# NIKE VS. NEW BALANCE

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#### **OVERVIEW**

- Problem statement
- Background
- My goal
- Data
- Sentiment analysis
- Modeling and predictions

# PROBLEM STATEMENT

- Sneaker store owner
  - Always need to buy new product
- What's trending?
- New models?



#### **BACKGROUND**

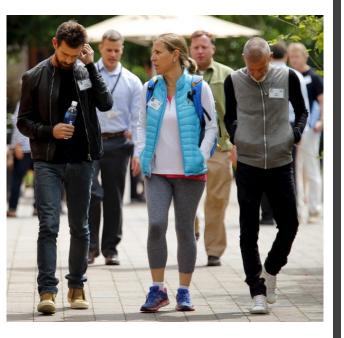
- Sneakers (trainers if you're British) are a global obsession
- Cultural commodities
  - Sportswear, street style, runway/catwalk fashion
  - Not just for athletics anymore
- Global sneaker market valued at \$79 billion in 2020, will increase to \$120 billion by 2026
- Trends in athleisure
  - Acceptable in the workplace

## SNEAKERS ARE FOR EVERYBODY!













#### MY GOAL

- See what people are saying
- Understand the trends and new products
- Grow my business

## NEW BALANCE AND NIKE DATA

Newbalance	ordered a pair of these my first 327 s im in love
Newbalance	started grey day getting a lil hooked
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Newbalance	when will these drop on the nb website i have
Nike	what are those found them in my basement and k
Nike	new air force 1s stained
Nike	did nike discontinue these medium olive boots
Nike	should i wear them or you think the price will
Nike	1985 3 piece

# SENTIMENT ANALYSIS

- Mainly looked at compound score
  - Gives overall measure of the object

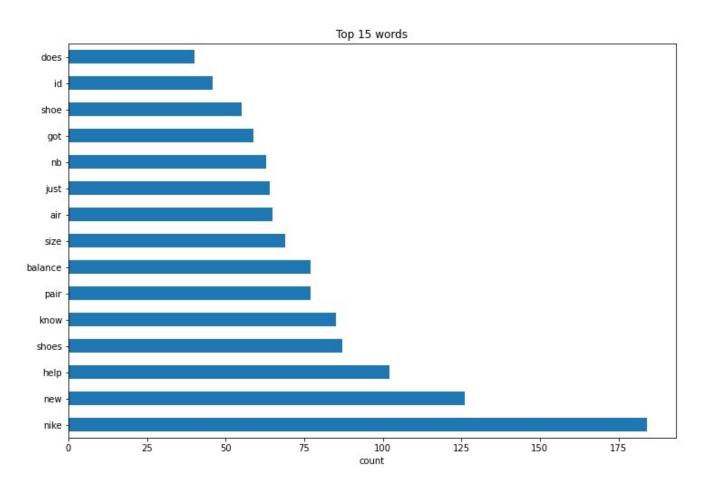
#### **Positive Posts**

383	thanks to everyone who responded yesterday was	Newbalance	0.000	0.755	0.245	0.9231
607	first pair of 992s usually rock 990s size 14 t	Newbalance	0.000	0.774	0.226	0.9169
608	this is my first pair usually rock 990s size 1	Newbalance	0.000	0.777	0.223	0.9169
132	it s probably done before but what is the best	Newbalance	0.000	0.612	0.388	0.9081
1641	hello i m mornica i m really sweet and polite	Nike	0.000	0.790	0.210	0.8932
1100	newest pickup haven t bought anything other th	Nike	0.000	0.814	0.186	0.8883
1183	i m stuck between these 3 shoes i need help if	Nike	0.062	0.556	0.383	0.8860
1406	could someone help me find these exact shoes o	Nike	0.000	0.769	0.231	0.8858
1229	hi guys bought these back in 2013 please can s	Nike	0.000	0.703	0.297	0.8750
1034	these are being sold second hand at a great pr	Nike	0.000	0.600	0.400	0.8750
891	when are these 990v2 s releasing felt like i s	Newbalance	0.000	0.568	0.432	0.8720
1632	brought out these 17 year old beauties lol not	Nike	0.000	0.568	0.432	0.8720

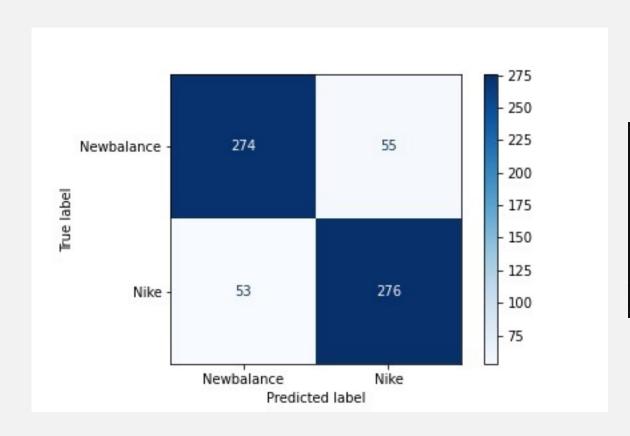
# THE MOST NEGATIVE

1947	found these they look fake asf but i II just a	Nike	0.318	0.682	0.000	-0.8522
1681	i check this stupid app every day and never on	Nike	0.378	0.622	0.000	-0.8360
1490	got these from the outlets left jumpman lookin	Nike	0.336	0.664	0.000	-0.7635
724	my disappointment is immeasurable and my day i	Newbalance	0.478	0.522	0.000	-0.7506
1072	they are bought used i want to know if they ar	Nike	0.355	0.582	0.063	-0.7202
555	are these m996 beaters that i bought authentic	Newbalance	0.305	0.695	0.000	-0.6924
1232	nike s playbook under fire after poor results	Nike	0.524	0.476	0.000	-0.6705
1544	the shoes were muddy so i put random cleaners	Nike	0.228	0.684	0.088	-0.6486
1169	i bought the wrong size and am wondering where	Nike	0.215	0.785	0.000	-0.6369
740	ml2002rc marblehead re up in australia was str	Newbalance	0.184	0.816	0.000	-0.6340
1332	holy shit these white gundam shoes look fuckin	Nike	0.297	0.577	0.126	-0.6285

# COUNT VECTORIZER



## MNB RESULTS

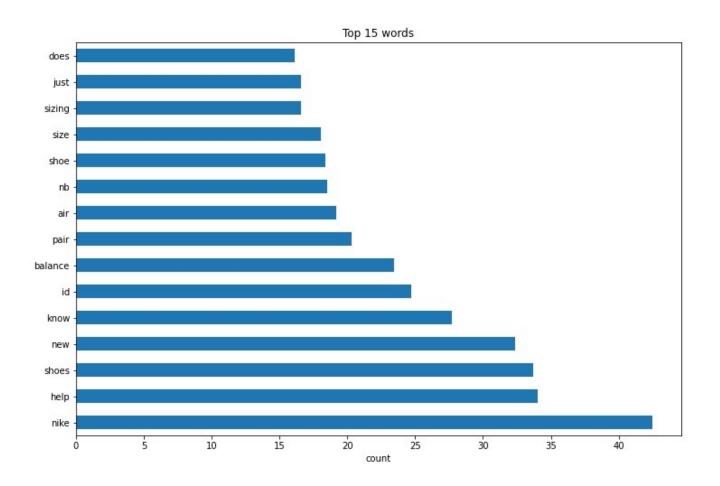


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Newbalance	0.84	0.83	0.84	329
Nike	0.83	0.84	0.84	329
accuracy			0.84	658
macro avg	0.84	0.84	0.84	658
weighted avg	0.84	0.84	0.84	658

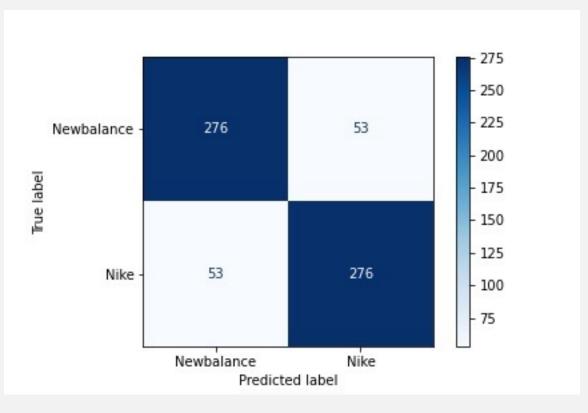
# MNB PREDICTIONS

predicted label	true label	test	
Nike	Newbalance	does anyone know what model this is	7
Newbalance	Nike	which model is this	9
Nike	Newbalance	spilt coffee on the white toe box how do i cle	16
Newbalance	Nike	is this okay	21
Newbalance	Nike	did a lil over laces swap for the off white du	28
Nike	Newbalance	need help	33
Newbalance	Nike	yep there are some of them that are in the wild	38
Nike	Newbalance	daily poster challenge that i and my friend di	42
Newbalance	Nike	so did anyone actually cop these pair of sexy	43
Newbalance	Nike	my father s day gift tn 1 triple black and a t	51

# TFIDF VECTORIZER



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Nike	Newbalance	pls help anyone identifies this shoe	61

# RANDOM FOREST WITH BOOSTING

#### **RESULTS**

	word	importance
989	identify	0.013333
336	black	0.013333
1876	sure	0.013333
302	balance	0.013333
643	does	0.013333
1995	trying	0.013333
1953	today	0.013333
1348	nike	0.013333
1124	legit	0.013333
1164	look	0.013333

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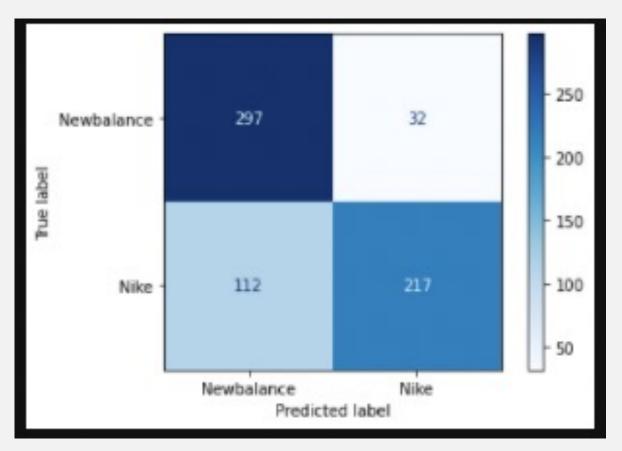
nike <= 0.5 gini = 0.5 samples = 1335 value = [0.5, 0.5] class = New Balance

gini = 0.488 samples = 1157 value = [0.5, 0.367] class = New Balance gini = 0.011 samples = 178 value = [0.001, 0.133] class = Nike

# ADABOOST PREDICTIONS

predicted label	true label	test	
Newbalance	Nike	id on those pls	5
Nike	Newbalance	to those of you with the auralee 550s does you	6
Nike	Newbalance	does anyone know what model this is	7
Newbalance	Nike	any idea what these might be worth	8
Newbalance	Nike	which model is this	9
Newbalance	Nike	fire 97 for only 100	11
Newbalance	Nike	is this okay	21
Newbalance	Nike	what are those sorry for the bad image quality	31
Nike	Newbalance	need help	33
Newbalance	Nike	adidas is ten times better	35
Newbalance	Nike	yep there are some of them that are in the wild	38
Newbalance	Nike	put the hawaii s on today they came with both	41

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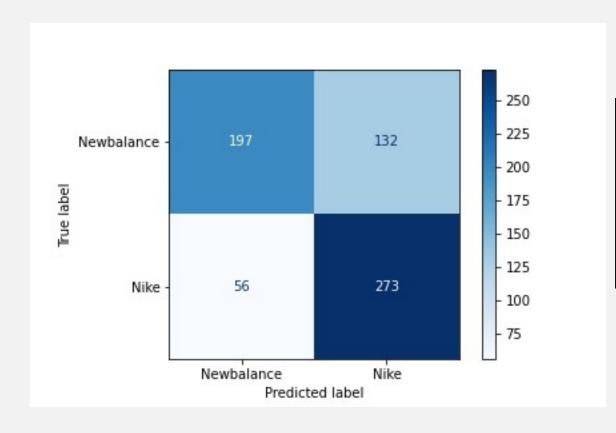


	precision	recall	f1-score	support	
Newbalance	0.73	0.90	0.80	329	
Nike	0.87	0.66	0.75	329	
accuracy			0.78	658	
macro avg	0.80	0.78	0.78	658	
weighted avg	0.80	0.78	0.78	658	

## RANDOM FOREST PREDICTIONS

	test	true label	predicted label
0	beat the everliving shit out of these tending	Newbalance	Nike
5	id on those pls	Nike	Newbalance
6	to those of you with the auralee 550s does you	Newbalance	Nike
7	does anyone know what model this is	Newbalance	Nike
9	which model is this	Nike	Newbalance
17	headed home	Newbalance	Nike
18	i run in 840v4 and reorder them as needed for $\dots$	Newbalance	Nike
25	question about unisex sizing	Newbalance	Nike
42	daily poster challenge that i and my friend di	Newbalance	Nike
47	scored all 3	Newbalance	Nike
54	love this green	Newbalance	Nike

## RANDOM FOREST RESULTS



	precision	recall	f1-score	support
Newbalance	0.78	0.60	0.68	329
Nike	0.67	0.83	0.74	329
accuracy			0.71	658
macro avg	0.73	0.71	0.71	658
weighted avg	0.73	0.71	0.71	658

#### **CONCLUSIONS**

- Count Vectorizer with Multinomial Naïve-Bayes was the best
- Next time should incorporate bootstrapping
- Grab a larger dataset
- Look at other variables
  - Images
  - Comments