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1 Introduction

Text omitted for brevity.

2 Files

Text omitted for brevity.

3 SEQUENCE_UTIL

3.1 String Tokens

Task 3.1 (10%). See code solutions.

3.2 Histograms

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Task 3.2 (10%). See code solutions.
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Task 3.3 (10%). See code solutions.

Task 3.4 (5%). We want to generate a data structure representing the cumulative distribution function. Thus we can first generate a sequence of prefix sums where each 'a is associated with the sum of frequencies of tokens that come before it. We can then divide each prefix sum by the total sum to get a real between 0 and 1, representing a CDF.

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exception EmptyHist
exception RealRange

type 'a cdf = ('a * real) seq

fun preprocess (histogram : 'a hist) : 'a cdf =
   if length histogram = 0 then raise EmptyHist else
   let
    val prefixSums = scanI op+ 0 (map #2 histogram)
   val total = Real.fromInt (nth prefixSums (length prefixSums - 1))
   val normalized = map (fn i => (Real.fromInt i) / total) prefixSums
   in
    map2 (fn x => x) (map #1 histogram) normalized
end
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We can then implement choose in $O(\log n)$ work and span by filtering out all 'as with CDF value less than the input r and then taking the first value of those greater than or equal to r:

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fun choose (cumulative : 'a cdf) (r : real) : 'a = if (r < 0) orelse (r > 1) then raise RealRange else nth (filter (fn x => x >= r) cumulative) 0
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3.3 Testing

Task 3.5 (5%). No official solution provided.

4 K-Gram Stats

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Task 4.1 (2%). See code solutions.
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Task 4.2 (23%). See code solutions.

Task 4.3 (5%). See code solutions.

4.1 Testing

Task 4.4 (5%). No official solution provided.

5 Babble

5.1 Implementation

Task 5.1 (10%). See code solutions.

Task 5.2 (5%). See code solutions

5.2 Babbling

Text omitted for brevity.