Introduction:

Data is generated every day on a social networking site. Millions or billions of data are generated in a millisecond, not only in textual form, but also in emojis, symbols, numbers. Whenever we have to find out about people's feelings through comment about that particular thing, we can do data sentiment analysis using machine learning and NLP.

See the given below: -

Review LikedWow... Loved this place. ①Crust is not good. ②Not tasty and the texture was just nasty. ②Stopped by during the late May bank holiday off Rick Steve recommendation and loved it. ①The selection on the menu was great and so were the prices. ①Now I am getting angry and I want my damn pho. ②Honeslty it didn't taste THAT fresh.) ②The potatoes were like rubber and you could tell they had been made up ahead of time being kept under a warmer. ②The fries were great too. ①A great touch. ①Service was very prompt. ①Would not go back. ②The cashier had no

In this article, our problem is the sentiment analysis on YouTube dataset. I discuss important library files, preprocessing steps, feature extraction methods, starting with some basic techniques which will lead into advanced Natural Language Processing techniques.

Let's get started!

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1. Importing Library files: -

First of all, import the important library files, which is used in entire sentimental analysis. Like NLTK, pandas, numpy, sklearn, textblob etc.

In above, pandas are used for importing CSV files (used in next step), nltk is use for natural language processing, TextBlob is built on the shoulders of NLTK and Pattern, sklearn is use for feature extraction.

Importing packages

2. Importing Datasets: -

Before starting, let's read the file from the dataset in order to perform different tasks on it. In the entire article, we will use the YouTube sentiment dataset from the Kaggle platform. (link is: https://www.kaggle.com/datasnaek/youtube#UScomments.csv)

Importing YouTube comments data

1 XpVt6Z1Gjjo I've been following you from the start of your...

Say hi to Kong and maverick for me

MY FAN . attendance

trending 😉

2 XpVt6Z1Gjjo

3 XpVt6Z1Gjjo

4 XpVt6Z1Gjjo

```
1 comm = pd.read_csv('UScomments.csv',error_bad_lines=False)#opening the file UScomments
In [2]:
          2 comm.head()
         b'Skipping line 41589: expected 4 fields, saw 11\nSkipping line 51628: expected 4 fields, saw 7\nSkipping line 114465: expected
         4 fields, saw 5\n'
        b'Skipping line 142496: expected 4 fields, saw 8\nSkipping line 189732: expected 4 fields, saw 6\nSkipping line 245218: expecte
         d 4 fields, saw 7\n'
         b'Skipping line 388430: expected 4 fields, saw 5\n'
         C:\ProgramData\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\IPython\core\interactiveshell.py:3049: DtypeWarning: Columns (2,3) have mixed types.
         Specify dtype option on import or set low_memory=False.
           interactivity=interactivity, compiler=compiler, result=result)
Out[2]:
                                            comment_text likes replies
              video_id
         0 XpVt6Z1Gjjo
                                  Logan Paul it's yo big day !!!!!!
```

Here, **comm** is *dataframe* name, **pd.read_csv()** is **pandas** function which is used in import the entire dataset. **UScomments.csv** is file name, which is kept in same file path. **error_bad_lines=False**,(here, false means *bad lines* will be dropped from the DataFrame). **comm.head()** is use for display the first five row of data frame.

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3. Basic feature extraction using text data: -

Check Null Values or Not

Here, comment text have 25 null values. Need to replace the null values.

> Replace Null Values

null values are replaced by Hello (here, we can any word use for replacing the null values)

```
In [4]: 1 comm['comment_text'].fillna('Hello',inplace=True)
```

> Check again null values removed or not

Now, we can see that, no null values are available, means all set!

Number of words: -

One of the most basic features we can extract is the number of words in each comment

```
In [6]:
               comm['word_count']=comm['comment_text'].apply(lambda x: len(str(x).split(" ")))
               comm[['comment_text', 'word_count']].head()
Out[6]:
                                       comment_text word_count
           0
                           Logan Paul it's yo big day !!!!!!
                                                               7
           1 I've been following you from the start of your...
                                                              17
           2
                      Say hi to Kong and maverick for me
                                                               8
           3
                                  MY FAN . attendance
                                                               2
                                          trending 😉
```

> Number of characters: -

This feature is also based on the previous feature intuition. Here, we calculate the number of characters in each *comment_text*. This is done by calculating the length of the *comment_text*.

```
comm['char_count']=comm['comment_text'].str.len()
In [7]:
                comm[['comment_text','char_count']].head()
Out[7]:
                                        comment_text char_count
           0
                            Logan Paul it's yo big day !!!!!!
                                                                33
              I've been following you from the start of your...
                                                                87
           2
                       Say hi to Kong and maverick for me
                                                                34
           3
                                   MY FAN . attendance
                                                                19
           4
                                                                10
                                           trending 😉
```

Average word length: -

We can also extract another feature which will calculate the average word length of each <code>comment_text</code>. It can also potentially help us in improving our model. Here, we simply take the sum of the length of all the words and divide it by the total length of the <code>comment_text</code>.

```
In [8]:
             def avg_word(sentence):
          2
                 1 = 0
          3
                 words = sentence.split()
                 for word in words:
          4
          5
                     1 = 1 + len(word)
          6
                 if len(words) == 0:
          7
          8
                     return 0
         9
                 else:
                     return int(1/len(words))
         10
         11
         12
         comm['avg_word']=comm['comment_text'].apply(lambda x:avg_word(x))
         14 comm[['comment_text', 'avg_word']].head()
```

Out[8]:

	comment_text	avg_word
0	Logan Paul it's yo big day !!!!!!	3
1	I've been following you from the start of your	4
2	Say hi to Kong and maverick for me	3
3	MY FAN . attendance	4
4	trending 😉	4

> Number of stopwords:-

Normally, solving an NLP problem, the first thing we do is to remove the stopwords. But sometimes calculating the number of stopwords can also give us some extra information which we might have been losing before. we already imported stopwords from NLTK (above).

```
In [9]:
               stop = stopwords.words('english')
               comm['stopwords']=comm['comment_text'].apply(lambda x:len([x for x in x.split() if x in stop]))
              comm[['comment_text', 'stopwords']].head()
Out[9]:
                                      comment_text stopwords
          0
                           Logan Paul it's yo big day !!!!!!
          1 I've been following you from the start of your...
                                                            9
                      Say hi to Kong and maverick for me
                                                             4
          3
                                 MY FAN . attendance
                                                            0
                                         trending 😉
                                                             0
```

> Number of special characters: -

It is most interesting feature of NLP, which we can extract from a *comment_text* is calculating the number of hashtags or mentions present in it. This also helps in extracting extra information from our text data.

(Here, we make use of the 'startswith' function because hashtags (or mentions) always appear at the beginning of a word.)

4. Basic Text Pre-processing of text data

> Punctuation removal: -

it doesn't add any extra information while treating text data. Therefore, it will help us reduce t size of the training data.

in above output, all the punctuation, including '#' '@', emoji, has been removed from the training data.

> Stopwords removal: -

We know, stop words (or commonly occurring words) should be removed from the text data

Frequent words removal: -

We can also remove commonly occurring words from our text data First, here, check the 10 most frequently occurring words in our text data then take call to remove

```
freq =pd.Series(' '.join(comm['comment text']).split()).value counts()[:10]
In [13]:
Out[13]: I
                    217386
          like
                     61940
          love
                     44664
          video
                     34985
                     33755
          Ιm
          The
                     31518
          This
                     30998
          one
                     29740
          dont
                     26992
          people
                     26614
          dtype: int64
```

Now, remove those words as their presence will not of any use in classification of our text data.

> Spelling correction: -

spelling correction is a useful pre-processing step because this also will help us in reducing multiple copies of words. (with help of **textblob library**)

```
In [16]:
           1 from textblob import TextBlob
              comm['comment_text'][:10].apply(lambda x:str(TextBlob(x).correct()))
Out[16]: 0
                                           Began Paul to big day
                  Ve following start vine channel seen 365 logs
         2
                                            May hi Long maverick
         3
                                               of FAN attendance
         4
                                                        treading
         5
                                             1 treading AYYEEEEE
         6
                                                      end though
                                         Happy year vlogaversary
              You shit brother may single handed ruined YouT...
         Name: comment_text, dtype: object
```

(We Know, sometime some people use mistake spelling, or use shortcuts also.)

> Tokenization: -

Tokenization is use for dividing the text into a sequence of words or sentences.

```
In [17]: 1 com=TextBlob(comm['comment_text'][1]).words # here tokenize the 1 index value
com
Out[17]: WordList(['Ive', 'following', 'start', 'vine', 'channel', 'seen', '365', 'vlogs'])
```

In above output, used only index value of 1, you can use any index.

Stemming: -

Stemming is use for removal of suffices, like "ing", "ional", "ly", "s", etc. by a simple rule-based approach. we use **PorterStemmer** from the NLTK library.

```
In [18]:
          1 st = PorterStemmer()
           comm['comment_text'][:10].apply(lambda x: " ".join([st.stem(word) for word in x.split()]))
Out[18]: 0
                                          logan paul yo big day
                    ive follow start vine channel seen 365 vlog
         2
                                           say hi kong maverick
                                                  MY fan attend
                                                          trend
                                                1 trend ayyeeee
                                                     end though
                                                        1 trend
                                        happi year vlogaversari
              you shit brother may singl handedli ruin youtu...
         Name: comment_text, dtype: object
```

In above output, we can see following is follow and trending is trend.

> Lemmatization: -

Lemmatization converts the word into its root word, it is more effective feature

Now, Our Data is cleaned, all pre-processing steps are completed

5. Advance Text Processing: -

Now, we can move on to extracting features using NLP techniques.

> N-grams :-

N-grams are the combination of multiple words used together. Ngrams with **N=1** are called **unigrams**. Similarly, **bigrams** (N=2), **trigrams** (N=3) and so on can also be used.

Unigrams do not usually contain as much information as compared to bigrams and trigrams.

So, extract bigrams from our *comment_text* using the ngrams function of the textblob library.

In above output, our sentence is **Logan Paul yo big day**, we can see the output of the that sentence

Term Frequency: -

Term frequency is simply the ratio of the count of a word present in a sentence, to the length of the sentence.

Therefore, we can generalize term frequency as:

TF = (Number of times term T appears in the particular row) / (number of terms in that row)

Below, tried to show the term frequency table of a *comment text*.

> Inverse Document Frequency: -

The intuition behind inverse document frequency (IDF) is that a word is not of much use to if it's appearing in all the documents.

$$IDF = log(N/n)$$

where, N is the total number of rows and n is the number of rows in which the word was present.

So, calculate IDF for the same comment_text for which we calculated the term frequency.

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Out[22]:

	words	tf	idf
0	365	1	8.755126
1	vlogs	1	7.247995
2	following	1	7.278957
3	seen	1	4.930682
4	channel	1	4.555100
5	vine	1	7.447537
6	start	1	4.614178
7	lve	1	4.409535

Here, more the value of IDF, means that more unique is the word.

> Term Frequency-Inverse Document Frequency (TF-IDF): -

TF-IDF is the multiplication of the TF and IDF which we calculated above

Out[23]:

	words	tf	idf	tfidf
0	365	1	8.755126	8.755126
1	vlogs	1	7.247995	7.247995
2	following	1	7.278957	7.278957
3	seen	1	4.930682	4.930682
4	channel	1	4.555100	4.555100
5	vine	1	7.447537	7.447537
6	start	1	4.614178	4.614178
7	lve	1	4.409535	4.409535

> Feature Extraction: -

We don't have to calculate TF and IDF every time beforehand and then multiply it to obtain TF-IDF. so, sklearn has a separate function to directly obtain it use of :

from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer (library)

Out[24]: <691400x1000 sparse matrix of type '<class 'numpy.float64'>'
with 2404336 stored elements in Compressed Sparse Row format>

> Sentiment Analysis: -

our problem was to detect the sentiment of the comment_text. So, before applying any ML/DL models, check the sentiment of the comment_text.

```
comm['comment text'][:5].apply(lambda x:TextBlob(x).sentiment)
In [25]:
Out[25]: 0
                 (0.0, 0.1)
           1
                 (0.0, 0.1)
           2
                 (0.0, 0.0)
           3
                 (0.0, 0.0)
                 (0.0, 0.0)
           Name: comment text, dtype: object
            1 comm['sentiment']=comm['comment_text'].apply(lambda x:TextBlob(x).sentiment[0])
In [26]:
                comm[['comment_text','sentiment']]
Out[26]:
                                                   comment_text sentiment
                 0
                                             Logan Paul yo big day
                                                                   0.000000
                 1
                          Ive following start vine channel seen 365 vlogs
                                                                   0.000000
                 2
                                                                  0.000000
                                              Say hi Kong maverick
                 3
                                               MY FAN attendance
                                                                   0.000000
                 4
                                                                  0.000000
                                                         trending
                 5
                                             1 trending AYYEEEEE
                                                                  0.000000
                 6
                                                      end though
                                                                   0.000000
                 7
                                                                  0.000000
                                                        1 trending
                 8
                                                                   0.800000
                                            Happy year vlogaversary
                 9
                        You shit brother may single handedly ruined Yo ...
                                                                  -0.135714
                10
                                             There mini Logan Paul
                                                                   0.000000
                    Dear Logan really wanna get Merch money We eve..
                                                                   0.200000
```

here, classification of sentiment is three type 0, 1, -1. now, we can apply the model