

# Project – COSC 6590\_001

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Points: 20  
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## Objective: Build an NLP System to Identify the Sentiment of a Document by Document Scoring Method

**It is a group (of two, or three, or four) project.**

Given corpora **D** consisting of **TrainData.csv** and **TestData.csv**. **D** is defined as  $\mathbf{D} = \{ \langle \mathbf{x}^i, \mathbf{y}^i \rangle \mid i = 1 \dots N \}$ , s.t. each  $\mathbf{x}^i$  is the  $i^{\text{th}}$  document while each  $\mathbf{y}^i$  is an associated class label in  $\mathbf{y} = \{\text{positive, natural, negative}\}$  of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  document. Your task is to build a system by the document scoring method to identify the sentiment of a new document.

### Build a System (8 points)

#### Design and Implementation

##### Text Preprocessing

- Delete punctuation marks
- Convert a letter from uppercase to lowercase
- Convert a verb into the base form, ....
- Determine a feature vector for the description of a document
  - The size of your feature vector should be great than 200

### Build a Predicative Model (the System)

- Compute the tf-idf score for a feature **f** in the feature vector of a document **d**.

$$\mathbf{tf} - \mathbf{idf}(\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{d}) = \mathbf{tf}_{\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{d}} * \mathbf{idf}_{\mathbf{f}}$$

$$\mathbf{tf}_{\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{d}} = \log_{10}(\text{count}(\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{d}) + 1)$$

$$\mathbf{idf}_{\mathbf{f}} = \log_{10} \frac{N}{\sum_{\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{f} \in \mathbf{D}} 1}$$

Where: **N** is the number of document in the training set.

- Compute the average **tf – idf** score for a feature **f** in a feature vector of a document in the same category **y<sub>i</sub>** to form **v<sub>y<sub>i</sub></sub>**.

$$\mathbf{v}_{\mathbf{y}_i} = \text{avg}(\mathbf{tf} - \mathbf{idf}(\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{d} \in \mathbf{y}_i)) = \frac{\sum_{\mathbf{f} \in \mathbf{y}_i} \mathbf{tf} - \mathbf{idf}(\mathbf{f}, \mathbf{d} \in \mathbf{y}_i)}{\sum_{\mathbf{d} \in \mathbf{y}_i} 1}$$

Where: **y<sub>i</sub> ∈ y = {positive, natural, negative}**

- The trained predicative model should be stored into a file.

### Test the Predicative Model (Evaluation)

- Load your predicative model created on **TrainData.csv**.
- Run the predicative model on the test data **TestData.csv** for evaluation by:

$$\text{score}(\mathbf{q}, \mathbf{v}_{y_i}) = \frac{\sum_{f \in \mathbf{q}} \text{tf} - \text{idf}(f, \mathbf{v}_{y_i})}{\|\mathbf{v}_{y_i}\|}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{y}} = \text{argmax}_{y_i \in \mathbf{y}} \text{score}(\mathbf{q}, \mathbf{v}_{y_i})$$

- The system accuracy is obtained by the following accuracy measurement.

$$\text{ACC}_{\mathbf{D}_{\text{test}}} = \frac{1}{|\mathbf{D}_{\text{test}}|} \sum_{i=1}^{\mathbf{T}} \mathbf{L}(\hat{\mathbf{y}}^i, \mathbf{y}^i)^1$$

where  $\hat{\mathbf{y}}^i$  is the assigned class label by the system (the predicative model) and  $\mathbf{y}^i$  is the true class label of the document  $\mathbf{x}^i$  in  $\mathbf{D}_{\text{test}}$  and  $\mathbf{T}$  is the number of documents in  $\mathbf{D}_{\text{test}}$ .

$$\mathbf{L}(\hat{\mathbf{y}}^i, \mathbf{y}^i) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \hat{y}^i = y^i \\ 0 & \text{if } \hat{y}^i \neq y^i \end{cases}$$

- The contingency table should be generated for the system evaluation.

### Report (8 points)

- Write a 10 page of report on your project. The report should have
  - Each of group members as well the associated tasks
  - Introduction
  - Project description
    - \* The text preprocessing tasks and discussions
    - \* The creating of the feature vector – the dimension of the vector and the details of each of the features
    - \* The detailed predicative model (the trained parameters) discussions
    - \* The evaluation metrics
    - \* The contingency table and discussions
    - \* The system accuracy discussions
  - Experiments and results discussions
  - Further improvements

### Oral Presentation (4 points)

- Project presentation
  - 20 slides of power point for a 20 minutes of oral presentation for each of the groups
  - Demonstrate your project in front of the class
- Presentation Date:
  - Apr 23. 3 - 4 groups
  - Apr 25. 3 - 4 groups

### Submission

- Project submission files
  - ReadMe.txt – how to run your system
  - Project source codes
  - The screen shots of the data structure and the outputs of your system
  - Presentation Slides
  - Report

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<sup>1</sup> Note,  $\mathbf{D}_{\text{test}} = \text{TestData.csv}$