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Can Community Notes Replace Professional fact-Checkers?

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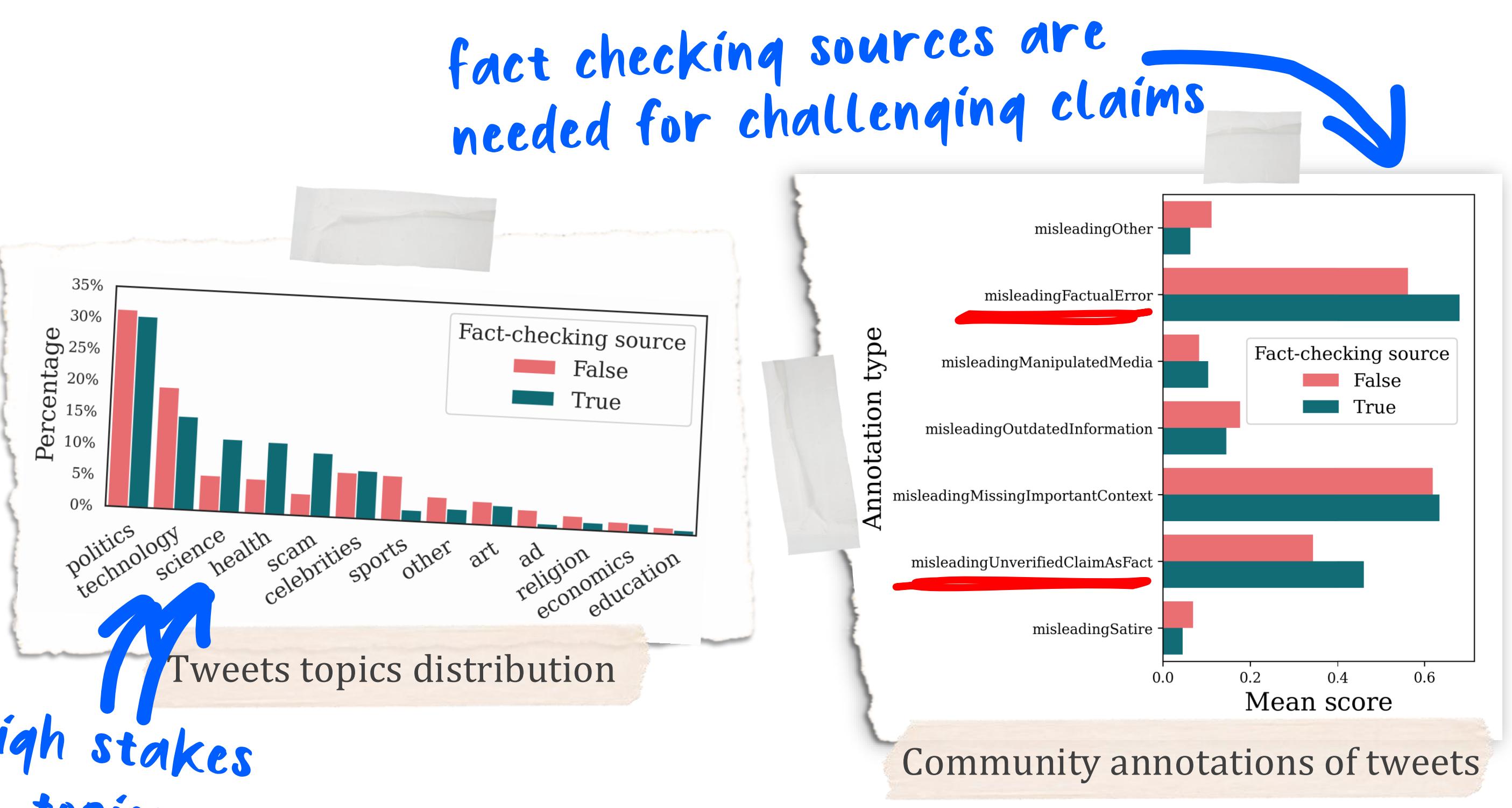
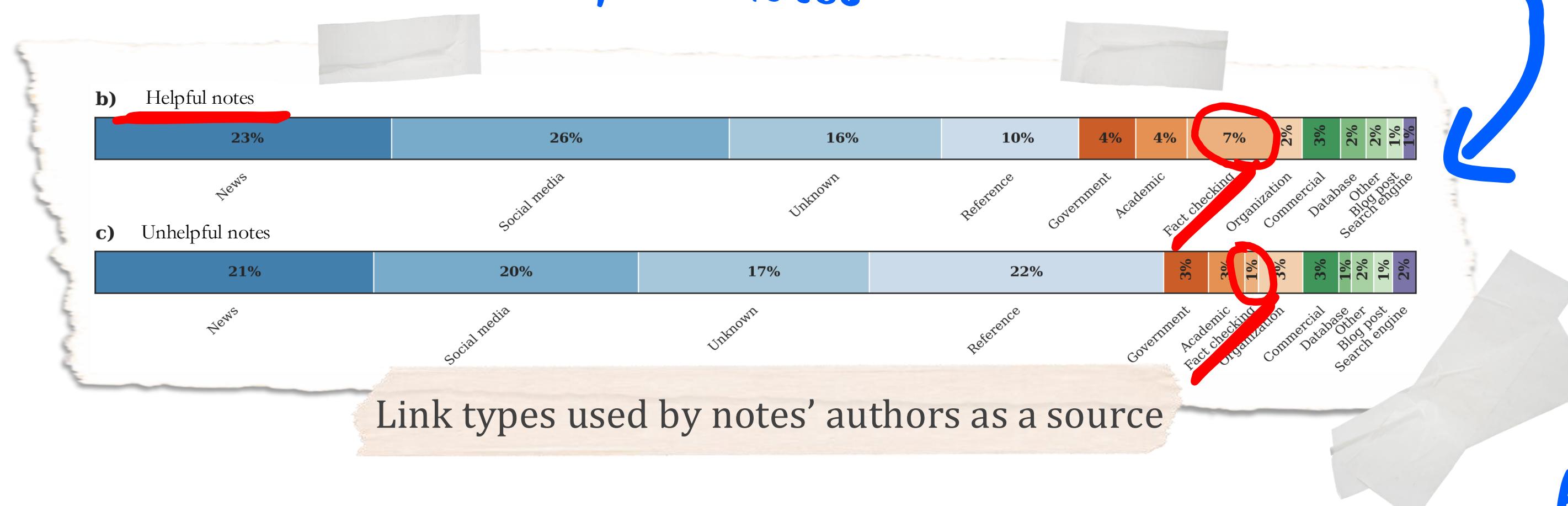
They want to replace fact checkers with community notes



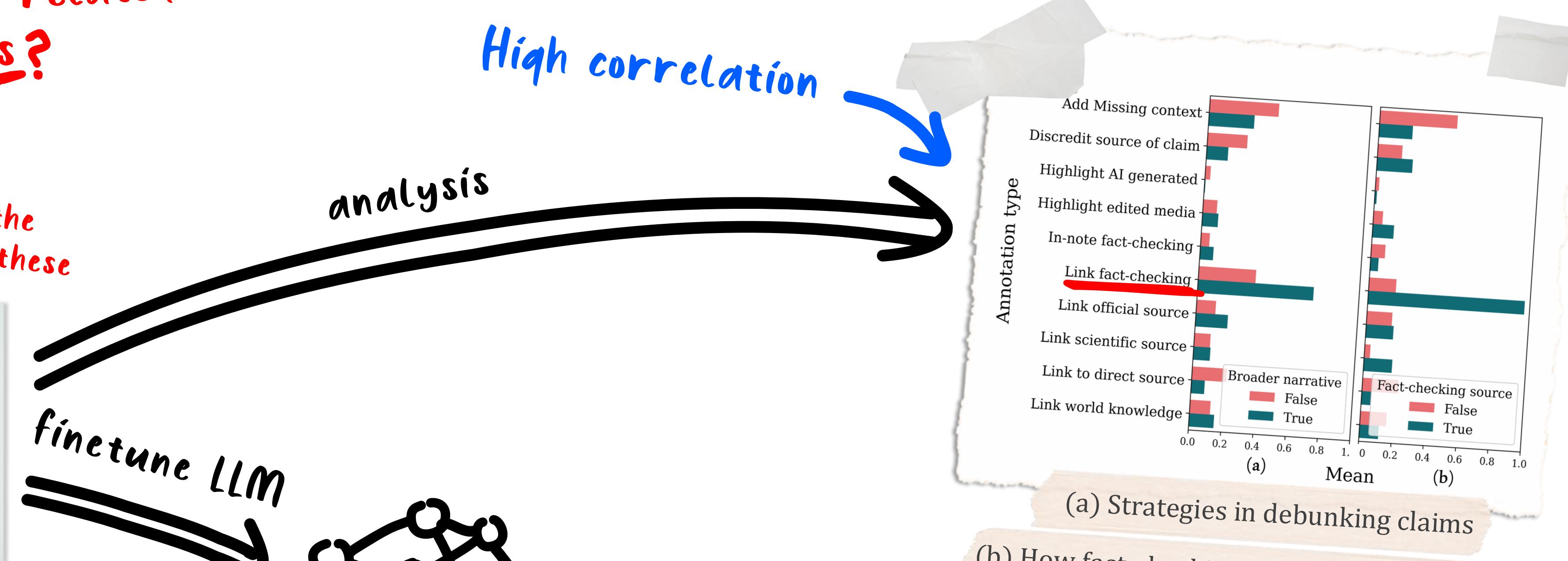
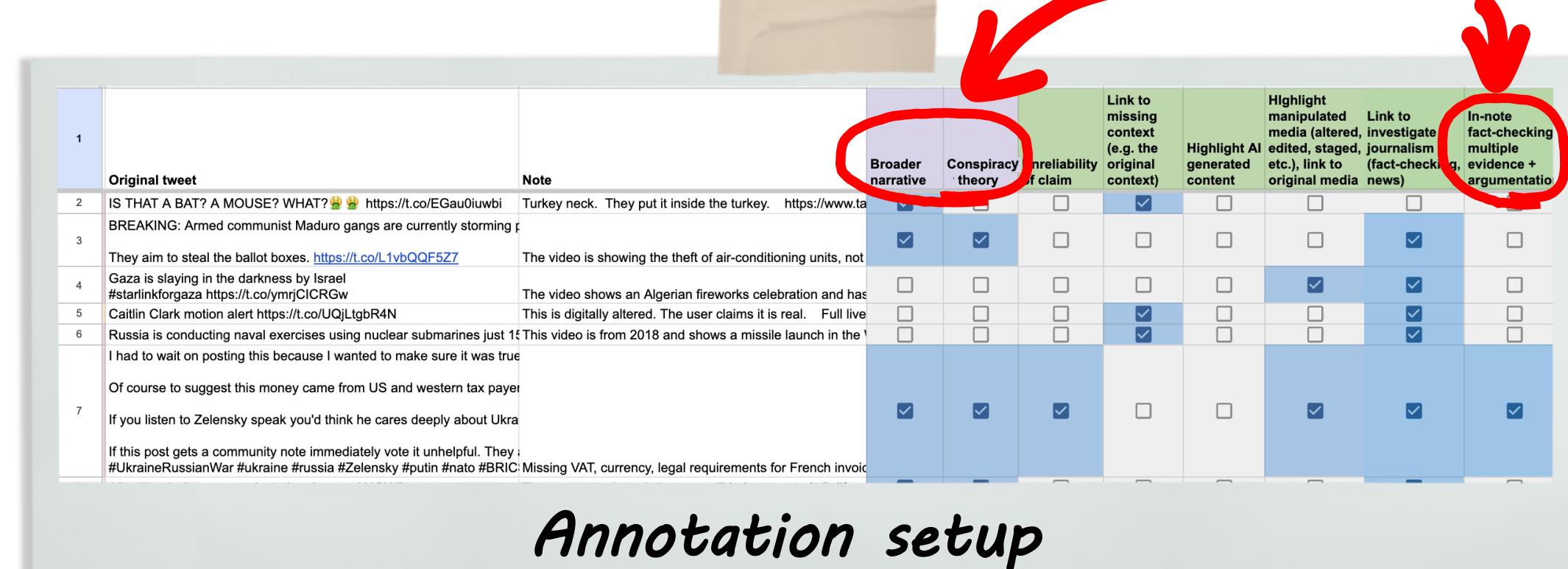
ANALYSIS

We download and analyse 1m notes and 20k tweets

Lots of fact checking sources
for helpful notes



Maybe fact checkers are needed for claims related to conspiracy theories and broader narratives?



CONCLUSIONS

- Effective community moderation depends on professional fact checking, especially for notes linked to broader narratives or conspiracy theories.
- Platforms ending fact checking partnerships and funding will harm the quality of community notes, especially for high stakes claims.

