

# Guidelines for Calibrating Nucleus APIs

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The purpose of this document is to facilitate the utilization and calibration of Nucleus APIs.

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## 0) Dataset Creation and Upload

- a. I have a set of documents (txt, docx, csv, pdf, URL, html) that I want to upload to create a dataset off of them. How do I do that?

Please take a look at our use case notebooks to learn how to leverage the Nucleus helper function

```
nucleus_helper.upload_files(api_instance, dataset, file_iter, processes)
```

For distributed document upload and injection.

**For txt, docx, pdf, html:** use the API Upload with input args {file, dataset}.

If the documents you work with are either txt, docx or pdf then you will need to proceed with a single document per API call. By specifying the same dataset name in the append\_file\_to\_dataset API, those documents will get inserted into the same dataset.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
file = 'quarles20181109a.pdf' # file |
dataset = 'dataset_from_file' # str | Destination dataset where the file will be inserted.
api_response = api_instance.post_upload_file(file, dataset)
```

**For URLs:** use the API Upload with input args {file\_url, dataset, filename, metadata}. The input arguments 'filename' and 'metadata' are optional.

This URL-based upload notably enables users to upload from an AWS S3 bucket.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_from_url'
file_url = 'https://www.federalreserve.gov/newsevents/speech/files/quarles20181109a.pdf'

payload = nucleus_api.UploadURLModel(dataset=dataset, file_url=file_url) # UploadURLModel |
api_response = api_instance.post_upload_url(payload)
```

**For csv:** If the documents you work with are csv then a csv file will be uploaded as a collection of documents, where each row of the csv file is considered to be a distinct document.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
csv_file = 'trump-tweets-100.csv'
dataset = 'dataset_test'

doc_cnt = 0
with open(csv_file, encoding='utf-8-sig') as csvfile:
    reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile)
    for row in reader:
        if doc_cnt < 1:
            payload = nucleus_api.AppendJsonparams(dataset=dataset,
                                                    language='english',
                                                    document={'time': row['time'], 'title': row['title']},
```

```

        'content': row['content'], 'author': row['author']}
    )
    api_response = api_instance.post_append_json_to_dataset(payload)
    doc_cnt = doc_cnt + 1

```

- b. I have a database table containing lots of documents. I want to upload it to create a dataset. How do I do that?**

**Please take a look at our use case notebooks to learn how to leverage the Nucleus helper function**

```
nucleus_helper.upload_files(api_instance, dataset, file_iter, processes)
```

**For distributed document upload and injection.**

Every database has a different schema, and for security reasons, most enterprise databases are only accessible internally. Therefore, in the current release of Nucleus APIs, database tables are not yet supported through a dedicated upload API. Users who wish to connect such data source to the APIs need to write a custom script leveraging the Nucleus library function `post_append_json_to_dataset`.

The db table content would need to be read line by line. Each line is then inserted in the dataset as per the below example. This is similar to how one would build a dataset from a csv file, where each row is a different document.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
# reader a cursor to db table entries
for row in reader:
    if doc_cnt < 1:
        payload = nucleus_api.Appendjsonparams(dataset=dataset,
                                                language='english',
                                                document={'time': row['time'], 'title': row['title'],
                                                            'content': row['content'], 'author': row['author']}
                                                )
        api_response = api_instance.post_append_json_to_dataset(payload)
        doc_cnt = doc_cnt + 1

```

- c. What happens in the background when I create a dataset?**

**Text extraction:** a first algorithm is used to pull out the text content from documents and applies a simple cleaning. Special care is given to PDFs, which can generate a lot of corrupt content if not handled by tailored code.

**Segmentation:** a second algorithm splits each document into sentences. These sentences are the core pieces of information analyzed in the subsequent workflow performed by all Document and Topic APIs. These sentences, mathematically speaking, will be the rows of the data model that represents the corpus.

**Tokenization:** a third algorithm extracts all tokens found in the corpus. These tokens, mathematically speaking, will be the columns of the data model that

represents the corpus. One can control whether to use unigrams, bigrams, higher order n-grams, or even a blend of several.

Advanced users can control the n-gram used during tokenization through an advanced metadata parameter passed at construction of the dataset:

```
metadata = {"tokenization_ngram": "1"}
api_response = api_instance.post_upload_file(dataset=db_name,
                                              file=file,
                                              metadata=metadata)
```

**Duplicated content:** a fourth and optional algorithm takes care of redundant content down to the sentence level and is implemented when topic and document-level API calls are made. Redundant content is not necessarily a strict duplication of certain sentences but a near-duplication. The algo determines which sentences have the same representation after going through the first 3 algorithms and retains only one of them. You can deactivate this algorithm through an input argument to topic and document-level APIs, which you will see as available in the corresponding documentations:

```
remove_redundancies = False
```

## 1) Dataset Deletion

### a. I want to delete a dataset. How do I do that?

Use the DeleteDataset API. Please note that there is no dataset backup API currently available, so the deletion of a dataset can only be reverted by a SumUp System Admin. You would need to re-upload all the documents from this dataset to reinstate it on your end.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_from_json'

payload = nucleus_api.Deletedatasetmodel(dataset=dataset) # Deletedatasetmodel |
api_response = api_instance.post_delete_dataset(payload)
```

### b. I want to delete specific documents from a dataset. How do I do that?

Use the DeleteDocument API. Please note that there is no dataset backup API currently available, so the deletion of a document can only be reverted by a SumUp System Admin. You would need to re-upload that document in the dataset to reinstate it on your end.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_from_json'
targetDocid = 'integer_id_of_doc_to_delete' # ID and doc content/title/metadata can be matched
using get_doc_info API

payload = nucleus_api.Deletedocumentmodel(dataset=dataset, docid=targetDocid) #
Deletedocumentmodel |
api_response = api_instance.post_delete_document(payload)
```

## 2) Metadata-based selection of documents

### a. I want to retrieve the info of documents that all share a common metadata. How do I do that?

Use the DocInfo API and specify a metadata selection using the input argument 'metadata\_selection'.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
selector = {"field": "value"} # Example {"author": "Albert Einstein"}

payload = nucleus_api.DocInfo(dataset=dataset, metadata_selection=selector)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_info(payload)
```

### b. I want to display documents that all share a common metadata. How do I do that?

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
selector = {"field": "value"} # Example {"author": "Albert Einstein"}

payload = nucleus_api.DocDisplay(dataset=dataset, metadata_selection=selector)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_display(payload)
```

## 3) Embedded Data Feeds

### a. What are the datafeeds directly available through the Nucleus APIs?

As a preamble, please note that this data is made available as-is and no representation is made regarding its accuracy, completeness and availability.

#### 1. Central Banks

**What banks:** Federal Reserve, Bank of Canada, Banco de Mexico, Bank of Brazil, ECB, Bundesbank, Bank of England, Bank of France, Bank of Italy, Bank of Spain, Central Bank of Russia, People Bank of China, Bank of Japan, Royal Bank of Australia and all the US Regional Federal Reserves

These banks are encoded with the following names in Nucleus APIs:

```
central_banks_list =
['federal_reserve', 'bank_of_england', 'ecb', 'bank_of_canada', 'bank_of_australia', 'bank_of_spain', 'banco_d
e_mexico', 'bundesbank', 'bank_of_japan', 'people_bank_of_china', 'bank_of_france', 'bank_of_italy', 'bank_
of_brazil', 'russian_fed']
```

```
regional_feds_list =
['atlanta_fed', 'boston_fed', 'cleveland_fed', 'chicago_fed', 'dallas_fed', 'kansas_city_fed',
'minneapolis_fed', 'new_york_fed', 'philadelphia_fed', 'richmond_fed', 'san_francisco_fed', 'st_louis_fed']
```

You can select any of these banks through a metadata selection, using the key 'bank', within Central Bank datasets that are each language specific. We further detail this below.

**What documents:** all speeches, press releases, publications and formal research made available on the central banks' website in both English and native language when different from English.

These document categories are encoded with the following names in Nucleus APIs:

```
document_category = ['speech', 'press release', 'publication', 'formal research']
```

You can select any of these categories through a metadata selection, using the key 'document\_category'.

**What history:** back to 2008 for all banks, and up to another 10 years back for a few of these Central Banks.

**Update frequency:** daily

## 2. News RSS

**What Media:** 200 RSS feeds grouped into 8 categories: AI, Crypto, Culture, Economics, Finance, General News. The complete list is available at [this link](#)

These categories are encoded with the following names in Nucleus APIs:

```
rss_dataset =  
["rss_feed_ai", "rss_feed_bitcoin", "rss_feed_culture", "rss_feed_finance", "rss_feed_news", "rss_feed_economics"]
```

They directly exist as standalone datasets. We further detail this below.

**What documents:** all articles shared through RSS, in English.

**What history:** back to December 2018

**Update frequency:** daily

## 3. SEC filings

**What companies:** All public companies listed on a US Exchange

**What documents:** all 10K, 10K/A, 10Q, 10Q/A, 8K, 8K/A, S1, S1/A, 20F, 6K. Available per-section and per-document.

**What history:** back to 2000

**Update frequency:** daily



## **b. How can I use these datasets through the Nucleus APIs?**

### **1. Central Banks**

The datasets are organized per language and can be accessed as follows when building your API payload:

With LANGUAGE either of {english, chinese, japanese, german, spanish, french, italian, portuguese, russian}

```
dataset = "sumup/central_banks_LANGUAGE"
```

You can then use the metadata\_selection argument in your payload to retain specific Central Banks and document types:

```
metadata_selection = {'bank': 'federal_reserve', 'document_category': 'speech'}
```

The following document categories are available:

- 'speech'
- 'press release'
- 'publication'
- 'formal research'

The following banks are available:

- Americas
  - 'federal\_reserve'
  - 'bank\_of\_canada'
  - 'banco\_de\_mexico'
  - 'bank\_of\_brazil'
  - 'atlanta\_fed'
  - 'boston\_fed'
  - 'chicago\_fed'
  - 'cleveland\_fed'
  - 'dallas\_fed'
  - 'kansas\_city\_fed'
  - 'minneapolis\_fed'
  - 'new\_york\_fed'
  - 'philadelphia\_fed'
  - 'richmond\_fed'
  - 'san\_francisco\_fed'
  - 'st\_louis\_fed'
- Europe
  - 'ecb'
  - 'bank\_of\_england'
  - 'bundesbank'
  - 'bank\_of\_france'
  - 'bank\_of\_italy'
  - 'bank\_of\_spain'

- 'russian\_fed'
- Asia
  - 'people\_bank\_of\_china'
  - 'bank\_of\_japan'
  - 'bank\_of\_australia'

## 2. News RSS

The datasets are organized per field and can be accessed as follows when building your API payload:

With FIELD either of {ai, bitcoin, finance, economics, culture, news}

```
dataset = "sumup/rss_feed_FIELD"
```

## 3. SEC filings

The datasets are organized in a different manner to the Central Banks and News RSS as a result of their size. Therefore, dedicated APIs are available to users for them to create their datasets off the SEC filings.

Users can select SEC filings based on 3 fields:

- Tickers
- Filing\_types
- Sections

One API allows users to look-up either of tickers / filing types / sections. Multiple tickers, filing\_types can be passed in input:

```
#Get list of all companies available:
payload = nucleus_api.EdgarFields(tickers=[],
                                  filing_types=[],
                                  sections=[])

#Get list of all filing types available for google
payload = nucleus_api.EdgarFields(tickers=["GOOG"],
                                  filing_types=[],
                                  sections=[])

#Get list of sections available for google 10-K
payload = nucleus_api.EdgarFields(tickers=["GOOG"],
                                  filing_types=["10-K"],
                                  sections=[])

api_response = api_instance.post_available_sec_filings(payload)
```

A second API creates a custom dataset using a selection of tickers, filing\_types and sections specified by the user:

```
my_dataset = "dataset_name"
period_start = "2018-01-01"
period_end = "2019-06-01"
```

```
#Dataset is 10Ks of Google and Amazon:
payload = nucleus_api.EdgarQuery(destination_dataset=my_dataset,
                                tickers=["GOOG", "AMZN"],
                                filing_types=["10-K", "10-K/A"],
                                sections=[])

#Dataset is the MD&A section for BABA
payload = nucleus_api.EdgarQuery(destination_dataset=my_dataset,
                                tickers=["BABA"],
                                filing_types=["20-F"],
                                sections=["Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk"])

#Dataset is all 8Ks for NFLX in the last 18 months
payload = nucleus_api.EdgarQuery(destination_dataset=my_dataset,
                                tickers=["NFLX"],
                                filing_types=["8-K"],
                                sections=[],
                                period_start=period_start,
                                period_end=period_end)

api_response = api_instance.post_create_dataset_from_sec_filings(payload)
```

**c. Can I do anything with these embedded datafeeds?**

No, these datasets are read-only. You cannot remove or add documents to any of these datasets. If you find certain documents are missing or are erroneous, please contact [sales@sumup.ai](mailto:sales@sumup.ai)

#### 4) Multi-Lingual Capabilities

**a. What languages are supported by the Nucleus APIs?**

Currently, 13 languages are fully supported by the Nucleus APIs:

- English
- Chinese, both Simplified and Traditional
- Spanish
- Japanese
- Portuguese
- German
- Italian
- French
- Russian
- Arabic
- Farsi
- Hindi

Please note that the sentiment and consensus analyses have been tailored to the fields of finance, economics and geopolitics. If you operate in different fields, nothing will break but the results won't have the same accuracy and relevance. In such situation we strongly advocate the use of your own sentiment dictionary.

If your corpus is in another language than any of the 13 above:

- You will still be able to work for any Latin-alphabet-based language.

- Results won't be as accurate for topics, summarization, content recommendation, but you can do some quick clean-up on the fly since the APIs are so fast and provide transparent results
- Sentiment and consensus will be useless unless you provide your own sentiment dictionary
- For languages that are in a different alphabet than the Latin, Arabic, Russian, Chinese, Hindi ones, running the APIs will result in errors

**b. How do I query and customize stopwords for languages other than English?**

Any query and any list of custom stopwords that you pass to an API must be in the same language as that of the corpus.

Down the line we will support on-the-fly translation, so you can query in any language you are comfortable with and the query is translated into the language of the corpus in the background.

## 5) Topic Modeling

**a. The topics I get are too high-level, or they are well-known for someone with domain expertise in my field**

Increase the number of topics 'num\_topics' identified and extracted by the algorithm and look at the higher-order topics.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
num_topics = 20 # int | Number of topics to be extracted from dataset. (optional) (default to 8)

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset=dataset, num_topics=num_topics)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)
```

Are the higher-order topics more specific and relevant? Great.

Are all these topics still too high-level? Add their respective keywords to the input argument 'custom\_stop\_words' and rerun the Topic Model API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
custom_stop_words = ["word1", "word2"]
num_topics = 20 # int | Number of topics to be extracted from dataset. (optional) (default to 8)

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset=dataset, num_topics=num_topics,
                             custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)
```

Do you still find some topics are relevant to you, but they are a bit too broad? In this case, go to the subtopics level.

- Run a first-pass topic model
- Select the topics you identify as relevant
- Extract the keywords from those topics, and run a second-pass topic model that contains these keywords as user-query in the input argument 'query'

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
num_topics = 20 # int | Number of topics to be extracted from dataset. (optional) (default to 8)

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset, num_topics=num_topics)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)
pprint(api_response) # Retrieve keywords from topics of interest

num_topics = 6 # int | Number of subtopics to be extracted from dataset. (optional) (default to 8)
query = '("word1" OR "word2" OR ... OR "wordN")' | Fulltext query

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset=dataset, query=query, num_topics=num_topics)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)

```

#### **b. The topics I get are too narrowly defined**

Increase the number of keywords ‘num\_keywords’ per topic that is identified and extracted. Rerun the Topic Model API.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
num_keywords = 20 # int | Number of keywords per topic that is extracted from the dataset.
(optional) (default to 8)

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset=dataset, num_keywords=num_keywords)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)

```

#### **c. Several of the topics I get contain some generic words for someone with domain expertise in my field**

Add these words as stopwords in the input argument ‘custom\_stop\_words’ and rerun the Topic Model API.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
custom_stop_words = ["word1", "word2"]

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset=dataset, custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)

```

#### **d. I want to exclude certain documents in my dataset from the topic modeling analysis**

If you know the document ID of these documents, you can pass them in the input argument ‘excluded\_docs’ of the Topic Model API and rerun.

If you know the titles of these documents, first use the Doc Info API to retrieve the corresponding document IDs, then pass them in the input argument ‘excluded\_docs’ of the Topic Model API and rerun.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
excluded_docs = [ "docid1", "docid2" ] | ID of documents to be excluded

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset=dataset, excluded_docs=excluded_docs)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)

```

## 6) Topic Summarization

### a. The summary I get is too dry, I would like a bit more contextual understanding

Increase the value of the input argument 'context\_amount' to the Topic Summary API and rerun. Every increment gives you an extra contextual sentence.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
context_amount = 1 # int | The number of sentences surrounding key summary sentences in the
documents that they come from. (optional) (default to 0)

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSummaryModel(dataset=dataset, context_amount=context_amount)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_summary_api(payload)
```

### b. The summary I get covers too much of an overview content of the document. I want it to be about more niche elements, or more contrasted

Identify words characteristic of the overview content:

- Either by reading the sentences currently produced in your summary and deciding
- Or by grouping those sentences from several documents that you are working on into a new dataset and running this dataset through the Topic Model API. In this case, the topics that you identify, and extract can be used as the characteristic words of the overview content

Add these words as stopwords through the input argument 'custom\_stop\_words' to the Topic Summary API and rerun the API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
payload = nucleus_api.Summary(dataset=dataset)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_summary_api(payload)
pprint(api_response)
num_topics = 20 # int | Number of topics to be extracted from dataset. (optional) (default to 8)

payload = nucleus_api.Topics(dataset=dataset, num_topics=num_topics)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_api(payload)
pprint(api_response) # Retrieve keywords from topics of interest

# If you want to determine keywords using a topic modeling approach, pull out every sentence from
# the above pprint response using the API DocDisplay and write a short script with the function
# post_append_json_to_dataset

custom_stop_words = ["word1", "word2"]

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSummaryModel(dataset=dataset,
custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_summary_api(payload)
```

### c. I want to exclude certain documents in my dataset from the topic summarization

If you know the document ID of these documents, you can pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Topic Summary API and rerun.

If you know the titles of these documents, first use the Doc Info API to retrieve the corresponding document IDs, then pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Topic Summary API and rerun.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
excluded_docs = ["docid1", "docid2"] # ID of documents to be excluded

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSummaryModel(dataset=dataset, excluded_docs=excluded_docs)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_summary_api(payload)
```

## 7) Topic Sentiment Analysis

### a. I am surprised by the sentiment on one of my topics, it doesn't look right

The Topic Sentiment API provides a few supplemental outputs in the form of document-level sentiment (on each topic) and weights, for the documents in your corpus.

Take a look at those outputs, to detect whether some specific documents have surprisingly large sentiment (whether positive or negative) and/or weight.

If there are such documents: does their sentiment or weight make sense upon reading the content? If no, you can exclude them from the analysis and rerun your API call.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSentimentModel(dataset=dataset)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_sentiment_api(payload)
for i, res in enumerate(api_response.result):
    print('Topic', i, 'sentiment:')
    print('  Keywords:', res.keywords)
    print('  Sentiment:', res.sentiment)
    print('  Strength:', res.strength)

    doc_id_str = ''.join(str(x) for x in res.doc_ids)
    doc_sentiment_str = ''.join(str(x) for x in res.doc_sentiments)
    doc_score_str = ''.join(str(x) for x in res.doc_topic_exposures)
    print('  Document IDs:', doc_id_str)
    print('  Document Sentiments:', doc_sentiment_str)
    print('  Document Scores:', doc_score_str)

    print('-----')
```

### b. I want to exclude certain documents in my dataset from the topic sentiment analysis

If you know the document ID of these documents, you can pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Topic Sentiment API and rerun.

If you know the titles of these documents, first use the Doc Info API to retrieve the corresponding document IDs, then pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Topic Sentiment API and rerun.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
excluded_docs = ["docid1", "docid2"] # ID of documents to be excluded

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSentimentModel(dataset=dataset, excluded_docs = excluded_docs)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_sentiment_api(payload)
```

**c. I want to use my own dictionary for sentiment**

Upload your sentiment dictionary to the root folder where the rest of your code is located, as a JSON file. The structure of that JSON should be as follows:

```
Custom_dict_file = {"word1": sentiment_value_1, "word2": sentiment_value_2, ..., "wordN":
sentiment_value_N}
```

You can then pass this custom dictionary to the Topic Sentiment Analysis API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
custom_dict_file = 'custom-sentiment-dict.json' # file | Custom sentiment dictionary JSON file.
(optional)

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSentimentModel(dataset= dataset, custom_dict_file =
custom_dict_file)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_sentiment_api(payload)
```

## 8) Topic Consensus Analysis

**a. I am surprised by the consensus on one of my topics, it doesn't look right**

This might be the result of some documents in the corpus having an unexpected sentiment. The Topic Sentiment API provides a few supplemental outputs in the form of document-level sentiment and weights, for the documents in your corpus.

Take a look at those outputs, to detect whether some specific documents have surprisingly large sentiment (whether positive or negative) and/or weight.

If there are such documents: does their sentiment or weight make sense based on reading the content? If no, you can exclude them from the analysis and rerun your API call.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSentimentModel(dataset=dataset)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_sentiment_api(payload)
for i, res in enumerate(api_response.result):
    print('Topic', i, 'sentiment:')
    print('  Keywords:', res.keywords)
    print('  Sentiment:', res.sentiment)
    print('  Strength:', res.strength)
```



```

doc_id_str = ''.join(str(x) for x in res.doc_ids)
doc_sentiment_str = ''.join(str(x) for x in res.doc_sentiments)
doc_score_str = ''.join(str(x) for x in res.doc_topic_exposures)
print(' Document IDs:', doc_id_str)
print(' Document Sentiments:', doc_sentiment_str)
print(' Document Scores:', doc_score_str)

print('-----')

```

**b. I want to exclude certain documents in my dataset from the topic consensus analysis**

If you know the document ID of these documents, you can pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Topic Consensus API and rerun.

If you know the titles of these documents, first use the Doc Info API to retrieve the corresponding document IDs, then pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Topic Consensus API and rerun.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
excluded_docs = ["docid1", "docid2"] # ID of documents to be excluded

payload = nucleus_api.TopicConsensusModel(dataset=dataset, excluded_docs=excluded_docs)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_consensus_api(payload)

```

**c. I want to use my own dictionary for sentiment**

Upload your sentiment dictionary to the root folder where the rest of your code is located, as a JSON file. The structure of that JSON should be as follows:

```

custom_dict_file = {"word1": sentiment_value_1, "word2": sentiment_value_2, ..., "wordN": sentiment_value_N}

```

You can then pass this custom dictionary to the Topic Consensus Analysis API.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
custom_dict_file = 'custom-sentiment-dict.json' # file | Custom sentiment dictionary JSON file. (optional)

payload = nucleus_api.TopicConsensusModel(dataset=dataset, custom_dict_file=custom_dict_file)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_consensus_api(payload)

```

## 9) Document Summarization

**a. The summary I get is too dry, I would like a bit more contextual understanding**

Increase the value of the input argument 'context\_amount' to the Doc Summary API and rerun. Every increment gives you an extra contextual sentence.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.
context_amount = 1 # int | The number of sentences surrounding key summary sentences in the documents that they come from. (optional) (default to 0)

```

```
payload = nucleus_api.DocumentSummaryModel (dataset=dataset, doc_title=doc_title,
context_amount=context_amount)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_summary_api(payload)
```

## b. The summary I get contains generic content from the document

Identify words characteristic of this generic content:

- Either by reading the generic sentences and deciding
- Or by grouping generic sentences from several documents that you are working on into a new dataset and running this dataset through the Topic Model API. In this case, the topics that you identify, and extract can be used as the characteristic words of your generic content

Add these words as stopwords through the parameter 'custom\_stop\_words' in input to the Document Summary API and rerun the API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentSummaryModel (dataset=dataset, doc_title=doc_title)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_summary_api(payload)
pprint(api_response)

# If you want to determine keywords using a topic modeling approach, pull out every sentence from
#the above pprint response using the API DocDisplay and write a short script with the function
#post_append_json_to_dataset

custom_stop_words = ["word1", "word2"]

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentSummaryModel (dataset=dataset, doc_title=doc_title,
custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_summary_api (payload)
```

## c. My document summary is not specific enough for someone with domain expertise in my field. I want a summary that focuses more on the niche aspects and the contrasting aspects of this document

3 different routes are available to you:

### 1) Document summary with a query filter

Pass in a query on the aspects you are interested in to the Document Summary API and rerun the API. This query uses MySQL structure, see below in the example for an illustrative syntax.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentSummaryModel (dataset=dataset, doc_title=doc_title)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_summary_api(payload)
pprint(api_response)
```

```
# If you want to determine keywords using a topic modeling approach, pull out every sentence from
#the above pprint response using the API DocDisplay and write a short script with the function
#post_append_json_to_dataset
```

```
query = “(word1 AND word2) OR (word3 AND word4)”
```

```
payload = nucleus_api.DocumentSummaryModel (dataset=dataset, doc_title=doc_title,
                                             query=query)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_summary_api (payload)
```

## 2) Document summary with custom stopwords

Identify words characteristic of the overview content:

- Either by reading the sentences currently produced in your summary and deciding
- Or by grouping those sentences into a new dataset and running this dataset through the Topic Model API. In this case, the topics that you identify, and extract can be used as the characteristic words of the overview content

Add these words as stopwords through the input argument ‘custom\_stop\_words’ to the Document Summary API and rerun the API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.
```

```
payload = nucleus_api.DocumentSummaryModel (dataset=dataset, doc_title=doc_title)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_summary_api(payload)
pprint(api_response)
```

```
# If you want to determine keywords using a topic modeling approach, pull out every sentence from
#the above pprint response using the API DocDisplay and write a short script with the function
#post_append_json_to_dataset
```

```
custom_stop_words = [“word1”, “word2”]
```

```
payload = nucleus_api.DocumentSummaryModel (dataset=dataset, doc_title=doc_title,
                                             custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_summary_api (payload)
```

## 3) Contrasted document summary

This is a different API, whose purpose is to summarize elements of a corpus, possibly of a single document, which make it stand against the rest of the corpus.

Call it as follows, to summarize a single document against the rest of the corpus:

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
metadata_selection = {“title”: “doc_title_example”}

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentContrastSummaryModel (dataset=dataset,
                                                    metadata_selection = metadata_selection)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_contrasted_summary_api (payload)
```

## 10) Document Contrasted Summarization

### a. How is the contrasted summary different from a standard summary?

A standard summary provides an overview of the entire content of a document, extracting the most important points. These important points may not be unique to the document and could be found in every document of a corpus. For instance, every investment research piece will contain mentions that past performance is not indicative of future performance.

A contrasted summary provides an overview of what sets a document apart from other documents. This may have to do with an aspect discussed in this document only, or it may relate to how certain aspects are expressed in this document even though they are discussed in several documents.

**b. The summary I get contains generic content from the document**

Identify words characteristic of this generic content:

- Either by reading the generic sentences and deciding
- Or by grouping generic sentences from several documents that you are working on into a new dataset and running this dataset through the Topic Model API. In this case, the topics that you identify, and extract can be used as the characteristic words of your generic content

Add these words as stopwords through the parameter ‘custom\_stop\_words’ in input to the Document Contrasted Summary API and rerun the API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentContrastSummaryModel (dataset=dataset,
                                                    metadata_selection=metadata_selection)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_contrasted_summary_api(payload)
pprint(api_response)

# If you want to determine keywords using a topic modeling approach, pull out every sentence from
#the above pprint response using the API DocDisplay and write a short script with the function
#post_append_json_to_dataset

custom_stop_words = ["word1", "word2"]

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentContrastSummaryModel (dataset=dataset,
                                                    metadata_selection=metadata_selection,
                                                    custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_contrasted_summary_api (payload)
```

**c. My document summary is not specific enough for someone with domain expertise in my field. I want a summary that focuses more on the niche aspects of this document**

Two different routes are available to you:

**1) Document summary with a query filter**

Pass in a query on the aspects you are interested in to the Document Summary API and rerun the API. This query uses MySQL structure, see below in the example for an illustrative syntax.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.

payload = nucleus_api.DocContrastSummaryModel (dataset=dataset,
                                                metadata_selection=metadata_selection)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_contrasted_summary_api(payload)
pprint(api_response)

# If you want to determine keywords using a topic modeling approach, pull out every sentence from
#the above pprint response using the API DocDisplay and write a short script with the function
#post_append_json_to_dataset

query = “(word1 AND word2) OR (word3 AND word4)”

payload = nucleus_api.DocContrastSummaryModel (dataset=dataset,
                                                metadata_selection=metadata_selection,
                                                query=query)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_contrasted_summary_api (payload)

```

## 2) Document summary with custom stopwords

Identify words characteristic of the overview content:

- Either by reading the sentences currently produced in your summary and deciding
- Or by grouping those sentences into a new dataset and running this dataset through the Topic Model API. In this case, the topics that you identify, and extract can be used as the characteristic words of the overview content

Add these words as stopwords through the input argument ‘custom\_stop\_words’ to the Document Contrasted Summary API and rerun the API.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.

payload = nucleus_api.DocContrastSummaryModel (dataset=dataset,
                                                metadata_selection=metadata_selection)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_contrasted_summary_api(payload)
pprint(api_response)

# If you want to determine keywords using a topic modeling approach, pull out every sentence from
#the above pprint response using the API DocDisplay and write a short script with the function
#post_append_json_to_dataset

custom_stop_words = [“word1”, “word2”]

payload = nucleus_api.DocContrastSummaryModel (dataset=dataset,
                                                metadata_selection=metadata_selection,
                                                custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_contrasted_summary_api (payload)

```

## 11) Document Sentiment Analysis

- I am surprised by the sentiment on one of my documents, it doesn't look right

Leverage the Topic Sentiment API running on a single document to assess whether certain of the key topics extracted from that document and used in evaluating the sentiment of the document are either irrelevant or have a sentiment contribution which is surprising.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
doc_title = 'doc_title_example' # str | The title of the document to be summarized.
metadata_selection = {'title': doc_title}

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSentimentModel(dataset=dataset,
                                           metadata_selection=metadata_selection)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_sentiment_api(payload)
for i, res in enumerate(api_response.result):
    print('Topic', i, 'sentiment:')
    print('  Keywords:', res.keywords)
    print('  Sentiment:', res.sentiment)

print('-----')
```

## 12) Content Recommendations

### a. I want to get more recommended documents on my list of topics

Increase the value of the input argument 'doc\_num' and rerun the Doc Recommendation API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
num_docs = 30 # int | Number of desired recommended docs per topic

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentRecommendModel(dataset=dataset, num_docs=num_docs)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_recommend_api(payload)
```

### b. I want to exclude certain documents in my dataset from the content recommendation

If you know the document ID of these documents, you can pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Doc Recommendation API and rerun.

If you know the titles of these documents, first use the Doc Info API to retrieve the corresponding document IDs, then pass them in the input argument 'excluded\_docs' of the Doc Recommendation API and rerun.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
excluded_docs = ["docid1", "docid2"] # ID of documents to be excluded

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentRecommendModel(dataset=dataset,
                                              excluded_docs=excluded_docs)
api_response = api_instance.post_doc_recommend_api(payload)
```

## 13) Topic Historical Analysis

- a. **The charts of topic strength, sentiment and consensus I get are too granular. How can I get them with less frequent updates?**

Adjust the input argument 'update\_period' from being a daily frequency ('d') to a lower frequency such as weekly ('w') or monthly ('m').

If you want an adjustment that is a bit less radical, you can use the input argument 'inc\_step', which reflects how many units of the update\_period are taken in between two historical analyses. E.g.: inc\_step = 1 with update\_period = 'd' means that the historical analysis will run every day in the time period of your dataset. Increase the value of the input argument 'inc\_step'.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = dataset # str | Dataset name.
time_period = '6M' # str | Time period selection (default to 1M)
update_period = 'd' # str | Frequency at which the historical analysis is performed (default to d)
inc_step = 1 # int | Number of increments of the update period in between two historical computations.
(optional) (default to 1)

payload = nucleus_api.TopicHistoryModel(dataset=dataset,
                                         time_period=time_period,
                                         update_period=update_period,
                                         inc_step=inc_step)

api_response = api_instance.post_topic_historical_analysis_api(payload)
```

- b. **I want to adjust the topic modeling itself before conducting a historical analysis on topics. What is the best way?**

Refer to section 2) of this document: Topic Modeling. That API will run faster so you can refine the topics the way you need. Once you found a configuration of the topic model that suits your needs, use it for the Topic Historical Analysis API.

- c. **I want to use my own dictionary for sentiment**

Upload your sentiment dictionary to the root folder where the rest of your code is located, as a JSON file. The structure of that JSON should be as follows:

```
custom_dict_file = {"word1": sentiment_value_1, "word2": sentiment_value_2, ..., "wordN":
sentiment_value_N}
```

You can then pass this custom dictionary to the Topic Historical Analysis API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
custom_dict_file = 'custom-sentiment-dict.json' # file | Custom sentiment dictionary JSON file.
(optional)

payload = nucleus_api.TopicHistoryModel(dataset=dataset, custom_dict_file=custom_dict_file)
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_historical_analysis_api(payload)
```

## 14) Author Connectivity

- a. **I know the name of an author I am interested in analyzing. How do I use the Author Connectivity API?**

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = dataset # str | Dataset name.
target_author = 'D_Trump16' # str | Name of the author to be analyzed.

payload = nucleus_api.AuthorConnection(dataset= dataset, target_author=target_author)
api_response = api_instance.post_author_connectivity_api(payload)
```

## 15) Topic Transfer Learning

### a. What do I use these APIs for?

There are 3 APIs performing transfer learning: Topic, Sentiment and Consensus. Each of them allows to extract topics on a reference dataset and measure the exposure, sentiment and consensus on those topics in a different dataset.

### b. I want to adjust the topic modeling itself before conducting a transfer learning of topics. What is the best way?

Refer to section 2) of this document: Topic Modeling. That API will run faster so you can refine the topics the way you need. Once you found a configuration of the topic model that suits your needs, use it for any of the transfer learning APIs.

### c. I want to use my own dictionary for Sentiment transfer

Upload your sentiment dictionary to the root folder where the rest of your code is located, as a JSON file. The structure of that JSON should be as follows:

```
custom_dict_file = {"word1": sentiment_value_1, "word2": sentiment_value_2, ..., "wordN":
sentiment_value_N}
```

You can then pass this custom dictionary to the Sentiment and Consensus transfer learning APIs.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
custom_dict_file = 'custom-sentiment-dict.json' # file | Custom sentiment dictionary JSON file.
(optional)

payload = nucleus_api.TopicSentimentTransferModel(dataset0=dataset0,
                                                    query=query,
                                                    custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words,
                                                    num_topics=num_topics,
                                                    num_keywords=num_keywords,
                                                    period_0_start=period_0_start,
                                                    period_0_end=period_0_end,
                                                    period_1_start=period_1_start,
                                                    period_1_end=period_1_end,
                                                    metadata_selection=metadata_selection,
                                                    custom_dict_file=custom_dict_file)

api_response = api_instance.post_topic_sentiment_transfer_api(payload)
```

### d. I want to use my own topics to transfer

Define the topics as follows:

```
fixed_topics = [{"keywords":["word_1", "word_2", "word_3"], "weights":[weight_1, weight_2, weight_3]}]
```



You can then pass this list of fixed topics to any transfer learning API.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.

payload = nucleus_api.TopicTransferModel(dataset0=dataset0,
                                          fixed_topics=fixed_topics,
                                          query=query,
                                          custom_stop_words=custom_stop_words,
                                          num_topics=num_topics,
                                          num_keywords=num_keywords,
                                          period_0_start=period_0_start,
                                          period_0_end=period_0_end,
                                          period_1_start=period_1_start,
                                          period_1_end=period_1_end,
                                          metadata_selection=metadata_selection)

api_response = api_instance.post_topic_transfer_api(payload)
```

## 16) Contrasting Topic Extraction

### a. What do I use this API for?

This API is meant to be combined with the Document Classification API discussed in section 17) of this document. The Contrasting Topic is the topic best separating two categories of documents within a given dataset, where the user controls ex-ante how these two categories are defined. It is notably used to perform automated classification of new content into two such pre-defined categories.

### b. How do I define the two categories of documents within my dataset?

Use the input argument ‘metadata\_selection’ to the API’s payload. You can provide two different values for a given metadata variable of the dataset:

```
metadata_selection = {"metadata_header_example": ["value1", "value2"]}
```

Or

```
metadata_selection = {"metadata_header_example": "value"}
```

The metadata\_header could be: a document category, publication dates, authors, sources, titles. You control the metadata of your dataset, so you could work with anything you want.

You can also provide a definition based on certain content being present in documents or not. In this case, the metadata\_header has to be “content”:

```
metadata_selection = {"content": "word1 word2 .... wordN"}
```

### c. How do I adjust the number of words that make up the Contrasted Topic?

Use the input argument ‘compression’ to the API’s payload. This parameter has a value between 0 and 1. The larger the value, the narrower the contrast is, and the algo will retain words that have a larger weight in contrasting the two categories of documents in your dataset. Smaller values of compression will provide a more nuanced contrasted topic.

```
api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
compression = 0.002

payload = nucleus_api.TopicContrastModel(dataset=dataset,
                                          metadata_selection=metadata_selection,
                                          compression=compression)

api_response = api_instance.post_topic_contrast_api(payload)
```

**d. What is the impact of the `syntax_variables` parameter?**

Our Contrasted Topic algorithm has an option to account for differences in syntax between two categories of documents in order to better understand the aspects that separate them, whether it is content or how they are written.

For instance, proclivity to write very long sentences could be a demarking factor. So could the tendency to finish each sentence with multiple punctuations!!!!!!

If `syntax_variables = True` in your payload, then the algorithm will include those variables characterizing the syntax of content as part of the extraction of a contrasted topic. Note that these variables may not turn out to be impactful, in which case the algorithm will ignore them.

## 17) Document Classification

**a. What do I use this API for?**

This API is meant to perform automated classification of new content into two pre-defined categories. You can use it to train a classification model, by providing a labeled dataset as input, where the label informs on what category each of the documents in the dataset belongs to. In this case, accuracy/precision/recall are returned. You can also use it in production to categorize incoming content into one of these two pre-defined categories.

**b. How do I define the two categories of documents within my dataset?**

Use the input argument '`metadata_selection`' to the API's payload. You can provide two different values for a given metadata variable of the dataset:

```
metadata_selection = {"metadata_header_example": ["value1", "value2"]}
```

Or

```
metadata_selection = {"metadata_header_example": "value"}
```

The `metadata_header` could be: a document category, publication dates, authors, sources, titles. You control the metadata of your dataset, so you could work with anything you want.

You can also provide a definition based on certain content being present in documents or not. In this case, the `metadata_header` has to be "content":

```
metadata_selection = {"content": "word1 word2 .... wordN"}
```

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
fixed_topics = {"keywords": ["word1", "word2", ... "wordN"], "weights": [weigh1, weight2, ...
weight]}

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentClassifyModel(dataset=dataset,
                                             fixed_topics=fixed_topics,
                                             metadata_selection=metadata_selection)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_classify_api (payload)

```

If you are in validation mode (input argument ‘validation\_phase’ is set to True), then those labels must also be present in the dataset provided as input.

If you are in production model (input argument ‘validation\_phase’ is set to False), then this label will be appended in the API output for each document contained in the dataset, to know what category they have each been assigned to.

### c. How do I define the contrasted topic?

Use the input argument ‘fixed\_topics’ to pass in the output from the Contrasted Topic API, possibly tailored by your domain-expert team.

```

api_instance = nucleus_api.NucleusApi(nucleus_api.ApiClient(configuration))
dataset = 'dataset_example' # str | Dataset name.
metadata_selection = {"metadata_header_example": ["value1", "value2"]}
fixed_topics = {"keywords": ["word1", "word2", ... "wordN"], "weights": [weigh1, weight2, ...
weight]}

payload = nucleus_api.DocumentClassifyModel(dataset=dataset,
                                             fixed_topics=fixed_topics,
                                             metadata_selection=metadata_selection)
api_response = api_instance.post_document_classify_api (payload)

```

### d. What is the impact of the syntax\_variables parameter?

Our Document Classification algorithm has an option to account for differences in syntax between two categories of documents in order to better understand the aspects that separate them, whether it is content or how they are written. This option directly relates to how you established the contrasted topic used to classify documents. If you have syntax\_variables set to True in the Contrasted Topic API then you need to also set it to True in the Document Classification API.

## 18) Entity Tagging in Datasets

### a. What do I use these APIs for?

This API helps users with enriching the metadata of their dataset with fields pertaining to what entities are present in what documents.

### b. How can I define the entities I want to tag?

Create an array of those entities. For a given entity, you can specify alternative names / spellings.

```
entities = [['AAPL', 'Apple', 'iPhone'], ['GOOG', 'Google', 'Alphabet', 'Android'], ['NTDOY', 'Nintendo', '任天堂株式会社']]
```

In the above example, the tag that would be attached to each document in your dataset would be the first alternative for every entity: AAPL, GOOG, NTDOY

### c. How can I build an enhanced dataset with the entities I tagged?

Please refer to the use-case notebook in the Nucleus SDK repo:  
[Entity Tagging NucleusAPI Use Case](#)

**d. Certain documents of my corpus contain multiple entities. How can I decide which one to pick?**

Please use the field `entity_count` from the API output as one possible way to prioritize which entity is most related to each document.

## 19) Topic Delta

**a. What do I use this API for?**

This API allows the user to assess how the exposure of a group of entities to a set of topics has changed between two time periods.

Such measure of the change in exposure can be used as-is for entity monitoring on specific topics or can be used as an input to a supervised predictive model. For instance, one would use this API on SEC filings of a set of companies to determine how each company is exposed to a set of critical topics in those filings on two different filing dates. This change in exposure per company can be used in training a model to predict changes in stock prices between filing dates.

### **b. How should I build my dataset to use with this API?**

The dataset should be comprised of documents that are each attached to an entity (such as a company, a person, a country) that the user wants to analyze. For each entity, there should be multiple documents that are spread through time (such as corporate SEC filings that are published every quarter, emails/chat logs from specific people).

The API enables the user to compute a change in exposure between two time periods of the whole dataset, using a time stamp metadata selection as details below:

```
period_0_start = '2018-08-12 00:00:00'
period_0_end   = '2018-08-15 13:00:00'
period_1_start = '2018-08-16 00:00:00'
period_1_end   = '2018-08-19 00:00:00'
```

[illegible]

```
period_1_start = period_1_start,  
period_1_end = period_1_end)  
api_response = api_instance.post_topic_delta_api(payload)
```

To build a longer historical tracking, there are two ways:

- If you want to see how the latest critical topics have evolved over time, then use the Topic Historical Analysis API
- If you want to determine changes in exposure of some entities to critical topics over time, then use this Topic Delta API and embed it in a For Loop, looping over time stamps

**c. I want to adjust the topic modeling itself before analyzing changes in exposures to topics on my dataset. What is the best way?**

Refer to section 2) of this document: Topic Modeling. That API will run faster so you can refine the topics the way you need. Once you found a configuration of the topic model that suits your needs, use it for the Topic Delta API.