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AI based Similarity (Plagiarism) Checking Tool

We are pleased to announce that Pondicherry University possess Turnitin Similarity Checking (Plagiarism Detection) Tool, which now features enhanced capabilities powered by Artificial Intelligence (AI).

Turnitin can be accessed through the URL https://www.turnitin.com, which is a globally recognized platform utilized by academic and research institutions to ensure originality and uphold the highest standards of academic integrity. The newly integrated AI features provide improved accuracy in identifying potential plagiarism and detecting AI-generated text in scholarly work.

Turnitin's AI writing detection capabilities assist educators, researchers, publishers, and other users in determining whether AI writing tools like ChatGPT have been employed in submitted work. Additionally, the AI paraphrasing detection feature can identify when AI paraphrasing tools have been used on AI-generated text to evade detection. Please note that only instructors will have access to the results of the AI writing and paraphrasing detection.

All Faculty Members and Research Scholars of Pondicherry University are hereby encouraged to make effective use of this facility for checking the originality of their research papers, theses, dissertations, and other academic writings prior to submission or publication.

For access details, user credentials, and any assistance related to Turnitin, please contact Ananda Rangapillai Library.

Dr M Vijayakumar University Librarian

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- 1. The Head, Computer Center, PU, with a request to host in the University Website.
- 2. In-Charge, DLS, Ananda Rangapillai Library, to host the circular on Library Website.



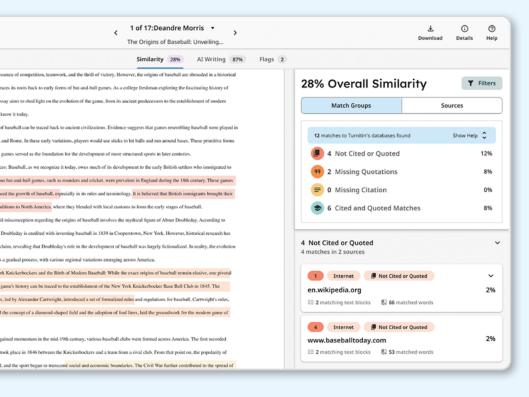
Turnitin's AI writing & AI paraphrasing detection

Rapidly innovating to uphold academic integrity

Identify AI-generated and AI-paraphrased text in academic submissions

Turnitin's AI writing detection capabilities help educators, researchers, publishers and other users identify when AI writing tools such as ChatGPT may have been used to write part of a submitted work. Furthermore, the AI paraphrasing detection capability, which is part of the AI writing detection feature, is able to identify when AI paraphrasing tools may have been used on AI-generated text to avoid detection.

Only instructors and administrators can see the AI writing and paraphrasing detection results. This functionality is only available when licensing Turnitin Originality in addition to your existing Turnitin integrity product or when licensing our AI writing detection capabilities with iThenticate 2.0.



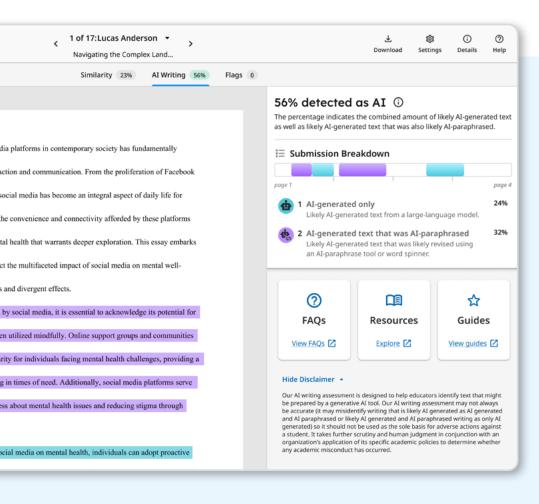
Integrated into the Similarity Report

Turnitin's Al writing detection capabilities are fully integrated into the Similarity Report, providing you with a seamless experience. When you enable the Al writing detection feature, which also includes Al paraphrasing detection, it automatically checks every submission for both Al writing & Al paraphrasing. It shows an overall percentage of the document that was likely Al-generated and further paraphrased using a text spinner. This feature is also available via your learning management system.









Use insights provided in the AI writing report to determine your next course of action

The AI writing report highlights the text segments that our model predicts were likely written by an AI tool. It also highlights AI-generated text that may have been further modified using an AI paraphrasing tool. Both segments are highlighted in different colors to enable instructors and other users to interpret results easily.

The highlight bar on the right-side of the report further shows the breakdown of content in percentage terms that was likely Al-generated and content that was Al-generated and Al paraphrased.



Ensure the safety of your data

Data submitted for AI writing & paraphrasing detection is covered by Turnitin's privacy policy. Our security measures are regularly reviewed and updated to keep your data secure. You can review our privacy policy **here**.

Technical details

File requirements for submission to be processed for AI writing detection:

- File size must be less than 100 MB
- File must have at least 300 words of prose text in a long-form writing format
- File must not exceed 30,000 words
- · File must be written in English
- Accepted file types: .docx, .pdf, .txt, .rtf



Access our library of **pedagogical resources** to help educators address the use of AI tools in classrooms, including **paraphrasing** tools.



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