# Gutenberg Data via LDA - Documentation

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# 1 Setup

Following packages were used in this script:

```
# loading packages
library(gutenbergr)
library(dplyr)
library(tidyr)
library(stringr)
library(tidytext)
library(udpipe)
library(topicmodels)
library(ggplot2)
library(parallel)
library(foreach)
```

# 2 Example 1 (6 Books)

### 2.1 Get Data (Sampling)

Sampling of the books and converting it to the *tidytext*-format is the essential step for setting up the LDA model. Following functions include the sampling procedure of the *gutenbergr* library.

```
sampling_books <- function(seed=1234, n=20){
    # sample n books from the whole library
    set.seed(seed)</pre>
```

```
gutenberg_works() %>%
    # select works with title
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(title)&!is.na(gutenberg_bookshelf)) %>%
    # set the sample sitze
    sample_n(n) %>%
    # set a special download link
    gutenberg_download(
      mirror = "http://mirrors.xmission.com/gutenberg/")
}
set_up_books <- function(n_books=4, seed=1992){</pre>
  # initial book sample
  books <- sampling_books(n=n_books, seed=seed)
  by_chapter <- books %>%
    group_by(gutenberg_id) %>%
    # split in chapters
    mutate(chapter = cumsum(str_detect(text, regex("^chapter ", ignore_case = TRUE)))) %>%
    ungroup() %>%
    # exclude books without chapters
    dplyr::filter(chapter > 0)
 return(by_chapter)
shorten_titles <- function(titles){</pre>
  # shorten very long book titles by setting
  # a subset of characters of the first line
  # of the title
  sub_inds <- titles %>%
    regexpr(pattern="\\n|\\r")-1
  sub_inds[sub_inds<0] <- nchar(titles)[sub_inds<0]</pre>
  sub_inds <- pmin(sub_inds, 45)</pre>
 titles %>%
    substr(1,sub_inds)
}
get_titles <- function(x, n_books){</pre>
  # get the sampled gutenberg_ids
  unique_ids <- x %>%
    select(gutenberg_id) %>%
    unique() %>% unlist()
  # get the titles
  titles <- gutenberg_works() %>%
    dplyr::filter(gutenberg_id %in% unique_ids) %>%
    select(gutenberg_id, title, author) %>%
    mutate(title=shorten_titles(title))
  # get the number of gutenberg ids
  len <- nrow(titles)</pre>
  if(n_books!=len) warning(paste("--- ",n_books-len,
                                  " books have 0 chapters --- "))
  # the output as a list
  ret <- list(
   titles=titles,
    len=len
```

```
return(ret)
}
append_by_chapter <- function(x=by_chapter, n_books, seed_index=1){</pre>
  # append the books matrix until
  # we get the desired number of books n_books
  titles <- get titles(x, n books)
  n <- titles$len
  while (n<n books) {</pre>
    book2add <- sampling_books(n=1, seed=seed_index)</pre>
    by_chapter_add <- book2add %>%
      group by (gutenberg id) %>%
      # split in chapters
      mutate(chapter = cumsum(str_detect(text, regex("^chapter ", ignore_case = TRUE)))) %>%
      ungroup() %>%
      # exclude books without chapters
      dplyr::filter(chapter > 2)
    titles2add <- get_titles(by_chapter_add, 1)</pre>
    # adding the book to by_chapter if there are chapters in the
    # book plus it is not in the data already
    if (titles2add$len==1) if(!titles2add$titles$gutenberg_id%in%titles$titles$gutenberg_id) {
      x <- bind_rows(x, by_chapter_add)</pre>
    n<-get titles(x, n)$len
    seed_index <- seed_index+1</pre>
  }
  return(x)
exclude_stop_words <- function(x){</pre>
  # unite chapter and document title
  by_chapter_word <- x %>%
    unite(document, gutenberg_id, chapter) %>%
    # split into words
    unnest_tokens(word, text)
  # import tibble stop words
  data(stop_words)
  # find document-word counts
  word_counts <- by_chapter_word %>%
    # exclude stop words
    anti_join(stop_words) %>%
    # count each word by chapter
    count(document, word, sort = TRUE) %>%
    ungroup()
 return(word_counts)
}
convert_to_dtm <- function(x, minfq = 2){</pre>
  # get into a format lda can handle
  chapters_dtm <- x %>%
    select(doc_id=document, term=word, freq=n) %>%
    document_term_matrix() %>%
```

```
# reduce by low frequencies
  dtm_remove_lowfreq(minfreq = minfq)
return(chapters_dtm)
}

convert_to_dtm_2 <- function(x, n=n, minfq = 2, top=10000){
  # get into a format lda can handle
  chapters_dtm <- x %>%
    select(doc_id=document, term=word, freq=n) %>%
    document_term_matrix() %>%
    # reduce by low frequencies
    dtm_remove_tfidf(top=top)
  return(chapters_dtm)
}
```

Now we can use these functions to get to the initial corpus sample. In this example 6 books are choosen.

```
n_books <- 6
by_chapter <- set_up_books(n_books=n_books, seed=222)
get_titles(by_chapter, n_books)

## Warning in get_titles(by_chapter, n_books): --- 5 books have 0 chapters ---
## $titles
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
## gutenberg_id title author
## <int> <chr>
## 1 2095 Clotelle: A Tale of the Southern States Brown, William Wells
##
```

The function  $set\_up\_books()$  returns a warning that several books seem to consist of only one chapter. In order to get a copus consisting out of 6 books, the function  $append\_by\_chaper()$  is used, which fills up the corpus to the desired number of books.

```
appended_by_chapter <- append_by_chapter(x=by_chapter, n_books = n_books)
word_counts <- exclude_stop_words(appended_by_chapter)</pre>
```

```
## Joining, by = "word"
```

## \$len ## [1] 1

In table 7 the sampled titles for the book sample with the seed 222 are displayed. It appears through the function  $append\_by:chapter()$  one book was added, called "Clotelle: A Tale of the Southern States".

We also want to check if the book categories (i.e. gutenberg bookshelfes) are different. See Table (2) for comparison.

```
gbids <- titles$titles$gutenberg_id
categories <- gutenberg_works() %>%
  filter(gutenberg_id %in% gbids) %>%
  select(gutenberg_id, gutenberg_bookshelf)
categories %>% stargazer(summary=FALSE, font.size = "footnotesize",
```

Table 1: Book-titles

${\tt gutenberg\_id}$	title	author
2095	Clotelle: A Tale of the Southern States	Brown, William Wells
6315	The Awakening of Helena Richie	Deland, Margaret Wade Campbell
6971	Judaism	Abrahams, Israel
7635	The Disowned — Volume 05	Lytton, Edward Bulwer Lytton, Baron
10319	Dave Darrin's Third Year at Annapolis; Or, Le	Hancock, H. Irving (Harrie Irving)
21039	Boycotted, and Other Stories	Reed, Talbot Baines

```
header=FALSE, title="Book-categories", rownames=FALSE, label="categories:6books")
```

Table 2: Book-categories

gutenberg_id	gutenberg_bookshelf
2095	African American Writers
6315	Bestsellers, American, 1895-1923
6971	$\operatorname{Judaism}$
7635	Historical Fiction
10319	Children's Book Series
21039	School Stories

Obviously the corpus is very diverse. It is a good sample, in order to try to cluster the chapters of the books with the aid of LDA.

### 2.2 Reduction of Dimensionality

In the set up we have another parameter to adjust. The function  $convert\_to\_dtm$  takes the parameter minfq, which is used to reduce the "bag of words" (i.e. dimensionality). minfq is the minimum frequency for the bag of words dictionary. I will refer to this as "embedding". Let us set it to 2 in this case, meaning that we include a word only if the frequency is 2 or more.

```
chapters_dtm <- convert_to_dtm(word_counts, minfq=2)
ncol(chapters_dtm)</pre>
```

#### ## [1] 8597

Let us compare it to the case if including all words.

```
chapters_dtm_all <- convert_to_dtm(word_counts, minfq=0)
ncol(chapters_dtm_all)</pre>
```

#### ## [1] 15186

We also want to compare this to a reduction of the word dictionary by the tfidf. For the sake of comparison, the reduction is made to the same value as used above via *minfreq*=2 (i.e. 8597 words).

```
chapters_dtm_tfidf <- convert_to_dtm_2(word_counts, top=8597)
ncol(chapters_dtm_tfidf)</pre>
```

#### ## [1] 8597

### 2.3 Application of LDA Model to Full Corpus

#### 2.3.1 Fitting via VEM

We set up the LDA model for the shrinked embedding corpus via frequency=2. In a first try we are using the default "VEM-Algorithm" to fit the model.

In comparison we will set up the LDA model for the full word embedding corpus.

The third LDA fit builds up on data from the shrinked dictionary/bag of words by TFIDF.

#### ## A LDA\_VEM topic model with 6 topics.

Now we evaluate the model all in once - that is - we analyze the clustering on the entire data set.

```
ext_gamma_matrix <- function(model){</pre>
  # get gamma matrix for chapter probabilities
  chapters gamma <- tidy(model, matrix = "gamma")</pre>
  # split joint name of book and chapter
  chapters_gamma <- chapters_gamma %>%
    separate(document, c("gutenberg_id", "chapter"), sep = "_", convert = TRUE)
  # get matrix with probabilities for each topic per chapter
  # this matrix is just information and will in this form of the function
  # not be returned
  gamma_per_chapter <- chapters_gamma %>%
    spread(topic, gamma)
  return(chapters_gamma)
validate_LDAclassification <- function(gamma_matrix){</pre>
  # gamma_matrix is an object of the function ext_gamma_matrix()
  #First we'd find the topic that was most associated with
  # each chapter using top_n(), which is effectively the
  # "classification" of that chapter
  chapter classifications <- gamma matrix %>%
    group_by(gutenberg_id, chapter) %>%
    top_n(1, gamma) %>%
```

```
ungroup()
  # We can then compare each to the "consensus"
  # topic for each book (the most common topic among its chapters),
  # and see which were most often misidentified.
  book_topics <- chapter_classifications %>%
    count(gutenberg_id, topic) %>%
   group by (gutenberg id) %>%
    # just keep the most frequent one
   top_n(1, n) %>%
   ungroup() %>%
    # keep title called census and topic
   transmute(consensus = gutenberg id, topic)
  # check the fraction of missclassification
  chapter_classifications %>%
    inner_join(book_topics, by = "topic") %>%
    # missmatches
    dplyr::filter(gutenberg_id != consensus)%>%
    nrow()/nrow(chapter_classifications)
}
```

Now we exclude for each of the 3 embedings the - so called - beta matrix and compare the most likely result with the real results. Depending on how good the LDA will separate the books, this influences the goodness of the fit.

```
misc.rate_1 <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda) %>%
   validate_LDAclassification()

misc.rate_all <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_all) %>%
   validate_LDAclassification()

misc.rate_tfidf <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_tfidf) %>%
   validate_LDAclassification()
```

The following matrix gives an overview of the fitting time and the results of the 3 different fits.

Table 3: LDA via VEM

	freq2.embedding	all.embedding	tfidf
missc. rate	0.385	0.462	0.419
time	12.800	9.911	3.393

We run the same calculations for a different sample. This means that we set up a new random sample from the Gutenberg books by again using the sample function with another randomness factor (seed). Again, it has to be a sample that is as diverse as possible, i.e. contains books from different categories. In the following we set up again three bag of words, each using the three embeding methods mentioned above. Lastly, we perform the same evaluation method as just seen to evaluate the method for this sample as well.

```
n_books_sec <- 6</pre>
by_chapter_sec <- set_up_books(n_books=n_books_sec, seed=101)</pre>
appended_by_chapter_sec <- append_by_chapter(x=by_chapter_sec, n_books = n_books_sec)
word_counts_sec <- exclude_stop_words(appended_by_chapter_sec)</pre>
## Joining, by = "word"
titles_sec <- get_titles(appended_by_chapter_sec, n_books)</pre>
gbids sec <- titles sec$titles$gutenberg id
categories_sec <- gutenberg_works() %>%
  filter(gutenberg_id %in% gbids_sec) %>%
  select(gutenberg_id, gutenberg_bookshelf)
# embedding 1
chapters_dtm_sec <- convert_to_dtm(word_counts_sec, minfq=2)</pre>
nrow(chapters_dtm_sec)
[1] 86
# embedding 2
chapters_dtm_all_sec <- convert_to_dtm(word_counts_sec, minfq=0)</pre>
# embedding 3
chapters_dtm_tfidf_sec <- convert_to_dtm_2(word_counts_sec, top=8565)</pre>
# embedding 1
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_sec <- LDA(chapters_dtm_sec,</pre>
                     k = n_books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_1 \leftarrow tim2-tim1
# embedding 2
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_all_sec <- LDA(chapters_dtm_all_sec,</pre>
                     k = n_books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_all \leftarrow tim2-tim1
# embedding 3
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_tfidf_sec <- LDA(chapters_dtm_tfidf_sec,</pre>
                     k = n_books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_tfidf <- tim2-tim1
# embedding 1
misc.rate_1_sec <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_sec) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
# embedding 2
misc.rate_all_sec <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_all_sec) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
# embedding 3
misc.rate_tfidf_sec <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_tfidf_sec) %>%
```

Table 4: LDA via VEM second sample

	freq2.embedding	all.embedding	tfidf
missc. rate	0.256	0.395	0.640
time	12.492	9.713	3.021

Surprisingly, the run-time to fit the LDA model for the embedding using all words, does not take way longer than the embedding using a lower frequency. The fit of the model with the reduced bag of words via tfidf takes slightly less time.

#### 2.3.2 Comparison to Fit via Gibbs Sampling

For comparison, we will check the results and the run-time for the fit via Gibbs Sampling.

```
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_Gibbs <- LDA(chapters_dtm, method="Gibbs",</pre>
                      k = n books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_1_{Gibbs} \leftarrow tim_2-tim_1
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_all_Gibbs <- LDA(chapters_dtm_all, method = "Gibbs",</pre>
                      k = n_books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_all_Gibbs <- tim2-tim1
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_tfidf_Gibbs <- LDA(chapters_dtm_tfidf, method="Gibbs",</pre>
                      k = n_books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_tfidf_Gibbs <- tim2-tim1</pre>
misc.rate_1_Gibbs <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_Gibbs) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
misc.rate_all_Gibbs <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_all_Gibbs) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
misc.rate_tfidf_Gibbs <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_tfidf_Gibbs) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
performance_matrix <- data.frame(freq2.embedding=c(misc.rate_1_Gibbs, u_1_Gibbs),</pre>
            all.embedding=c(misc.rate_all_Gibbs, u_all_Gibbs),
            tfidf=c(misc.rate_tfidf_Gibbs, u_tfidf_Gibbs))
```

```
rownames(performance_matrix) <- c("missc. rate", "time")
performance_matrix %>% stargazer(summary=FALSE, header=F, title = "LDA via Gibbs sampling")
```

Table 5: LDA via Gibbs sampling

	freq2.embedding	all.embedding	tfidf
missc. rate	0.051	0.043	0.077
$_{ m time}$	18.359	22.408	7.649

Apparently Gibbs Sampling takes a bit longer than the VEM algorithm, but its results with regards to the correct "classification" (missclassification rate) are way better.

#### 2.4 Evaluate Model on Test Set

First we split the data randomly into training- and test-sample.

The <u>fit\_n\_evaluate()</u> function will fit the LDA model and evaluate the goodness of fit for an object of the function <u>split</u> for <u>fit</u>. The section Validation gives insights in the procedure of how the "consensus" is set up.

```
fit_n_evaluate <- function(split, k=n_books){</pre>
  LDA_model <- LDA(split$train, method="Gibbs",
                            k = k, control = list(seed = 1234))
  # use the predict function of udpipe
  # the topic predict funtion already extract the most likely topics
  prediction <- predict(LDA_model, newdata=split$test) %>% .$topic
  # get "consensus" via maximum likelihood
  # first extract the gamma matrix of the model fitted on the training
  chapters_gamma <- ext_gamma_matrix(LDA_model)</pre>
  spreaded_gamma <- chapters_gamma %>% spread(topic, gamma)
  # qet pdfs
  plotm <- spreaded_gamma %>%
   group_by(gutenberg_id) %>%
    # note: pdfs are unnormalized
    summarise_at(2:(titles$len+1), sum)
  topic_link <- plotm %>%
    apply(1, function(x) which.max(x[2:length(x)])) %>%
    cbind(plotm$gutenberg_id) %>%
```

```
as.data.frame()
# exclude the
consensus <- split$test %>%
  rownames() %>%
  substr(1,regexpr("_",.)-1) %>%
  as.numeric() %>%
  as.data.frame() %>%
  # merge it to the topic
  merge(topic_link, by.y="V2", sort=FALSE) %>%
  select(..y)
# missclassification rate will be returned
sum(consensus!=prediction)/length(prediction)
}
```

We now can evaluate several fits of a model for different splits. Here is a parallelization for the individual for loops applied. In this case only embeding via TF2 is used.

This is the output of the simulation over 59 splits and fits. The mean is the final result:

```
results %>% summary

## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.

## 0.2500 0.5000 0.6667 0.6356 0.7500 0.9167
```

# 3 Example 2 (6 Books)

Again we try a second sample, using a different seed.

```
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_all_Gibbs_sec <- LDA(chapters_dtm_all_sec, method = "Gibbs",</pre>
                     k = n books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_all_Gibbs <- tim2-tim1
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_tfidf_Gibbs_sec <- LDA(chapters_dtm_tfidf_sec, method="Gibbs",</pre>
                     k = n books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_tfidf_Gibbs <- tim2-tim1</pre>
misc.rate_1_Gibbs_sec <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_Gibbs_sec) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
misc.rate_all_Gibbs_sec <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_all_Gibbs_sec) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
misc.rate_tfidf_Gibbs_sec <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_tfidf_Gibbs_sec) %>%
  validate LDAclassification()
# performance matrix
performance_matrix_sec <- data.frame(freq2.embedding=c(misc.rate_1_Gibbs_sec, u_1_Gibbs),</pre>
           all.embedding=c(misc.rate_all_Gibbs_sec, u_all_Gibbs),
           tfidf=c(misc.rate tfidf Gibbs sec, u tfidf Gibbs))
rownames(performance_matrix) <- c("missc. rate", "time")</pre>
performance_matrix_sec %>% stargazer(summary=FALSE, header=F, title = "Gibbs second sample")
```

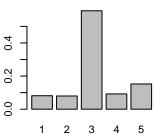
Table 6: Gibbs second sample

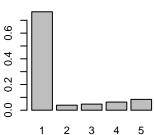
	freq2.embedding	all.embedding	tfidf
1	0.058	0.163	0.093
2	14.866	16.745	6.965

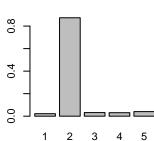
### 4 Definition of Validation

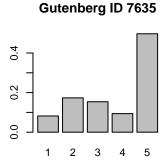
Since the LDA algorithm just clusters into k topics, it is necessary to evaluate which "topic" refers to which book, in order to calculate a missclassification rate. For each of the books we naively derive a distribution of the assignment to the topics. This is done by accumulating the distributions for each chapter of the book. The most likely assignment of the LDA model is choosen as the "correct" topic. Now calculating the missclassification rate is basically the fraction of those chapters/documents not coinciding with the most likely assignment.

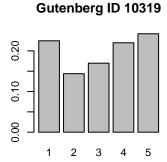
```
# get pdfs
plotm <- spreaded_gamma %>%
    group by (gutenberg id) %>%
    # note: pdfs are unnormalized
    summarise_at(2:(titles$len+1), sum)
topic_link <- plotm %>%
    apply(1, function(x) which.max(x[2:length(x)])) %>%
    cbind(plotm$gutenberg_id) %>%
    as.data.frame()
par(mfrow=c(2,3))
for (i in 1:n_books){
  vec <- plotm[i,2:n_books] %>% unlist()
  barplot(vec/sum(vec), main=paste("Gutenberg ID", plotm[i,1]))
}
    Gutenberg ID 2095
                                   Gutenberg ID 6315
                                                                 Gutenberg ID 6971
```

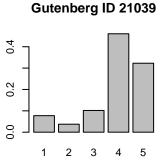












This does not exclude the fact that two books are assigned to the same topic (in this case e.g. 2 books are assigned to chapter 1 and none to chapter 6). But still, from each of the plots of the "distributions" you can obtain how good the chapters of a single book are classified. The more of the mass of the distribution is on a single topic, the better the chapters of this topic are predicted.

# 5 Example 3 (10 books)

First we will sample the books, the same way as is was done in Example 1.

```
n_books_10 <- 10
by_chapter10 <- set_up_books(n_books=n_books_10, seed=54321)
appended_by_chapter10 <- append_by_chapter(x=by_chapter10, n_books = n_books_10)
word_counts10 <- exclude_stop_words(appended_by_chapter10)</pre>
```

Table 7: Book-titles Example with 10 Books

gutenberg_id	title	author
1401	Tarzan the Untamed	Burroughs, Edgar Rice
6315	The Awakening of Helena Richie	Deland, Margaret Wade Campbell
6971	Judaism	Abrahams, Israel
7635	The Disowned — Volume 05	Lytton, Edward Bulwer Lytton, Baron
10319	Dave Darrin's Third Year at Annapolis; Or, Le	Hancock, H. Irving (Harrie Irving)
11113	Principal Cairns	Cairns, John
13145	Lippincott's Magazine of Popular Literature a	Various
15735	History of the Negro Race in America From 161	Williams, George Washington
21039	Boycotted, and Other Stories	Reed, Talbot Baines
21710	The Crew of the Water Wagtail	Ballantyne, R. M. (Robert Michael)

Table 8: Book-categories

gutenberg_id	gutenberg_bookshelf
1401	Adventure/Movie Books
6315	Bestsellers, American, 1895-1923
6971	Judaism
7635	Historical Fiction
10319	Children's Book Series
11113	Famous Scots Series
13145	Lippincott's Magazine
15735	Slavery
21039	School Stories
21710	Children's Fiction

```
# embedding 1
chapters_dtm_10 <- convert_to_dtm(word_counts10, minfq=2)
ncol(chapters_dtm_10)

[1] 17742
# embedding 2
chapters_dtm_all_10 <- convert_to_dtm(word_counts10, minfq=0)
ncol(chapters_dtm_all_10)</pre>
```

[1] 29101

```
# embedding 3
chapters_dtm_tfidf_10 <- convert_to_dtm_2(word_counts10, top=17742)</pre>
# embedding 1
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_10 <- LDA(chapters_dtm_10, method="Gibbs",</pre>
                     k = n_books_10, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_1 \leftarrow tim2-tim1
# embedding 2
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_all_10 <- LDA(chapters_dtm_all_10, method="Gibbs",</pre>
                     k = n_books_10, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_all <- tim2-tim1
# embedding 3
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_tfidf_10 <- LDA(chapters_dtm_tfidf_10, method="Gibbs",</pre>
                     k = n_books_10, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_tfidf <- tim2-tim1
# embedding 1
misc.rate_1_10 <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_10) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
# embedding 2
misc.rate_all_10 <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_all_10) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
# embedding 3
misc.rate_tfidf_10 <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_tfidf_10) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
# overview
performance_matrix_10_Gibbs <- data.frame(freq2.embedding=c(misc.rate_1_10, u_1),</pre>
           all.embedding=c(misc.rate_all_10, u_all),
           tfidf=c(misc.rate_tfidf_10, u_tfidf))
rownames(performance_matrix_10_Gibbs) <- c("missc. rate", "time")</pre>
performance_matrix_10_Gibbs %>% stargazer(summary=FALSE, header=F, title = "LDA via Gibbs 10 books exa
```

Table 9: LDA via Gibbs 10 books example

	freq2.embedding	all.embedding	tfidf
missc. rate	0.379	0.347	0.311
$_{ m time}$	1.475	1.709	48.218

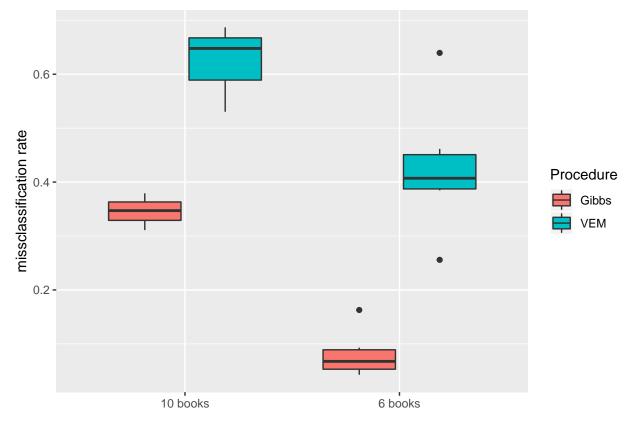
```
# embedding 1
tim1 <- Sys.time()
chapters_lda_10_VEM <- LDA(chapters_dtm_10, method="VEM",</pre>
```

```
k = n_{books_10}, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_1 \leftarrow tim2-tim1
# embedding 2
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_all_10_VEM <- LDA(chapters_dtm_all_10, method="VEM",</pre>
                     k = n books 10, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()
u_all <- tim2-tim1
# embedding 3
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_tfidf_10_VEM <- LDA(chapters_dtm_tfidf_10, method="VEM",</pre>
                     k = n_books_10, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_tfidf <- tim2-tim1
# embedding 1
misc.rate_1_10_VEM <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_10_VEM) %>%
  validate LDAclassification()
# embedding 2
misc.rate_all_10_VEM <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_all_10_VEM) %>%
  validate LDAclassification()
# embeddina 3
misc.rate_tfidf_10_VEM <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_tfidf_10_VEM) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
# overview
performance_matrix_10_VEM <- data.frame(freq2.embedding=c(misc.rate_1_10_VEM, u_1),</pre>
           all.embedding=c(misc.rate_all_10_VEM, u_all),
           tfidf=c(misc.rate_tfidf_10_VEM, u_tfidf))
rownames(performance_matrix_10_VEM) <- c("missc. rate", "time")</pre>
performance_matrix_10_VEM %>% stargazer(summary=FALSE, header=F, title = "LDA via VEM 10 books example
```

Table 10: LDA via VEM 10 books example

	freq2.embedding	all.embedding	tfidf
missc. rate	0.687	0.648	0.530
$_{ m time}$	1.065	1.069	23.488

The following box-plot should illustrate the missclassification rate of the LDA algorithm in the different use cases.



#### 5.1 Evaluation

In the first place, we try the in-model-validation procedure, foch each of the 3 embeddings. Table 11 displays the results of each validation.

```
u_all_Gibbs2 <- tim2-tim1
ncol(chapters_dtm_all2 )
## [1] 26220
chapters_dtm_tfidf2 <- convert_to_dtm_2(word_counts2, top=16415)</pre>
tim1 <- Sys.time()</pre>
chapters_lda_tfidf_Gibbs2 <- LDA(chapters_dtm_tfidf2, method="Gibbs",</pre>
                     k = n_books, control = list(seed = 1234))
tim2 <- Sys.time()</pre>
u_tfidf_Gibbs2 <- tim2-tim1
ncol(chapters_dtm_tfidf)
## [1] 8597
misc.rate_1_Gibbs2 <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_Gibbs2) %>%
  validate LDAclassification()
misc.rate_all_Gibbs2 <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_all_Gibbs2) %>%
  validate LDAclassification()
misc.rate_tfidf_Gibbs2 <- ext_gamma_matrix(chapters_lda_tfidf_Gibbs2) %>%
  validate_LDAclassification()
performance_matrix <- data.frame(freq2.embedding=c(misc.rate_1_Gibbs2, u_1_Gibbs2),</pre>
           all.embedding=c(misc.rate_all_Gibbs2, u_all_Gibbs2),
           tfidf=c(misc.rate_tfidf_Gibbs2, u_tfidf_Gibbs2))
rownames(performance_matrix) <- c("missc. rate", "time")</pre>
performance_matrix %>% stargazer(summary=FALSE, header=F, title="In-Model-Validation for the 3 embeddings")
```

Table 11: In-Model-Validation for the 3 embeddings

	freq2.embedding	all.embedding	tfidf
missc. rate time	$0.169 \\ 1.804$	$0.116 \\ 1.612$	$0.042 \\ 39.401$

The same code as for Example 1 is used to evaluate the model.

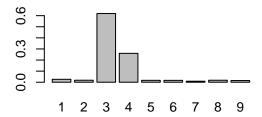
## n\_books, split\_for\_fit, titles

```
parallel::stopCluster(cl)
```

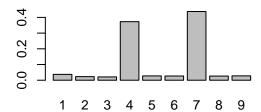
This is the output of the simulation over 59 splits and fits. Consider the mean as the final result: results %>% summary

```
k = n_books, control = list(seed = 1234))
  # get "consensus" via maximum likelihood
  # first extract the gamma matrix of the model fitted on the training
  # data
chapters_gamma <- ext_gamma_matrix(LDA_model2)</pre>
spreaded_gamma <- chapters_gamma %>% spread(topic, gamma)
  # get pdfs
plotm <- spreaded_gamma %>%
    group_by(gutenberg_id) %>%
    # note: pdfs are unnormalized
    summarise_at(2:(titles$len+1), sum)
topic_link <- plotm %>%
    apply(1, function(x) which.max(x[2:length(x)])) %>%
    cbind(plotm$gutenberg_id) %>%
    as.data.frame()
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
for (i in 1:4){
  vec <- plotm[i,2:n_books] %>% unlist()
  barplot(vec/sum(vec), main=paste("Gutenberg ID", plotm[i,1]))
}
```

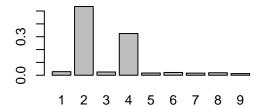
### **Gutenberg ID 3263**



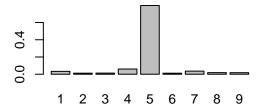
### Gutenberg ID 6267



### **Gutenberg ID 6315**

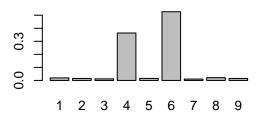


### **Gutenberg ID 6971**

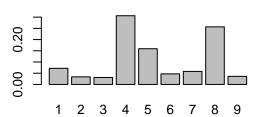


```
for (i in 5:9){
  vec <- plotm[i,2:n_books] %>% unlist()
  barplot(vec/sum(vec), main=paste("Gutenberg ID", plotm[i,1]))
}
```

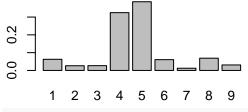
## **Gutenberg ID 7492**



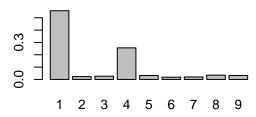
## **Gutenberg ID 7635**



# **Gutenberg ID 13154**

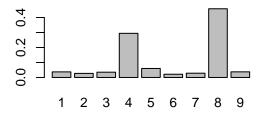


# **Gutenberg ID 13756**



vec <- plotm[10,2:n\_books] %>% unlist()
barplot(vec/sum(vec), main=paste("Gutenberg ID", plotm[10,1]))

## **Gutenberg ID 21039**



# **Gutenberg ID 29685**

