_text` from_
       →training set into a dataframe
      count_df = pd.DataFrame(data=count_data, columns=count_vec.

¬get_feature_names_out())
      # Display first few rows
      count_df.head()
[53]:
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[54]: X_train_final = pd.concat([X_train.drop(columns=['video_transcription_text']).
       →reset_index(drop=True), count_df], axis=1)
      # Display first few rows
      X_train_final.head()
[54]:
         video_duration_sec video_view_count video_like_count video_share_count \
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[55]: # Extract numerical features from `video_transcription_text` in the testing set
      validation_count_data = count_vec.transform(X_val['video_transcription_text']).
       →toarray()
      validation count data
[55]: array([[0, 0, 0, ..., 1, 0, 0],
             [0, 0, 0, ..., 0, 0, 0],
              [0, 0, 0, ..., 1, 0, 0],
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             [0, 1, 0, ..., 0, 0, 0],
             [0, 0, 0, ..., 0, 0, 0]])
[56]: # Place the numerical representation of `video_transcription_text` from_
       ⇔validation set into a dataframe
      validation_count_df = pd.DataFrame(data=validation_count_data,__
       ⇒columns=count_vec.get_feature_names_out())
      validation_count_df.head()
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[57]: # so that the indices align with those in `validation_count_df`
      X_val_final = pd.concat([X_val.drop(columns=['video_transcription_text']).
       oreset_index(drop=True), validation_count_df], axis=1)
      # Display first few rows
      X_val_final.head()
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```
# Place the numerical representation of `video transcription text` from test_
       ⇔set into a dataframe
      test count df = pd.DataFrame(data=test count data, columns=count vec.
       →get_feature_names_out())
      # Concatenate X_val and validation_count_df to form the final dataframe for

→training data (`X_val_final`)
      X_test_final = pd.concat([X_test.drop(columns=['video_transcription_text']
                                             ).reset index(drop=True), test count df],
       ⇔axis=1)
      X_test_final.head()
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[5 rows x 25 columns]

#### 5.5.3 Task 6. Build models

#### 5.5.4 Build a random forest model

Fit a random forest model to the training set. Use cross-validation to tune the hyperparameters and select the model that performs best on recall.

```
[60]: # Examine best recall score
    #%time
    rf_cv.fit(X_train_final, y_train)
```

```
[64]: # Get all the results from the CV and put them in a df
### YOUR CODE HERE ###

# Isolate the row of the df with the max(mean precision score)
### YOUR CODE HERE ###

rf_cv.best_score_
```

[64]: 0.9948228253467271

```
[61]: # Examine best parameters
### YOUR CODE HERE ###
rf_cv.best_params_
```

Question: How well is your model performing? Consider average recall score and precision score. This model performs exceptionally well, with an average recall score of 0.995 across the five cross-validation folds. After checking the precision score to be sure the model is not classifying all samples as claims, it is clear that this model is making almost perfect classifications

#### 5.5.5 Build an XGBoost model

```
[66]: \[ \%\time \] \( xgb_cv.fit(X_train_final, y_train) \]
```

```
CPU times: user 9min 55s, sys: 2.43 s, total: 9min 58s Wall time: 5min 4s
```

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[66]: GridSearchCV(cv=5,
                   estimator=XGBClassifier(base_score=None, booster=None,
                                            callbacks=None, colsample bylevel=None,
                                            colsample_bynode=None,
                                            colsample bytree=None,
                                            early_stopping_rounds=None,
                                            enable categorical=False, eval metric=None,
                                            feature_types=None, gamma=None,
                                            gpu_id=None, grow_policy=None,
                                            importance_type=None,
                                            interaction_constraints=None,
                                            learning_rate=None,...
                                           max_delta_step=None, max_depth=None,
                                           max_leaves=None, min_child_weight=None,
                                           missing=nan, monotone_constraints=None,
                                           n_estimators=100, n_jobs=None,
                                           num_parallel_tree=None, predictor=None,
                                           random_state=0, ...),
                   param_grid={'learning_rate': [0.01, 0.1], 'max_depth': [4, 8, 12],
                                'min child weight': [3, 5],
                                'n_estimators': [300, 500]},
                   refit='recall', scoring={'accuracy', 'f1', 'recall', 'precision'})
[67]: xgb_cv.best_score_
[67]: 0.9906808769992594
[68]: xgb_cv.best_params_
[68]: {'learning_rate': 0.1,
       'max_depth': 4,
       'min_child_weight': 5,
       'n_estimators': 300}
[30]: # Get all the results from the CV and put them in a df
      ### YOUR CODE HERE ###
        # Isolate the row of the df with the max(mean precision score)
      ### YOUR CODE HERE ###
```

Question: How well does your model perform? Consider recall score and precision score.

#### 5.6 PACE: Execute

Consider the questions in your PACE Strategy Document to reflect on the Execute stage.

# 5.6.1 Task 7. Evaluate model

Evaluate models against validation criteria.

#### Random forest

```
[69]: # Use the random forest "best estimator" model to get predictions on the encoded testing set

y_pred = rf_cv.best_estimator_.predict(X_val_final)
```

Display the predictions on the encoded testing set.

```
[70]: # Display the predictions on the encoded testing set y_pred
```

```
[70]: array([1, 0, 1, ..., 1, 1, 1])
```

Display the true labels of the testing set.

```
[71]: # Display the true labels of the testing set y_val
```

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[71]: 5846
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```

Name: claim\_status, Length: 3817, dtype: int64

Create a confusion matrix to visualize the results of the classification model.

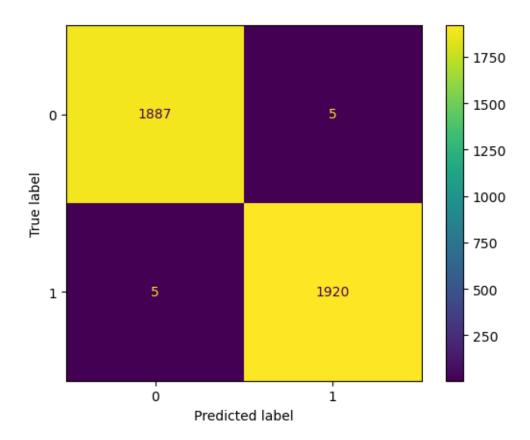
```
[72]: # Create a confusion matrix to visualize the results of the classification model

# Compute values for confusion matrix
log_cm = confusion_matrix(y_val, y_pred)

# Create display of confusion matrix
log_disp = ConfusionMatrixDisplay(confusion_matrix=log_cm, display_labels=None)

# Plot confusion matrix
log_disp.plot()

# Display plot
plt.show()
```



Create a classification report that includes precision, recall, f1-score, and accuracy metrics to evaluate the performance of the model.

```
[73]: # Create a classification report
# Create classification report for random forest model
target_labels = ['opinion', 'claim']
print(classification_report(y_val, y_pred, target_names=target_labels))
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
opinion	1.00	1.00	1.00	1892
claim	1.00	1.00	1.00	1925
accuracy			1.00	3817
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	3817
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	3817

Question: What does your classification report show? What does the confusion matrix indicate? The classification report above shows that the random forest model scores were nearly perfect. The confusion matrix indicates that there were 10 misclassifications—five false postives and five false negatives

#### XGBoost

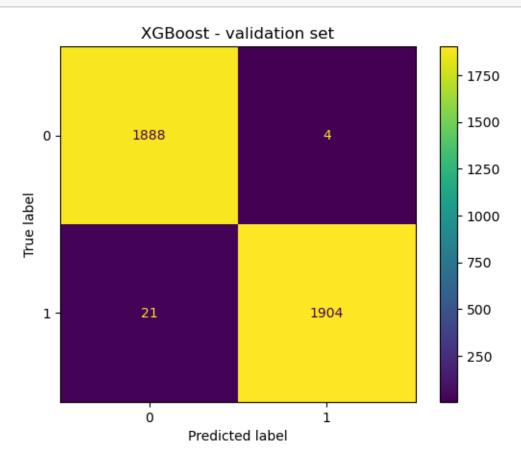
```
[74]: #Evaluate XGBoost model
y_pred = xgb_cv.best_estimator_.predict(X_val_final)
```

```
[75]: # Compute values for confusion matrix
log_cm = confusion_matrix(y_val, y_pred)

# Create display of confusion matrix
log_disp = ConfusionMatrixDisplay(confusion_matrix=log_cm, display_labels=None)

# Plot confusion matrix
log_disp.plot()

# Display plot
plt.title('XGBoost - validation set');
plt.show()
```



```
[76]: # Create a classification report
target_labels = ['opinion', 'claim']
print(classification_report(y_val, y_pred, target_names=target_labels))
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
opinion	0.99	1.00	0.99	1892
claim	1.00	0.99	0.99	1925
accuracy			0.99	3817
macro avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	3817
weighted avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	3817

Question: Describe your XGBoost model results. How does your XGBoost model compare to your random forest model? The results of the XGBoost model were also nearly perfect. However, its errors tended to be false negatives. Identifying claims was the priority, so it's important that the model be good at capturing all actual claim videos. The random forest model has a better recall score, and is therefore the champion model.

#### 5.6.2 Use champion model to predict on test data

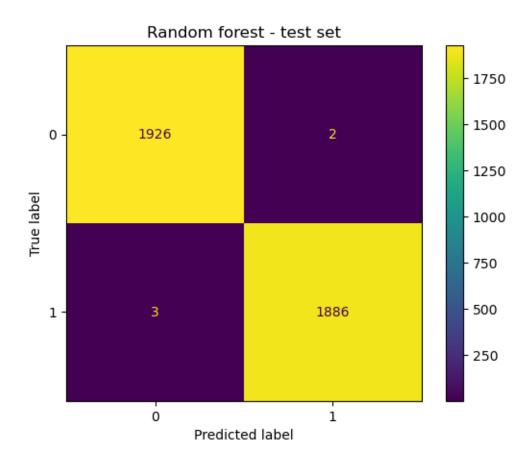
```
[77]: ### YOUR CODE HERE ###
    y_pred = rf_cv.best_estimator_.predict(X_test_final)

[78]: # Compute values for confusion matrix
    log_cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)

# Create display of confusion matrix
    log_disp = ConfusionMatrixDisplay(confusion_matrix=log_cm, display_labels=None)

# Plot confusion matrix
    log_disp.plot()

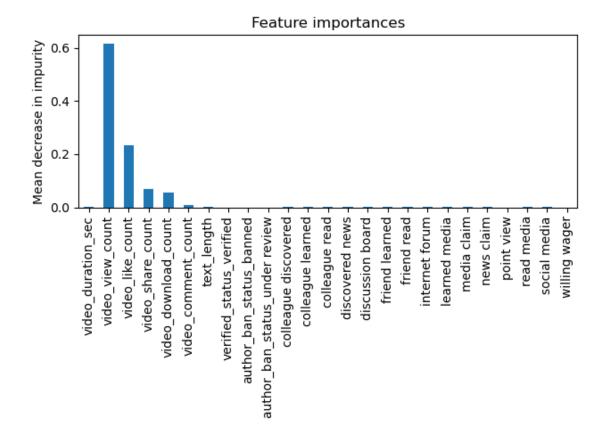
# Display plot
    plt.title('Random forest - test set');
    plt.show()
```



# Feature importances of champion model

```
[79]: importances = rf_cv.best_estimator_.feature_importances_
    rf_importances = pd.Series(importances, index=X_test_final.columns)

fig, ax = plt.subplots()
    rf_importances.plot.bar(ax=ax)
    ax.set_title('Feature importances')
    ax.set_ylabel('Mean decrease in impurity')
    fig.tight_layout()
```



Question: Describe your most predictive features. Were your results surprising? The most predictive features all were related to engagement levels generated by the video. This is not unexpected, as analysis from prior EDA pointed to this conclusion

#### 5.6.3 Task 8. Conclusion

In this step use the results of the models above to formulate a conclusion. Consider the following questions:

- 1. Would you recommend using this model? Why or why not? Yes, one can recommend this model because it performed well on both the validation and test holdout data. Furthermore, both precision and F1 scores were consistently high. The model very successfully classified claims and opinions.
- 2. What was your model doing? Can you explain how it was making predictions? The model's most predictive features were all related to the user engagement levels associated with each video. It was classifying videos based on how many views, likes, shares, and downloads they received
- 3. Are there new features that you can engineer that might improve model performance? Because the model currently performs nearly perfectly, there is no need to engineer any new features.
- 4. What features would you want to have that would likely improve the performance

of your model? The current version of the model does not need any new features. However, it would be helpful to have the number of times the video was reported. It would also be useful to have the total number of user reports for all videos posted by each author.

Remember, sometimes your data simply will not be predictive of your chosen target. This is common. Machine learning is a powerful tool, but it is not magic. If your data does not contain predictive signal, even the most complex algorithm will not be able to deliver consistent and accurate predictions. Do not be afraid to draw this conclusion.

#### ==> ENTER YOUR RESPONSES HERE

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