

1. Business Problem

1.1 Description

Quora is a place to gain and share knowledge—about anything. It's a platform to ask questions and connect with people who contribute unique insights and quality answers. This empowers people to learn from each other and to better understand the world.

Over 100 million people visit Quora every month, so it's no surprise that many people ask similarly worded questions. Multiple questions with the same intent can cause seekers to spend more time finding the best answer to their question, and make writers feel they need to answer multiple versions of the same question. Quora values canonical questions because they provide a better experience to active seekers and writers, and offer more value to both of these groups in the long term.

Credits: Kaggle

Problem Statement

- Identify which questions asked on Quora are duplicates of questions that have already been asked.
- This could be useful to instantly provide answers to questions that have already been answered.
- We are tasked with predicting whether a pair of questions are duplicates or not.

1.2 Sources/Useful Links

• Source: https://www.kaggle.com/c/quora-question-pairs)

Useful Links

- Discussions: https://www.kaggle.com/anokas/data-analysis-xgboost-starter-0-35460-lb/comments)
- Kaggle Winning Solution and other approaches:
 https://www.dropbox.com/sh/93968nfnrzh8bp5/AACZdtsApc1QSTQc7X0H3QZ5a?dl=0
 https://www.dropbox.com/sh/93968nfnrzh8bp5/AACZdtsApc1QSTQc7X0H3QZ5a?dl=0
- Blog 1 : https://engineering.quora.com/Semantic-Question-Matching-with-Deep-Learning)
- Blog 2: https://towardsdatascience.com/identifying-duplicate-questions-on-quora-top-12-on-kaggle-4c1cf93f1c30)

1.3 Real world/Business Objectives and Constraints

- 1. The cost of a mis-classification can be very high.
- 2. You would want a probability of a pair of questions to be duplicates so that you can choose any threshold of choice.
- 3. No strict latency concerns.
- 4. Interpretability is partially important.

2. Machine Learning Probelm

2.1 Data

2.1.1 Data Overview

- Data will be in a file Train.csv
- Train.csv contains 5 columns : qid1, qid2, question1, question2, is_duplicate
- Size of Train.csv 60MB
- Number of rows in Train.csv = 404,290

2.1.2 Example Data point

```
"id","qid1","qid2","question1","question2","is_duplicate"
"0","1","2","What is the step by step guide to invest in share market in indi
a?","What is the step by step guide to invest in share market?","0"
"1","3","4","What is the story of Kohinoor (Koh-i-Noor) Diamond?","What would h
appen if the Indian government stole the Kohinoor (Koh-i-Noor) diamond bac
k?","0"
"7","15","16","How can I be a good geologist?","What should I do to be a great
geologist?","1"
```

"11","23","24","How do I read and find my YouTube comments?","How can I see all my Youtube comments?","1"

2.2 Mapping the real world problem to an ML problem

2.2.1 Type of Machine Leaning Problem

It is a binary classification problem, for a given pair of questions we need to predict if they are duplicate or not.

2.2.2 Performance Metric

Source: https://www.kaggle.com/c/quora-question-pairs#evaluation (https://www.kaggle.com/c/quora-question-pairs#evaluation (https://www.kaggle.com/c/quora-question-pairs#evaluation (https://www.kaggle.com/c/quora-question-pairs#evaluation (https://www.kaggle.com/c/quora-question-pairs#evaluation (https://www.kaggle.com/c/quora-question-pairs#evaluation)

Metric(s):

- log-loss : https://www.kaggle.com/wiki/LogarithmicLoss (https://www.kaggle.com/wiki/LogarithmicLoss)
- · Binary Confusion Matrix

2.3 Train and Test Construction

We build train and test by randomly splitting in the ratio of 70:30 or 80:20 whatever we choose as we have sufficient points to work with.

I followed below steps

- · Understanding the Businessreal world problem
- Understanding Real-world/Business objectives and constraints.
- · Understanding Data overview
- Mapping the real-world problem to an ML problem
- Defining Performance Metric as per the ML problem
- · importing required libraries
- Reading the data (train.csv)
- · Exploratory Data Analysis
 - Distribution of data points among output classes
 - Number of unique questions
 - checking for duplicates
 - Number of occurrences of each question
 - checking for null values
- Basic Feature Extraction (before cleaning)
 - Analysis of some of the extracted features
 - Ploting Feature: word_share (violin Plots)
 - Ploting Feature: word_common(violin Plots
- · Preprocessing of Text:
 - Removing html tags

- Removing Punctuations
- Performing stemming
- Removing Stopwords
- Expanding contractions etc.
- Advanced Feature Extraction (NLP and Fuzzy Features)
- · Analysis of extracted features
 - Ploting wordclouds
 - Word Clouds generated from duplicate pair question's text
 - Word Clouds generated from non duplicate pair question's text
- Ploting Pair plots and violin polts of features ('ctc_min', 'cwc_min', 'csc_min', 'token_sort_ratio')
- · Apply TSNE method to reduce the Dimentionality for 15 Features and ploting
- · Featurizing text data with tfidf weighted word-vectors
- · Saving final features to csv file
- · Reading saved csv data from file and storing into SQL Table
- Spliting data into train, test, cv\
- Extraction features from train and test data frame
- · defining Confusion Matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Building a random model (Finding worst-case log-loss)
 - Random Model Hyper parameter Tuning Ploting with Loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Apply Linear SVM model
 - Hyper parameter Tuning ploting with loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Apply XGBoost on Random model
 - Hyper parameter Tuning ploting with loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Reading Data from file (nlp features train.csv)
- · Data Cleaning droping coloumns and merding data frames, filling the nan values
- · Splitting the data into train, test, cv
- · TFIDF vectorizer on Questions Text Dat
- TFIDF Vectorizer on Train data _ question1 and question2
- Combining our tfidf and features into one using hstack from scipy
- Defining confusion matrix, precision matrix, recall precision
- · Building Random model (worse case log loss) TFID
 - Hyper parameter Tuning ploting with loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Apply Logistic Regression model
 - Hyper parameter Tuning ploting with loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Apply Liner SVM model
 - Hyper parameter Tuning ploting with loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Apply XGBoost model
 - Hyper parameter Tuning ploting with loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- TFIDF W2V 50 K Datapoints loading
 - Hyper parameter Tuning ploting with loss
 - ploting Confusion matrix, Precision matrix, Recall matrix
- Observation on overall model performences (Conclusion)
- Ploting the performences by table format.

3. Exploratory Data Analysis

In [1]:

```
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from subprocess import check_output
%matplotlib inline
import plotly.offline as py
py.init_notebook_mode(connected=True)
import plotly.graph_objs as go
import plotly.tools as tls
import os
import gc
import re
from nltk.corpus import stopwords
import distance
from nltk.stem import PorterStemmer
from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
```

In [70]:

```
pip install fuzzywuzzy
```

Collecting fuzzywuzzy

Downloading https://files.pythonhosted.org/packages/d8/f1/5a267addb30ab7 eaa1beab2b9323073815da4551076554ecc890a3595ec9/fuzzywuzzy-0.17.0-py2.py3-n one-any.whl (https://files.pythonhosted.org/packages/d8/f1/5a267addb30ab7e aa1beab2b9323073815da4551076554ecc890a3595ec9/fuzzywuzzy-0.17.0-py2.py3-no ne-any.whl)

Installing collected packages: fuzzywuzzy Successfully installed fuzzywuzzy-0.17.0

Note: you may need to restart the kernel to use updated packages.

```
In [77]:
```

```
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from subprocess import check_output
%matplotlib inline
import plotly.offline as py
py.init_notebook_mode(connected=True)
import plotly.graph_objs as go
import plotly.tools as tls
import os
import gc
import re
from nltk.corpus import stopwords
import distance
from nltk.stem import PorterStemmer
from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
import re
import nltk
nltk.download('stopwords')
# This package is used for finding longest common subsequence between two strings
# you can write your own dp code for this
import distance
from nltk.stem import PorterStemmer
from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
from fuzzywuzzy import fuzz
from sklearn.manifold import TSNE
# Import the Required lib packages for WORD-Cloud generation
# https://stackoverflow.com/questions/45625434/how-to-install-wordcloud-in-python3-6
from wordcloud import WordCloud, STOPWORDS
from os import path
from PIL import Image
```

```
[nltk_data] Downloading package stopwords to
[nltk_data] C:\Users\battu1989.WINDOWS-
[nltk_data] BATTU19\AppData\Roaming\nltk_data...
[nltk_data] Package stopwords is already up-to-date!
```

3.1 Reading data and basic stats

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In [52]:
```

```
df = pd.read_csv("train.csv")
print("Number of data points:",df.shape[0])
```

Number of data points: 404290

In [150]:

df.head()

Out[150]:

	id	qid1	qid2	question1	question2	is_duplicate	q1_feats_m	q2_feat
0	0	1	2	What is the step by step guide to invest in sh	What is the step by step guide to invest in sh	0	[-6.179506778717041, 37.45073118805885, -67.92	[-14.616980731487 59.75548753142 -5
1	1	3	4	What is the story of Kohinoor (Koh-i- Noor) Dia	What would happen if the Indian government sto	0	[9.236667931079865, -80.37141644954681, -45.78	[-3.5657422859221 -16.844570636749
2	2	5	6	How can I increase the speed of my internet co	How can Internet speed be increased by hacking	0	[97.54683184623718, 22.97219370305538, -39.558	[156.8336295336 59.99189615249 -8.41
3	3	7	8	Why am I mentally very lonely? How can I solve	Find the remainder when [math]23^{24} [/math] i	0	[57.58697843551636, -22.017089188098907, -4.59	[41.47243919968 56.71731689572 31.53
4	4	9	10	Which one dissolve in water quikly sugar, salt	Which fish would survive in salt water?	0	[83.1857842206955, -40.50698482990265, -83.403	[-14.446974992752 -4.33825546503 -7

In [151]:

```
print(df.info())
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 404290 entries, 0 to 404289
Data columns (total 8 columns):
                  404290 non-null int64
id
qid1
                  404290 non-null int64
qid2
                  404290 non-null int64
question1404290 non-null objectquestion2404290 non-null objectis_duplicate404290 non-null int64
q1_feats_m 404290 non-null object
q2_feats_m
                 404290 non-null object
dtypes: int64(4), object(4)
memory usage: 24.7+ MB
None
```

We are given a minimal number of data fields here, consisting of:

- id: Looks like a simple rowlD
- qid{1, 2}: The unique ID of each question in the pair
- question{1, 2}: The actual textual contents of the questions.
- is_duplicate: The label that we are trying to predict whether the two questions are duplicates of each other.

3.2.1 Distribution of data points among output classes

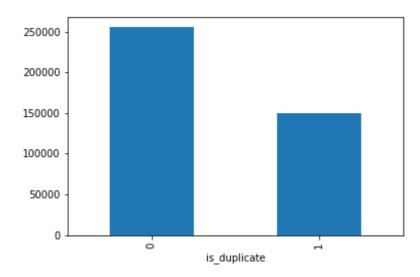
• Number of duplicate(smilar) and non-duplicate(non similar) questions

In [55]:

```
df.groupby("is_duplicate")['id'].count().plot.bar()
```

Out[55]:

<matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x1e9f00bbb08>



In [56]:

```
print('~> Total number of question pairs for training:\n {}'.format(len(df)))
```

~> Total number of question pairs for training: 404290

In [57]:

```
print('~> Question pairs are not Similar (is_duplicate = 0):\n {}%'.format(100 - round)
print('\n~> Question pairs are Similar (is_duplicate = 1):\n {}%'.format(round(df['is_duplicate = 1)):\n {}%'.format(round(df['is_duplicate = 1)):\n
```

- ~> Question pairs are not Similar (is_duplicate = 0):
 63.08%
- ~> Question pairs are Similar (is_duplicate = 1):
 36.92%

3.2.2 Number of unique questions

In [58]:

```
qids = pd.Series(df['qid1'].tolist() + df['qid2'].tolist())
unique_qs = len(np.unique(qids))
qs_morethan_onetime = np.sum(qids.value_counts() > 1)
print ('Total number of Unique Questions are: {}\n'.format(unique_qs))
#print Len(np.unique(qids))

print ('Number of unique questions that appear more than one time: {} ({}%)\n'.format(q)
print ('Max number of times a single question is repeated: {}\n'.format(max(qids.value_q))
q_vals=qids.value_counts()
q_vals=q_vals.values
```

Total number of Unique Questions are: 537933

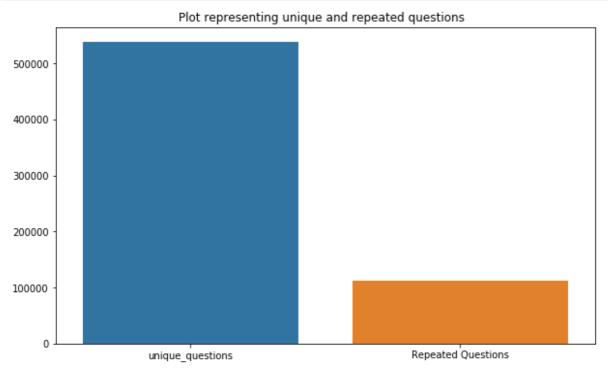
Number of unique questions that appear more than one time: 111780 (20.7795 3945937505%)

Max number of times a single question is repeated: 157

In [59]:

```
x = ["unique_questions" , "Repeated Questions"]
y = [unique_qs , qs_morethan_onetime]

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
plt.title ("Plot representing unique and repeated questions ")
sns.barplot(x,y)
plt.show()
```



3.2.3 Checking for Duplicates

In [60]:

```
#checking whether there are any repeated pair of questions

pair_duplicates = df[['qid1','qid2','is_duplicate']].groupby(['qid1','qid2']).count().re

print ("Number of duplicate questions",(pair_duplicates).shape[0] - df.shape[0])
```

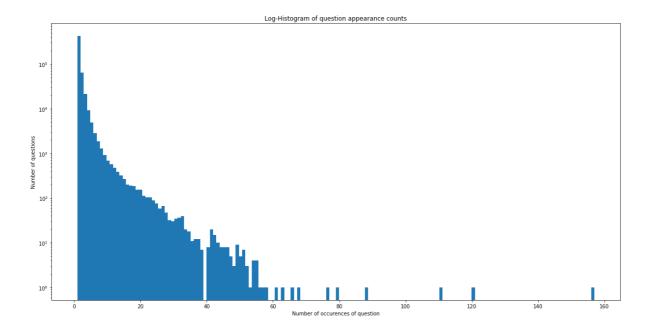
Number of duplicate questions 0

3.2.4 Number of occurrences of each question

In [61]:

```
plt.figure(figsize=(20, 10))
plt.hist(qids.value_counts(), bins=160)
plt.yscale('log', nonposy='clip')
plt.title('Log-Histogram of question appearance counts')
plt.xlabel('Number of occurences of question')
plt.ylabel('Number of questions')
print ('Maximum number of times a single question is repeated: {}\n'.format(max(qids.va))
```

Maximum number of times a single question is repeated: 157



3.2.5 Checking for NULL values

In [62]:

```
#Checking whether there are any rows with null values
nan_rows = df[df.isnull().any(1)]
print (nan_rows)
```

```
id
                 qid1
                      qid2
                                                     question1 \
105780 105780 174363 174364
                                 How can I develop android app?
201841 201841 303951 174364 How can I create an Android app?
363362 363362 493340 493341
                                                           NaN
                                               question2 is_duplicate
105780
                                                    NaN
201841
                                                    NaN
                                                                    0
363362 My Chinese name is Haichao Yu. What English na...
                                                                    0
```

There are two rows with null values in question2

In [63]:

```
# Filling the null values with ' '
df = df.fillna('')
nan_rows = df[df.isnull().any(1)]
print (nan_rows)
```

Empty DataFrame

Columns: [id, qid1, qid2, question1, question2, is_duplicate]

Index: []

3.3 Basic Feature Extraction (before cleaning)

Let us now construct a few features like:

- freq_qid1 = Frequency of qid1's
- freq_qid2 = Frequency of qid2's
- q1len = Length of q1
- q2len = Length of q2
- q1_n_words = Number of words in Question 1
- q2_n_words = Number of words in Question 2
- word_Common = (Number of common unique words in Question 1 and Question 2)
- word_Total =(Total num of words in Question 1 + Total num of words in Question 2)
- word_share = (word_common)/(word_Total)
- freq_q1+freq_q2 = sum total of frequency of qid1 and qid2
- freq_q1-freq_q2 = absolute difference of frequency of qid1 and qid2

In [64]:

```
if os.path.isfile('df fe without preprocessing train.csv'):
    df = pd.read_csv("df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv",encoding='latin-1')
    df['freq_qid1'] = df.groupby('qid1')['qid1'].transform('count')
    df['freq_qid2'] = df.groupby('qid2')['qid2'].transform('count')
    df['q1len'] = df['question1'].str.len()
    df['q2len'] = df['question2'].str.len()
    df['q1_n_words'] = df['question1'].apply(lambda row: len(row.split(" ")))
    df['q2_n_words'] = df['question2'].apply(lambda row: len(row.split(" ")))
    def normalized_word_Common(row):
        w1 = set(map(lambda word: word.lower().strip(), row['question1'].split(" ")))
        w2 = set(map(lambda word: word.lower().strip(), row['question2'].split(" ")))
        return 1.0 * len(w1 & w2)
    df['word_Common'] = df.apply(normalized_word_Common, axis=1)
    def normalized word Total(row):
        w1 = set(map(lambda word: word.lower().strip(), row['question1'].split(" ")))
        w2 = set(map(lambda word: word.lower().strip(), row['question2'].split(" ")))
        return 1.0 * (len(w1) + len(w2))
    df['word_Total'] = df.apply(normalized_word_Total, axis=1)
    def normalized word share(row):
        w1 = set(map(lambda word: word.lower().strip(), row['question1'].split(" ")))
        w2 = set(map(lambda word: word.lower().strip(), row['question2'].split(" ")))
        return 1.0 * len(w1 & w2)/(len(w1) + len(w2))
    df['word_share'] = df.apply(normalized_word_share, axis=1)
    df['freq q1+q2'] = df['freq qid1']+df['freq qid2']
    df['freq_q1-q2'] = abs(df['freq_qid1']-df['freq_qid2'])
    df.to_csv("df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv", index=False)
df.head()
```

Out[64]:

	id	qid1	qid2	question1	question2	is_duplicate	freq_qid1	freq_qid2	q1len	q2len	q1_n
0	0	1	2	What is the step by step guide to invest in sh	What is the step by step guide to invest in sh	0	1	1	66	57	
1	1	3	4	What is the story of Kohinoor (Koh-i- Noor) Dia	What would happen if the Indian government sto	0	4	1	51	88	
2	2	5	6	How can I increase the speed of my internet co	How can Internet speed be increased by hacking	0	1	1	73	59	

	id	qid1	qid2	question1	question2	is_duplicate	freq_qid1	freq_qid2	q1len	q2len	q1_n
3	3	7	8	Why am I mentally very lonely? How can I solve	Find the remainder when [math]23^{24} [/math] i	0	1	1	50	65	
4	4	9	10	Which one dissolve in water quikly sugar, salt	Which fish would survive in salt water?	0	3	1	76	39	
4											•

3.3.1 Analysis of some of the extracted features

Here are some questions have only one single words.

In [65]:

```
print ("Minimum length of the questions in question1 : " , min(df['q1_n_words']))
print ("Minimum length of the questions in question2 : " , min(df['q2_n_words']))
print ("Number of Questions with minimum length [question1] : ", df[df['q1_n_words']== 1
print ("Number of Questions with minimum length [question2] : ", df[df['q2_n_words']== 1

Minimum length of the questions in question1 : 1
Minimum length of the questions in question2 : 1
Number of Questions with minimum length [question1] : 67
Number of Questions with minimum length [question2] : 24
```

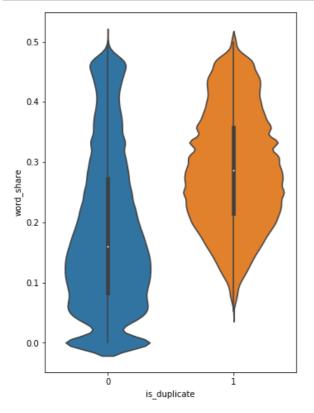
3.3.1.1 Feature: word_share

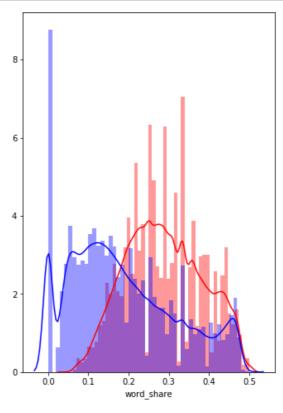
In [66]:

```
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 8))

plt.subplot(1,2,1)
sns.violinplot(x = 'is_duplicate', y = 'word_share', data = df[0:])

plt.subplot(1,2,2)
sns.distplot(df[df['is_duplicate'] == 1.0]['word_share'][0:] , label = "1", color = 'resns.distplot(df[df['is_duplicate'] == 0.0]['word_share'][0:] , label = "0" , color = 'b.plt.show()
```

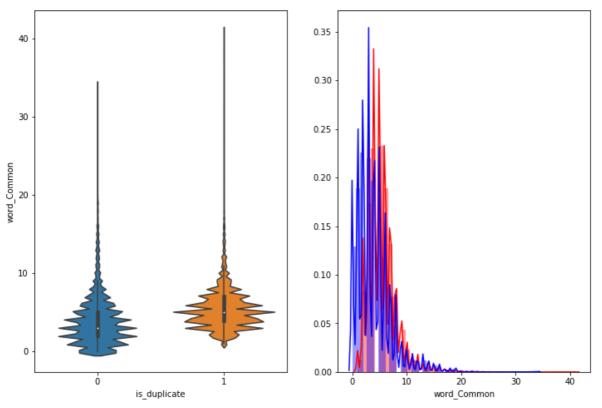




- The distributions for normalized word_share have some overlap on the far right-hand side, i.e., there are quite a lot of questions with high word similarity
- The average word share and Common no. of words of qid1 and qid2 is more when they are duplicate(Similar)

3.3.1.2 Feature: word_Common

In [67]:



The distributions of the word Common feature in similar and non-similar questions are highly overlapping

3.4 Preprocessing of Text

- · Preprocessing:
 - Removing html tags
 - Removing Punctuations
 - Performing stemming
 - Removing Stopwords
 - Expanding contractions etc.

```
# To get the results in 4 decemal points
SAFE_DIV = 0.0001
STOP WORDS = stopwords.words("english")
def preprocess(x):
    x = str(x).lower()
    x = x.replace(",000,000", "m").replace(",000", "k").replace("'", "'").replace("'",
                                .replace("won't", "will not").replace("cannot", "can not").re
                                .replace("n't", " not").replace("what's", "what is").replace
.replace("'ve", " have").replace("i'm", "i am").replace("'re
                                .replace("he's", "he is").replace("she's", "she is").replace
                               .replace("%", " percent ").replace("₹", " rupee ").replace("
.replace("€", " euro ").replace("'11", " will")
    x = re.sub(r"([0-9]+)000000", r"\1m", x)
    x = re.sub(r''([0-9]+)000'', r''\setminus 1k'', x)
    porter = PorterStemmer()
    pattern = re.compile('\W')
    if type(x) == type(''):
         x = re.sub(pattern, ' ', x)
    if type(x) == type(''):
         x = porter.stem(x)
         example1 = BeautifulSoup(x)
         x = example1.get_text()
    return x
```

Function to Compute and get the features: With 2 parameters of Question 1 and Question 2

3.5 Advanced Feature Extraction (NLP and Fuzzy Features

Definition:

- Token: You get a token by splitting sentence a space
- Stop_Word : stop words as per NLTK.
- Word: A token that is not a stop word

Features:

- **cwc_min**: Ratio of common_word_count to min lengthh of word count of Q1 and Q2 cwc_min = common_word_count / (min(len(q1_words), len(q2_words))
- cwc_max: Ratio of common_word_count to max length of word count of Q1 and Q2 cwc_max = common_word_count / (max(len(q1_words), len(q2_words))

- csc_min: Ratio of common_stop_count to min length of stop count of Q1 and Q2
 csc_min = common_stop_count / (min(len(q1_stops), len(q2_stops))
- csc_max: Ratio of common_stop_count to max length of stop count of Q1 and Q2 csc_max = common_stop_count / (max(len(q1_stops), len(q2_stops))
- ctc_min: Ratio of common_token_count to min length of token count of Q1 and Q2
 ctc_min = common_token_count / (min(len(q1_tokens), len(q2_tokens))
- ctc_max: Ratio of common_token_count to max length of token count of Q1 and Q2
 ctc_max = common_token_count / (max(len(q1_tokens), len(q2_tokens))
- last_word_eq: Check if First word of both questions is equal or not last_word_eq = int(q1_tokens[-1] == q2_tokens[-1])
- first_word_eq: Check if First word of both questions is equal or not first_word_eq = int(q1_tokens[0] == q2_tokens[0])
- abs_len_diff: Abs. length difference
 abs_len_diff = abs(len(q1_tokens) len(q2_tokens))
- mean_len: Average Token Length of both Questions mean_len = (len(q1_tokens) + len(q2_tokens))/2
- fuzz_ratio: https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage
 (http://chairnerd.seatgeek.com/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching-in-python/ (http://chairnerd.seatgeek.com/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching-in-python/)
- fuzz_partial_ratio : https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage (https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage) https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage) https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage) https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage) https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage) https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching-in-python/)
- token_sort_ratio : https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage (http://chairnerd.seatgeek.com/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching-in-python/ (http://chairnerd.seatgeek.com/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching-in-python/)
- token_set_ratio: https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage (https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy#usage) http://chairnerd.seatgeek.com/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching-in-python/ (http://chairnerd.seatgeek.com/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching-in-python/)
- longest_substr_ratio: Ratio of length longest common substring to min lengthh of token count of Q1 and Q2
 longest_substr_ratio = len(longest common substring) / (min(len(q1_tokens), len(q2_tokens))

```
In [78]:
```

```
def get_token_features(q1, q2):
    token_features = [0.0]*10
    # Converting the Sentence into Tokens:
    q1_tokens = q1.split()
    q2_tokens = q2.split()
    if len(q1_tokens) == 0 or len(q2_tokens) == 0:
        return token_features
    # Get the non-stopwords in Questions
    q1_words = set([word for word in q1_tokens if word not in STOP_WORDS])
    q2_words = set([word for word in q2_tokens if word not in STOP_WORDS])
    #Get the stopwords in Questions
    q1_stops = set([word for word in q1_tokens if word in STOP_WORDS])
    q2_stops = set([word for word in q2_tokens if word in STOP_WORDS])
    # Get the common non-stopwords from Question pair
    common_word_count = len(q1_words.intersection(q2_words))
    # Get the common stopwords from Question pair
    common_stop_count = len(q1_stops.intersection(q2_stops))
    # Get the common Tokens from Question pair
    common_token_count = len(set(q1_tokens).intersection(set(q2_tokens)))
    token_features[0] = common_word_count / (min(len(q1_words), len(q2_words)) + SAFE_D
    token_features[1] = common_word_count / (max(len(q1_words), len(q2_words)) + SAFE_D
    token_features[2] = common_stop_count / (min(len(q1_stops), len(q2_stops)) + SAFE_D
    token_features[3] = common_stop_count / (max(len(q1_stops), len(q2_stops)) + SAFE_D
    token_features[4] = common_token_count / (min(len(q1_tokens), len(q2_tokens)) + SAF(
    token_features[5] = common_token_count / (max(len(q1_tokens), len(q2_tokens)) + SAF
    # Last word of both question is same or not
    token_features[6] = int(q1_tokens[-1] == q2_tokens[-1])
    # First word of both question is same or not
    token_features[7] = int(q1_tokens[0] == q2_tokens[0])
    token_features[8] = abs(len(q1_tokens) - len(q2_tokens))
    #Average Token Length of both Questions
    token_features[9] = (len(q1_tokens) + len(q2_tokens))/2
    return token_features
# get the Longest Common sub string
def get_longest_substr_ratio(a, b):
    strs = list(distance.lcsubstrings(a, b))
    if len(strs) == 0:
        return 0
    else:
        return len(strs[0]) / (min(len(a), len(b)) + 1)
def extract_features(df):
    # preprocessing each question
    df["question1"] = df["question1"].fillna("").apply(preprocess)
    df["question2"] = df["question2"].fillna("").apply(preprocess)
```

```
print("token features...")
# Merging Features with dataset
token_features = df.apply(lambda x: get_token_features(x["question1"], x["question2")
                    = list(map(lambda x: x[0], token_features))
df["cwc_min"]
df["cwc max"]
                    = list(map(lambda x: x[1], token_features))
df["csc_min"]
                    = list(map(lambda x: x[2], token_features))
                   = list(map(lambda x: x[3], token_features))
df["csc_max"]
                   = list(map(lambda x: x[4], token_features))
df["ctc_min"]
                    = list(map(lambda x: x[5], token_features))
df["ctc_max"]
df["last_word_eq"] = list(map(lambda x: x[6], token_features))
df["first_word_eq"] = list(map(lambda x: x[7], token_features))
df["abs_len_diff"] = list(map(lambda x: x[8], token_features))
df["mean_len"]
                    = list(map(lambda x: x[9], token_features))
#Computing Fuzzy Features and Merging with Dataset
# do read this blog: http://chairnerd.seatgeek.com/fuzzywuzzy-fuzzy-string-matching
# https://stackoverflow.com/questions/31806695/when-to-use-which-fuzz-function-to-c
# https://github.com/seatgeek/fuzzywuzzy
print("fuzzy features..")
df["token_set_ratio"]
                            = df.apply(lambda x: fuzz.token_set_ratio(x["question1"
# The token sort approach involves tokenizing the string in guestion, sorting the t
# then joining them back into a string We then compare the transformed strings with
df["token sort ratio"]
                          = df.apply(lambda x: fuzz.token_sort_ratio(x["question1")
df["fuzz_ratio"]
                           = df.apply(lambda x: fuzz.QRatio(x["question1"], x["que
df["fuzz_partial_ratio"] = df.apply(lambda x: fuzz.partial_ratio(x["question1"],
df["longest_substr_ratio"] = df.apply(lambda x: get_longest_substr_ratio(x["question"]));
return df
```

In [79]:

```
if os.path.isfile('nlp_features_train.csv'):
    df = pd.read_csv("nlp_features_train.csv",encoding='latin-1')
    df.fillna('')
else:
    print("Extracting features for train:")
    df = pd.read_csv("train.csv")
    df = extract_features(df)
    df.to_csv("nlp_features_train.csv", index=False)
df.head(2)
```

Out[79]:

	id	qid1	qid2	question1	question2	is_duplicate	cwc_min	cwc_max	csc_min	csc_max
0	0	1	2	what is the step by step guide to invest in sh	what is the step by step guide to invest in sh	0	0.999980	0.833319	0.999983	0.999983
1	1	3	4	what is the story of kohinoor koh i noor dia	what would happen if the indian government sto	0	0.799984	0.399996	0.749981	0.599988

2 rows × 21 columns

3.5.1 Analysis of extracted features

3.5.1.1 Plotting Word clouds

- · Creating Word Cloud of Duplicates and Non-Duplicates Question pairs
- · We can observe the most frequent occuring words

In [81]:

```
df_duplicate = df[df['is_duplicate'] == 1]
dfp_nonduplicate = df[df['is_duplicate'] == 0]

# Converting 2d array of q1 and q2 and flatten the array: like {{1,2},{3,4}} to {1,2,3,0}
p = np.dstack([df_duplicate["question1"], df_duplicate["question2"]]).flatten()
n = np.dstack([dfp_nonduplicate["question1"], dfp_nonduplicate["question2"]]).flatten()

print ("Number of data points in class 1 (duplicate pairs) :",len(p))
print ("Number of data points in class 0 (non duplicate pairs) :",len(n))

#Saving the np array into a text
# cite :https://stackoverflow.com/questions/27092833/unicodeencodeerror-charmap-codec-conp.savetxt('train_p.txt', p, delimiter=' ', encoding="utf-8", fmt='%s')
np.savetxt('train_n.txt', n, delimiter=' ', encoding="utf-8", fmt='%s')
```

Number of data points in class 1 (duplicate pairs) : 298526 Number of data points in class 0 (non duplicate pairs) : 510054

In [82]:

```
# reading the text files and removing the Stop Words:
d = path.dirname('.')
textp_w = open(path.join(d, 'train_p.txt')).read()
textn_w = open(path.join(d, 'train_n.txt')).read()
stopwords = set(STOPWORDS)
stopwords.add("said")
stopwords.add("br")
stopwords.add(" ")
stopwords.remove("not")
stopwords.remove("no")
#stopwords.remove("good")
#stopwords.remove("Love")
stopwords.remove("like")
#stopwords.remove("best")
#stopwords.remove("!")
print ("Total number of words in duplicate pair questions :",len(textp w))
print ("Total number of words in non duplicate pair questions :",len(textn_w))
```

Total number of words in duplicate pair questions : 16110303

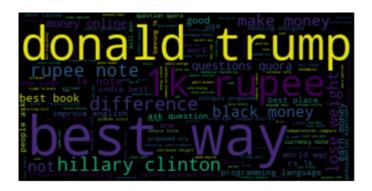
Total number of words in non duplicate pair questions : 33194892

Word Clouds generated from duplicate pair question's text

In [83]:

```
wc = WordCloud(background_color="black", max_words=len(textp_w), stopwords=stopwords)
wc.generate(textp_w)
print ("Word Cloud for Duplicate Question pairs")
plt.imshow(wc, interpolation='bilinear')
plt.axis("off")
plt.show()
```

Word Cloud for Duplicate Question pairs



Word Clouds generated from non duplicate pair question's text

In [84]:

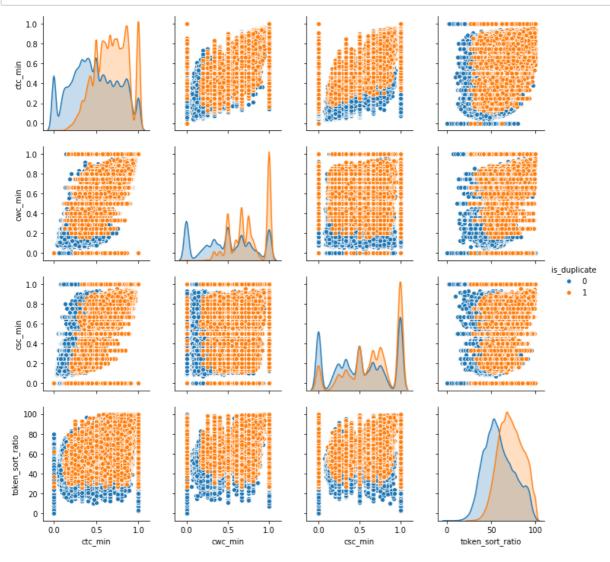
```
wc = WordCloud(background_color="white", max_words=len(textn_w),stopwords=stopwords)
# generate word cloud
wc.generate(textn_w)
print ("Word Cloud for non-Duplicate Question pairs:")
plt.imshow(wc, interpolation='bilinear')
plt.axis("off")
plt.show()
```

Word Cloud for non-Duplicate Question pairs:



3.5.1.2 Pair plot of features ['ctc_min', 'cwc_min', 'csc_min', 'token_sort_ratio']

In [85]:

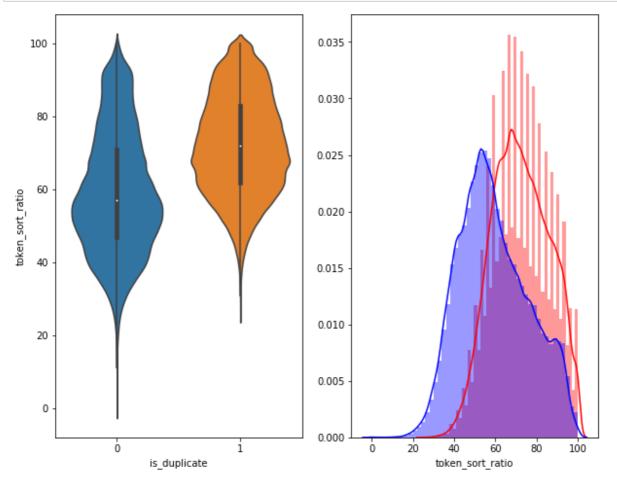


In [86]:

```
# Distribution of the token_sort_ratio
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))

plt.subplot(1,2,1)
sns.violinplot(x = 'is_duplicate', y = 'token_sort_ratio', data = df[0:] , )

plt.subplot(1,2,2)
sns.distplot(df[df['is_duplicate'] == 1.0]['token_sort_ratio'][0:] , label = "1", color
sns.distplot(df[df['is_duplicate'] == 0.0]['token_sort_ratio'][0:] , label = "0" , color
plt.show()
```

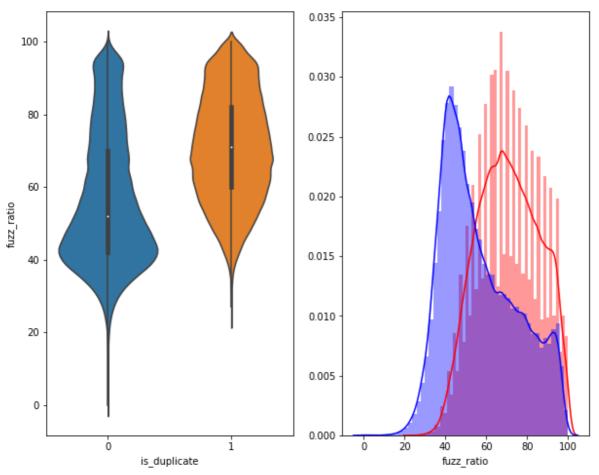


In [87]:

```
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))

plt.subplot(1,2,1)
sns.violinplot(x = 'is_duplicate', y = 'fuzz_ratio', data = df[0:] , )

plt.subplot(1,2,2)
sns.distplot(df[df['is_duplicate'] == 1.0]['fuzz_ratio'][0:] , label = "1", color = 'resns.distplot(df[df['is_duplicate'] == 0.0]['fuzz_ratio'][0:] , label = "0" , color = 'b.plt.show()
```



3.5.2 Visualization

In [88]:

```
# Using TSNE for Dimentionality reduction for 15 Features(Generated after cleaning the of the sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler

dfp_subsampled = df[0:5000]
X = MinMaxScaler().fit_transform(dfp_subsampled[['cwc_min', 'cwc_max', 'csc_min', '
```

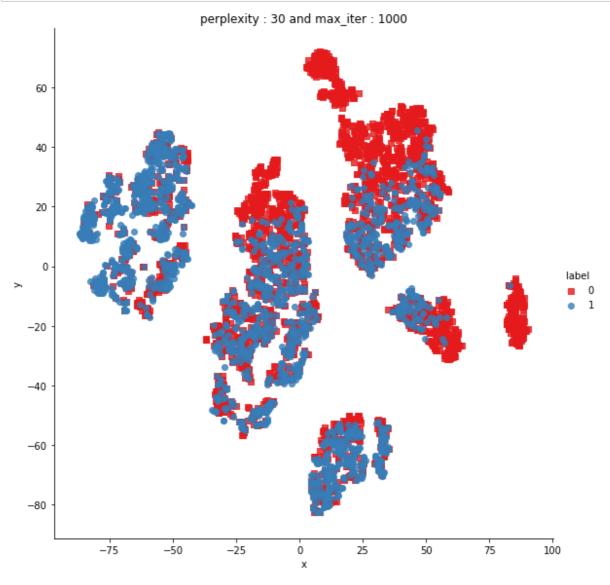
In [89]:

```
tsne2d = TSNE(
    n_components=2,
    init='random', # pca
    random_state=101,
    method='barnes_hut',
    n_iter=1000,
    verbose=2,
    angle=0.5
).fit_transform(X)
[t-SNE] Computing 91 nearest neighbors...
[t-SNE] Indexed 5000 samples in 0.058s...
[t-SNE] Computed neighbors for 5000 samples in 0.565s...
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 1000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 2000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 3000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 4000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 5000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Mean sigma: 0.116557
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities in 0.373s
[t-SNE] Iteration 50: error = 80.9162369, gradient norm = 0.0427600 (50 it
erations in 4.088s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 100: error = 70.3915100, gradient norm = 0.0108003 (50 i
terations in 2.812s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 150: error = 68.6126938, gradient norm = 0.0054721 (50 i
terations in 2.894s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 200: error = 67.7680206, gradient norm = 0.0042246 (50 i
terations in 2.864s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 250: error = 67.2733459, gradient norm = 0.0037275 (50 i
terations in 2.920s)
[t-SNE] KL divergence after 250 iterations with early exaggeration: 67.273
346
[t-SNE] Iteration 300: error = 1.7734827, gradient norm = 0.0011933 (50 it
erations in 3.339s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 350: error = 1.3717980, gradient norm = 0.0004826 (50 it
erations in 3.021s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 400: error = 1.2037998, gradient norm = 0.0002772 (50 it
erations in 2.948s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 450: error = 1.1133003, gradient norm = 0.0001877 (50 it
erations in 3.074s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 500: error = 1.0579894, gradient norm = 0.0001429 (50 it
erations in 2.784s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 550: error = 1.0220573, gradient norm = 0.0001178 (50 it
erations in 2.829s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 600: error = 0.9990303, gradient norm = 0.0001036 (50 it
erations in 3.036s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 650: error = 0.9836842, gradient norm = 0.0000951 (50 it
erations in 3.081s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 700: error = 0.9732341, gradient norm = 0.0000860 (50 it
erations in 3.113s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 750: error = 0.9649901, gradient norm = 0.0000789 (50 it
erations in 3.064s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 800: error = 0.9582695, gradient norm = 0.0000745 (50 it
erations in 2.790s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 850: error = 0.9525222, gradient norm = 0.0000732 (50 it
erations in 3.022s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 900: error = 0.9479918, gradient norm = 0.0000689 (50 it
erations in 3.122s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 950: error = 0.9442031, gradient norm = 0.0000651 (50 it
```

```
erations in 2.852s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 1000: error = 0.9408465, gradient norm = 0.0000590 (50 i
terations in 2.811s)
[t-SNE] KL divergence after 1000 iterations: 0.940847
```

In [90]:

```
df = pd.DataFrame({'x':tsne2d[:,0], 'y':tsne2d[:,1],'label':y})
# draw the plot in appropriate place in the grid
sns.lmplot(data=df, x='x', y='y', hue='label', fit_reg=False, size=8,palette="Set1",mar
plt.title("perplexity: {} and max_iter: {}".format(30, 1000))
plt.show()
```



In [91]:

from sklearn.manifold import TSNE

```
tsne3d = TSNE(
    n_components=3,
    init='random', # pca
    random_state=101,
    method='barnes_hut',
    n_iter=1000,
    verbose=2,
    angle=0.5
).fit transform(X)
[t-SNE] Computing 91 nearest neighbors...
[t-SNE] Indexed 5000 samples in 0.020s...
[t-SNE] Computed neighbors for 5000 samples in 0.484s...
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 1000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 2000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 3000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 4000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities for sample 5000 / 5000
[t-SNE] Mean sigma: 0.116557
[t-SNE] Computed conditional probabilities in 0.277s
[t-SNE] Iteration 50: error = 80.3552017, gradient norm = 0.0329941 (50
iterations in 13.728s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 100: error = 69.1100388, gradient norm = 0.0034323 (50
iterations in 7.393s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 150: error = 67.6163483, gradient norm = 0.0017810 (50
iterations in 8.901s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 200: error = 67.0578613, gradient norm = 0.0011246 (50
iterations in 6.503s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 250: error = 66.7297821, gradient norm = 0.0009272 (50
iterations in 6.364s)
[t-SNE] KL divergence after 250 iterations with early exaggeration: 66.7
29782
[t-SNE] Iteration 300: error = 1.4978341, gradient norm = 0.0006938 (50
iterations in 8.124s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 350: error = 1.1559117, gradient norm = 0.0001985 (50
iterations in 9.809s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 400: error = 1.0108488, gradient norm = 0.0000976 (50
iterations in 10.865s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 450: error = 0.9391674, gradient norm = 0.0000627 (50
iterations in 10.694s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 500: error = 0.9015961, gradient norm = 0.0000508 (50
iterations in 10.020s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 550: error = 0.8815936, gradient norm = 0.0000433 (50
iterations in 9.659s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 600: error = 0.8682337, gradient norm = 0.0000373 (50
iterations in 10.416s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 650: error = 0.8589998, gradient norm = 0.0000360 (50
iterations in 11.109s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 700: error = 0.8518325, gradient norm = 0.0000281 (50
iterations in 10.696s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 750: error = 0.8455728, gradient norm = 0.0000284 (50
iterations in 11.016s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 800: error = 0.8401663, gradient norm = 0.0000264 (50
iterations in 10.375s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 850: error = 0.8351609, gradient norm = 0.0000265 (50
iterations in 10.228s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 900: error = 0.8312420, gradient norm = 0.0000225 (50
iterations in 9.897s)
```

```
[t-SNE] Iteration 950: error = 0.8273517, gradient norm = 0.0000231 (50
iterations in 9.913s)
[t-SNE] Iteration 1000: error = 0.8240154, gradient norm = 0.0000213 (50
iterations in 9.945s)
[t-SNE] KL divergence after 1000 iterations: 0.824015
```

In [92]:

```
trace1 = go.Scatter3d(
    x=tsne3d[:,0],
    y=tsne3d[:,1],
    z=tsne3d[:,2],
    mode='markers',
    marker=dict(
        sizemode='diameter',
        color = y,
        colorscale = 'Portland',
        colorbar = dict(title = 'duplicate'),
        line=dict(color='rgb(255, 255, 255)'),
        opacity=0.75
    )
)
data=[trace1]
layout=dict(height=800, width=800, title='3d embedding with engineered features')
fig=dict(data=data, layout=layout)
py.iplot(fig, filename='3DBubble')
```

3.6 Featurizing text data with tfidf weighted word-vectors

```
pip install spacy
```

```
Collecting spacy
```

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Note: you may need to restart the kernel to use updated packages.

In [96]:

```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import re
import time
import warnings
import numpy as npx
from nltk.corpus import stopwords
from sklearn.preprocessing import normalize
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import CountVectorizer
from sklearn.feature extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
import sys
import os
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from tadm import tadm
# exctract word2vec vectors
# https://github.com/explosion/spaCy/issues/1721
# http://landinghub.visualstudio.com/visual-cpp-build-tools
import spacy
```

In [97]:

In [98]:

```
df.head()
```

Out[98]:

is_duplicate	question2	question1	qid2	qid1	id	
0	What is the step by step guide to invest in sh	What is the step by step guide to invest in sh	2	1	0	0
0	What would happen if the Indian government sto	What is the story of Kohinoor (Koh-i-Noor) Dia	4	3	1	1
0	How can Internet speed be increased by hacking	How can I increase the speed of my internet co	6	5	2	2
0	Find the remainder when [math]23^{24}[/math] i	Why am I mentally very lonely? How can I solve	8	7	3	3
0	Which fish would survive in salt water?	Which one dissolve in water quikly sugar, salt	10	9	4	4

In [99]:

```
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import CountVectorizer
# merge texts
questions = list(df['question1']) + list(df['question2'])

tfidf = TfidfVectorizer(lowercase=False, )
tfidf.fit_transform(questions)

# dict key:word and value:tf-idf score
word2tfidf = dict(zip(tfidf.get_feature_names(), tfidf.idf_))
```

- After we find TF-IDF scores, we convert each question to a weighted average of word2vec vectors by these scores.
- here we use a pre-trained GLOVE model which comes free with "Spacy". https://spacy.io/usage/vectors-similarity)
- It is trained on Wikipedia and therefore, it is stronger in terms of word semantics.

In [117]:

```
# en_vectors_web_lg, which includes over 1 million unique vectors.
# cite :https://github.com/hamelsmu/Seq2Seq_Tutorial/issues/1
nlp = spacy.load('en')
vecs1 = []
# https://github.com/noamraph/tqdm
# tqdm is used to print the progress bar
for qu1 in tqdm(list(df['question1'])):
    doc1 = nlp(qu1)
    # 384 is the number of dimensions of vectors
    mean_vec1 = np.zeros([len(doc1), len(doc1[0].vector)])
    for word1 in doc1:
        # word2vec
        vec1 = word1.vector
        # fetch df score
        try:
            idf = word2tfidf[str(word1)]
        except:
            idf = 0
        # compute final vec
        mean_vec1 += vec1 * idf
    mean vec1 = mean vec1.mean(axis=0)
    vecs1.append(mean_vec1)
df['q1_feats_m'] = list(vecs1)
```

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```
In [120]:
```

```
vecs2 = []
for qu2 in tqdm(list(df['question2'])):
    doc2 = nlp(qu2)
    mean_vec2 = np.zeros([len(doc1), len(doc2[0].vector)])
    for word2 in doc2:
        # word2vec
        vec2 = word2.vector
        # fetch df score
        try:
            idf = word2tfidf[str(word2)]
        except:
            #print word
            idf = 0
        # compute final vec
        mean_vec2 += vec2 * idf
    mean_vec2 = mean_vec2.mean(axis=0)
    vecs2.append(mean_vec2)
df['q2_feats_m'] = list(vecs2)
```

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In [121]:

```
#prepro_features_train.csv (Simple Preprocessing Feartures)
#nlp_features_train.csv (NLP Features)
if os.path.isfile('nlp_features_train.csv'):
    dfnlp = pd.read_csv("nlp_features_train.csv",encoding='latin-1')
else:
    print("download nlp_features_train.csv from drive or run previous notebook")

if os.path.isfile('df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv'):
    dfppro = pd.read_csv("df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv",encoding='latin-1')
else:
    print("download df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv from drive or run previous notebook")
```

In [122]:

```
df1 = dfnlp.drop(['qid1','qid2','question1','question2'],axis=1)
df2 = dfppro.drop(['qid1','qid2','question1','question2','is_duplicate'],axis=1)
df3 = df.drop(['qid1','qid2','question1','question2','is_duplicate'],axis=1)
df3_q1 = pd.DataFrame(df3.q1_feats_m.values.tolist(), index= df3.index)
df3_q2 = pd.DataFrame(df3.q2_feats_m.values.tolist(), index= df3.index)
```

In [123]:

```
# dataframe of nlp features
df1.head()
```

Out[123]:

	id	is_duplicate	cwc_min	cwc_max	csc_min	csc_max	ctc_min	ctc_max	last_word_eq
0	0	0	0.999980	0.833319	0.999983	0.999983	0.916659	0.785709	0.0
1	1	0	0.799984	0.399996	0.749981	0.599988	0.699993	0.466664	0.0
2	2	0	0.399992	0.333328	0.399992	0.249997	0.399996	0.285712	0.0
3	3	0	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
4	4	0	0.399992	0.199998	0.999950	0.666644	0.571420	0.307690	0.0

In [124]:

data before preprocessing
df2.head()

Out[124]:

	id	freq_qid1	freq_qid2	q1len	q2len	q1_n_words	q2_n_words	word_Common	word_Total
0	0	1	1	66	57	14	12	10.0	23.0
1	1	4	1	51	88	8	13	4.0	20.0
2	2	1	1	73	59	14	10	4.0	24.0
3	3	1	1	50	65	11	9	0.0	19.0
4	4	3	1	76	39	13	7	2.0	20.0
4									>

In [125]:

Questions 1 tfidf weighted word2vec
df3_q1.head()

Out[125]:

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	
0	-6.179507	37.450731	-67.929894	32.224274	143.348826	135.374574	17.865208	54.5623
1	9.236668	-80.371416	-45.785907	78.291656	183.568221	100.894077	74.344804	48.36080
2	97.546832	22.972194	-39.558379	18.723413	56.928618	48.307643	8.719268	36.8937
3	57.586978	-22.017089	-4.599294	-88.939271	-4.732171	-54.209048	74.614947	106.5337
4	83.185784	-40.506985	-83.403923	-52.648658	79.074884	-19.038248	53.728722	97.6486

5 rows × 96 columns

```
In [126]:
# Questions 2 tfidf weighted word2vec
df3_q2.head()
Out[126]:
   -14.616981
               59.755488
                          -53.263745
                                     19.514497 113.916473 101.657056
                                                                       8.561499 66.2327
     -3.565742 -16.844571 -130.911785
                                      0.320254
                                                79.350278
                                                            23.562028 79.124551 84.1198
  156.833630
              59.991896
                           -8.414311
                                     29.251426 133.680218 112.457566 89.849781 21.6130
3
    41.472439 56.717317
                          31.530616 -5.520164
                                                33.454800
                                                            79.596179 15.508996 40.0420
   -14.446975
              -4.338255
                         -70.196208 -48.636382
                                               18.356858 -50.807069 24.311196 60.0436
5 rows × 96 columns
In [127]:
```

```
print("Number of features in nlp dataframe :", df1.shape[1])
print("Number of features in preprocessed dataframe :", df2.shape[1])
print("Number of features in question1 w2v dataframe :", df3_q1.shape[1])
print("Number of features in question2 w2v dataframe :", df3_q2.shape[1])
print("Number of features in final dataframe :", df1.shape[1]+df2.shape[1]+df3_q1.shape[1]
```

```
Number of features in nlp dataframe : 17
Number of features in preprocessed dataframe : 12
Number of features in question1 w2v dataframe : 96
Number of features in question2 w2v dataframe : 96
Number of features in final dataframe : 221
```

In [128]:

```
# storing the final features to csv file
if not os.path.isfile('final_features.csv'):
    df3_q1['id']=df1['id']
    df3_q2['id']=df1['id']
    df1 = df1.merge(df2, on='id',how='left')
    df2 = df3_q1.merge(df3_q2, on='id',how='left')
    result = df1.merge(df2, on='id',how='left')
    result.to_csv('final_features.csv')
```

4. Machine Learning Models

4.1 Reading data from file and storing into sql table

In [142]:

```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import re
import time
import warnings
import sqlite3
#from sqlalchemy import create_engine # database connection
import csv
import os
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
from datetime import datetime as dt
import numpy as np
from nltk.corpus import stopwords
from sklearn.decomposition import TruncatedSVD
from sklearn.preprocessing import normalize
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import CountVectorizer
from sklearn.manifold import TSNE
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
from sklearn.metrics.classification import accuracy_score, log_loss
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer
from collections import Counter
from scipy.sparse import hstack
from sklearn.multiclass import OneVsRestClassifier
from sklearn.svm import SVC
from collections import Counter, defaultdict
from sklearn.calibration import CalibratedClassifierCV
from sklearn.naive_bayes import MultinomialNB
from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
import math
from sklearn.metrics import normalized mutual info score
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
from sklearn.linear_model import SGDClassifier
from mlxtend.classifier import StackingClassifier
from sklearn import model selection
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.metrics import precision_recall_curve, auc, roc_curve
import spacy
from tqdm import tqdm
from datetime import datetime as dt
```

```
In [141]:
```

```
pip install mlxtend
```

Collecting mlxtend

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Installing collected packages: mlxtend

Successfully installed mlxtend-0.17.0

Note: you may need to restart the kernel to use updated packages.

In [129]:

```
if os.path.isfile('final_features.csv'):
    data = pd.read_csv('final_features.csv',nrows=50000,encoding='utf-8')
```

In [130]:

```
data.head(3)
```

Out[130]:

	Unnamed: 0	id	is_duplicate	cwc_min	cwc_max	csc_min	csc_max	ctc_min	ctc_max	las
0	0	0	0	0.999980	0.833319	0.999983	0.999983	0.916659	0.785709	
1	1	1	0	0.799984	0.399996	0.749981	0.599988	0.699993	0.466664	
2	2	2	0	0.399992	0.333328	0.399992	0.249997	0.399996	0.285712	

3 rows × 221 columns

4.2 Random train test split

In [131]:

In [132]:

```
print("Shape of X_train :",X_train.shape)
print("shape of y train :", y_train.shape)
```

Shape of X_train : (37500, 221) shape of y train : (37500,)

In [133]:

```
X_train.head()
```

Out[133]:

	Unnamed: 0	id	is_duplicate	cwc_min	cwc_max	csc_min	csc_max	ctc_min	ctc_
23561	23561	23561	0	0.333322	0.333322	0.749981	0.428565	0.571420	0.399
3536	3536	3536	0	0.000000	0.000000	0.333322	0.166664	0.111110	0.080
33192	33192	33192	1	0.666656	0.399996	0.749981	0.374995	0.699993	0.388
35725	35725	35725	0	0.999950	0.666644	0.000000	0.000000	0.399992	0.28
6320	6320	6320	0	0.749981	0.599988	0.749981	0.599988	0.749991	0.599

5 rows × 221 columns

```
In [134]:
```

extraction features from train data frame

```
X_train = X_train.drop(['Unnamed: 0', 'id', 'is_duplicate'], axis=1, inplace=False)
# extraction features from test data frame
X_test = X_test.drop(['Unnamed: 0', 'id','is_duplicate'], axis=1, inplace=False)
print("Number of data points in train data :",X_train.shape)
print("Number of data points in test data :",X_test.shape)
print("y train shape :", y_train.shape)
Number of data points in train data: (37500, 218)
Number of data points in test data: (12500, 218)
y train shape : (37500,)
In [ ]:
from collections import Counter
from collections import Counter, defaultdict
print("-"*10, "Distribution of output variable in train data", "-"*10)
train_distr = Counter(y_train)
train_len = len(y_train)
print("Class 0: ",int(train_distr[0])/train_len,"Class 1: ", int(train_distr[1])/train_
print("-"*10, "Distribution of output variable in test data", "-"*10)
test_distr = Counter(y_test)
test_len = len(y_test)
```

print("Class 0: ",int(test_distr[1])/test_len, "Class 1: ",int(test_distr[1])/test_len)

4.3 def Confustion Matrix

```
In [143]:
```

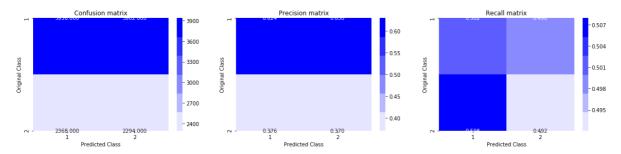
```
# This function plots the confusion matrices given y_i, y_i_hat.
def plot_confusion_matrix(test_y, predict_y):
    C = confusion_matrix(test_y, predict_y)
    # C = 9,9 matrix, each cell (i,j) represents number of points of class i are predic
    A = (((C.T)/(C.sum(axis=1))).T)
    #divid each element of the confusion matrix with the sum of elements in that column
    \# C = [[1, 2],
         [3, 41]
    \# C.T = [[1, 3],
             [2, 4]]
    # C.sum(axis = 1) axis=0 corresonds to columns and axis=1 corresponds to rows in t
    \# C.sum(axix = 1) = [[3, 7]]
    \# ((C.T)/(C.sum(axis=1))) = [[1/3, 3/7]
                                [2/3, 4/711]
    \# ((C.T)/(C.sum(axis=1))).T = [[1/3, 2/3]
                                [3/7, 4/7]]
    # sum of row elements = 1
    B = (C/C.sum(axis=0))
    #divid each element of the confusion matrix with the sum of elements in that row
    \# C = [[1, 2],
         [3, 4]]
    # C.sum(axis = 0) axis=0 corresonds to columns and axis=1 corresponds to rows in t
    \# C.sum(axix = 0) = [[4, 6]]
    \# (C/C.sum(axis=0)) = [[1/4, 2/6],
                          [3/4, 4/6]]
    plt.figure(figsize=(20,4))
    labels = [1,2]
    # representing A in heatmap format
    cmap=sns.light palette("blue")
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.heatmap(C, annot=True, cmap=cmap, fmt=".3f", xticklabels=labels, yticklabels=la
    plt.xlabel('Predicted Class')
    plt.ylabel('Original Class')
    plt.title("Confusion matrix")
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 2)
    sns.heatmap(B, annot=True, cmap=cmap, fmt=".3f", xticklabels=labels, yticklabels=la
    plt.xlabel('Predicted Class')
    plt.ylabel('Original Class')
    plt.title("Precision matrix")
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    # representing B in heatmap format
    sns.heatmap(A, annot=True, cmap=cmap, fmt=".3f", xticklabels=labels, yticklabels=la
    plt.xlabel('Predicted Class')
    plt.ylabel('Original Class')
    plt.title("Recall matrix")
    plt.show()
```

4.4 Building a random model (Finding worst-case log-loss)

In [144]:

```
# we need to generate 9 numbers and the sum of numbers should be 1
# one solution is to genarate 9 numbers and divide each of the numbers by their sum
# ref: https://stackoverflow.com/a/18662466/4084039
# we create a output array that has exactly same size as the CV data
predicted_y = np.zeros((test_len,2))
for i in range(test_len):
    rand_probs = np.random.rand(1,2)
    predicted_y[i] = ((rand_probs/sum(sum(rand_probs)))[0])
print("Log loss on Test Data using Random Model",log_loss(y_test, predicted_y, eps=1e-1)
predicted_y = np.argmax(predicted_y, axis=1)
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
```

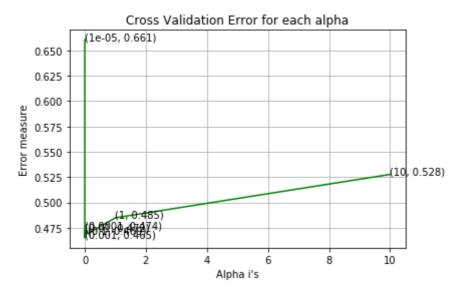
Log loss on Test Data using Random Model 0.8892749522870612



```
In [145]:
```

```
alpha = [10 ** x for x in range(-5, 2)] # hyperparam for SGD classifier.
# read more about SGDClassifier() at http://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/s
# -----
# default parameters
# SGDClassifier(loss='hinge', penalty='l2', alpha=0.0001, l1_ratio=0.15, fit_intercept=
# shuffle=True, verbose=0, epsilon=0.1, n_jobs=1, random_state=None, learning_rate='opt
# class_weight=None, warm_start=False, average=False, n_iter=None)
# some of methods
# fit(X, y[, coef_init, intercept_init, ...]) Fit linear model with Stochastic Gradient D
\# predict(X) Predict class labels for samples in X.
log_error_array=[]
for i in alpha:
    clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=i, penalty='12', loss='log', random_state=42)
    clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
    sig_clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
    sig_clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
    predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(X_test)
    log_error_array.append(log_loss(y_test, predict_y, labels=clf.classes_, eps=1e-15))
    print('For values of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, l
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(alpha, log_error_array,c='g')
for i, txt in enumerate(np.round(log_error_array,3)):
    ax.annotate((alpha[i],np.round(txt,3)), (alpha[i],log_error_array[i]))
plt.grid()
plt.title("Cross Validation Error for each alpha")
plt.xlabel("Alpha i's")
plt.ylabel("Error measure")
plt.show()
best_alpha = np.argmin(log_error_array)
clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=alpha[best_alpha], penalty='12', loss='log', random_state=42)
clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
sig clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
sig_clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(X_train)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The train log loss is:",log_lo
predict y = sig clf.predict proba(X test)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The test log loss is:",log_los
predicted_y =np.argmax(predict_y,axis=1)
print("Total number of data points :", len(predicted_y))
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
For values of alpha = 1e-05 The log loss is: 0.6605122740522953
For values of alpha = 0.0001 The log loss is: 0.47394741360516257
For values of alpha = 0.001 The log loss is: 0.46503561049739617
For values of alpha = 0.01 The log loss is: 0.47178383668593543
For values of alpha = 0.1 The log loss is: 0.4691746719527075
```

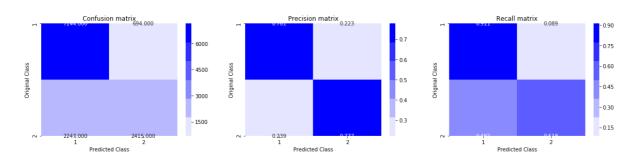
For values of alpha = 1 The log loss is: 0.4848014377495121 For values of alpha = 10 The log loss is: 0.5276390243996072



For values of best alpha = 0.001 The train log loss is: 0.458661050752141 5

For values of best alpha = 0.001 The test log loss is: 0.4650356104973961 7

Total number of data points : 12500

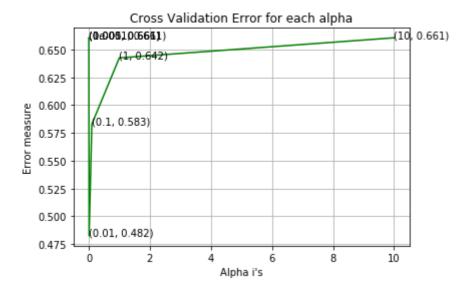


4.5 Linear SVM with Hyperparameter Tuning

```
In [146]:
```

```
alpha = [10 ** x for x in range(-5, 2)] # hyperparam for SGD classifier.
# read more about SGDClassifier() at http://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/s
# -----
# default parameters
# SGDClassifier(loss='hinge', penalty='l2', alpha=0.0001, l1_ratio=0.15, fit_intercept=
# shuffle=True, verbose=0, epsilon=0.1, n_jobs=1, random_state=None, learning_rate='opt
# class_weight=None, warm_start=False, average=False, n_iter=None)
# some of methods
# fit(X, y[, coef_init, intercept_init, ...]) Fit linear model with Stochastic Gradient D
\# predict(X) Predict class labels for samples in X.
log_error_array=[]
for i in alpha:
    clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=i, penalty='l1', loss='hinge', random_state=42)
    clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
    sig_clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
    sig_clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
    predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(X_test)
    log_error_array.append(log_loss(y_test, predict_y, labels=clf.classes_, eps=1e-15))
    print('For values of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, l
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(alpha, log_error_array,c='g')
for i, txt in enumerate(np.round(log_error_array,3)):
    ax.annotate((alpha[i],np.round(txt,3)), (alpha[i],log_error_array[i]))
plt.grid()
plt.title("Cross Validation Error for each alpha")
plt.xlabel("Alpha i's")
plt.ylabel("Error measure")
plt.show()
best_alpha = np.argmin(log_error_array)
clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=alpha[best_alpha], penalty='l1', loss='hinge', random_state=4
clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
sig clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
sig_clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(X_train)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The train log loss is:",log_lo
predict y = sig clf.predict proba(X test)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The test log loss is:",log_los
predicted_y =np.argmax(predict_y,axis=1)
print("Total number of data points :", len(predicted_y))
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
For values of alpha = 1e-05 The log loss is: 0.6605122740522953
For values of alpha = 0.0001 The log loss is: 0.6605122740522953
For values of alpha = 0.001 The log loss is: 0.6605122740522953
For values of alpha = 0.01 The log loss is: 0.4824487537615871
For values of alpha = 0.1 The log loss is: 0.5829063073648578
```

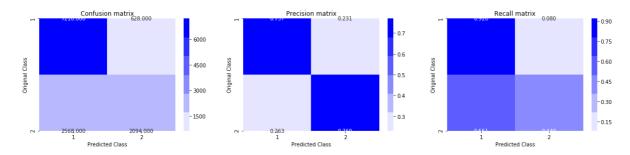
For values of alpha = 1 The log loss is: 0.6424638067389172 For values of alpha = 10 The log loss is: 0.6605122740522953



For values of best alpha = 0.01 The train log loss is: 0.4803502509804249 4

For values of best alpha = 0.01 The test log loss is: 0.4824487537615871

Total number of data points : 12500



4.6 XGBoost on Random model

In [152]:

[360]

train-logloss:0.34822

```
import xgboost as xgb
params = \{\}
params['objective'] = 'binary:logistic'
params['eval_metric'] = 'logloss'
params['eta'] = 0.02
params['max_depth'] = 4
d_train = xgb.DMatrix(X_train, label=y_train)
d_test = xgb.DMatrix(X_test, label=y_test)
watchlist = [(d_train, 'train'), (d_test, 'valid')]
bst = xgb.train(params, d_train, 400, watchlist, early_stopping_rounds=20, verbose_eval
xgdmat = xgb.DMatrix(X_train,y_train)
predict_y = bst.predict(d_test)
print("The test log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, labels=clf.classes_, eps=1e-1
        train-logloss:0.684831 valid-logloss:0.68492
Multiple eval metrics have been passed: 'valid-logloss' will be used for
early stopping.
Will train until valid-logloss hasn't improved in 20 rounds.
        train-logloss:0.614815
                                valid-logloss:0.615143
[10]
[20]
        train-logloss:0.564044
                                valid-logloss:0.564804
        train-logloss:0.525747
                                valid-logloss:0.526968
[30]
[40]
        train-logloss:0.495944
                                valid-logloss:0.497558
        train-logloss:0.472833
                                valid-logloss:0.474814
[50]
[60]
        train-logloss:0.454838
                                valid-logloss:0.457093
[70]
        train-logloss:0.440087
                                valid-logloss:0.442566
[80]
        train-logloss:0.428034
                                valid-logloss:0.430735
[90]
        train-logloss:0.418248
                                valid-logloss:0.421226
        train-logloss:0.410244
                                valid-logloss:0.413337
[100]
[110]
        train-logloss:0.403465
                                valid-logloss:0.406766
[120]
        train-logloss:0.397676
                                valid-logloss:0.401171
        train-logloss:0.392861
                                valid-logloss:0.396535
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[140]
        train-logloss:0.388401
                                valid-logloss:0.392196
[150]
        train-logloss:0.384944
                                valid-logloss:0.389072
[160]
        train-logloss:0.381833
                                valid-logloss:0.386256
[170]
        train-logloss:0.379131
                                valid-logloss:0.383879
[180]
        train-logloss:0.376806
                                valid-logloss:0.381937
[190]
        train-logloss:0.374439
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        train-logloss:0.372371
                                valid-logloss:0.378125
        train-logloss:0.370508
                                valid-logloss:0.376647
[210]
[220]
        train-logloss:0.368713
                                valid-logloss:0.375195
[230]
        train-logloss:0.367022
                                valid-logloss:0.373822
        train-logloss:0.365166
                                valid-logloss:0.372401
[240]
[250]
        train-logloss:0.363515
                                valid-logloss:0.371158
[260]
        train-logloss:0.361935
                                valid-logloss:0.370026
[270]
        train-logloss:0.360359
                                valid-logloss:0.369001
[280]
        train-logloss:0.358714
                                valid-logloss:0.367716
[290]
        train-logloss:0.35735
                                valid-logloss:0.366786
        train-logloss:0.356012
                                valid-logloss:0.365899
[300]
[310]
        train-logloss:0.354544
                                valid-logloss:0.364884
[320]
        train-logloss:0.353221
                                valid-logloss:0.364036
[330]
        train-logloss:0.351998
                                valid-logloss:0.36332
[340]
        train-logloss:0.35076
                                valid-logloss:0.362538
                                valid-logloss:0.361727
[350]
        train-logloss:0.34951
```

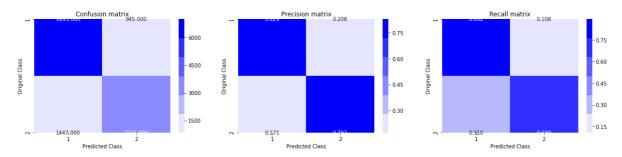
valid-logloss:0.360976

```
[370] train-logloss:0.347083 valid-logloss:0.360373 [380] train-logloss:0.345999 valid-logloss:0.359844 [390] train-logloss:0.344957 valid-logloss:0.359314 [399] train-logloss:0.343868 valid-logloss:0.358692 The test log loss is: 0.3586922006776975
```

In [153]:

```
predicted_y =np.array(predict_y>0.5,dtype=int)
print("Total number of data points :", len(predicted_y))
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
```

Total number of data points : 12500



- 1. Let us Try out models (Logistic regression, Linear-SVM) with simple TF-IDF vectors instead of TD_IDF weighted word2Vec.
- 2. Hyperparameter tune XgBoost using RandomSearch to reduce the log-loss.

5.0 Reading Data from file

In [154]:

```
if os.path.isfile('nlp_features_train.csv'):
    df1 = pd.read_csv("nlp_features_train.csv",nrows=50000,encoding='latin-1')

if os.path.isfile('df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv'):
    dfppro = pd.read_csv("df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv",encoding='latin-1')
```

In [155]:

df1.head()

Out[155]:

	id	qid1	qid2	question1	question2	is_duplicate	cwc_min	cwc_max	csc_min	csc_max
0	0	1	2	what is the step by step guide to invest in sh	what is the step by step guide to invest in sh	0	0.999980	0.833319	0.999983	0.999983
1	1	3	4	what is the story of kohinoor koh i noor dia	what would happen if the indian government sto	0	0.799984	0.399996	0.749981	0.599988
2	2	5	6	how can i increase the speed of my internet co	how can internet speed be increased by hacking	0	0.399992	0.333328	0.399992	0.249997
3	3	7	8	why am i mentally very lonely how can i solve	find the remainder when math 23 24 math i	0	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000
4	4	9	10	which one dissolve in water quikly sugar salt	which fish would survive in salt water	0	0.399992	0.199998	0.999950	0.666644
5 r	ows	× 21	colum	ns						
₫										>

In [156]:

```
df2 = dfppro.drop(['qid1','qid2','question1','question2','is_duplicate'],axis=1)
dfnlp = df1.merge(df2, on='id',how='left')
```

In [157]:

dfnlp.head()

Out[157]:

	id	qid1	qid2	question1	question2	is_duplicate	cwc_min	cwc_max	csc_min	csc_max
0	0	1	2	what is the step by step guide to invest in sh	what is the step by step guide to invest in sh	0	0.999980	0.833319	0.999983	0.999983
1	1	3	4	what is the story of kohinoor koh i noor dia	what would happen if the indian government sto	0	0.799984	0.399996	0.749981	0.599988
2	2	5	6	how can i increase the speed of my internet co	how can internet speed be increased by hacking	0	0.399992	0.333328	0.399992	0.249997
3	3	7	8	why am i mentally very lonely how can i solve	find the remainder when math 23 24 math i	0	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000
4	4	9	10	which one dissolve in water quikly sugar salt	which fish would survive in salt water	0	0.399992	0.199998	0.999950	0.666644

5 rows × 32 columns

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In [158]:

```
nan_rows = dfnlp[dfnlp.isnull().any(1)]
print (nan_rows)
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                    39205
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3306
                      why should one not work at google
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      what is the gmail tech support help phone number
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                4
```

[5 rows x 32 columns]

```
In [159]:
# Filling the null values with ' '
dfnlp = dfnlp.fillna('')
nan rows = dfnlp[dfnlp.isnull().any(1)]
print (nan_rows)
Empty DataFrame
Columns: [id, qid1, qid2, question1, question2, is_duplicate, cwc_min, cwc
_max, csc_min, csc_max, ctc_min, ctc_max, last_word_eq, first_word_eq, abs
_len_diff, mean_len, token_set_ratio, token_sort_ratio, fuzz_ratio, fuzz_p
artial_ratio, longest_substr_ratio, freq_qid1, freq_qid2, q1len, q2len, q1
_n_words, q2_n_words, word_Common, word_Total, word_share, freq_q1+q2, fre
q_q1-q2]
Index: []
[0 rows x 32 columns]
5.1 Splitting data Train, Test, CV
In [161]:
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(dfnlp,dfnlp['is_duplicate'],stratif
In [164]:
X_test= X_test.drop(('is_duplicate'),axis=1)
print("Shape of x_test :", X_test.shape)
Shape of x_test : (12500, 31)
In [165]:
print("shape of y train :", y_train.shape)
print("Shape of y test :", y_test.shape)
shape of y train: (37500,)
Shape of y test : (12500,)
In [166]:
X_train.head(1)
Out[166]:
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1 rows × 31 columns

5.2 TFIDF vectorizer on Questions Text Dat

In [167]:

```
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer
vectorizer = TfidfVectorizer(ngram_range=(1,2), min_df=10)

# merge texts
questions = list(X_train['question1']) + list(X_train['question2'])
#questions = list(df['question1']) + list(df['question2'])

vectorizer.fit(questions)
```

Out[167]:

5.3 TFIDF Vectorizer on Train data _ question1 and question2

In [168]:

```
#question1
tfidf_train_ques1= vectorizer.transform(X_train['question1'])
print("Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_train_ques1: ",tfidf_train_ques1.sha

print("the number of unique words in tfidf_train_ques1: ", tfidf_train_ques1.get_shape(
#question2
tfidf_train_ques2= vectorizer.transform(X_train['question2'])
print("Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_train_ques2: ",tfidf_train_ques2.sha
print("the number of unique words in tfidf_train_ques2: ", tfidf_train_ques2.get_shape()
```

```
Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_train_ques1: (37500, 13365) the number of unique words in tfidf_train_ques1: 13365
Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_train_ques2: (37500, 13365) the number of unique words in tfidf_train_ques2: 13365
```

In [169]:

```
# extraction features from train data frame
X_train_feature_df = X_train.drop(['id','qid1','qid2','question1','question2'], axis=1,
```

In [171]:

```
X_train_feature_df.head()
```

Out[171]:

	cwc_min	cwc_max	csc_min	csc_max	ctc_min	ctc_max	last_word_eq	first_word_€		
23561	0.333322	0.333322	0.749981	0.428565	0.571420	0.399996	0.0	1		
3536	0.000000	0.000000	0.333322	0.166664	0.111110	0.083333	0.0	0		
33192	0.666656	0.399996	0.749981	0.374995	0.699993	0.388887	0.0	1		
35725	0.999950	0.666644	0.000000	0.000000	0.399992	0.285710	1.0	0		
6320	0.749981	0.599988	0.749981	0.599988	0.749991	0.599994	1.0	0		
5 rows × 26 columns										
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In [172]:

```
import scipy
# X_train.head()
print("train Shape Before -> ",X_train_feature_df.shape," Type",type(X_train_feature_df
#so we need to convert our feature data into sparse matrix so that we will combine our train_feat_sparse = scipy.sparse.csr_matrix(X_train_feature_df)
print("train Shape After-> ",train_feat_sparse.shape," Type",type(train_feat_sparse))
```

train Shape Before -> (37500, 26) Type <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFra
me'>
train Shape After-> (37500, 26) Type <class 'scipy.sparse.csr.csr_matri
x'>

the number of unique words in tfidf test ques2: 13365

In [173]:

```
# Test data question1
tfidf_test_ques1= vectorizer.transform(X_test['question1'])
print("Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_test_ques1:",tfidf_test_ques1.shape)
print("the number of unique words in tfidf_test_ques1: ", tfidf_test_ques1.get_shape()[
#Test data question2
tfidf_test_ques2= vectorizer.transform(X_test['question2'])
print("Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_test_ques2: ",tfidf_test_ques2.shape
print("the number of unique words in tfidf_test_ques2: ", tfidf_test_ques2.get_shape()[]
Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_test_ques1: (12500, 13365)
the number of unique words in tfidf_test_ques1: 13365
Shape of matrix after one hot encodig tfidf_test_ques2: (12500, 13365)
```

```
In [174]:
```

Out[176]:

(37500, 26730)

```
# extraction features from test data frame
X_test_feature_df = X_test.drop(['id','qid1','qid2','question1','question2'], axis=1, i
print("test Shape Before -> ",X_test_feature_df.shape," Type",type(X_test_feature_df))
#so we need to convert our feature data into sparse matrix so that we will combine our
test_feat_sparse = scipy.sparse.csr_matrix(X_test_feature_df)
print("test Shape After-> ",test feat sparse.shape," Type",type(test feat sparse))
test Shape Before -> (12500, 26) Type <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFram
e'>
test Shape After-> (12500, 26) Type <class 'scipy.sparse.csr.csr_matri
x'>
In [175]:
# combining our tfidf and features into one
# merge two sparse matrices: https://stackoverflow.com/a/19710648/4084039
from scipy.sparse import hstack
tfidf_train = hstack((tfidf_train_ques1,tfidf_train_ques2))
# test features(feat + tfidfvec)
tfidf_test = hstack((tfidf_test_ques1,tfidf_test_ques2))
#final train and test data shape
print("train data shape",tfidf_train.shape)
print("Test data shape ",tfidf_test.shape)
train data shape (37500, 26730)
Test data shape (12500, 26730)
In [176]:
tfidf_train.shape
```

```
In [177]:
```

```
from scipy.sparse import hstack
tfidf_train = hstack((train_feat_sparse,tfidf_train_ques1,tfidf_train_ques2))
# test features(feat + tfidfvec)
tfidf_test = hstack((test_feat_sparse,tfidf_test_ques1,tfidf_test_ques2))
#final train and test data shape
print("train data shape",tfidf_train.shape)
print("Test data shape ",tfidf_test.shape)
train data shape (37500, 26756)
Test data shape (12500, 26756)
In [178]:
print("Final Shape of the Data matrix")
print(tfidf_train.shape, y_train.shape)
print(tfidf_test.shape, y_test.shape)
Final Shape of the Data matrix
(37500, 26756) (37500,)
(12500, 26756) (12500,)
In [179]:
print("-"*10, "Distribution of output variable in train data", "-"*10)
train_distr = Counter(y_train)
train_len = len(y_train)
print("Class 0: ",int(train_distr[0])/train_len,"Class 1: ", int(train_distr[1])/train_
print("-"*10, "Distribution of output variable in train data", "-"*10)
test_distr = Counter(y_test)
test_len = len(y_test)
print("Class 0: ",int(test_distr[1])/test_len, "Class 1: ",int(test_distr[1])/test_len)
----- Distribution of output variable in train data ------
Class 0: 0.627013333333333 Class 1: 0.3729866666666667
----- Distribution of output variable in train data ------
Class 0: 0.37296 Class 1: 0.37296
```

5.4 def Confusion Matrix

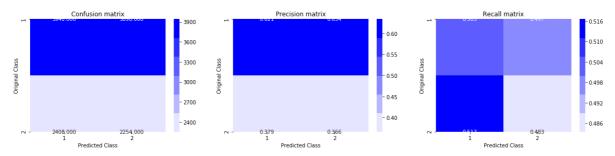
```
In [180]:
```

```
# This function plots the confusion matrices given y_i, y_i_hat.
def plot_confusion_matrix(test_y, predict_y):
    C = confusion_matrix(test_y, predict_y)
    # C = 9,9 matrix, each cell (i,j) represents number of points of class i are predic
    A = (((C.T)/(C.sum(axis=1))).T)
    #divid each element of the confusion matrix with the sum of elements in that column
    \# C = [[1, 2],
         [3, 41]
    \# C.T = [[1, 3],
             [2, 4]]
    # C.sum(axis = 1) axis=0 corresonds to columns and axis=1 corresponds to rows in t
    \# C.sum(axix = 1) = [[3, 7]]
    \# ((C.T)/(C.sum(axis=1))) = [[1/3, 3/7]
                                [2/3, 4/711]
    \# ((C.T)/(C.sum(axis=1))).T = [[1/3, 2/3]
                                [3/7, 4/7]]
    # sum of row elements = 1
    B = (C/C.sum(axis=0))
    #divid each element of the confusion matrix with the sum of elements in that row
    \# C = [[1, 2],
         [3, 4]]
    # C.sum(axis = 0) axis=0 corresonds to columns and axis=1 corresponds to rows in t
    \# C.sum(axix = 0) = [[4, 6]]
    \# (C/C.sum(axis=0)) = [[1/4, 2/6],
                          [3/4, 4/6]]
    plt.figure(figsize=(20,4))
    labels = [1,2]
    # representing A in heatmap format
    cmap=sns.light_palette("blue")
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 1)
    sns.heatmap(C, annot=True, cmap=cmap, fmt=".3f", xticklabels=labels, yticklabels=la
    plt.xlabel('Predicted Class')
    plt.ylabel('Original Class')
    plt.title("Confusion matrix")
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 2)
    sns.heatmap(B, annot=True, cmap=cmap, fmt=".3f", xticklabels=labels, yticklabels=la
    plt.xlabel('Predicted Class')
    plt.ylabel('Original Class')
    plt.title("Precision matrix")
    plt.subplot(1, 3, 3)
    # representing B in heatmap format
    sns.heatmap(A, annot=True, cmap=cmap, fmt=".3f", xticklabels=labels, yticklabels=la
    plt.xlabel('Predicted Class')
    plt.ylabel('Original Class')
    plt.title("Recall matrix")
    plt.show()
```

In [181]:

```
# we need to generate 9 numbers and the sum of numbers should be 1
# one solution is to genarate 9 numbers and divide each of the numbers by their sum
# ref: https://stackoverflow.com/a/18662466/4084039
# we create a output array that has exactly same size as the CV data
predicted_y = np.zeros((test_len,2))
for i in range(test_len):
    rand_probs = np.random.rand(1,2)
    predicted_y[i] = ((rand_probs/sum(sum(rand_probs)))[0])
print("Log loss on Test Data using Random Model",log_loss(y_test, predicted_y, eps=1e-1)
predicted_y = np.argmax(predicted_y, axis=1)
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
```

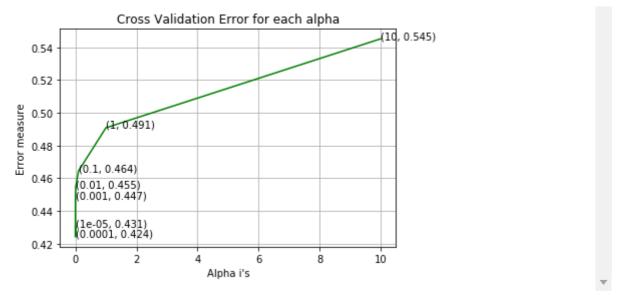
Log loss on Test Data using Random Model 0.8839826362854141



5.6 Logistic Regression with hyperparameter tuning

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In [182]:
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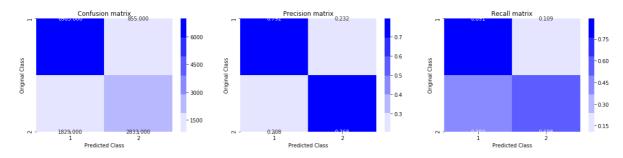
```
alpha = [10 ** x for x in range(-5, 2)] # hyperparam for SGD classifier.
# read more about SGDClassifier() at http://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/s
# default parameters
# SGDClassifier(loss= hinge, penalty=l2, alpha=0.0001, l1_ratio=0.15, fit_intercept=True
# shuffle=True, verbose=0, epsilon=0.1, n_jobs=1, random_state=None, learning_rate=optil
# class_weight=None, warm_start=False, average=False, n_iter=None)
# some of methods
# fit(X, y[, coef_init, intercept_init, ]) Fit linear model with Stochastic Gradient D
\# predict(X) Predict class labels for samples in X.
log_error_array=[]
for i in alpha:
    clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=i, penalty='12', loss='log', random_state=42)
    clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
    sig_clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
    sig_clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
    predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(tfidf_test)
    log_error_array.append(log_loss(y_test, predict_y, labels=clf.classes_, eps=1e-15))
    print('For values of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, l
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(alpha, log_error_array,c='g')
for i, txt in enumerate(np.round(log_error_array,3)):
    ax.annotate((alpha[i],np.round(txt,3)), (alpha[i],log_error_array[i]))
plt.grid()
plt.title("Cross Validation Error for each alpha")
plt.xlabel("Alpha i's")
plt.ylabel("Error measure")
plt.show()
best_alpha = np.argmin(log_error_array)
clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=alpha[best_alpha], penalty='12', loss='log', random_state=42)
clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
sig_clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
sig_clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(tfidf_train)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The train log loss is:",log_lo
predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(tfidf_test)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The test log loss is:",log_los
predicted_y =np.argmax(predict_y,axis=1)
print("Total number of data points :", len(predicted y))
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
For values of alpha = 1e-05 The log loss is: 0.43057045667853533
For values of alpha = 0.0001 The log loss is: 0.42416550170315664
For values of alpha = 0.001 The log loss is: 0.44742936691017465
For values of alpha = 0.01 The log loss is: 0.45458433860368086
For values of alpha = 0.1 The log loss is: 0.4643584995447944
For values of alpha = 1 The log loss is: 0.49080407521050934
For values of alpha = 10 The log loss is: 0.5451775161339065
```



For values of best alpha = 0.0001 The train log loss is: 0.41338058044966

For values of best alpha = 0.0001 The test log loss is: 0.424165501703156 64

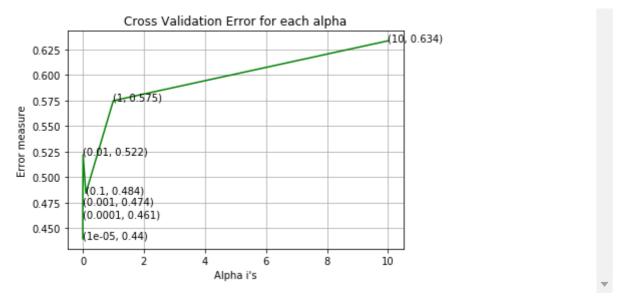
Total number of data points : 12500



5.7 Linear SVM Hyperparameter Tuning

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In [183]:
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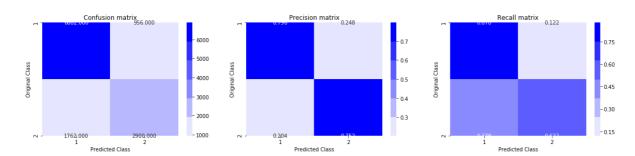
```
alpha = [10 ** x for x in range(-5, 2)] # hyperparam for SGD classifier.
# read more about SGDClassifier() at http://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/s
# -----
# default parameters
# SGDClassifier(loss=hinge, penalty=l2, alpha=0.0001, l1_ratio=0.15, fit_intercept=True
# shuffle=True, verbose=0, epsilon=0.1, n_jobs=1, random_state=None, learning_rate=optil
# class_weight=None, warm_start=False, average=False, n_iter=None)
# some of methods
# fit(X, y[, coef_init, intercept_init,]) Fit linear model with Stochastic Gradient D
\# predict(X) Predict class labels for samples in X.
log_error_array=[]
for i in alpha:
       clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=i, penalty='l1', loss='hinge', random_state=42)
       clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
       sig_clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
       sig_clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
       predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(tfidf_test)
       log_error_array.append(log_loss(y_test, predict_y, labels=clf.classes_, eps=1e-15))
       print('For values of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, predict_y, language of alpha = ', i, "The log loss is:",log_loss(y_test, predict_y, predict_y,
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.plot(alpha, log_error_array,c='g')
for i, txt in enumerate(np.round(log_error_array,3)):
       ax.annotate((alpha[i],np.round(txt,3)), (alpha[i],log_error_array[i]))
plt.grid()
plt.title("Cross Validation Error for each alpha")
plt.xlabel("Alpha i's")
plt.ylabel("Error measure")
plt.show()
best_alpha = np.argmin(log_error_array)
clf = SGDClassifier(alpha=alpha[best_alpha], penalty='l1', loss='hinge', random_state=4
clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
sig clf = CalibratedClassifierCV(clf, method="sigmoid")
sig_clf.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)
predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(tfidf_train)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The train log loss is:",log_lo
predict_y = sig_clf.predict_proba(tfidf_test)
print('For values of best alpha = ', alpha[best_alpha], "The test log loss is:",log_los
predicted_y =np.argmax(predict_y,axis=1)
print("Total number of data points :", len(predicted_y))
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
For values of alpha = 1e-05 The log loss is: 0.43971930193051834
For values of alpha = 0.0001 The log loss is: 0.4609187140027068
For values of alpha = 0.001 The log loss is: 0.4735602155265985
For values of alpha = 0.01 The log loss is: 0.5219821811005141
For values of alpha = 0.1 The log loss is: 0.4843230596967703
For values of alpha = 1 The log loss is: 0.5749588676366658
For values of alpha = 10 The log loss is: 0.6335853743705856
```



For values of best alpha = 1e-05 The train log loss is: 0.422889829583406 6

For values of best alpha = 1e-05 The test log loss is: 0.4397193019305183 4

Total number of data points : 12500



XGBoost - Hyperparameter Tuning

In [185]:

In [190]:

```
# best params
bst = xgb.XGBClassifier(max_depth=10,learning_rate=0.1042,objective='binary:logistic',gbst.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)

clf_calib = CalibratedClassifierCV(bst, method="sigmoid")
clf_calib.fit(tfidf_train, y_train)

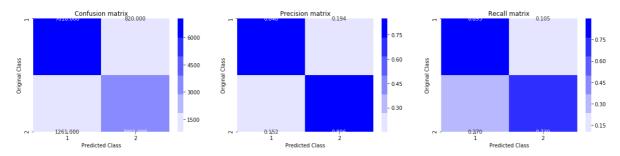
predict_y = clf_calib.predict_proba(tfidf_train)

print("The train log loss is: ",log_loss(y_train, predict_y,labels=bst.classes_, eps=1e)

predict_y = clf_calib.predict_proba(tfidf_test)
print("The test log loss is: ",log_loss(y_test, predict_y,labels=bst.classes_, eps=1e-)

predicted_y =np.argmax(predict_y,axis=1)
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_y)
```

The train log loss is: 0.2506374948791325 The test log loss is: 0.3456727415454542



TFIDF W2V 50 K Data

In [191]:

```
# Load Basic Features
dftw_50k = pd.read_csv("df_fe_without_preprocessing_train.csv",encoding='latin-1')
#Taking samples of 50k
# Creating duplicate of df_50k for TFIDF Weighted Word2Vec
dftw_50k = dftw_50k.sample(n = 50000)
print("Columns in dftw_50k dataframe:\n")
print(dftw_50k.columns)
dftw_50k.head()
```

Columns in dftw_50k dataframe:

Out[191]:

297733 297733 141532 46839 What are other other any websites that has websites similar like Q Can this websites intolerant towards On Quora?		id	qid1	qid2	question1	question2	is_duplicate	freq_qid1	freq_qid2	q1len
297733 297733 141532 46839 24	292007	292007	413533	413534	book describe the ancient Indian	can I read about Gurukul system of	1	1	1	67
159027 159027 248319 248320 the least viewed 0	297733	297733	141532	46839	other question- asking websites	any websites that has similar	1	9	5	51
Where	159027	159027	248319	248320	country is the least intolerant	be the most viewed question on	0	1	1	56
prefer you prefer 165500 165500 184440 256987 women a 1 1 1 1 71 with no woman's pubic hair, pubic hair	287891	287891	169424	408732	can I learn HTML and	can I learn more about HTML and	1	3	1	31
	165500	165500	184440	256987	prefer women with no pubic hair,	you prefer a woman's pubic hair	1	1	1	71

```
In [192]:
```

```
dftw_50k['question1'] = dftw_50k['question1'].apply(lambda x: str(x))
dftw_50k['question2'] = dftw_50k['question2'].apply(lambda x: str(x))
```

In [193]:

```
x_tw = dftw_50k.drop(['is_duplicate', 'id'], axis = 1)
y_tw = dftw_50k['is_duplicate']
```

In [194]:

```
#Train Test Split
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

x_train_tw, x_test_tw, y_train_tw, y_test_tw = train_test_split(x_tw, y_tw, test_size =
```

In [195]:

```
print("Shape of x tw train data:", x_train_tw.shape)
print("Shape of xtw test data:", x_test_tw.shape)
print("Shape of y tw train data:", y_train_tw.shape)
print("Shape of y tw test data:", y_test_tw.shape)
```

```
Shape of x tw train data: (35000, 15)
Shape of xtw test data: (15000, 15)
Shape of y tw train data: (35000,)
Shape of y tw test data: (15000,)
```

In [196]:

```
# With train data, creating list of questions, dictionary of feature names and idf value
# Importing library
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer

# Merge texts
questions = list(x_train_tw['question1']) + list(x_train_tw['question2'])

tfidf = TfidfVectorizer(lowercase=False)
tfidf.fit_transform(questions)

# dict key:word and value:tf-idf score
word2tfidf = dict(zip(tfidf.get_feature_names(), tfidf.idf_))
```

In [201]:

```
# Defining a function 'vec' to create TF-IDF Weighted Word2Vec
# Importing libraries
import os
import spacy
from tqdm import tqdm
def vec(xtw):
    # en_vectors_web_lg, which includes over 1 million unique vectors.
   nlp = spacy.load('en')
   vecs = []
   # https://github.com/noamraph/tqdm
    # tqdm is used to print the progress bar
   for qu in tqdm(list(xtw)):
        doc = nlp(qu)
        # 96 is the number of dimensions of vectors
        mean_vec = np.zeros([len(doc), 96])
        for word in doc:
            # word2vec
            vec = word.vector
            # fetch df score
            try:
                idf = word2tfidf[str(word)]
            except:
                idf = 0
            # compute final vec
            mean_vec += vec * idf
        mean_vec = mean_vec.mean(axis = 0)
        vecs.append(mean_vec)
    #dftw_100k['q1_feats_m'] = list(vecs1)
    return vecs
```

```
In [202]:
```

```
# Calling 'vec' function for train question1
x_train_tw['que1_tw'] = vec(x_train_tw['question1'])
# Calling 'vec' function for train question2
x_train_tw['que2_tw'] = vec(x_train_tw['question2'])
# Calling 'vec' function for test question1
x_test_tw['que1_tw'] = vec(x_test_tw['question1'])
# Calling 'vec' function for test question2
x_test_tw['que2_tw'] = vec(x_test_tw['question2'])
```

```
100%| 35000/35000 [07:55<00:00, 73.61it/s]
100%| 35000/35000 [07:43<00:00, 75.48it/s]
100%| 35000/35000 [07:43<00:00, 75.48it/s]
100%| 35000/35000 [03:18<00:00, 75.57it/s]
100%| 35000/15000 [03:18<00:00, 75.57it/s]
100%| 35000/15000 [03:10<00:00, 78.60it/s]
```

In [204]:

```
print("Type of x_train_tw['que1_tw']:", type(x_train_tw['que1_tw']))
print("Type of x_train_tw['que2_tw']:", type(x_train_tw['que2_tw']))
print("Type of x_test_tw['que1_tw'] :", type(x_test_tw['que1_tw']))
print("Type of x_test_tw['que2_tw'] :", type(x_test_tw['que2_tw']))

print("Shape of x train question1 :", x_train_tw['que1_tw'].shape)
print("Shape of x train question1 data:", x_test_tw['que1_tw'].shape)

print("Shape of x train question2 :", x_train_tw['que2_tw'].shape)
print("Shape of x test question2 data:", x_test_tw['que1_tw'].shape)
```

```
Type of x_train_tw['que1_tw']: <class 'pandas.core.series.Series'>
Type of x_train_tw['que2_tw']: <class 'pandas.core.series.Series'>
Type of x_test_tw['que1_tw']: <class 'pandas.core.series.Series'>
Type of x_test_tw['que2_tw']: <class 'pandas.core.series.Series'>
Shape of x train question1 : (35000,)
Shape of x test question1 data: (15000,)
Shape of x test question2 : (35000,)
Shape of x test question2 data: (15000,)
```

In [205]:

In [206]:

```
#Concatinating train question1 and train question2 vectors with dataframe
final_tr_tw = pd.concat([x_train_tw, x_tr_tw1, x_tr_tw2], axis = 1)
# Dropping question1 and question2 columns from final_test dataframe
final_te_tw = pd.concat([x_test_tw, x_te_tw1, x_te_tw2], axis = 1)
```

In [207]:

```
final_tr_tw = final_tr_tw.fillna(0) # Filling train dataframe
final_te_tw = final_te_tw.fillna(0) # Filling test dataframe

# Dropping question1 and question2 columns from final_train dataframe
final_tr_tw = final_tr_tw.drop(['question1', 'question2', 'que1_tw', 'que2_tw'], axis =
# Dropping question1 and question2 columns from final_test dataframe
final_te_tw = final_te_tw.drop(['question1', 'question2', 'que1_tw', 'que2_tw'], axis =
```

In [208]:

```
print("Shape of final_tr_tw dataframe:", final_tr_tw.shape, '\n')
print("Shape of final_te_tw dataframe:", final_te_tw.shape, '\n')
```

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Shape of final_tr_tw dataframe: (35000, 205)
Shape of final_te_tw dataframe: (15000, 205)
```

In [209]:

```
# Saving final train data
final_tr_tw.to_csv("quora_final_tr_tw.csv")
# Saving final test data
final_te_tw.to_csv("quora_final_te_tw.csv")
```

In [210]:

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In [211]:

```
bp = rs_k.best_params_
bs = rs_k.best_score_

print("Optimal hyperParameter:", bp, '\n')
print("Maximum accuracy:", bs * 100)
```

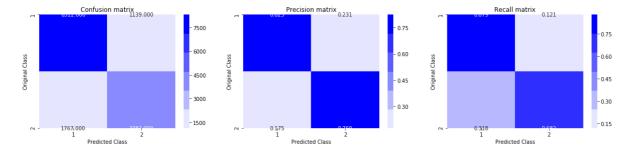
Optimal hyperParameter: {'n_estimators': 500, 'max_depth': 8}

Maximum accuracy: 80.58571428571429

In [212]:

```
# Confusion Matrix
predicted_y = np.array(predict_tw > 0.5, dtype = int)
print("Total number of data points :", len(predicted_y))
plot_confusion_matrix(y_test_tw, predicted_y)
```

Total number of data points : 15000



In [213]:

```
import xgboost as xgb
params = \{\}
params['objective'] = 'binary:logistic'
params['eval_metric'] = 'logloss'
params['eta'] = 0.02
params['max_depth'] = 8
params['n_estimators'] = 500
d_train = xgb.DMatrix(final_tr_tw, label= y_train_tw)
d_test = xgb.DMatrix(final_te_tw, label = y_test_tw)
watchlist = [(d_train, 'train'), (d_test, 'valid')]
bst = xgb.train(params, d_train, 400, watchlist, early_stopping_rounds=20)
xgdmat = xgb.DMatrix(final_tr_tw,y_train_tw)
predict_y = bst.predict(d_test)
print("The test log loss is:",log_loss(y_test_tw, predict_y, eps=1e-15))
        train-logloss:0.683366 valid-logloss:0.684147
Multiple eval metrics have been passed: 'valid-logloss' will be used for
early stopping.
Will train until valid-logloss hasn't improved in 20 rounds.
        train-logloss:0.674006 valid-logloss:0.675557
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[2]
        train-logloss:0.665035 valid-logloss:0.667271
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        train-logloss:0.656335 valid-logloss:0.659339
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       train-logloss:0.647864 valid-logloss:0.651647
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       train-logloss:0.639855 valid-logloss:0.644289
       train-logloss:0.63206
                                valid-logloss:0.637237
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       train-logloss:0.624535 valid-logloss:0.630405
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       train-logloss:0.617272 valid-logloss:0.623829
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       train-logloss:0.610305 valid-logloss:0.617514
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       train-logloss:0.603509 valid-logloss:0.611409
       train-logloss:0.596951 valid-logloss:0.605531
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       train-logloss:0.590507 valid-logloss:0.59979
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       train-logloss:0.58435
                                valid-logloss:0.594323
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        train-logloss:0.578289 valid-logloss:0.588908
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Conclusion:

Detailed step by step procedure i followed to solve this case study.

- The data set contains 404,290 rows and 5 columns: qid1, qid2, question1, question2, is_duplicate from which 'is_duplicate' is a class lable which specify that the question 1 and question 2 is similar or not, based on binary class label, we can difine this is a binary classification problem.
- Firstly we do preprocess the data, then did feature engineering to create new features which might help
 us to slove problem and created our dataframes based on feature engineering, then we merged
 dataframes and got out final matrix. after doing simple EDA on dataset we will try some Basic Feature
 Extraction (before cleaning) the datset like Frequency of qid1's ,word_Common and word_share, etc. and
 using this featured datset we will do some EDA on it so that we will able to rectify which features features
 are most helpful for classification.

- After doing basic Basic feature extractions we will try some Advanced Feature Extraction using NLP and Fuzzy Features as per the documentation links provided above but before doing Advanced Feature Extraction we will do Preprocessing of Text and then we will do Advanced Feature Extraction and try to visualise our Advanced Feature using EDA, PCA and word clouds.
- Then we Splitted the data randomly. We could also have done time based splitting, since the model could predict for future unseen data too. But, there was no timestamp column provided, so the only option we have to split it randomly.
- We have columns of two questions i.e question1 and question2 and we will vectorize that both collusing tfidf weighted word-vectors so that we will able to apply models on it and after doing all these we will merge all the features i.e besic features + advance features + question1 tfidf w2v + and question 2 tfidf w2v, and Now after doing all of there we will apply models on it.
- In this case study we have used log-loss and confusion matrix as a performance matrix to get performence of the models
- Applied models like Logistic Regression ,linear svm and XgBoost on random model which Finding worst-case log-loss .
- later applied models on tfidf vectorizer with hyperparameter tuning in order to improve the model performance.
- we got log loss of 0.88 on Random/Dumb Model. This is the worst case log-loss. This will act as a base model and any model we design should have a log-loss lesser than this dumb model.
- i applied Logistic Refreesion with hyperparameter, Linear SVM, XGBoost on Random Model (TFIDF W2v)
- Similarlly i applied TFIDF model also .
- Applied Logistic Regression with hyperparameter tuning on TFIDF Model, It gave a log-loss of 0.42, which is lower than Random Model.
- Applied Linear SVM with hyperparameter tuning on TFIDF model, It gave a log-loss of 0.43, which is lower than Random Model.
- Finally applied Xgboost with hyperparameter tuning on TFIDF model . It gave the log-loss of 0.34, which is lower than Random Model.
- Xgboost seems to perform well and hence can be used to Identify which questions asked on Quora are duplicates of questions that have already been asked.

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0.88 Logistic Regression 0.42	TFIDF	1	Done	I
Linear SVM	TFIDF	1	Done	I
XGBoost	TFIDF	I	Done	I
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