Unsupervised learning for news summarization

how to automatically extract the most important information

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Introduction

Why unsupervised learning?

- · Lack of pre-trained models for Polish
- Shortage of training data in Polish
- Low computing resources
- · Multi-document problem hundreds of articles every day

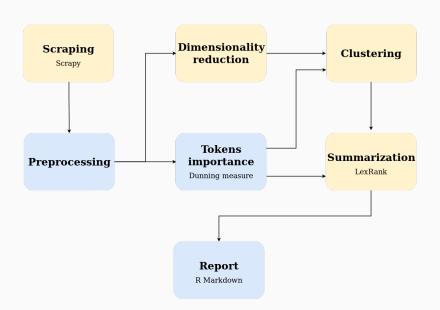
Definitions of key words

- · Token word
- Lemmatization reducing word to its basic grammar form
- TF matrix a matrix that describes the frequency of terms occuring in a set of documents
- · IDF Inverse Document Frequency
- Embedding numeric (vector) representation of a word
- Cosine similarity a measure of similarity between two vectors

$$cos(\theta) = \frac{\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}}{\|\mathbf{A}\| \|\mathbf{B}\|}$$

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Model's overview



Words' importance

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General information

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$$\lambda = \frac{L(p, k_0, n_0) L(p, k_1, n_1)}{L(p_0, k_0, n_0) L(p_1, k_1, n_1)}$$
(1)

$$L(p,k,n) = p^{k} (1-p)^{n-k}$$
 (2)

where, $p=\frac{k_0+k_1}{n_0+n_1}$, $p_i=\frac{k_i}{n_i}$ and $-2log\lambda$ has χ^2 distribution with one degree of freedom. k_0 is the number of a word's occurrences **except** for those on a particular day, k_1 is the word's count on a particular day.

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Model's implementation

Modification of Dunning measure

• Multiplication by –1, when $p_1 < p_0$

Selecting words for clustering

- $-2log\lambda \ge 10$
- Token count (k_i) larger than the value of 90^{th} percentile of all counts

Embeddings

Latent Semantic Analysis (LSA)

- Singular Value Decomposition (SVD) of TF matrix composed of both paragraphs and articles
- · No need for training algebra
- · Dimensionality reduction
- Capturing **semantic** relation between words

Clustering

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Agglomerative hierarchical clustering

- Start with N topics
- Find the two most similar topics cosine between embeddings
- Merge the two topics set the new embedding as a sum of the two
- Stop when there is 1 topic
- Return the optimal clustering determined by the silhouette algorithm

Silhouette algorithm

It aims to find clusters in which objects inside the groups are the most **similar** to each other and **dissimilar** to objects from other clusters.

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$$a(i) = cos(e_i, e_{C_k} - e_i)$$

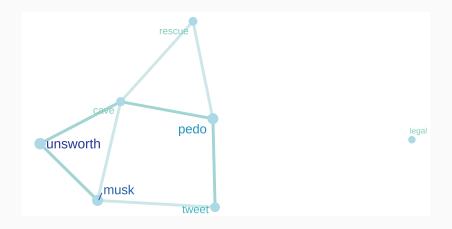
$$b(i) = \min_{l \neq k} cos(e_i, e_{C_l})$$

$$s(i) = \begin{cases} \frac{b(i) - a(i)}{max\{b(i), a(i)\}}, & \text{if } |C_k| > 1\\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$(3)$$

where a(i) and b(i) are inner and outer similarity respectively, e_i is an embedding of i^{th} token, e_{C_k} is the topic's embedding where $i \in C_k$.

Example



Summarization

LexRank

An extractive summarization algorithm, based on Google's **PageRank**, aiming to select sentences that are highly linked (by common words) to other highly linked sentences.

- PageRank
 - · Used to rank web pages
 - Ranking equal to the **steady state** of Markov chain
 - Markov matrix obtained as a weighted mean of a normalized matrix of **links** between pages and a **random** matrix ($\frac{1}{N}$ in every cell)
- LexRank
 - · Cosine similarity between sentences
 - Uses the TF-IDF matrix

Modifications

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- Non-duplicated sentences ($cos(\theta) > 0.5$)

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Summary

- Two days later, Mr Musk wrote a series of tweets including one describing Mr Unsworth as a "pedo guy".
- Mr Unsworth's legal team have described Mr Musk's now-deleted tweet as "vile and false" and are seeking unspecified punitive damages.
- On Thursday, Mr Unsworth told the **court** that Mr Musk's tweet had left him feeling "humiliated".



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