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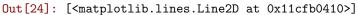
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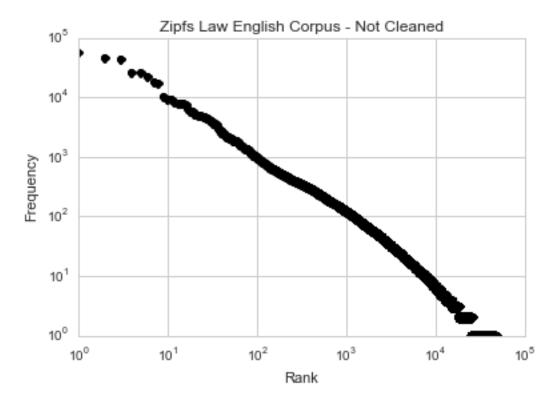
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In [74]: %reset
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In [6]: %matplotlib inline
        import re
        import nltk
        import pandas as pd
In [7]: en_corpus = open("../data/en.txt").read()
        es_corpus = open("../data/es.txt").read()
In [8]: def pre_process(corpus, clean = 'no', char = 'no'):
            decode_corpus = corpus.decode('utf-8')
            token_corpus = nltk.word_tokenize(decode_corpus)
            if char == 'yes':
                token_corpus = []
                for words in decode_corpus:
                    for j in words:
                        token_corpus.append(j)
            if clean == 'yes':
                no_number_corpus = map(lambda x : x.translate('0123456789') , token_corpus)
                lower_corpus = map(lambda x : x.lower(), no_number_corpus)
                token_corpus = map(lambda x : re.sub(r'[^\w\s]', '', x), lower_corpus)
            freq_corpus = nltk.FreqDist(token_corpus)
            sorted_corpus = sorted(freq_corpus.items(), key=lambda x: x[1], reverse=True)
            no_space_corpus = filter(lambda x : len(x[0]) > 0, sorted_corpus)
            headers = ['word', 'frequency']
            df = pd.DataFrame(no_space_corpus, columns=headers)
            df['rank'] = df.index + 1
            return df
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Questions Covered Below

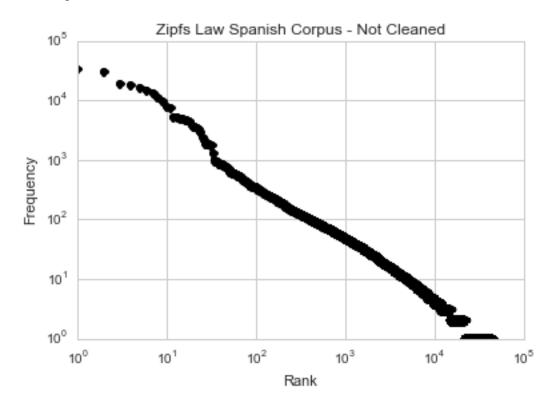
- Question1: Read Data
- Question2: Read Corpus and tokenize
- Question3: Check Zipf Law, plot

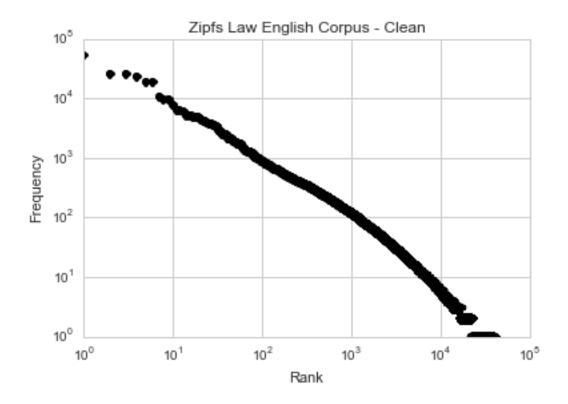
- Question4: Compute proportionality constant, deviation, average.
- Question5: Add more preprocssing steps like lowercase, punctuation and numbers
- Question6: Char Level Zipfs Law

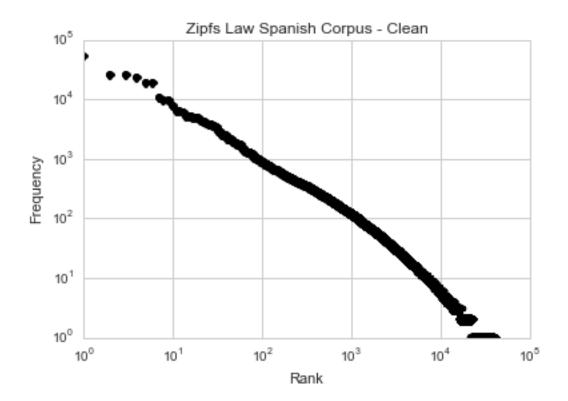


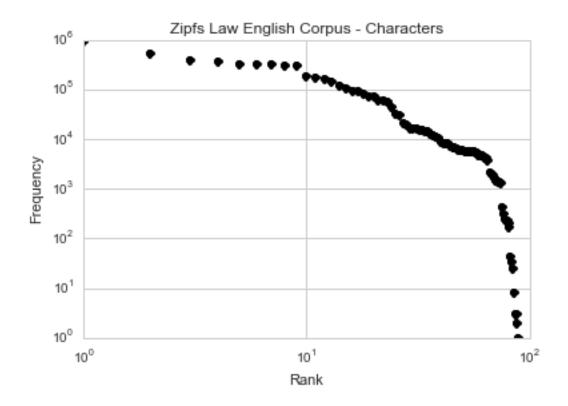


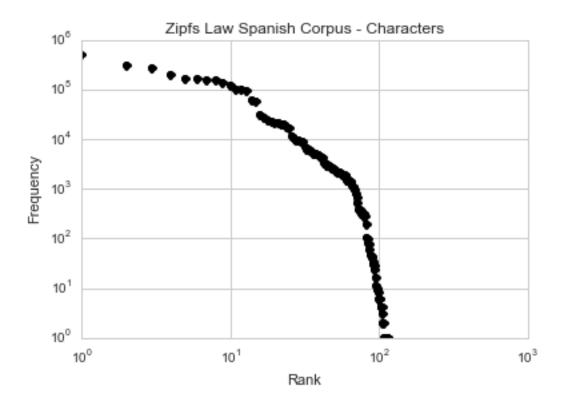
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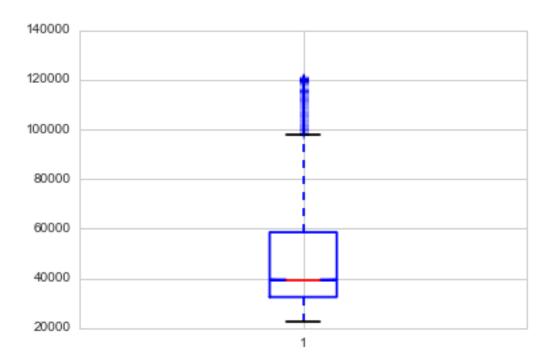




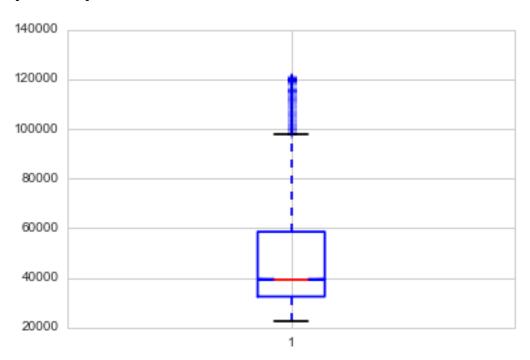




Boxplot English Corpus K



Boxplot Spanish Corpus K



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In [39]: en_clean_df['K'].describe()
Out[39]: count
                    39930.000000
         mean
                    49018.568695
                    24328.985981
         std
                    22497.000000
         min
         25%
                    32479.250000
         50%
                    39406.000000
                    58563.750000
         75%
                   121500.000000
         Name: K, dtype: float64
In [40]: es_clean_df['K'].describe()
Out [40]: count
                  38376.000000
                  35337.260658
         mean
         std
                    8185.550050
         min
                  20206.000000
         25%
                   29282.000000
         50%
                  35091.500000
         75%
                   40854.000000
         max
                  70532.000000
         Name: K, dtype: float64
In [50]: en_char_df['K'] = en_char_df['frequency']*en_char_df['rank']
         es_char_df['K'] = es_char_df['frequency']*es_char_df['rank']
         print en_char_df['K'].describe(), "\n#########\n", es_char_df['K'].describe()
count
              89.000000
          621047.224719
mean
          656906.877798
std
              89.000000
min
          136077.000000
25%
50%
          311490.000000
75%
         1038168.000000
max
         2637441.000000
Name: K, dtype: float64
#############
             115.000000
count
mean
          222734.373913
          318760.200905
std
             109.000000
min
            5662.000000
25%
50%
          107502.000000
75%
          268026.000000
         1185456.000000
Name: K, dtype: float64
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0.1 Results

In this exercise we computed the frequency and rank for an english and a spanish corpus. We treated the corpus with different methods in order to tokenize them first by word (clean and unclean), and later on by characters. By plotting frequency vs. rank, we discover an exponentially decreasing curve for each of them, which represents the distribution of words in a corpus. We computed the log-log plot in order to see weather or not these distribution follows the Zipf's law, and found really interesting results.

By Zipf's law is stated that the Frequency of a word is inversely proportional to its rank in the frequency table. This was prooven by our plots since what it appeared to be an exponential curve, turned into an almost straight line for both spanish and english word tokens. We also to model the K given the formula: f = K/r. We ended up having as results a big variance, which can be due to the many words with frequency 1.

By realizing this exercise we can really believe that both english and spanish language follow the empiric law of Zipf's law. These results can not be stated for the character tokenization level, in this case, it does not appear to follow the Zipf's law.

In []: