



A Review Of Fake News Analysis Using Machine Learning

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Abstract— Recently, there have been many exploration endeavors meaning to comprehend counterfeit news wonders and to recognize regular examples and highlights of fake news. However, the genuine separating force of these highlights is as yet unclear: some are more broad, yet others perform well just with explicit information. In this survey work, we direct an exceptionally exploratory examination that created countless models from a huge and various arrangement of highlights. These models are unprejudiced as in their highlights are arbitrarily browsed the pool of accessible highlights. While by far most of models are incapable, we had the option to create various models that yield profoundly exact choices, in this manner successfully isolating fake news from genuine stories. In particular, we zeroed in our examination on models that position a haphazardly picked counterfeit report higher than an arbitrarily picked truth with more than 0.85 likelihood. For these models we tracked down a solid connection among highlights and model expectations, showing that a few highlights are plainly custom fitted for identifying particular sorts of fake news, accordingly confirming that various mixes of highlights cover a particular locale of the fake news space. At last, we present a clarification of variables adding to show choices, along these lines advancing community thinking by supplementing our capacity to assess computerized content and arrive at justified resolutions.

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1. INTRODUCTION

More than a decade after their emergence, social media systems are used by over a third of the world's population [13]. These systems have significantly changed the way users interact and communicate online, spawning a whole new wave of applications and reshaping existing information ecosystems. In particular, social media systems have been dramatically changing the way news is produced, disseminated, and consumed in our society. These changes, however, started an actual information war in the few last years, favoring misinformation campaigns, reducing the credibility of news outlets in these environments [35], and potentially affecting news readers opinions on critical matters for our society. Misinformation, spin, lies and deceit have of course been around forever, but the emergence of fake news has quickly evolved into a worldwide phenomenon, and while there are efforts attempting to better comprehend this

phenomenon [14, 20], it is not surprising that most existing efforts are devoted to detecting fake news [9, 37, 39, 41]. Typically, most of these efforts reduce the problem to a classification task, in which news stories are labeled as fact/fake and supervised learning is then used to separate fact from fake with a model learned from the data. Fake news detection gained traction and attention, especially in assisting fact checkers to identify stories that are worth investigating [17, 28]. Despite the undeniable importance of the existing efforts in this direction, they are mostly concurrent work, which propose complementary solutions and features to train a classifier, providing hints and insights that are rarely or never tested together. Little is known about the discriminating power of features proposed in the literature, either individually or when combined with others. Some may be adequate for pinpointing specific types of fake news, while others are more general but not sufficiently discriminating. Moreover, while explaining the decisions made by the proposed models is central to understand the structure of fake content, this discussion is often left aside. In this work, we address all of these issues. In the past in the event that anybody required any news, the individual in question would hang tight for the following day paper. Be that as it may, with the development of online papers who update news in a split second, individuals have discovered a superior and quicker approach to be educated regarding the issue of his/her interest[8][9]. These days interpersonal interaction frameworks, online news entrances, and other online media have become the fundamental wellsprings of information through which fascinating and breaking news[11] are shared at a quick speed. Notwithstanding, numerous news entryways serve unique interest by taking care of with contorted, somewhat right, and once in a while fanciful news that is probably going to draw in the consideration of an objective gathering of individuals. Counterfeit news [12][16] has become a significant worry for being damaging some of the time spreading disarray and intentional disinformation among individuals. The term counterfeit news has become a popular expression nowadays. In any case, a concurred meaning of the expression "counterfeit news[10] is still to be found. It tends to be characterized as a sort of sensationalist reporting or purposeful publicity that comprises of intentional deception or fabrications spread through customary print and broadcast news media or online web-based media [15]. These are distributed for the most part with the aim to deceive to harm a local area or individual, make disarray, and gain monetarily or strategically. Since individuals are frequently unfit to invest

sufficient energy to cross-check reference and make certain of the believability of information, robotized location of phony news is essential. Along these lines, it is getting incredible consideration from the examination local area. There are numerous examples where keenly planned phony news had extreme outcome by impelling strict or ethnic gatherings against guiltless casualties. On October 17, 2018, United States Congressman Matt Gaetz (R-FL) presented a video on Twitter and proposed, without proof, that showed a gathering of individuals being paid by tycoon George Soros to join a transient train and tempest the United States line. The video was miscaptioned and the tweet contained verifiable inaccuracies.¹ On 23 June 2018, a progression of appalling pictures and recordings started to circle on Facebook. One showed a monitors skull hacked open that was seen in excess of multiple times. The Facebook clients who posted the pictures guaranteed they showed a slaughter in progress in the Gashish area of Plateau State, Nigeria by Fulani Muslims who were murdering Christians from the locales Berom ethnic minority. As an outcome, a slaughter occurred in Gashish that end of the week and somewhere close to 86 and 238 Berom individuals were executed, as per gauges made by the police and by neighborhood local area pioneers. Nonetheless, probably the most combustible pictures and recordings were absolutely immaterial to the brutality in Gashish. The video showing a man's head was cut, was not occurred in Nigeria and it was recorded in Congo, in 2012.² The earlier chips away at counterfeit news location have applied a few conventional AI techniques and neural organizations to distinguish counterfeit news. In any case, they have zeroed in on recognizing information on specific sorts, (for example, political) [19]. In like manner, they fostered their models and planned highlights for explicit datasets that match their subject of interest. All things considered, these methodologies would experience the ill effects of dataset predisposition and are probably going to perform ineffectively on information on another point. A portion of the current investigations have likewise made correlations among various strategies for counterfeit news recognition. It has assembled a benchmark dataset specifically, Liar and tested some current models on that dataset. The examination result hints us how various models can perform on an organized dataset like Liar. Be that as it may, the length of this dataset isn't adequate for neural organization investigation and a few models were found to experience the ill effects of overfitting. Gilda has investigated some conventional AI approaches [10]. Notwithstanding, many progressed AI models, e.g., neural organization based ones are not applied that have been demonstrated best in numerous content characterization issues. A significant limit of earlier relative examinations is that these are completed on a particular sort of dataset, it is hard to arrive at a decision about the exhibition of different models. Additionally, these works have zeroed in on a predetermined number of highlights that have brought about the deficient investigation of expected attributes of phony news. In this examination, we will probably introduce a relative presentation investigation of existing strategies by carrying out every one on two of the accessible datasets and another pre-arranged by us consolidating information on circulated subjects. We likewise fuse various highlights from existing works and explore the exhibition of some effective content order strategies that are yet to be applied for counterfeit news recognition as far as we could possibly know. There exists a huge assemblage of exploration on the subject of AI techniques for trickiness discovery, its vast majority has been zeroing in on ordering on the web audits and freely accessible online media posts. Especially since late 2016 during the American Presidential political race, the topic of deciding 'counterfeit news' has likewise been the subject of specific consideration inside the

writing. Conroy, Rubin, and Chen [1] diagrams a few methodologies that appear to be encouraging towards the point of impeccably group the deceptive articles.

In this review paper section I contains the introduction, section II contains the literature review details, section III contains the details about methodologies, section and section IV provide conclusion of this paper.

2. RELATED WORK

Julio C. S. Reis, et. al., (2019) the genuine separating force of these highlights is at this point unclear: some are more broad, however others perform well just with explicit information. In this work, we lead a profoundly exploratory examination that created countless models from a huge and various arrangement of highlights. These models are unprejudiced as in their highlights are haphazardly browsed the pool of accessible highlights. While by far most of models are insufficient, we had the option to create various models that yield profoundly exact choices, hence successfully isolating phony news from genuine stories. In particular, we zeroed in our investigation on models that position a haphazardly picked counterfeit report higher than an arbitrarily picked reality with more than 0.85 likelihood. For these models we tracked down a solid connection among highlights and model expectations, showing that a few highlights are plainly custom fitted for distinguishing particular sorts of phony news, accordingly confirming that various mixes of highlights cover a particular area of the phony news space. At long last, we present a clarification of components adding to display choices, along these lines advancing community thinking by supplementing our capacity to assess computerized content and arrive at justified resolutions.

Adrian M.P. et. al. (2019) Fake news detection is a difficult problem due to the nuances of language. Understanding the reasoning behind certain fake items implies inferring a lot of details about the various actors involved. We believe that the solution to this problem should be a hybrid one, combining machine learning, semantics and natural language processing. We introduce a new semantic fake news detection method built around relational features like sentiment, entities or facts extracted directly from text. Our experiments show that by adding semantic features the accuracy of fake news classification improves significantly.

William Yang Wang (2018) [2] Automatic phony news identification is a difficult issue in misdirection discovery, and it has huge true political and social effects. Be that as it may, measurable ways to deal with battling counterfeit news has been drastically restricted by the absence of marked benchmark datasets. In this paper, we present LIAR: another, freely accessible dataset for counterfeit news recognition. We gathered a long term, 12.8K physically marked short explanations in different settings from POLITIFACT.COM, which gives nitty gritty examination report and connections to source records for each case. This dataset can be utilized for certainty checking research too. Prominently, this new dataset is a significant degree bigger than already biggest public phony news datasets of comparable sort. Observationally, we examine programmed counterfeit news recognition dependent on surface-level etymological examples. We have planned a novel, half breed convolutional neural organization to incorporate metadata with text. We show that this crossover approach can improve a book just profound learning model.

Costin BUSIOC et. al., (2020) [3] Fighting phony news is a troublesome and testing task. With an expanding sway on the social and world of politics, counterfeit news apply an unprecedentedly sensational effect on individuals' lives. Because of this marvel, drives tending to computerized counterfeit news discovery have acquired prominence, producing inescapable examination interest. Notwithstanding, most methodologies focusing on English and low-asset dialects experience issues when conceiving such arrangements. This examination centers around the advancement of such examinations, while featuring existing arrangements, difficulties, and perceptions shared by different exploration gatherings. Furthermore, given the restricted measure of computerized examinations performed on Romanian phony news, we review the materialness of the accessible methodologies in the Romanian setting, while at the same time recognizing future exploration ways.

Alim Al Ayub Ahmed (2020) [4] Web is one of the significant developments and countless people are its clients. These people utilize this for various purposes. There are diverse web-based media stages that are open to these clients. Any client can make a post or spread the word through these online stages. These stages don't confirm the clients or their posts. So a portion of the clients attempt to get out counterfeit word through these stages. These phony news can be a promulgation against an individual, society, association or ideological group. A person can't distinguish every one of these phony news. So there is a requirement for AI classifiers that can recognize these phony news naturally. Utilization of AI classifiers for distinguishing the phony news is depicted in this methodical writing survey.

Table 1: Previous Year Research Paper Comparison table based on Findings

Paper Title	Summary
1. "Fake News Detection on Social Media: A Data Mining Perspective"	Shu, K., Sliva, A., Wang, S., Tang, J., & Liu, H. (2017). This paper presents an overview of fake news detection using data mining techniques, emphasizing the role of machine learning in identifying patterns in data that indicate fake news. It discusses various features such as linguistic and network information, and the use of supervised and unsupervised learning algorithms.
2. "Fake News Detection with Deep Learning: A Review"	Zhang, X., & Ghorbani, A. A. (2020). This review paper focuses on the application of deep learning techniques for fake news detection. It explores the effectiveness of convolutional neural networks (CNNs), recurrent neural networks (RNNs), and other deep learning models in distinguishing fake news from real news based on textual data.
3. "Machine Learning Approaches to Fake News Detection: A Survey"	Conroy, N. J., Rubin, V. L., & Chen, Y. (2015). This survey provides an extensive review of various machine learning approaches applied to fake news detection. It includes traditional machine learning models such as support vector machines (SVMs) and decision trees, as well as ensemble methods and their comparative effectiveness.
4. "The Role of User Profile Information in	Ruchansky, N., Seo, S., & Liu, Y. (2017). This paper investigates the significance of user profile information in

Fake News Detection"	the detection of fake news. It highlights the integration of user characteristics with content-based features to improve the accuracy of machine learning models in fake news detection.
5. "Attention-based Recurrent Neural Networks for Rumor Veracity Classification"	Ma, J., Gao, W., Wei, Z., Lu, Y., & Wong, K.-F. (2016). This study explores the use of attention mechanisms in recurrent neural networks to classify the veracity of rumors on social media platforms. The paper demonstrates how attention-based models can enhance the understanding and detection of fake news.
6. "Exploiting Temporal Patterns for Fake News Detection on Social Media"	Yang, Y., Zheng, L., Zhang, J., Cui, Q., Li, Z., & Yu, P. S. (2018). The paper delves into the use of temporal patterns in social media posts for fake news detection. It discusses the application of temporal features in machine learning models to improve the identification of fake news by analyzing the evolution of news dissemination.
7. "A Multi-Source Approach to Fake News Detection in Social Networks"	Qi, P., Cao, J., Yang, T., Guo, J., & Li, J. (2019). This paper proposes a multi-source approach that combines data from different social networks to enhance fake news detection. It highlights the benefits of leveraging diverse sources of information and the challenges associated with integrating data from multiple platforms.
8. "Detection of Fake News on Social Media with Bi-Directional LSTM and Co-Attention Networks"	Karimi, A., & Tang, J. (2018). This research presents a model combining bi-directional long short-term memory (LSTM) networks with co-attention mechanisms to improve the detection of fake news. It demonstrates the model's effectiveness in capturing context and semantic meaning from text data.
9. "Using Contextual Information for Fake News Detection"	Pérez-Rosas, V., Kleinberg, B., Lefevre, A., & Mihalcea, R. (2018). The study focuses on incorporating contextual information, such as the surrounding text and metadata, to enhance fake news detection models. It evaluates the impact of context-aware features on the performance of various machine learning algorithms.
10. "A Benchmark Dataset for Fake News Detection"	Shu, K., Mahudeswaran, D., Wang, S., Lee, D., & Liu, H. (2020). This paper introduces a comprehensive benchmark dataset specifically designed for fake news detection research. It discusses the dataset's creation, characteristics, and potential applications in evaluating and training machine learning models.

3. METHODOLOGY

- Decision Tree Algorithm**

Decision Tree algorithm has a place with the group of managed learning calculations. In contrast to other administered learning calculations, the decision tree calculation can be utilized for tackling relapse and order issues as well. The objective of utilizing a Decision Tree is to make a preparation model that can use to anticipate the class or worth of the objective variable by taking in basic decision principles surmised from earlier data(training information). In Decision Trees, for anticipating a class name for a record we start from the foundation of the tree. We think about the upsides of the root trait with the record's characteristic. Based on examination, we follow the branch relating to that worth and leap to the following hub.

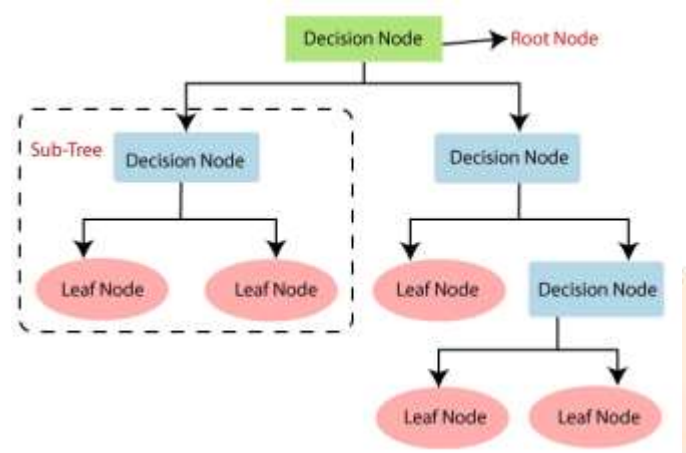


Figure 1: Structure of decision tree algorithm

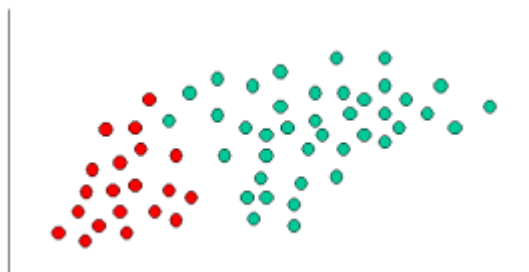
The complete process can be better understood using the below algorithm:

- **Step-1:** Begin the tree with the root node, says S, which contains the complete dataset.
- **Step-2:** Find the best attribute in the dataset using Attribute Selection Measure (ASM).
- **Step-3:** Divide the S into subsets that contains possible values for the best attributes.
- **Step-4:** Generate the decision tree node, which contains the best attribute.
- **Step-5:** Recursively make new decision trees using the subsets of the dataset created in step -3. Continue this process until a stage is reached where you cannot further classify the nodes and called the final node as a leaf node.

- NAÏVE BAYES**

Naive Bayes Classifier Introductory Overview

The Naive Bayes Classifier procedure depends on the supposed Bayesian hypothesis and is especially fit when the dimensionality of the information sources is high. Notwithstanding its straightforwardness, Naive Bayes can frequently beat more complex arrangement strategies.



To show the idea of Naïve Bayes Classification, consider the model showed in the outline above. As demonstrated, the items can be delegated either GREEN or RED. Our assignment is to arrange new cases as they show up, i.e., choose to which class name they have a place, in view of the at present leaving objects.

Since there are twice as many GREEN items as RED, it is sensible to accept that another case (which hasn't been noticed at this point) is twice as liable to have enrollment GREEN instead of RED. In the Bayesian investigation, this conviction is known as the earlier likelihood. Earlier probabilities depend on past experience, for this situation the level of GREEN and RED items, and frequently used to anticipate results before they really occur.

Thus, we can write:

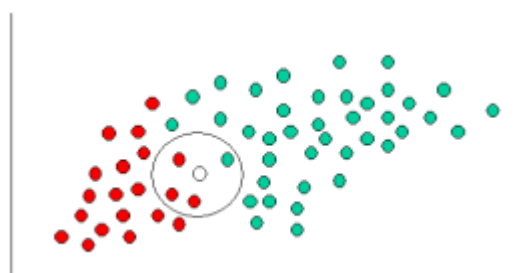
$$\text{Prior probability for GREEN} \propto \frac{\text{Number of GREEN objects}}{\text{Total number of objects}}$$

$$\text{Prior probability for RED} \propto \frac{\text{Number of RED objects}}{\text{Total number of objects}}$$

Since there is a total of 60 objects, 40 of which are GREEN and 20 RED, our prior probabilities for class membership are:

$$\text{Prior probability for GREEN} \propto \frac{40}{60}$$

$$\text{Prior probability for RED} \propto \frac{20}{60}$$



Having detailed our earlier likelihood, we are currently prepared to group another item (WHITE circle). Since the articles are very much bunched, it is sensible to expect to be that the more GREEN (or RED) objects nearby X, the more probable that the new cases have a place with that specific tone. To quantify this probability, we draw a circle around X which envelops a number (to be picked deduced) of focuses regardless of their group names. Then, at that point we ascertain the quantity of focuses in the circle having a place with each class name. From this we figure the probability:

$$\text{Likelihood of } X \text{ given GREEN} \propto \frac{\text{Number of GREEN in the vicinity of } X}{\text{Total number of GREEN cases}}$$

$$\text{Likelihood of } X \text{ given RED} \propto \frac{\text{Number of RED in the vicinity of } X}{\text{Total number of RED cases}}$$

From the illustration above, it is clear that Likelihood of X given GREEN is smaller than Likelihood of X given RED, since the circle encompasses 1 GREEN object and 3 RED ones. Thus:

$$\text{Probability of } X \text{ given GREEN} \propto \frac{1}{40}$$

$$\text{Probability of } X \text{ given RED} \propto \frac{3}{20}$$

Albeit the earlier probabilities show that X may have a place with GREEN (given that there are twice as many GREEN contrasted with RED) the probability demonstrates something else; that the class participation of X is RED (given that there are more RED articles nearby X than GREEN). In the Bayesian investigation, the last characterization is created by consolidating the two wellsprings of data, i.e., the earlier and the probability, to frame a back likelihood utilizing the alleged Bayes' standard (named after Rev. Thomas Bayes 1702-1761).

Posterior probability of X being GREEN \propto

Prior probability of GREEN \times *Likelihood of X given GREEN*

$$= \frac{4}{6} \times \frac{1}{40} = \frac{1}{60}$$

Posterior probability of X being RED \propto

Prior probability of RED \times *Likelihood of X given RED*

$$= \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{3}{20} = \frac{1}{20}$$

Finally, we classify X as RED since its class membership achieves the largest posterior probability.

Note. The above probabilities are not normalized. However, this does not affect the classification outcome since their normalizing constants are the same.

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Technical Notes

In the previous section, we provided an intuitive example for understanding classification using Naive Bayes. In this section are further details of the technical issues involved. Naive Bayes classifiers can handle an arbitrary number of independent variables whether continuous or categorical. Given a set of variables, $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d\}$, we want to construct the posterior probability for the event C_j among a set of possible outcomes $C = \{c_1, c_2, \dots, c_d\}$. In a more familiar language, X is the predictors and C is the set of categorical levels present in the dependent variable. Using Bayes' rule:

$$p(C_j | x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d) \propto p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d | C_j) p(C_j)$$

where $p(C_j | x_1, x_2, \dots, x_d)$ is the posterior probability of class membership, i.e., the probability that X belongs to C_j . Since Naive Bayes assumes that the conditional probabilities of the independent variables are statistically independent we can decompose the likelihood to a product of terms:

$$p(X | C_j) \propto \prod_{k=1}^d p(x_k | C_j)$$

and rewrite the posterior as:

$$p(C_j | X) \propto p(C_j) \prod_{k=1}^d p(x_k | C_j)$$

Utilizing Bayes' standard above, we name another case X with a class level C_j that accomplishes the most noteworthy back likelihood.

Albeit the suspicion that the indicator (free) factors are autonomous isn't generally exact, it improves on the grouping task drastically, since it permits the class contingent densities $p(x_k | C_j)$ to be determined independently for every factor, i.e., it diminishes a multidimensional errand to various one-dimensional ones. As a result, Naive Bayes diminishes a high-dimensional thickness assessment undertaking to a one-dimensional piece thickness assessment. Moreover, the suspicion doesn't appear to incredibly influence the back probabilities, particularly in areas close to choice limits, in this manner, leaving the arrangement task unaffected. Innocent Bayes can be demonstrated in a few distinct manners including ordinary, lognormal, gamma and Poisson thickness.

4. CONCLUSION

While the literature on fake news detection is increasing at fast pace, the accuracy of the various models greatly varies depending on the data sets and the number of classes involved. In our view, good models should be adaptive and should not require a lot of fine-tuning on data sets. According to our results, by also considering relational features like sentiment, named entities or facts extracted from both structured (e.g., Knowledge Graphs) and unstructured data (e.g., text), we generally obtain better scores on all classifiers. Currently, most models are based on word embedding's, even though phrases and multi-words expressions perform better for longer texts. This is due to the fact that the language used in a fake news article may differ from the language used in a normal article, as it is often needed to reinforce certain claims. A future investigation area is to exploit these relational features together with graph neural networks, like the recently developed R-GCN. Another interesting direction is to use semantic features for detecting fake reviews. While this is somewhat similar to the fake news detection, the goal here is to detect fake accounts or fake authorships.

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