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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript) Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title) Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate? Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct? Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form. <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>		
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications? 		
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>Overall, I found the manuscript to be informative and well-structured. The authors have addressed an important issue in the era of digital imaging and have proposed a solution utilising advanced deep learning techniques, particularly convolutional neural networks (CNNs). The methodology described is detailed and includes preprocessing steps, model training, and performance evaluation using standard metrics.</p> <p>However, I have some concerns and suggestions for improvement:</p> <p>Replicability: The authors did not mention the availability of the code or trained model, which could hinder the replicability of the research. I recommend that the authors make their code and model publicly available to facilitate reproducibility and further research in the field.</p> <p>Diversity of Dataset: While the manuscript mentions the use of a large dataset for training and evaluation, there is a lack of detail regarding the diversity of images included in the dataset. It would be beneficial for the authors to provide more information on the selection criteria and diversity of images to assess the generalization capabilities of the proposed model.</p> <p>Clarity and Conciseness: Some sections of the manuscript appear repetitive, such as the description of performance metrics and the literature review. I suggest that the authors streamline these sections to improve clarity and conciseness.</p> <p>Discussion of Limitations: The manuscript would benefit from a discussion of potential limitations or challenges encountered during the development and implementation of the proposed system. Addressing these limitations would enhance the credibility and applicability of the research.</p> <p>Practical Implementation: While the manuscript mentions the potential for real-time implementation, it lacks details on the hardware or software requirements for such implementation. Additionally, there is no discussion on the computational efficiency of the proposed model. Providing this information would enhance the practical utility of the research.</p> <p>In conclusion, while the manuscript presents a valuable contribution to the field of digital image forgery detection, addressing the aforementioned concerns would strengthen the overall quality and impact of the research. I recommend minor revisions to address these points before considering the manuscript for publication.</p>	

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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