



A Dataset of Multidimensional and Multilingual Social Opinions for Malta's Annual Government Budget

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Political and Socio-economic domain

Three high quality social opinion datasets with a total of 6,387 online posts from Malta's annual Government Budgets of 2018, 2019, 2020



Malta's two official languages, Maltese (Malti) and English

Online posts of user-generated content in English, Maltese (low-resourced language), and Maltese-English (code-switching)



Newsires and Social Networking Services

Datasets collected from newswires, namely Times of Malta, MaltaToday, The Malta Independent, and social networking services, namely Twitter



Multidimensional Opinion Mining

Annotated for five social opinion dimensions: *subjectivity*, *sentiment*, *polarity*, *emotion*, *sarcasm* and *irony*, and for negation, topic and language



Research Applications

Valuable resource for Opinion Mining research such as opinion summarisation and fine-grained opinionated search, and developing Language Technologies



Impact

Government of Malta can use gathered political and socio-economic insights for policy formulation, policy-making, decision-making and decision-taking