# bert

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# 1 Emotion Classification in short texts with BERT

Applying BERT to the problem of multiclass text classification. Our dataset consists of written dialogs, messages and short stories. Each dialog utterance/message is labeled with one of the five emotion categories: joy, anger, sadness, fear, neutral.

#### 1.1 Workflow:

- 1. Import Data
- 2. Data preprocessing and downloading BERT
- 3. Training and validation
- 4. Saving the model

Multiclass text classification with BERT and ktrain. Use google colab for a free GPU

#### Let's start

```
[]: # install ktrain on Google Colab
!pip3 install ktrain
```

```
[2]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import ktrain
from ktrain import text
```

```
<IPython.core.display.HTML object>
using Keras version: 2.2.4-tf
```

# 1.2 1. Import Data

```
[4]: data_train = pd.read_csv('data/data_train.csv', encoding='utf-8')
data_test = pd.read_csv('data/data_test.csv', encoding='utf-8')

X_train = data_train.Text.tolist()

X_test = data_test.Text.tolist()

y_train = data_train.Emotion.tolist()

y_test = data_test.Emotion.tolist()
```

```
data = data_train.append(data_test, ignore_index=True)
     class_names = ['joy', 'sadness', 'fear', 'anger', 'neutral']
     print('size of training set: %s' % (len(data_train['Text'])))
     print('size of validation set: %s' % (len(data_test['Text'])))
     print(data.Emotion.value_counts())
     data.head(10)
    size of training set: 7934
    size of validation set: 3393
    joy
               2326
    sadness
               2317
    anger
               2259
    neutral
               2254
    fear
               2171
    Name: Emotion, dtype: int64
[4]:
       Emotion
                                                              Text
     O neutral There are tons of other paintings that I thin...
     1 sadness Yet the dog had grown old and less capable, a...
           fear When I get into the tube or the train without ...
     3
           fear This last may be a source of considerable disq...
     4
          anger She disliked the intimacy he showed towards so...
     5 sadness When my family heard that my Mother's cousin w...
     6
            joy Finding out I am chosen to collect norms for C...
     7
          anger A spokesperson said : `Glen is furious that t...
     8 neutral
                                                            Yes .
     9 sadness When I see people with burns I feel sad, actua...
[]: encoding = {
         'joy': 0,
         'sadness': 1,
         'fear': 2,
         'anger': 3,
         'neutral': 4
     }
     # Integer values for each class
     y_train = [encoding[x] for x in y_train]
     y_test = [encoding[x] for x in y_test]
```

## 1.3 2. Data preprocessing

- The text must be preprocessed in a specific way for use with BERT. This is accomplished by setting preprocess\_mode to 'bert'. The BERT model and vocabulary will be automatically downloaded
- BERT can handle a maximum length of 512, but let's use less to reduce memory and improve speed.

```
[6]: (x_train, y_train), (x_test, y_test), preproc = text.
      →texts_from_array(x_train=X_train, y_train=y_train,
                                                                              ш
      →x_test=X_test, y_test=y_test,
      ⇒class_names=class_names,
                                                                              Ш
      →preprocess_mode='bert',
      \rightarrowmaxlen=350,
      →max_features=35000)
    downloading pretrained BERT model (uncased_L-12_H-768_A-12.zip)...
    extracting pretrained BERT model...
    done.
    cleanup downloaded zip...
    done.
    preprocessing train...
    language: en
    <IPython.core.display.HTML object>
    preprocessing test...
    language: en
    <IPython.core.display.HTML object>
```

# 1.4 2. Training and validation

done.

Loading the pretrained BERT for text classification

```
[7]: model = text.text_classifier('bert', train_data=(x_train, y_train), _____
→preproc=preproc)

Is Multi-Label? False
maxlen is 350
```

#### Wrap it in a Learner object

Train the model. More about tuning learning rates here

```
[9]: learner.fit_onecycle(2e-5, 3)
```

[9]: <tensorflow.python.keras.callbacks.History at 0x7ffa776ace10>

#### Validation

```
[10]: learner.validate(val_data=(x_test, y_test), class_names=class_names)
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
joy sadness fear anger neutral	0.87 0.84 0.86 0.81	0.85 0.79 0.87 0.80 0.85	0.86 0.82 0.86 0.81	707 676 679 693 638
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.83 0.83	0.83 0.83	0.83 0.83 0.83	3393 3393 3393

## Testing with other inputs

```
[11]: predictor = ktrain.get_predictor(learner.model, preproc)
    predictor.get_classes()

[11]: ['joy', 'sadness', 'fear', 'anger', 'neutral']

[16]: import time
    message = 'I just broke up with my boyfriend'
    start_time = time.time()
    prediction = predictor.predict(message)

    print('predicted: {} ({:.2f})'.format(prediction, (time.time() - start_time)))

<IPython.core.display.HTML object>
    predicted: sadness (0.06)
```

# 1.5 4. Saving Bert model

```
[]: # let's save the predictor for later use predictor.save("models/bert_model")
```

Done! to reload the predictor use: ktrain.load\_predictor