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On March 16th, 2020, [virtually every major social media company](#) released a joint statement on their efforts to curb the spread of disinformation about the coronavirus pandemic.

As of the writing of this article, the top comment on [Facebook's Twitter post](#) of this statement is, itself, a piece of disinformation, furthering the conspiracy theory that COVID-19 is a bioweapon cooked up by the Chinese government.

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