

# Tf-idf with gensim

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## Natural Language Processing in Python ##  
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§1 Introduction to Natural Language Processing in Python

§1.2 Simple topic identification

## 1 Tf-idf with gensim

### 1.1 What is tf-idf?

- Tf-idf means term frequency - inverse document frequency.
- Allow determining the most important words in each document.
- Each corpus may have shared words beyond just stopwords.
- These words should be down-weighted in importance.
- Example:

– “sky” from the theme of astronomy

- Ensures most common words don’t show up as keywords.
- Keep document specific frequent words weighted high.

### 1.2 What is the tf-idf formula?

- $w_{i,j} = tf_{i,j} \times \log \left( \frac{N}{df_i} \right)$ 
  - $w_{i,j}$  = tf-idf weight for token  $i$  in document  $j$
  - $tf_{i,j}$  = number of occurrences of token  $i$  in document  $j$
  - $df_i$  = number of documents that contain token  $i$
  - $N$  = total number of documents

### 1.3 Code of tf-idf with gensim:

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[1]: from gensim.corpora.dictionary import Dictionary
      from nltk.tokenize import word_tokenize

      my_documents = [
          'The movie was about a spaceship and aliens.',
          'I really liked the movie!',
          'Awesome action scenes, but boring characters.',
          'The movie was awful! I hate alien films.',
          'Space is cool! I liked the movie.',
          'More space films, please!',
      ]

      tokenized_docs = [word_tokenize(doc.lower()) for doc in my_documents]
      dictionary = Dictionary(tokenized_docs)
      corpus = [dictionary.doc2bow(doc) for doc in tokenized_docs]

[2]: from gensim.models.tfidfmodel import TfidfModel

      tfidf = TfidfModel(corpus)
      tfidf[corpus[1]]

[2]: [(5, 0.1746298276735174),
      (7, 0.1746298276735174),
      (9, 0.1746298276735174),
      (10, 0.29853166221463673),
      (11, 0.47316148988815415),
      (12, 0.7716931521027908)]
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### 1.4 Practice question for what is tf-idf:

- To calculate the tf-idf weight for the word “computer”, which appears five times in a document containing 100 words. Given a corpus containing 200 documents, with 20 documents mentioning the word “computer”, so tf-idf can be calculated by multiplying term frequency with inverse document frequency.
- Notes:
  - term frequency = percentage share of the word compared to all tokens in the document
  - inverse document frequency = logarithm of the total number of documents in a corpus divided by the number of documents containing the term
- Which of the below options is correct?
  - ☒  $(5 / 100) * \log(200 / 20)$
  - ☐  $(5 * 100) / \log(200 * 20)$
  - ☐  $(20 / 5) * \log(200 / 20)$

$$\square (200 * 5) * \log(400 / 5)$$

## 1.5 Practice exercises for tf-idf with gensim:

### ► Package pre-loading:

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[3]: import zipfile

from nltk import word_tokenize

from gensim.corpora.dictionary import Dictionary
from gensim.models.tfidfmodel import TfidfModel
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### ► Data pre-loading:

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[4]: file_name = 'ref4. Wikipedia articles.zip'
with zipfile.ZipFile(file_name, 'r') as archive:
    files = [
        archive.read(name) for name in archive.namelist()
        if name.endswith('.txt')
    ]

doc_tokens = [word_tokenize(file.decode("utf-8")) for file in files]
articles = []
stopwords = open('ref2. English stopwords.txt').read()
english_stops = word_tokenize(stopwords)
for i in range(len(doc_tokens)):
    lower_tokens = [t.lower() for t in doc_tokens[i]]
    alphanumeric_only = [t for t in lower_tokens if t.isalnum()]
    no_stops = [t for t in alphanumeric_only if t not in english_stops]
    articles.append(no_stops)

dictionary = Dictionary(articles)
corpus = [dictionary.doc2bow(article) for article in articles]

doc = corpus[4]
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### ► \*\*Wikipedia tf-idf practice:

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[5]: # Create a new TfidfModel using the corpus: tfidf
tfidf = TfidfModel(corpus)

# Calculate the tfidf weights of doc: tfidf_weights
tfidf_weights = tfidf[doc]

# Print the first five weights
print(tfidf_weights[:5])
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[(13, 0.021411676334320492), (24, 0.01738903055915624), (43,
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0.00805356588388867), (45, 0.021821227698039212), (50, 0.01376766181415054)]

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[6]: # Create a new TfidfModel using the corpus: tfidf
tfidf = TfidfModel(corpus)

# Calculate the tfidf weights of doc: tfidf_weights
tfidf_weights = tfidf[doc]

# Print the first five weights
print(tfidf_weights[:5])

# Sort the weights from highest to lowest: sorted_tfidf_weights
sorted_tfidf_weights = sorted(tfidf_weights, key=lambda w: w[1], reverse=True)

# Print the top 5 weighted words
for term_id, weight in sorted_tfidf_weights[:5]:
    print(dictionary.get(term_id), weight)
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