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(1) **Question 1:** We have the following training corpus:

(2) the green book STOP

(3) my blue book STOP

(4) his green house STOP

(5) book STOP

Assume we have a language model based on this corpus using linear interpolation with $\lambda_i = 1/3$ for all i . Compute the value of the parameter $p(\text{book}|\text{the green})$ under this model. Assume STOP as part of your unigram model.

$p(\text{book}|\text{the green})$

Answer:

total_words=14

$p(\text{book}|\text{the green})$

$= 1/3 * \text{count}(\text{the, green, book}) / \text{count}(\text{the, green}) + 1/3 * \text{count}(\text{green, book}) / \text{count}(\text{green}) + 1/3 * \text{count}(\text{book}) / \text{total_words} = 1/3 * 1 + 1/3 * 1/2 + 1/3 * 3/14 = 1/3 + 1/6 + 1/14$

Question 2: Naïve Bayes

Consider the task of classifying movie reviews using the Naïve Bayes algorithm. The features used are *bag-of-word* features. Assume the following likelihoods for each word being part of a positive or negative movie review, and equal prior probabilities for each class.

	pos	neg
I	0.09	0.16
always	0.07	0.06
like	0.29	0.06
foreign	0.04	0.15
films	0.08	0.11

What class will Naïve Bayes assign to the sentence “I always like foreign films”? Show your work.

Answer:

$p(\text{pos}) * p(S|\text{pos}) = 0.5 * 0.09 * 0.07 * 0.29 * 0.04 * 0.08$

$p(\text{neg}) * p(S|\text{neg}) = 0.5 * 0.16 * 0.06 * 0.06 * 0.15 * 0.11$

After simplifying the two products above, we conclude that $p(\text{neg}) * p(S|\text{neg})$ is greater than $p(\text{pos}) * p(S|\text{pos})$. Thus, the model predicts the class *negative* for this sentence.

Question 3:

	Man	Woman	Child	Total
First Class	10	15	5	30
Second Class	25	30	10	65
Third Class	30	35	15	80
Total	65	80	30	175

Given that a passenger selected at random was a man, find the probability that the passenger traveled in second class.

Answer:

$$p(\text{second_class}|\text{man})=25/(65)=0.3846$$