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Code Orange For Wikipedia

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A new tool will highlight questionable content on Wikipedia entries.

As we've all learned, anyone [advertising](#) can make an edit to a [Wikipedia](#) entry. Some improve the quality of the content, but others can shade the truth about public figures or even, shockingly, downright lie. [digg it](#)

Very soon you'll be able to see the dubious statements on an entry in bright, shining orange. Software developed by computer science professor Luca de Alfaro and others at [UC Santa Cruz](#), will highlight questionable text in orange. The deeper the color, the more likely it is to be a lie.

Since there's an open history of edits, the software analyzes how any contributor's work survives edits by others. The better the survival rate of a contributor's work, the more trustworthy it's deemed to be. But if it's been shot down often, the statements will turn a deeper shade of orange.

Obviously, that's not foolproof, but it received an enthusiastic reception at the [Wikimania](#) convention in Taiwan last month. The software is currently in demo mode and just works with an older subset of Wikipedia entries. But de Alfaro hopes to work with the [Wikipedia Foundation](#) to bring it on the site as a real-time option.

"I don't want to give the impression that Wikipedia is low-trust. It really works very well," de Alfaro said. "What I wanted to make sure is that nobody can single-handedly modify information without some trace of that being available for some time afterwards."

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