How Data Augmentation using Back-Translation Affects the Text Classification Performance

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Main aim

Description about the project: The primary objective of this project is to assess the impact of augmenting data using the "backtranslation" technique on the performance of text classification tasks. Backtranslation involves converting the original text from one language (in this case, English) into another language (in this case, French), and then translating it back into the original language. This technique proposes that during this transformation, the original text will be regenerated in a different manner, thereby producing augmented text that can be utilized effectively.

The method

Therefore, in this study, I employed the backtranslation technique to address the imbalance in the dataset. Initially, the dataset comprised the following records: (0-159, 1-219, 2-109). After applying backtranslation, the dataset was rebalanced to (0 - 219, 1 - 219, 2 - 218). Subsequently, I separately fine-tuned the BERT model (bert-base-uncased) on both the original and augmented datasets. The performance was evaluated using a separate dataset that had not undergone augmentation.

Hyper-parameters

The hyper-parameter setup used in this evaluation is, epochs = 10, batch size=16, learning rate = 2e-5, optimizer= Adam, and epsilon=1e-8.

Dataset

The Twitter dataset used in this study pertains to abortion stance classification and comprises three classes: 0-against, 1-favor, and 2-none, considering the stance target of "legalization of abortion." This dataset was sourced from "https://paperswithcode.com/dataset/tweeteval".

*Preprocessing *

I conducted text preprocessing in two stages: 1) prior to data augmentation, and 2) before classification. During the first stage, I employed simple techniques such as removing #, @user mentions, URLs, extra spaces, line breaks, and punctuations. This approach aimed to maintain the augmented data's similarity to the original text. In contrast, for the second stage of preprocessing, I implemented more advanced techniques including stopword removal, stemming, and lemmatization.

Conclusion

!pip install transformers

The results indicate a reduction in testing accuracy from 62% to 35% with the presence of the augmented dataset. Additionally, the backtranslation technique has resulted in the generation of numerous duplicated records. Duplicate records with consistent labels essentially offer redundant information, as they fail to contribute any novel insights to the model. In fact, incorporating duplicate records may introduce bias, as the model could overly depend on this duplicated data and overestimate the significance of certain patterns, potentially leading to overfitting. However, it's noteworthy that overfitting was not observed in the results.

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```

```
import nltk
from nltk.tokenize import word tokenize
from nltk.stem import SnowballStemmer
from nltk.tokenize import word tokenize
from nltk.corpus import wordnet
from nltk.stem import WordNetLemmatizer
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nltk.download('wordnet')
nltk.download('omw-1.4')
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     [nltk data] Downloading package omw-1.4 to /root/nltk data...
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import torch
import torch.nn as nn
from torch.utils.data import TensorDataset, DataLoader, RandomSampler, SequentialSampler, rar
from sklearn.model selection import train test split
from sklearn.metrics import classification report
import transformers
from transformers import BertForSequenceClassification, AdamW, BertConfig, BertTokenizer, get
import random
import time
import datetime
import gc
import pandas as pd
import json
import csv
import numpy as np
import os
import time
import re
from transformers import MarianMTModel, MarianTokenizer
```

from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/gdrive')

→ Mounted at /content/gdrive

Setting the base path
base_path = "/content/gdrive/MyDrive/Lakehead//NLP_Class/Project"

os.chdir(base_path)

df = pd.read_csv("TweetEval.csv")
df

→	Unnam		text	label	label_text
	0	0	we remind ourselves that love means to be will	1	against
	1	1	@user @user and most Islanders have different	0	none
	2	2	Life is #precious & so are babies, mothers, &	1	against
	3	3	@user too many people are taking this to serio	0	none
	4	4	Dude i won a #freeshirt from @user ! I never w	0	none
	482	578	Oh look!!! So not only are antichoice strongly	2	favor
	483	579	@user I don't think I have a right to use some	2	favor
	484	581	People aren't 'pro-life' they're 'pro-birth'	2	favor
	485	582	@user i don't follow the news, is there a new	0	none
	486	583	@user The Gods #Law, the #Truth, is being #sup	0	none

487 rows × 4 columns

I kept a seperate dataset to evaluate the classification performance before and after data
df_test = pd.read_csv("TweetEval_testdata.csv")
df_test

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	Unnamed: 0	text	label	label_text
0	0	Need a ProLife R.E. Agent? - Support a ProLife	1	against
1	1	Where is the childcare program @user which you	1	against
2	2	I get several requests with petitions to save	1	against
3	3	we must always see others as Christ sees us,we	1	against
4	4	PRAYERS FOR BABIES Urgent prayer one in Lexing	1	against
176	336	Every time you respond to something that frust	0	none
177	337	Obamcare loses again in the Supreme Court. Rel	0	none
178	342	BRAVO TO BOTH OF YOU BEAUTIFULLY EXPLAINED HOL	2	favor
179	344	My body, my life. You fuck it up in a way I'm	2	favor
180	345	Thank you @user for treating me with kindness	0	none

device = torch.device("cuda:0" if torch.cuda.is_available() else "cpu")
device

device(type='cuda', index=0)

Recording class counts

```
df['label'].value_counts()

1    219
    0    159
    2   109
    Name: label, dtype: int64

class_counts = df['label'].value_counts().reset_index()
class_counts.columns = ["class", "count"]
class_counts
```

→		class	count
	0	1	219
	1	0	159
	2	2	109

Preprocessing

```
# Perform some preprocessing relevant to Twitter text. I do not perform stemming, lemmatizat
# more similar to the original text since we are performing data augmentation

def clean_text(text: str):
    text = text.lower() #change case to lower
    text = text.strip() # Remove extra spaces
    text = text.replace("#", "") # Remove hashtags
    text = text.replace("@user", "") # Remove hashtags
    text = re.sub(r"http\S+", "", text) # Removed urls
    text = re.sub(r"[^\w\s]", "", text) # Removed punctuations #Sentence
    return text

df["text"] = df.text.apply(lambda x: clean_text(x))
```

df

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	Unnamed: 0	text	label	label_text
0	0	we remind ourselves that love means to be will	1	against
1	1	and most islanders have different definition	0	none
2	2	life is precious so are babies mothers fathe	1	against
3	3	too many people are taking this to seriously	0	none
4	4	dude i won a freeshirt from i never win anyt	0	none
482	578	oh look so not only are antichoice strongly ag	2	favor
483	579	i dont think i have a right to use someone el	2	favor
484	581	people arent prolife theyre probirth when a mo	2	favor
485	582	i dont follow the news is there a new law tha	0	none
486	583	the gods law the truth is being supressed the	0	none

487 rows × 4 columns

Data Augmentation using Backtranslation

Using Backtranslating technique, I convert the selected English text into french and then convert it to English to use as augmented data.

the first model translating English to French

```
# Get the name of the first model
first_model_name = 'Helsinki-NLP/opus-mt-en-fr'

# Get the tokenizer
first_model_tkn = MarianTokenizer.from_pretrained(first_model_name)

# Load the pretrained model based on the name
first_model = MarianMTModel.from_pretrained(first_model_name)
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the second model translating French to English.

```
# Get the name of the second model
second model name = 'Helsinki-NLP/opus-mt-fr-en'
# Get the tokenizer
second_model_tkn = MarianTokenizer.from_pretrained(second_model_name)
# Load the pretrained model based on the name
second_model = MarianMTModel.from_pretrained(second_model_name)
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to properly implement the translation feature, we need to add the special token >>{tgt}<< in front of each text that needs to be translated. {tgt} is either fr or en.

```
def format_batch_texts(language_code, batch_texts):
   formated_bach = ">>{}<< {}".format(language_code, batch_texts)
   return formated_bach</pre>
```

```
def perform_translation(batch_texts, model, tokenizer, language="fr"):
    # Prepare the text data into appropriate format for the model
   formated_batch_texts = format_batch_texts(language, batch_texts)
   # Generate translation using model
    translated = model.generate(**tokenizer(formated_batch_texts, return_tensors="pt", paddi
   # Convert the generated tokens indices back into text
    translated texts = tokenizer.decode(translated[0], skip special tokens=True)
    return translated texts
def perform_back_translation(batch_texts, original_language="en", temporary_language="fr"):
  # Translate from Original to Temporary Language
  tmp_translated_batch = perform_translation(batch_texts, first_model, first_model_tkn, temp
  # Translate Back to English
  back_translated_batch = perform_translation(tmp_translated_batch, second_model, second_model
  return back_translated_batch
# Declare global lists to store results
augmented data =[]
augmented data labels =[]
original_data = []
def appending_data(new_text, label, original):
  augmented_data.append(new_text)
  augmented_data_labels.append(label)
  original data.append(original)
```

```
# Call API to generate text
class 1=0
class 2=0
class_3=0
# Set the max records upto 219 as class 1 has this highest number of records
max records=219
i=0
for index, row in df.iterrows():
  original_text = row['text']
  class_label = row['label']
  print(i)
  i+=1
  # calling the function to add a token to the text
  formated_text = format_batch_texts("fr", original_text)
  # print(formated text)
  # print(formated exp)
  # print("\n")
  if(class label==0 and c1+class 1 < max records):</pre>
    augmented_text = perform_back_translation(formated_text)
    appending_data(augmented_text, class_label, original_text)
    class_1+=1
  elif (class label==1 and c2+class 2 < max records):
    augmented text = perform back translation(formated text)
    appending_data(augmented_text, class_label, original_text)
    class_2+=1
  elif (class label==2 and c3+class 3 < max records):
    augmented_text = perform_back_translation(formated_text)
    appending_data(augmented_text, class_label, original_text)
    class_3+=1
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```

New_dataset = pd.DataFrame({'original_text': original_data, 'new_text': augmented_data, 'lat

New_dataset

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0	and most islanders have different definition	Most islanders have different definitions of r	0
1	too many people are taking this to seriously	Too many people take this seriously.	0
2	dude i won a freeshirt from i never win anyt	Dude I won a freeshirt from I never won anythi	0
3	like yall can try and push your views on me an	As Yall can try and push your views on me anyw	0
4	just because it is legal doesnt make it god ho	Just because it's legal doesn't make God the h	0
164	complications come with all types of medical	· Complications come with all types of medical	2
165	what doesnt reduce abortions making it illegal	What does not reduce abortions makes it illega	2

new_text label

original_text

```
New_dataset['label'].value_counts()

2    109
    0    60
    Name: label, dtype: int64

New_dataset.to_csv("augmented_data.csv", index=False)

New_dataset = pd.read_csv("augmented_data.csv")
```

Combine augmented data with original dataset

```
# prepare original dataset and testing set
originaldata = df.drop(['Unnamed: 0', 'label_text'], axis=1)
originaldata

testdata = df_test.drop(['Unnamed: 0', 'label_text'], axis=1)
testdata
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0	Need a ProLife R.E. Agent? - Support a ProLife	1
1	Where is the childcare program @user which you	1
2	I get several requests with petitions to save	1
3	we must always see others as Christ sees us,we	1
4	PRAYERS FOR BABIES Urgent prayer one in Lexing	1
176	Every time you respond to something that frust	0
177	Obamcare loses again in the Supreme Court. Rel	0
178	BRAVO TO BOTH OF YOU BEAUTIFULLY EXPLAINED HOL	2
179	My body, my life. You fuck it up in a way I'm	2
180	Thank you @user for treating me with kindness	0

text label

181 rows × 2 columns

prepare augmented dataset
augmented = New_dataset.drop(['original_text'], axis=1)
augmented

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new_text	label
Most islanders have different definitions of r	0
Too many people take this seriously.	0
Dude I won a freeshirt from I never won anythi	0
As Yall can try and push your views on me anyw	0
Just because it's legal doesn't make God the h	0
· Complications come with all types of medical	2
What does not reduce abortions makes it illega	2
So look at not only the anti-choice is strongl	2
I don't think I have the right to use someone	2
People are not proliferated they are prolife	2
	Too many people take this seriously. Dude I won a freeshirt from I never won anythi As Yall can try and push your views on me anyw Just because it's legal doesn't make God the h Complications come with all types of medical What does not reduce abortions makes it illega So look at not only the anti-choice is strongl I don't think I have the right to use someone

169 rows × 2 columns

```
frames = [originaldata, augmented.rename(columns={'new_text':'text'})]
final = pd.concat(frames, ignore_index=True)
final
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	text	label
0	we remind ourselves that love means to be will	1
1	and most islanders have different definition	0
2	life is precious so are babies mothers fathe	1
3	too many people are taking this to seriously	0
4	dude i won a freeshirt from i never win anyt	0
651	· Complications come with all types of medical	2
652	What does not reduce abortions makes it illega	2
653	So look at not only the anti-choice is strongl	2
654	I don't think I have the right to use someone	2
655	People are not proliferated they are prolife	2

656 rows × 2 columns

```
final['label'].value_counts()

1 219
0 219
2 218
Name: label, dtype: int64
```

final.to_csv("final_dataset.csv", index=False)

Preprocessing data for classification

In addition to basic preprocessing, perform further preprocessing, such as stop word removal, stemming, lemmatization.

```
# This is the function to map NTLK position tags - for lemmatizing
def get_wordnet_pos(tag):
    if tag.startswith('J'):
        return wordnet.ADJ
    elif tag.startswith('V'):
        return wordnet.VERB
    elif tag.startswith('N'):
        return wordnet.NOUN
    elif tag.startswith('R'):
        return wordnet.ADV
    else:
        return wordnet.NOUN
```

```
# Use a tokenizer from the NLTK library
def preprocessing_stage2(text: str):
   text = text.lower() #change case to lower
   text = text.strip() # Remove extra spaces
   text = text.replace("#", "") # Remove hashtags
   text = text.replace("@user", "") # Remove hashtags
   text = re.sub(r"http\S+", "", text) # Removed urls
   text = re.sub(r"[^\w\s]", "", text) # Removed punctuations #Sentence
    processed_sentence = []
    stemmed sentence = []
    lemmatized_sentence = []
   # First stopword removal-----
    stopwords = ["that", "and", "is", "it", "a", "an", "the", "this", "to"]
   # Tokenize the sentence
   words = word tokenize(text)
   for w in words:
       if w not in stopwords:
           processed_sentence.append(w)
   text = " ".join(processed_sentence)
   #second stemming-----
   # Initialize the stemmer
    snow = SnowballStemmer('english')
   # Tokenize the sentence
   words = word_tokenize(text)
   for w in words:
       # Stem the word/token
       stemmed_sentence.append(snow.stem(w))
    stemmed_text = " ".join(stemmed_sentence)
   #thrid lemmatization-----
   # Initialize the lemmatizer
   wl = WordNetLemmatizer()
   # Tokenize the sentence
   words = word_tokenize(stemmed_text)
   # Get position tags
   word_pos_tags = nltk.pos_tag(words)
   # Map the position tag and lemmatize the word or token
   for idx, tag in enumerate(word pos tags):
       lemmatized_sentence.append(wl.lemmatize(tag[0], get_wordnet_pos(tag[1])))
```

```
lemmatized_text = " ".join(lemmatized_sentence)

return lemmatized_text

originaldata["text"] = originaldata.text.apply(lambda x: preprocessing_stage2(x))
final["text"] = final.text.apply(lambda x: preprocessing_stage2(x))
testdata["text"] = testdata.text.apply(lambda x: preprocessing_stage2(x))
```

originaldata

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	text	label		
0	we remind ourselv love mean be will give until	1		
1	most island have differ definit of time access	0		
2	life precious so be babi mother father pleas s	1		
3	too mani peopl be take serious semst	0		
4	dude i win freeshirt from i never win anyth lo	0		
482	oh look so not onli be antichoic strong agains	2		
483	i dont think i have right use someon el bodi w	2		
484	peopl arent prolif theyr probirth when mother	2		
485	i dont follow news there new law all gay peopl	0		
486	god law truth be supress they thing they be et	0		
487 rows × 2 columns				

final

	text	label		
0	we remind ourselv love mean be will give until	1		
1	most island have differ definit of time access	0		
2	life precious so be babi mother father pleas s	1		
3	too mani peopl be take serious semst	0		
4	dude i win freeshirt from i never win anyth lo	0		
651	complic come with all type of medic procedur d	2		
652	what doe not reduc abort make illeg what make	2		
653	so look at not onli antichoic strong against p	2		
654	i dont think i have right use someon el bodi w	2		
655	peopl be not prolifer they be prolifer when mo	2		
656 rows × 2 columns				

Perform Classification

Original dataset

```
def to_list(dataset):
    labels = dataset['label'].tolist()
    texts = dataset['text'].tolist()

print(pd.Series(labels).value_counts())

return labels, texts

label_list, texts = to_list(originaldata)

1     219
     0     159
     2     109
     dtype: int64

# Load the BERT tokenizer
tokenizer = BertTokenizer.from_pretrained('bert-base-uncased', do_lower_case=True)
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max_len = 0
# For every tweet.
for sent in texts:
    # Tokenize the text and add `[CLS]` and `[SEP]` tokens.
    input_ids = tokenizer.encode(sent, add_special_tokens=True)
    # Update the maximum sentence length.
    max_len = max(max_len, len(input_ids))
print('Max sentence length: ', max_len)
→ Max sentence length: 41
```

```
input ids = []
attention_masks = []
# For every tweet...
for text in texts:
    encoded dict = tokenizer.encode plus(
                                                   # Sentence to encode.
                        add special tokens = True, # Add '[CLS]' and '[SEP]'
                                                        # Pad & truncate all sentences.
                        max length = max len,
                        truncation = True,
                        pad to max length = True,
                        return attention mask = True,
                                                         # Construct attn. masks.
                        return_tensors = 'pt',
                                                   # Return pytorch tensors.
                   )
   # Add the encoded sentence to the list.
    input ids.append(encoded dict['input ids'])
   # And its attention mask (simply differentiates padding from non-padding).
    attention masks.append(encoded dict['attention mask'])
# Convert the lists into tensors.
input ids = torch.cat(input ids, dim=0)
attention_masks = torch.cat(attention_masks, dim=0)
labels = torch.tensor(label list)
# Print sentence 0, now as a list of IDs.
print('Original: ', texts[0])
print('Token IDs:', input_ids[0])
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       warnings.warn(
     Original: we remind ourselv love mean be will give until hurt mother teresa
     Token IDs: tensor([ 101, 2057, 10825, 14635, 2884, 2615, 2293,
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```

```
# Combine the training inputs into a TensorDataset.
dataset = TensorDataset(input_ids, attention_masks, labels)
# Create a 80-20 train-validation split.
train size = int(0.8 * len(dataset))
val_size = len(dataset) - train_size
# Divide the dataset by randomly selecting samples.
train_dataset, val_dataset = random_split(dataset, [train_size, val_size])
print('{:>5,} training samples'.format(train_size))
print('{:>5,} validation samples'.format(val_size))
\rightarrow
       389 training samples
        98 validation samples
batch size = 16
train_dataloader = DataLoader(
            train dataset, # The training samples.
            sampler = RandomSampler(train_dataset), # Select batches randomly
            batch_size = batch_size # Trains with this batch size.
        )
# For validation the order doesn't matter, so we'll just read them sequentially.
validation_dataloader = DataLoader(
            val dataset, # The validation samples.
            sampler = SequentialSampler(val_dataset), # Pull out batches sequentially.
            batch_size = batch_size # Evaluate with this batch size.
        )
# Load BertForSequenceClassification, the pretrained BERT model with a single
# linear classification layer on top.
model = BertForSequenceClassification.from_pretrained(
    "bert-base-uncased", # Use the 12-layer BERT model, with an uncased vocab.
    num_labels = 3, # The number of output labels--3 for stance classification.
    output_attentions = False, # Whether the model returns attentions weights.
    output hidden states = False, # Whether the model returns all hidden-states.
)
model = model.to(device)
```

Format as hh:mm:ss

return str(datetime.timedelta(seconds=elapsed rounded))

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     - This IS NOT expected if you are initializing BertForSequenceClassification from the ch
     Some weights of BertForSequenceClassification were not initialized from the model checkr
optimizer = AdamW(model.parameters(),
                  lr = 2e-5, # args.learning_rate - default is 5e-5, our notebook had 2e-5
                  eps = 1e-8 # args.adam epsilon - default is 1e-8.
                )
→ /usr/local/lib/python3.9/dist-packages/transformers/optimization.py:391: FutureWarning:
       warnings.warn(
epochs = 10
# Total number of training steps is [number of batches] x [number of epochs].
total steps = len(train dataloader) * epochs
# Create the learning rate scheduler.
scheduler = get_linear_schedule_with_warmup(optimizer,
                                             num_warmup_steps = 0,
                                             num training steps = total steps)
total steps
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# Function to calculate the accuracy of our predictions vs labels
def flat_accuracy(preds, labels):
    pred flat = np.argmax(preds, axis=1).flatten()
    labels flat = labels.flatten()
    return np.sum(pred_flat == labels_flat) / len(labels_flat)
def format time(elapsed):
    Takes a time in seconds and returns a string hh:mm:ss
    # Round to the nearest second.
    elapsed rounded = int(round((elapsed)))
```

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seed val = 42
random.seed(seed_val)
np.random.seed(seed_val)
torch.manual seed(seed val)
torch.cuda.manual_seed_all(seed_val)
training_stats = []
t_acc=[]
t_loss=[]
v acc=[]
v_loss=[]
# Measure the total training time for the whole run.
total_t0 = time.time()
# For each epoch...
for epoch_i in range(0, epochs):
                    Training
    print("")
    print('===== Epoch {:} / {:} ======'.format(epoch_i + 1, epochs))
    print('Training...')
   # Measure how long the training epoch takes.
    t0 = time.time()
   total_train_loss = 0
    total train accuracy = 0
   model.train()
   for step, batch in enumerate(train_dataloader):
        b input ids = batch[0].to(device)
        b input mask = batch[1].to(device)
        b_labels = batch[2].to(device)
        optimizer.zero_grad()
        output = model(b_input_ids,
                             token_type_ids=None,
                             attention mask=b input mask,
                             labels=b_labels)
                                                        ----- Added by me
        # Move logits and labels to CPU if we are using GPU
        logits = output.logits
        logits = logits.detach().cpu().numpy()
        label_ids = b_labels.to('cpu').numpy()
        total_train_accuracy += flat_accuracy(logits, label_ids)
        loss = output.loss
        total train loss += loss.item()
        # Perform a backward pass to calculate the gradients.
        loss.backward()
        torch.nn.utils.clip_grad_norm_(model.parameters(), 1.0)
```

```
optimizer.step()
    # Update the learning rate.
    scheduler.step()
# Report the final accuracy for this validation run.
avg train accuracy = total train accuracy / len(train dataloader)
print(" Train Accuracy: {0:.2f}".format(avg_train_accuracy))
# Calculate the average loss over all of the batches.
avg_train_loss = total_train_loss / len(train_dataloader)
# Measure how long this epoch took.
training time = format time(time.time() - t0)
print("")
print(" Average training loss: {0:.2f}".format(avg train loss))
print(" Training epcoh took: {:}".format(training_time))
                Validation
# After the completion of each training epoch, measure our performance on
# the validation set.
print("")
print("Running Validation...")
t0 = time.time()
model.eval()
# Tracking variables
total_eval_accuracy = 0
best eval accuracy = 0
total_eval_loss = 0
nb_eval_steps = 0
# Evaluate data for one epoch
for batch in validation_dataloader:
    b_input_ids = batch[0].to(device)
    b_input_mask = batch[1].to(device)
    b_labels = batch[2].to(device)
    with torch.no grad():
        output= model(b_input_ids,
                               token_type_ids=None,
                               attention_mask=b_input_mask,
                               labels=b_labels)
    loss = output.loss
    total eval loss += loss.item()
    # Move logits and labels to CPU if we are using GPU
    logits = output.logits
    logits = logits.detach().cpu().numpy()
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```
label_ids = b_labels.to('cpu').numpy()
        total_eval_accuracy += flat_accuracy(logits, label_ids)
    # Report the final accuracy for this validation run.
    avg_val_accuracy = total_eval_accuracy / len(validation_dataloader)
    print(" Accuracy: {0:.2f}".format(avg val accuracy))
    # Calculate the average loss over all of the batches.
    avg val loss = total eval loss / len(validation dataloader)
    # Measure how long the validation run took.
    validation_time = format_time(time.time() - t0)
    if avg val accuracy > best eval accuracy:
        torch.save(model, 'bert_model1')
        best eval accuracy = avg val accuracy
    print(" Validation Loss: {0:.2f}".format(avg_val_loss))
    t_acc.append(avg_train_accuracy)
    t_loss.append(avg_train_loss)
    v_acc.append(avg_val_accuracy)
    v loss.append(avg val loss)
    training_stats.append(
        {
            'epoch': epoch i + 1,
            'Training Loss': avg_train_loss,
            'Training Accur': avg_train_accuracy,
            'Valid. Loss': avg_val_loss,
            'Valid. Accur.': avg_val_accuracy,
            'Training Time': training time,
            'Validation Time': validation time
        }
    )
print("")
print("Training complete!")
print("Total training took {:} (h:mm:ss)".format(format time(time.time()-total t0)))
     ====== Epoch 1 / 10 ======
     Training...
       Train Accuracy: 0.44
       Average training loss: 1.06
       Training epcoh took: 0:00:06
     Running Validation...
       Accuracy: 0.59
       Validation Loss: 0.94
```

====== Epoch 2 / 10 ====== Training... Train Accuracy: 0.64 Average training loss: 0.91 Training epcoh took: 0:00:03 Running Validation... Accuracy: 0.61 Validation Loss: 0.88 ====== Epoch 3 / 10 ====== Training... Train Accuracy: 0.72 Average training loss: 0.73 Training epcoh took: 0:00:03 Running Validation... Accuracy: 0.48 Validation Loss: 1.12 ====== Epoch 4 / 10 ====== Training... Train Accuracy: 0.78 Average training loss: 0.61 Training epcoh took: 0:00:03 Running Validation... Accuracy: 0.61 Validation Loss: 0.88 ===== Epoch 5 / 10 ====== Training... Train Accuracy: 0.86 Average training loss: 0.44

Training epcoh took: 0:00:03

Running Validation... Accuracy: 0.68

Validation Loss: 0.81

====== Epoch 6 / 10 ====== Training...

from sklearn.metrics import classification_report, confusion_matrix from sklearn import metrics import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import numpy as np

```
x = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4,5,6,7,8,9,10])
y = t_acc
y2 = v_acc
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,6))
plt.plot(x, y, label='training_acc')
plt.plot(x, y2, label='validation_acc')
plt.legend(loc="upper left")
plt.grid()
# for index in range(len(x)):
    ax.text(x[index], y[index], y[index], size=12)
plt.xlabel("Epochs")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy/Loss")
plt.title('multiple plots')
plt.show()
→
                                               multiple plots
         1.0
                    training_acc
                    validation_acc
         0.9
         0.8
      Accuracy/Loss
         0.7
         0.6
         0.5
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Epochs

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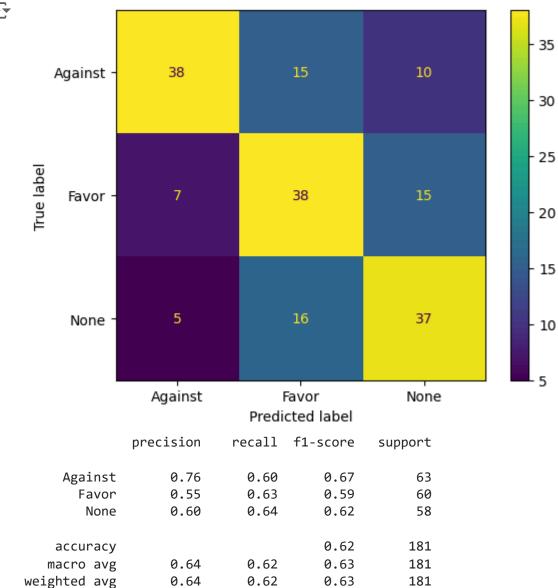
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Testing the performance

```
testlabels, testtexts = to_list(testdata)
\rightarrow
     0
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          58
     dtype: int64
test input ids = []
test_attention_masks = []
for tweet in testtexts:
    encoded_dict = tokenizer.encode_plus(
                        tweet,
                        add_special_tokens = True,
                        max length = max len,
                        pad_to_max_length = True,
                        return_attention_mask = True,
                        return_tensors = 'pt',
                   )
   test_input_ids.append(encoded_dict['input_ids'])
    test_attention_masks.append(encoded_dict['attention_mask'])
test_input_ids = torch.cat(test_input_ids, dim=0)
test attention masks = torch.cat(test attention masks, dim=0)
Truncation was not explicitly activated but `max_length` is provided a specific value, p
     /usr/local/lib/python3.9/dist-packages/transformers/tokenization_utils_base.py:2354: Fut
       warnings.warn(
test_dataset = TensorDataset(test_input_ids, test_attention_masks)
test_dataloader = DataLoader(
            test_dataset, # The validation samples.
            sampler = SequentialSampler(test_dataset), # Pull out batches sequentially.
            batch_size = batch_size # Evaluate with this batch size.
        )
```

```
predictions = []
my_predictions=[]
for batch in test_dataloader:
        b input ids = batch[0].to(device)
        b_input_mask = batch[1].to(device)
        # b_labels = batch[2].to(device)
        with torch.no_grad():
            output= model(b_input_ids,
                                   token type ids=None,
                                   attention_mask=b_input_mask)
            logits = output.logits
            logits = logits.detach().cpu().numpy()
            pred_flat = np.argmax(logits, axis=1).flatten()
            predictions.extend(list(pred_flat))
target_names = ['Against', 'Favor', 'None']
confusion_matrix = metrics.confusion_matrix(testlabels, predictions)
cm_display = metrics.ConfusionMatrixDisplay(confusion_matrix = confusion_matrix, display_lat
cm_display.plot()
plt.show()
print(classification report(testlabels, predictions, target names=target names))
```





Classification after augmentation

label_list, texts = to_list(final)

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```
\max len = 0
for sent in texts:
    input_ids = tokenizer.encode(sent, add_special_tokens=True)
    max_len = max(max_len, len(input_ids))
print('Max sentence length: ', max len)
→ Max sentence length: 41
input_ids = []
attention_masks = []
for text in texts:
    encoded dict = tokenizer.encode plus(
                        text,
                        add_special_tokens = True,
                        max_length = max_len,
                        truncation = True,
                        pad to max length = True,
                        return_attention_mask = True,
                        return tensors = 'pt',
                   )
    input_ids.append(encoded_dict['input_ids'])
    attention_masks.append(encoded_dict['attention_mask'])
input_ids = torch.cat(input_ids, dim=0)
attention masks = torch.cat(attention masks, dim=0)
labels = torch.tensor(label list)
print('Original: ', texts[0])
print('Token IDs:', input ids[0])
/usr/local/lib/python3.9/dist-packages/transformers/tokenization_utils_base.py:2354: Fut
       warnings.warn(
     Original: we remind ourselv love mean be will give until hurt mother teresa
     Token IDs: tensor([ 101,
                                2057, 10825, 14635, 2884,
                                                             2615,
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                            3480, 2388, 12409,
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```

```
dataset = TensorDataset(input_ids, attention_masks, labels)
train size = int(0.8 * len(dataset))
#val_size = int(0.2 * len(dataset))
val size = len(dataset) - train size
train dataset, val dataset = random split(dataset, [train size, val size])
print('{:>5,} training samples'.format(train size))
print('{:>5,} validation samples'.format(val size))
\rightarrow
       524 training samples
       132 validation samples
train dataloader = DataLoader(
            train dataset,
            sampler = RandomSampler(train dataset),
            batch_size = batch_size
        )
validation dataloader = DataLoader(
            val dataset,
            sampler = SequentialSampler(val_dataset),
            batch size = batch size
model = BertForSequenceClassification.from pretrained(
    "bert-base-uncased",
    num labels = 3,
    output attentions = False,
    output hidden states = False,
)
model = model.to(device)
```

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total_steps = len(train_dataloader) * epochs
scheduler = get_linear_schedule_with_warmup(optimizer,
                                            num_warmup_steps = 0, # Default value in run_glu
                                            num_training_steps = total_steps)
total_steps
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# Function to calculate the accuracy of our predictions vs labels
def flat_accuracy(preds, labels):
    pred_flat = np.argmax(preds, axis=1).flatten()
    labels_flat = labels.flatten()
    return np.sum(pred_flat == labels_flat) / len(labels_flat)
def format_time(elapsed):
   Takes a time in seconds and returns a string hh:mm:ss
   # Round to the nearest second.
    elapsed_rounded = int(round((elapsed)))
   # Format as hh:mm:ss
    return str(datetime.timedelta(seconds=elapsed_rounded))
```

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seed val = 42
random.seed(seed_val)
np.random.seed(seed_val)
torch.manual seed(seed val)
torch.cuda.manual_seed_all(seed_val)
training_stats = []
t_acc=[]
t_loss=[]
v acc=[]
v_loss=[]
total_t0 = time.time()
# For each epoch...
for epoch_i in range(0, epochs):
    #
                    Training
    print("")
    print('===== Epoch {:} / {:} ======'.format(epoch_i + 1, epochs))
    print('Training...')
   t0 = time.time()
   total_train_loss = 0
   total_train_accuracy = 0
   model.train()
   for step, batch in enumerate(train dataloader):
        b_input_ids = batch[0].to(device)
        b_input_mask = batch[1].to(device)
        b_labels = batch[2].to(device)
        optimizer.zero grad()
        output = model(b_input_ids,
                             token_type_ids=None,
                             attention_mask=b_input_mask,
                             labels=b_labels)
        logits = output.logits
        logits = logits.detach().cpu().numpy()
        label_ids = b_labels.to('cpu').numpy()
        total_train_accuracy += flat_accuracy(logits, label_ids)
        loss = output.loss
        total_train_loss += loss.item()
```

```
loss.backward()
    torch.nn.utils.clip_grad_norm_(model.parameters(), 1.0)
    optimizer.step()
    scheduler.step()
avg_train_accuracy = total_train_accuracy / len(train_dataloader)
print(" Train Accuracy: {0:.2f}".format(avg_train_accuracy))
avg_train_loss = total_train_loss / len(train_dataloader)
training_time = format_time(time.time() - t0)
print("")
print(" Average training loss: {0:.2f}".format(avg_train_loss))
print(" Training epcoh took: {:}".format(training_time))
print("")
print("Running Validation...")
t0 = time.time()
model.eval()
# Tracking variables
total eval accuracy = 0
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