

detecting fake news

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0.0.1 InfoPillar Solution Pvt Ltd

0.0.2 Task-2 Fake News Detection Project

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[1]: # importing all the libraries

import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import itertools
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer
from sklearn.linear_model import PassiveAggressiveClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
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[2]: df=pd.read_csv("news.csv")
df.shape
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[2]: (6335, 4)
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[3]: df.head()
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[3]:      Unnamed: 0      title \
0      8476      You Can Smell Hillary's Fear
1    10294  Watch The Exact Moment Paul Ryan Committed Pol...
2     3608      Kerry to go to Paris in gesture of sympathy
3    10142  Bernie supporters on Twitter erupt in anger ag...
4      875   The Battle of New York: Why This Primary Matters

      text label
0  Daniel Greenfield, a Shillman Journalism Fello...  FAKE
1  Google Pinterest Digg Linkedin Reddit Stumbleu...  FAKE
2  U.S. Secretary of State John F. Kerry said Mon...  REAL
3  - Kaydee King (@KaydeeKing) November 9, 2016 T...  FAKE
4  It's primary day in New York and front-runners...  REAL
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[4]: #get the labels
labels=df.label
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labels.head()
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[4]: 0    FAKE
      1    FAKE
      2    REAL
      3    FAKE
      4    REAL
      Name: label, dtype: object
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[5]: #splitting into training and testing sets
      x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test = 
      ↪train_test_split(df['text'], labels, test_size=0.2)
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0.0.3 Fit and transform the vectorizer on the train set, and transform the vectorizer on the test set

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[6]: #Initialize a TfidfVectorizer
      tfidf_vec=TfidfVectorizer(stop_words='english',max_df=0.7)

      #Fit and transform train set, transform test set
      tfidf_train=tfidf_vec.fit_transform(x_train)
      tfidf_test=tfidf_vec.transform(x_test)
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[7]: pac=PassiveAggressiveClassifier(max_iter=50)
      pac.fit(tfidf_train,y_train)

      #accuracy
      y_pred=pac.predict(tfidf_test)
      score=accuracy_score(y_test,y_pred)
      print("Accuracy:",round(score*100,"%"))
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Accuracy: 94 %