Segmenting an Unknown Language (3rd part)

Understanding bigramSourceModel

Import bengali.py and create a very simple segmentations array.

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In [9]: from bengali import *

segs = ['ace+ed']
(fsa,vocab,lm) = bigramSourceModel2(segs)
```

vocab

vocab is a dict used as a set to keep track of all the characters seen in segs.

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In [10]: vocab
Out[10]: {'+': 1, 'a': 1, 'c': 1, 'd': 1, 'e': 1, 'end': 1}
```

lm

Im holds the normalized character bigram model probabilities

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\forall c \in lm[h] \quad lm[h][c] = P(c|h)
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For example, a is only followed by c in ac+ed and e is followed by both + and d. The reason why the other letters have non-zero values is smoothing.

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In [11]: print lm['a']
print lm['e']

{'a': 0.125, 'c': 0.375, 'end': 0.125, 'd': 0.125, '+': 0.125, 'e': 0.125}
{'a': 0.1, 'c': 0.1, 'end': 0.1, 'd': 0.3, '+': 0.3, 'e': 0.1}
```

a follows start and end follows d, but because of smoothing, end also follows start.

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In [12]: print lm['start']
print lm['d']

{'a': 0.375, 'c': 0.125, 'end': 0.125, 'd': 0.125, '+': 0.125, 'e': 0.125}
{'a': 0.125, 'c': 0.125, 'e': 0.125, 'd': 0.125, '+': 0.125, 'end': 0.375}
```

fsm

Nodes have integer ids.

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In [13]: print "%d nodes"%fsm.N
print fsa.nodes

7 nodes
{'a': 3, 'c': 4, 'end': 2, 'd': 5, '+': 6, 'start': 1, 'e': 7}
```

Edges. Here are all the edges starting from *start* and *a*. (Not sure why each edge dict is held in an array. Could there be more than one?)

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In [14]: print "%d edges"%fsa.M
         for fromNode in ['start','a']:
             for toNode in fsa.edges[fromNode]:
                 (consume,emit,probability) = fsa.edges[fromNode][toNode][0]
                 print "%s ---%s:%s--P=%f---> %s" % (fromNode,consume,emit,probab
         36 edges
         start ----a:None---P=0.375000----> a
         start ----c:None---P=0.125000----> c
         start ----e:None---P=0.125000----> e
         start ----d:None---P=0.125000----> d
         start ----+: None---P=0.125000----> +
         start ----None:None---P=0.125000----> end
         a ----a:None---P=0.125000----> a
         a ----c:None---P=0.375000----> c
         a ----e:None---P=0.125000----> e
         a ----d:None---P=0.125000----> d
         a ----+:None---P=0.125000----> +
         a ----None:None---P=0.125000----> end
```

Test with stipidChannelModel

Make a corresponding words array, and test with *stupidChannelModel*. Not sure if this is working, and if not then why.

executing: /Users/alex/opt/carmel_graehl/carmel/bin/macosx/carmel -rIQEb -k 1 .tmp.fst.0 .tmp.fst.1 .tmp.fst.strings > .tmp.output before training, P/R/F = (1.0, 0.0, 0.0)

In []: