

Introduction

For this simple excercise we arre requireded to use tweepy to access twitter extract information from it perform a sentiment analysis and display our findings I will perform and display the results of sentiment analysis using textblob and the NaiveBayes analyser. The twitter accounts chosen are:

- Dave2D: tech youtuber
- JCoLeNC: the twitter handle of the hip-hop rapper Jermaine Cole
- MKBHD: tech youtuber
- BBCNews: one of the accounts for the broadcasting company

Connecting to the twitter developer account

```
In [1]: import tweepy  
import keys
```

```
In [2]: auth = tweepy.OAuthHandler(keys.consumer_key, keys.consumer_secret)
```

```
In [3]: auth.set_access_token(keys.access_token,keys.access_token_secret)
```

```
In [4]: api= tweepy.API(auth,wait_on_rate_limit=True,wait_on_rate_limit_notify=True)
```

Now that we have connected to twitter we can go ahead and get the information we need for our accounts.

Performing Sentiment Analysis Using TextBlob

```
In [5]: from textblob import TextBlob
```

```
In [6]: dave_acc = api.get_user('Dave2D')  
jcole_acc = api.get_user('JCoLeNC')  
mkbhd_acc = api.get_user('MKBHD')  
bbc_acc = api.get_user('BBCNews')
```

```
In [7]: dave_acc.name
```

```
Out[7]: 'Dave Lee'
```

```
In [8]: jcole_acc.name
```

```
Out[8]: 'J. Cole'
```

```
In [9]: mkbhd_acc.name
```

```
Out[9]: 'Marques Brownlee'
```

```
In [10]: bbc_acc.name
```

```
Out[10]: 'BBC News (UK)'
```

Getting the statuses in text

```
In [11]: bbc_status = bbc_acc.status.text  
bbc_status
```

```
Out[11]: "Titanic letter by 'brave' pastor John Harper sells for £42k https://t.co/ari  
xgMzj38"
```

```
In [12]: jcole_status = jcole_acc.status.text  
jcole_status
```

```
Out[12]: '⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇ DREAMER ⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇⬇ https://t.co/zeWsSTFXSt'
```

```
In [13]: mkbhd_status = mkbhd_acc.status.text  
mkbhd_status
```

```
Out[13]: '@UltraLinux How's the wrap holding up? Looks incredibly clean here'
```

```
In [14]: dave_status = dave_acc.status.text  
dave_status
```

```
Out[14]: '@excessorizeme @imPatrickT that croissant thing looks crazy cool'
```

Analyzing

BBC

```
In [15]: blob_bbc = TextBlob(bbc_status)  
blob_bbc
```

```
Out[15]: TextBlob("Titanic letter by 'brave' pastor John Harper sells for £42k http  
s://t.co/arixgMzj38")
```

```
In [16]: blob_bbc.sentiment
```

```
Out[16]: Sentiment(polarity=0.8, subjectivity=1.0)
```

JCole

```
In [17]: blob_cole = TextBlob(jcole_status)
blob_cole
```

```
Out[17]: TextBlob("☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁ DREAMER ☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁ https://t.co/zeWsSTFXSt")
```

```
In [18]: blob_cole.sentiment
```

```
Out[18]: Sentiment(polarity=0.0, subjectivity=0.0)
```

MKBHD

```
In [19]: blob_mkbhd = TextBlob(mkbhd_status)
blob_mkbhd
```

```
Out[19]: TextBlob("@UltraLinx How's the wrap holding up? Looks incredibly clean here")
```

```
In [20]: blob_mkbhd.sentiment
```

```
Out[20]: Sentiment(polarity=0.3666666666666667, subjectivity=0.7000000000000001)
```

Dave2D

```
In [21]: blob_dave = TextBlob(dave_status)
blob_dave
```

```
Out[21]: TextBlob("@excessorizeme @imPatrickT that croissant thing looks crazy cool")
```

```
In [22]: blob_dave.sentiment
```

```
Out[22]: Sentiment(polarity=-0.125, subjectivity=0.775)
```

Performing Sentiment Analysis Using NaiveBayesAnalyser

```
In [23]: from textblob.sentiments import NaiveBayesAnalyzer
```

```
In [24]: def blob_info(b):
    p = b.polarity
    s = b.subjectivity
    if p == 0.0:
        pr = "Neutral"
    elif p > 0:
        pr = "Positive"
    elif p < 0:
        pr = "Negative"
    if s == 0.0:
        sr = "Subjective"
    else:
        sr = "Objective"
    print('Polarity: {}({})\nSubjectivity: {}({})'.format(pr,p,sr,s))
```

```
In [25]: def sentiment(userlist):
    for u in userlist:
        current = api.get_user(u)
        print(current.name)
        print(current.status.text)
        blob_info(TextBlob(current.status.text))
        print(TextBlob(current.status.text, analyzer=NaiveBayesAnalyzer()).
            sentiment)
        print('-----')
```

```
In [26]: sentiment(['Dave2D', 'MKBHD', 'JColeNC', 'BBCNews'])
```

Dave Lee

@excessorizeme @imPatrickT that croissant thing looks crazy cool

Polarity: Negative(-0.125)

Subjectivity: Objective(0.775)

Sentiment(classification='neg', p_pos=0.10646539641654, p_neg=0.8935346035834612)

Marques Brownlee

@UltraLinx How's the wrap holding up? Looks incredibly clean here

Polarity: Positive(0.3666666666666667)

Subjectivity: Objective(0.7000000000000001)

Sentiment(classification='pos', p_pos=0.5893107533046477, p_neg=0.4106892466953528)

J. Cole

☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁ DREAMER ☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁ <https://t.co/zeWsSTFXSt>

Polarity: Neutral(0.0)

Subjectivity: Subjective(0.0)

Sentiment(classification='neg', p_pos=0.16666666666666666, p_neg=0.8333333333333333)

BBC News (UK)

Titanic letter by 'brave' pastor John Harper sells for £42k <https://t.co/arixgMzj38>

Polarity: Positive(0.8)

Subjectivity: Objective(1.0)

Sentiment(classification='pos', p_pos=0.9311272609078344, p_neg=0.06887273909216433)

Account	Status	Classification	Positive	Negative
Dave Lee	@excessorizeme @imPatrickT that croissant thing looks crazy cool	Negative	0.10646539641654	0.8935346035834612
Marques Brownlee	@UltraLinx How's the wrap holding up? Looks incredibly clean here	Positive	0.5893107533046477	0.4106892466953528
J. Cole	☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁ DREAMER ☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁☁ https://t.co/zeWsSTFXSt	Neutral	0.16666666666666666	0.8333333333333333
BBC News (UK)	Titanic letter by 'brave' pastor John Harper sells for £42k https://t.co/arixgMzj38	Positive	0.9311272609078344	0.06887273909216433

Conclusion

The sentiment analysis on the twitter statuses highlights afew limitations to the analysers we have:

- * Emojis cloud the ability of the analyser to best interpret the text
- * The analysers however advanced aren't able to pick up on certain slang such as 'crazy cool' being flagged as negative instead of a positive

In []: