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In [168]: # import package

import numpy as np

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from collections import OrderedDict
          from collections import defaultdict
          from collections import Counter
          import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          %matplotlib inline
In [169]: # Load data
          train_lines = open('./data/train.txt','r').readlines()
          test_lines = open('./data/test','r').readlines()
  (a) Data preprocessing
In [170]: # Preprocess data
          # Tranfer line from raw txt line to default dict containing
          # id: id number is_spam: 1 represent spam word_count: word count in docu
          def preprocess(lines):
              output_list = []
              for line in lines:
                  doc_dict = {}
                  splitted = line.split()
                  doc_dict['id'] = splitted[0]
                  doc_dict['is_spam'] = splitted[1] == 'spam'
                  doc_dict['word_count'] = OrderedDict(zip(splitted[2:][::2], np.ax
                  output_list.append(doc_dict)
              return output_list
In [171]: # Get training and test documents
          train_docs = preprocess(train_lines)
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train_spam_docs = list(filter(lambda x: x['is_spam'], train_docs))
train_ham_docs = list(filter(lambda x: not x['is_spam'], train_docs))

test_docs = preprocess(test_lines)

In [172]: # Filter to get spam and ham in training sample

2 (b) What is p(spam) in training data

3 (c) Determine $p(w_i|spam)$

Get vocabulary counts that in spam and all training documents

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In [175]: # Function to get a vocabulary dict with key-word value-count of word in
          def get_vocabulary_count(doc_list):
              output_vocabulary_dict = defaultdict(lambda :0)
              for doc_dict in doc_list:
                  for word, word_count in doc_dict['word_count'].items():
                      output_vocabulary_dict[word] +=word_count
              return output_vocabulary_dict
In [176]: # Get word count in all trainign documents and spam training documents
          train_vocab_count = get_vocabulary_count(train_docs)
          train_spam_vocab_count = get_vocabulary_count(train_spam_docs)
          train_ham_vocab_count = get_vocabulary_count(train_ham_docs)
  Apply m-estimate and get p(wi|spam) or p(wi|ham)
In [189]: # Apply m-estimate and get p(wi|spam) or p(wi|ham)
          def get_p_wi_spam(w, train_vocab_count, subset_vocab_count, m_multiplier=
              output dict = defaultdict()
              n = np.sum(list(subset_vocab_count.values()))
              vocab_sum = np.sum(list(train_vocab_count.values()))
              #vocab_sum = len(train_vocab_count)
              p = 1.0/vocab_sum
              m = m_multiplier*vocab_sum
              for w_i in w:
                  n_c = subset_vocab_count[w_i]
                  output\_dict[w\_i] = (n\_c + m*p) / (n+m)
              return output_dict
In [190]: words = [key for key in train_vocab_count.keys()]
          p_w_given_spam = get_p_wi_spam(words, train_vocab_count, train_spam_vocab
          p_w_given_ham = get_p_wi_spam(words, train_vocab_count, train_ham_vocab_c
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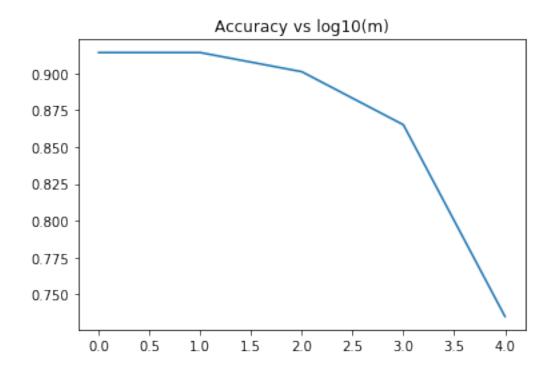
4 (d) Classifier and accuracy

A classifier that make predictson by comparing the log(p(w, spam)) and log(p(w, ham))

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log_likelihood_spam = np.log(p_spam_train)
                  log_likelihood_ham = np.log(p_ham_train)
                  for word, word_count in word_count_dict.items():
                      log_likelihood_spam += np.log(p_w_given_spam[word]) *word_cour
                      log_likelihood_ham += np.log(p_w_given_ham[word]) *word_count
                  preds.append(log_likelihood_spam>log_likelihood_ham)
              return preds
In [194]: # predictions
          preds = classify(test_docs, train_docs,1)
In [195]: # Evaluation of predictions results
          def evaluate_predictions(preds, test_docs):
              true_labels = np.array([doc['is_spam'] for doc in test_docs])
              return (preds==true_labels).sum()/len(test_docs)
In [196]: print('Accuracy: %.3f'% evaluate_predictions(preds, test_docs))
Accuracy: 0.914
In [197]: accuracy = []
          m_multiplier_list = [1,10,100,1000,10000]
          for m_multiplier in m_multiplier_list:
              preds = classify(test_docs, train_docs, m_multiplier)
              accuracy.append(evaluate_predictions(preds,test_docs))
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5 (e) Vary m parameter

Plot are shown below



5.1 What does m assume?

m represents the size of the imaginary training data in which word distribution follow practitioner defined priors $p(w_i|spam)$. The larger the m is, the more weight you put in the prior. More 'counts' are assigned to unobserved word relative to observed word.

A small m assume that training samples are very good representations of global samples.

A large m assume that training samples are less representative and we believe the prior distribution more.

In our case the a large m harms test accuracy.

6 (f) What to do if I am a spammer?

If the spam detector is a naive bayes classifer. We should avoid using spam-common words. And we should make our spam email long and make the percentage of common and ham-common words higher. In a word, we should write a spam that contains spam message, while seems like ham in bag of words.