

Visual Analytics Project: Realtime Sentiment Analysis

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- Significance of Twitter in shaping global opinions.
- Main Aim: Analyze real-time Twitter data for global insights.





Objective



- Analyze thought patterns, tweet frequencies, and user engagement on Twitter.
- Launch a Flask app, work in distributed environment & build a Sentiment Analysis ML model
- ❖ Build an interactive visual dashboard using PowerBI to convey insights













Collected 500000 by Tweepy library

	tweet_id	user_name
1	1594755513945755648	J.E. Dyer 🦚
2	1594755515485143052	Javier Perdomo
3	1594755517574164481	Casey Reilley
4	1594755519868043264	Val Ornelas
5	1594755519981436961	Name Can't be Blank
6	1594755520526778368	The Original Johnboy usuLtRA M

user_location
None
None
Hawaii, USA
Merica
North Coast, Ohio USA
None

tweet_created_at			
Mon Nov 21 18:11:58 +0000 2022			
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user_screen_name	tweet_text	tweet_retweet_
OptimisticCon	Keep in mind, "Trump banned on Twitter!" is an integral element of the "J6" narrative that Trump fomented insurrect https://t.co/ov7iRF3YSn	9016
Javierperdomo	RT @MattGertz: Elon Musk interacting with sycophantic right-wing influencers this weekend, a thread.	469
caseyreilley	RT @MattGertz: Elon Musk interacting with sycophantic right-wing influencers this weekend, a thread.	180
_surfcowgirl	RT @elizableu: I'd like to make something else clear, I don't work for Twitter, Elon Musk, any government, political party, group etc. I ru	195
adrenaline 1073	RT @disclosetv: JUST IN - Elon Musk has reinstated Rep. Marjorie Taylor Greene's (R-GA) personal Twitter account.	915
johnboy02131989	RT @BehizyTweets: BREAKING: Elon Musk just reinstated Marjorie Taylor Greene's account https://t.co/4hwc46k6Yx	203

Data Labeling

 A lexicon-based method (NLTK Vader) was used to label tweets as having a positive, neutral or negative sentiment



	tweet_text	tweet_sentiment_label
1	Keep in mind, "Trump banned on Twitter!" is an integral element of the "J6" narrative that Trump fomented insurrect https://t.co/ov7iRF3YSn	neutral
2	RT @MattGertz: Elon Musk interacting with sycophantic right-wing influencers this weekend, a thread.	neutral
3	RT @MattGertz: Elon Musk interacting with sycophantic right-wing influencers this weekend, a thread.	neutral
4	RT @elizableu: I'd like to make something else clear, I don't work for Twitter, Elon Musk, any government, political party, group etc. I ru	positive
5	RT @disclosetv: JUST IN - Elon Musk has reinstated Rep. Marjorie Taylor Greene's (R-GA) personal Twitter account.	neutral
6	RT @BehizyTweets: BREAKING: Elon Musk just reinstated Marjorie Taylor Greene's account https://t.co/4hwc46k6Yx	neutral

Data Preprocessing

- Remove duplicates/ missing values
- Remove URLs
- Remove special characters
- Substituting multiple spaces with single space
- Lowercase all text
- Trim the leading/trailing whitespaces
- Tokenization
- Stop word removal
- Countvectorizer & TF-IDF Vectorizer



Jenna went back to University

Lowercase & remove nonalphanumeric

jenna went back to university

Tokenise

'jenna','went','back','to','university'

Remove Stop Words

'jenna','went','university'

Stem/Lemmatise

'jenna', 'go', 'univers'

QuickSight Dashboard

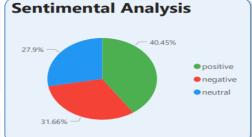


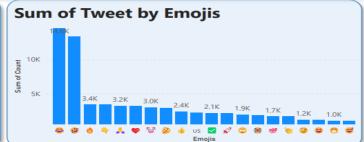
Interactive dashboard by predicted sentiment as well as by right/wrong predictions

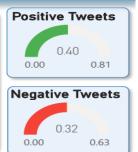
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TWITTER ANALYTICS DASHBOARD



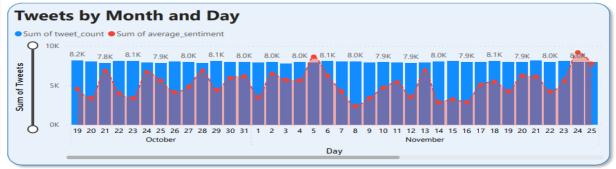
















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Challenges & Next Steps



- Since only recent tweets were scrapped, reply_count,retweet_count & favorite_count were not useable.
- Some of the attributes collected were not useable. Ex. 'hashtags'.
- NLTK Vader lexicon based approach may not be the best way to assign initial sentiments to tweets as it negates the emotion/ logic behind the text & focuses only on count of positive or negative words.

RT @lastbubblerises: Elon Musk isn't even from America. He came from South Africa, a rich white Apartheid embracing family. He positive never invent...

Other data labeling methods can be investigated to label the tweets more accurately.

Conclusion



- Enhanced Understanding of Twitter Trends: Showcased Twitter data's capacity to unveil global communication patterns and public sentiment.
- Python & Flask in Action: Demonstrated improvements in processing and visualizing complex datasets effectively.
- Springboard for Future Exploration: Laid the groundwork for further innovative studies in digital analytics and real-time data interpretation.