Social Event Detection using spatio temporal data

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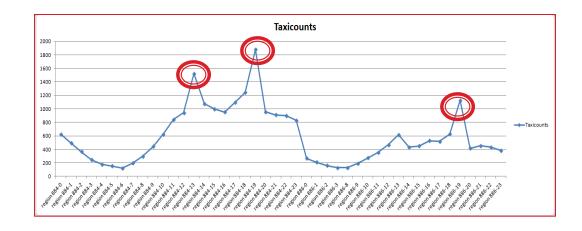
Overview

What are Anomalies?

- □ <u>Deviation from the expected behavior</u>.
- ☐ Also known as Outliers, Exceptions

Types of Anomaly

- Point
- Contextual
- Collective

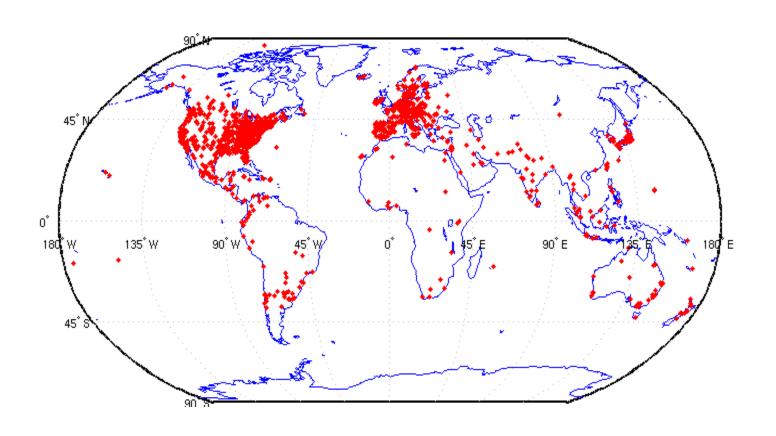


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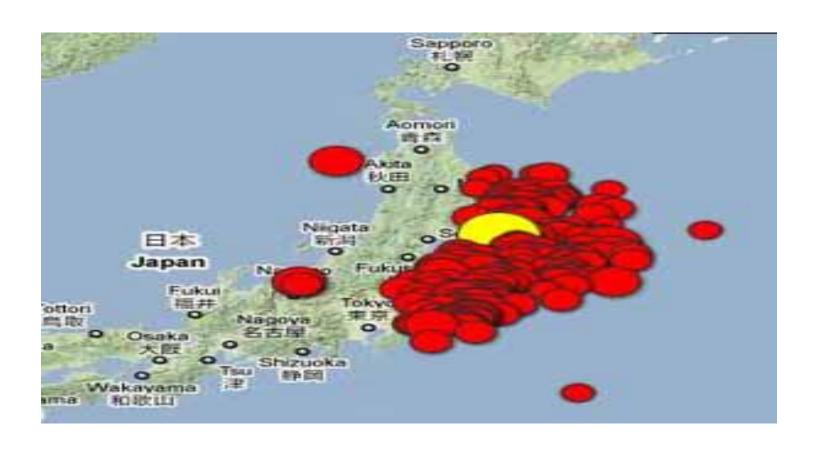
Event detection

- Identifying anomaly which represents Event.
- Event Type (Specified vs Unspecified)
- Detection Task
 - 1. New Event Detection
 - 2. Retrospective Event Detection

Scenarios - Tweets distribution



Earthquake in Japan 2009

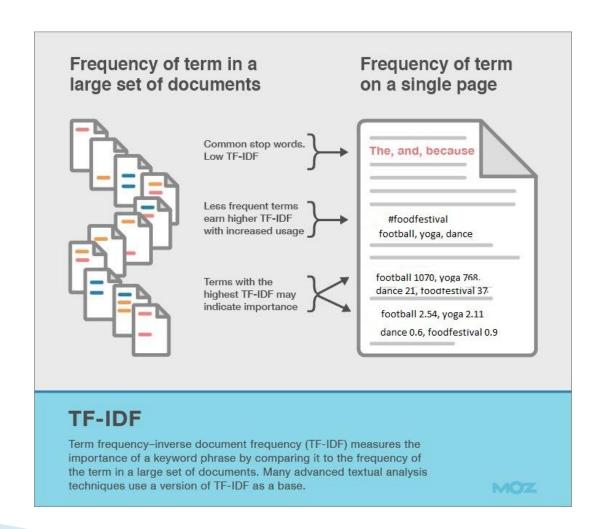


Event Detection Approaches

Document pivot techniques

- Grouping similar documents to predict the events.
- Term Vectors Tf-idf, scoring models
- Document similarity measured by Euclidean distance, correlation coefficient,
 and cosine similarity etc.

Document Pivot technique



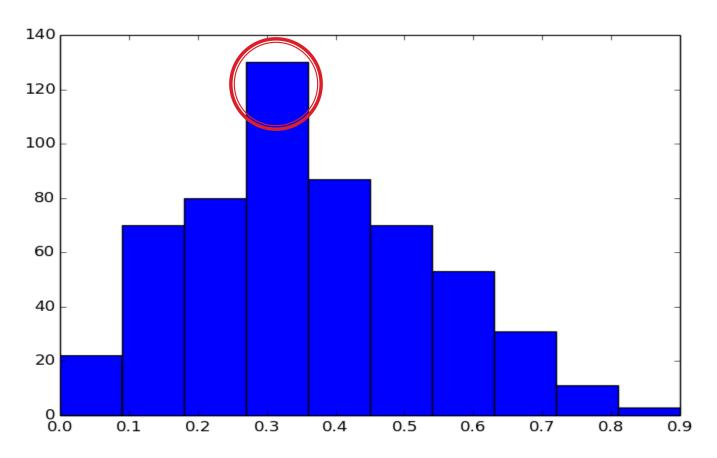
Event Detection Approaches

Feature pivot techniques

- Burst of Keyword detect sudden activity.
- The base assumption is related words would show an increased usage indicating an event occurrence.
- Keyword frequency and signals.

Feature Pivot technique

Tweets containing keyword "Halloween"



Event detection

What other dimensions can be considered?



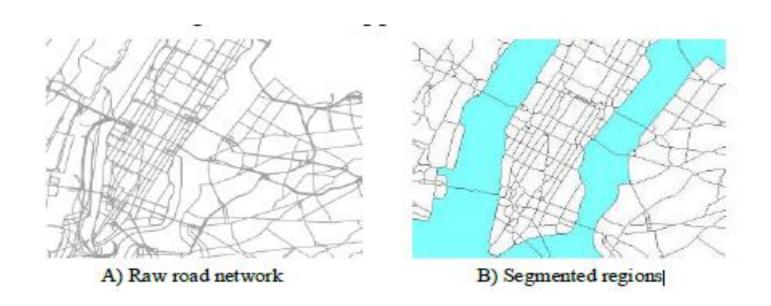
Event Detection Approaches

Spatiotemporal techniques

- Geotagged information longitude, latitude information and timestamp.
- Tweets for example contains the geo tagged.
- GPS enabled taxis to monitor the behavior of traffic.
- Spatial and the temporal information as sensors.

Literature Review

- Spatio temporal approach
- Region: partition a city into regions $r = \{r1, r2, ..., rm\}$ by major roads, such as highways and arterial roads, using a map segmentation method.



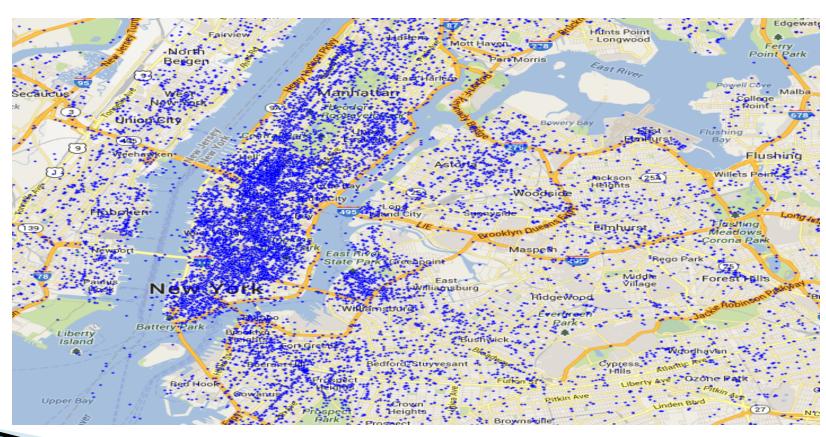
Literature Review

NYC Grid Partition technique



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TaxiCount(I,h,d) - Partitioning based on (region,hour,day) for taxi,
TweetCount(I,h,d) - Partitioning based on (region,hour,day) for tweets
Region 1 <= I <= 1200
hour (h) in the range of 0 \le h \le 23,
day (d) in the range of 1 <= d <= 31
AvgTaxiCount(I,h) = { TaxiCount(I,h)}/N
                          ∀ I € {1..1200} and ∀ h € {0..23}
StdTaxiCount(I,h) = [TaxiCount(I,h) - AvgTaxiCount(I,h)]^2 / N
                        \forall I € {1,2,3....1200} and \forall h € {0,1,2...23}
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NYC Taxi Data plot



NYC Tweets Data plot



Collective anomalies suggest there are underlying problems that may not be identified accurately based on a single data source.

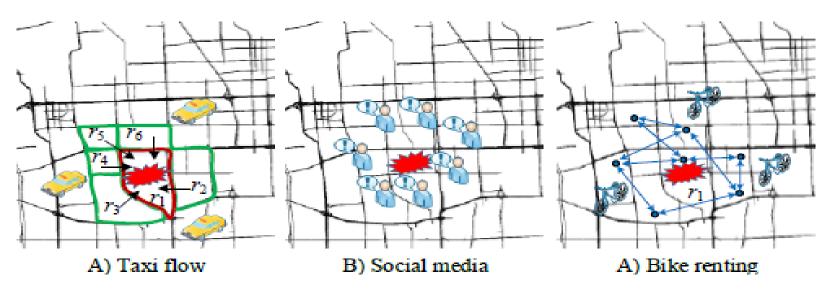


Figure 1. A collective anomaly witnessed by three sources

- Distance-based (DB) methods
- Normal outliers and strict outliers
- 1 and 3 time Standard deviation
- Single and multiple datasets baselines
- DB-S-Taxi-S denotes the distance-based (DB) anomaly detection method that identifies an anomaly from a single (S) dataset

AnomalyDetection
$$F(x) = \begin{cases} X - Y > 0 \\ X - Y < = 0 \end{cases}$$

where,
$$TaxiCount(I,h,d) = X$$
,
 $StdTaxiCount(I,h) = Y$

Measuring Geographical Regularities for Geo-social Event Detection

- (1) Collecting crowd experiences via Twitter
- (2) Establishing Region-of-Interests
- (3) Estimating geographical regularity of local crowd behaviors
- (4) Detecting Social events

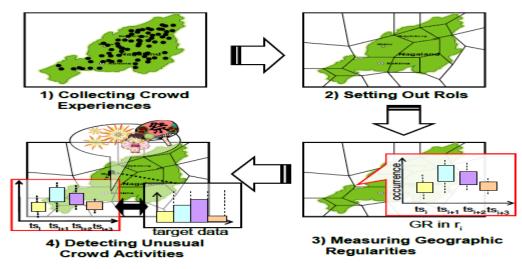
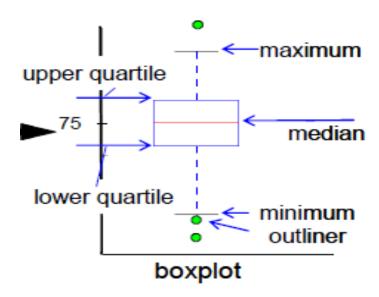


Figure 1. Processes of unusual geo-social event detection

Literature Survey (Contd..)

- RoIs based on the geospatial and temporal occurrences of tweets.
- Technique used a boxplot presents five sample statistics—the minimum, the lower quartile, the median, the upper quartile, and the maximum.



Likelihood Ratio Test

Compare fit of two models

Find outlier degree for single data source

$$\Lambda = -2log \frac{\textit{likelihood for null model}}{\textit{likelihood for alternative model}};$$

$$od = \chi 2 \text{-cdf}(\Lambda, fd)$$

Chi-squared distribution cumulative density function

$$Lnull = Gaussian(70|mean=200,var=1300)$$

$$Lalter = Gaussian(70 | mean = 70, var = 455)$$

Literature Review (Completed)

Aggregate Multiple data sources

Skyline detection Algorithm

Define threshold for od (setup skyline points)

Weighted scoring model

Detect social Events

Discussion

- Spatio temporal technique
- ✓ Twitter and Taxi dataset
- Corresponds to social event in NYC
- Standard deviation, Tukey method, LRT
- Aggregate multiple sources
- Collective anomaly detection
- Performance Evaluation

Questions

