# Stochastic Gradient Descentimiento Analysis

Classifying Affect in Mixed Language Tweets

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# SemEval-2020 Task 9: Overview of Sentiment Analysis of Code-Mixed Tweets

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Sentiment analysis on (Spanglish, Hinglish) tweets

Categorical output: [-, 0, +]

Evaluated on F1 score (weighted by category)

## Example Instance 1

```
Input: tokenized, language-tagged tweets, e.g.:
```

```
[
("freshman", ne),
("15", other),
("empiezan", lang2),
("hoy", lang2),
("??", other),
("holy", lang1),
("yezus", mixed),
("the", lang1),
("food", lang1),
("here:')", lang1)
]
```

Output: sentiment label

"positive"

# **Example Instance 2**

Input: tokenized, language-tagged tweets, e.g.:

```
("@_itskayyyyy", other).
("no", lang2).
("pos", lang2),
("wow", lang1),
(", ", other),
("Fuhk", lang1),
("the", lang1),
("@dolphins", other),
("tmbim", lang2),
("a", ambiguous),
("Los", lang2),
("heats", ne),
```

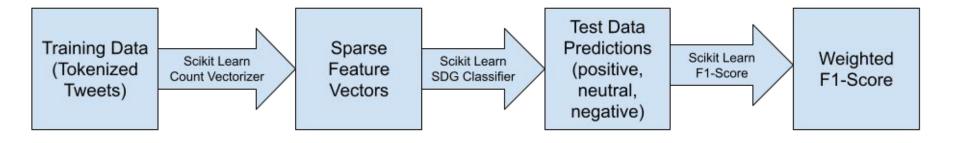
Output: sentiment label

"negative"

# **Example Vector**

```
("<BOS>", "freshman"): 1,
                               ("<BOS>"): 1,
                                                         ("freshman", "15"): 1.
                               ("freshman"): 1,
                                                         ("15", "empiezan"): 1,
                               ("15"): 1.
                                                         ("empiezan", "hoy"): 1,
                               ("empiezan"): 1,
("freshman", ne),
                                                         ("hoy", "?"): 1,
                               ("hoy"): 1,
("15", other),
                                                         ("?", "?"): 1.
                               ("?"): 2.
("empiezan", lang2),
                                                         ("?", "<EOS>"): 1
                               ("<EOS>"): 1
("hoy", lang2),
("?", other),
                                                         (ne, other): 1,
("?", other).
                               (ne): 1.
                                                         (other, lang2): 1,
                               (other): 3.
                                                         (lang2, lang2): 1,
                               (lang2): 2
                                                         (lang2, other): 1,
                                                         (other, other): 1
```

# **Baseline System**



# Results

System	Precision	Recall	F1
Random	0.1544	0.4551	0.4032
All Positive	0.1666	0.3333	0.3329
SGDClassifier	0.3865	0.4438	0.5075

## **Discussion**

- We experienced some variation in our F1 scores
  - o 0.47 to 0.59
- Preprocessing the data (e.g. accounting for OOV tokens, lower-casing tweets, and standardizing encodings) did little to affect system accuracy.
- Model assigns most tweets a positive sentiment, very few negative -> more positive examples in our dataset.
  - o Train Split: 6005 positive // 3974 neutral // 2023 negative
  - Dev Split: 1498 positive // 994 neutral // 506 negative
- F1 scores split:
  - Positive: 0.646449330300733
  - o Neutral: 0.2448690728945506
  - Negative: 0.15654952076677314

## **Discussion**

- More context about tweet could be useful
- Multiple tweets are language lessons
- Dev set id #36, gold label is negative, model assigned neutral or positive



# **Steps for the future**

#### Embeddings/Features

- 1. Multilingual (contextual) embeddings
- 2. Emoji embeddings e.g. emoji2vec from Eisner et al. (2016)

#### Classifiers

- 3. Deep Averaging Network (DAN) from Mohit (2015)
- 4. Recurrent/seg based, (fine-tune BERT?)
- Other classical ML

#### Data

- 6. Deciding which "test" Spanglish dataset we should use.
  - a. SemEval set split: 12,000 train // 2,300 dev // 3,800 test (we have labels for 2,200 of them)
  - b. LinCE set split: 12,200 train // 1,860 dev // 4,700 test

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