NLP Codalab Competition.

Introduction

- SemEval-2020 Task 7: Assessing Humor in Edited News Headlines.
- Task- Regression

Original Headline	Substitute	Grade
Kushner to visit Mexico following latest Trump tirades	therapist	2.8
Hilllary Clinton Staffers Considered Campaign Slogan `Because It's Her Turn'	fault	2.8

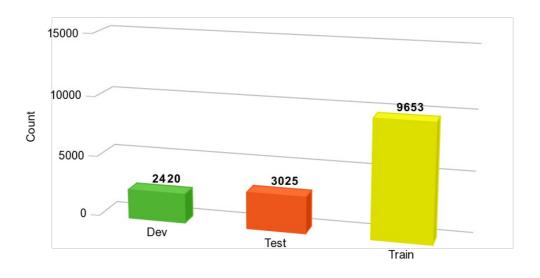
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Problem Definition

- Humor difficult task for humans to comprehend.
- News headlines will be substituted by new words.
- Humor subjective to different humans.
- Understand what factors lead to humor.
- Try to understand patterns that occur in humor.

Dataset Size

Datasets

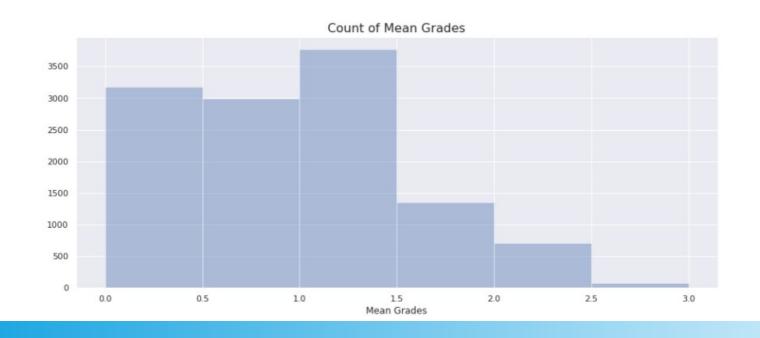


Dataset

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Dataset Exploration

	id	original	edit	grades	meanGrade
0	1723	Thousands of gay and bisexual <men></men> convicted	swans	22100	1.0
1	12736	Special <pre><pre><pre><pre>Special <pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre>	chef	21100	0.8
2	12274	Spanish police detain man and search Ripoll ad	squad	21000	0.6
3	8823	N.Y. Times <reprimands></reprimands> reporter for sharing	applauds	32210	1.6



Pre-processing

- Input of the regressor Use the finalized edited headline, by replacing the edited words.
- Use sentence pairs that combine edited headlines with the original text.
- Form "From <original word> to <edited word>".
- Add the "[SEP]" token to separate two sentences.

Training

- Train a BERT regressor with the preprocessed text as input and the mean grades as output.
- Load the pre-trained BERT tokenizer.
- Tokenize all the input text.
- Tokenize the text with added "[CLS]" and "[SEP]" tokens in the beginning.
- Padding to form 32-word long embeddings.

Training Contd...

- Tokenize text in the validation set in the same way.
- Torch DataLoader class used to create iterators.
- Load the pre-trained BERT model.
- Use BertForSequenceClassification class.
- Number of label=1.

Parameters

- Learning rate- 2e-5
- adam episilon of 1e-8
- Epochs -2 to 4
- Seed Value to replicate- 42
- Validation score method- Root Mean Square Error

Results

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====== Epoch 1 / 4 ======
Training...
/pytorch/torch/csrc/utils/python_arg_parser.cpp:756: UserWarning: This overload of add_ is deprecated:
       add (Number alpha, Tensor other)
Consider using one of the following signatures instead:
       add_(Tensor other, *, Number alpha)
 Batch 40 of 302. Elapsed: 0:13:54.
 Batch 80 of 302. Elapsed: 0:27:28.
 Batch 120 of 302. Elapsed: 0:41:04.
 Batch 160 of 302. Elapsed: 0:54:39.
 Batch 200 of 302. Elapsed: 1:08:03.
 Batch 240 of 302. Elapsed: 1:21:25.
 Batch 280 of 302. Elapsed: 1:34:57.
 Average training loss: 0.34
 Training epcoh took: 1:42:18
Running Validation...
 RMSE: 0.5434
 Validation Loss: 0.30
 Validation took: 0:07:45
====== Epoch 2 / 4 ======
Training...
 Batch 40 of 302. Elapsed: 0:13:26.
 Batch 80 of 302. Elapsed: 0:26:55.
 Batch 120 of 302. Elapsed: 0:40:32.
 Batch 160 of 302. Elapsed: 0:54:03.
 Batch 200 of 302. Elapsed: 1:07:42.
 Batch 240 of 302. Elapsed: 1:22:05.
 Batch 280 of 302. Elapsed: 1:36:44.
 Average training loss: 0.27
 Training epcoh took: 1:44:41
Running Validation...
  RMSE: 0.5417
 Validation Loss: 0.29
 Validation took: 0:08:14
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Conclusion

