

# Review of: "Information Technology for Detecting Fakes and Propaganda Based on Machine Learning and Sentiment Analysis"

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The authors have provided an article to classify the fake/propaganda vs non-fakes using sentiment analysis. The authors have provided various sentiment metrics. The intention of the paper is good, but some gaps are observed.

1. What is the novelty of this paper?
2. Various techniques explained are very generic. Currently, more advanced and robust techniques are present in previous research. The authors should try to explain the issues/shortcomings of these techniques in the context of fake/non-fakes and simple generic statements. This will help other researchers in this domain.
3. Dataset information is missing.
4. How was dataset pre-processing done? What steps were taken? How was sarcasm and humor handled in the dataset, as it is reverse sentiment?