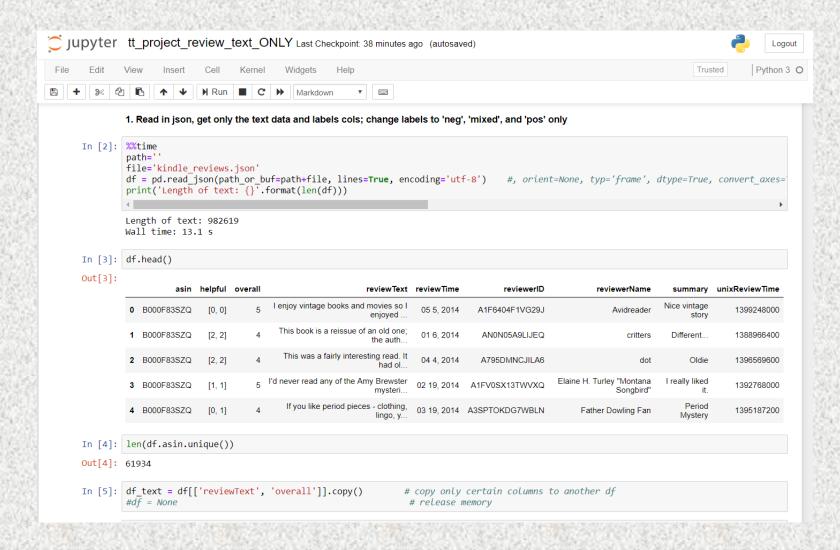
Text Classification Project



Code repository: https://github.com/agnedil/Portfolio/tree/master/01-NLP/02-Sklearn-Text-Classifier

DATASET: Amazon Product Reviews (Kindle) http://snap.stanford.edu/data/amazon/productGraph/

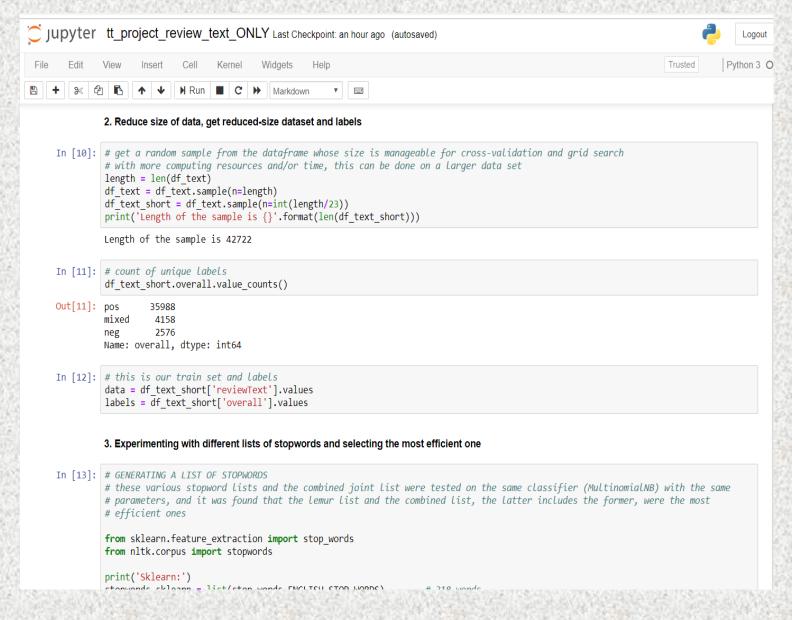
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Deduplicated dataset in a one-review-per-line json file. Example of one review:
 "reviewerID": "A2SUAM1J3GNN3B",
 "asin": "0000013714",
 "reviewerName": "J. McDonald",
 "helpful": [2, 3],
 "reviewText": "I bought this for my husband who plays the piano. He is having a wonderful time playing
               these old hymns. The music is at times hard to read because we think the book was published
               for singing from more than playing from. Great purchase though!",
 "overall": 5.0,
 "summary": "Heavenly Highway Hymns",
 "unixReviewTime": 1252800000,
 "reviewTime": "09 13, 2009"
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TASK: develop a classifier first based solely on text, then include additional features. The labels should be converted from 1-5 stars to 3 labels: positive (4 and 5 stars), negative (1 and 2), mixed (3). Avoid overfitting (by using cross-validation)

CHALLENGES: a huge dataset, about a million reviews, json file is almost 1 GB in size; limited time for completion

SOLUTION:

- Using sklearn classifiers after TFIDF vectorization which allows to pass text to a classifier as a sparse matrix of terms
- Stopword removal after selecting the most efficient list of stopwords
- Feature engineering unigram, bigram, and trigram language models with a cross-validated parameter grid search on classifier arguments
- Grid search is time-consuming conduct it on a partial dataset, then use the best classifier on the full dataset
- Use F-1 measure as a metric since the dataset is imbalanced



The solution may seem trivial, but again – the dataset was <u>huge</u> and the time was <u>limited</u>. A potentially better solution would be renting a <u>GPU instance</u> in the cloud and trying PyTorch or fast.ai, but this would require more time and resources.

Even for this solution, one cross-validated grid search run could take up to 2 hours on a 32 GB machine and I had to make a lot of them:

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In [25]: %%time
         best SVM = clf GridSearchCV(svc, data, labels, svc param grid) # parameter grid search SVM
         0.868508 (0.001322) with: {'clt C': 1.0, 'vect max dt': 0.75, 'vect min dt': 15, 'vect ngram range': (1, 1)}
         0.869298 (0.000826) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 15, 'vect ngram range': (1, 2)}
         0.869503 (0.000682) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 15, 'vect ngram range': (1, 3)}
         0.869181 (0.001742) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 25, 'vect ngram range': (1, 1)}
         0.868245 (0.001156) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 25, 'vect ngram range': (1, 2)}
         0.868157 (0.001023) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 25, 'vect ngram range': (1, 3)}
         0.869181 (0.000799) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 50, 'vect ngram range': (1, 1)}
         0.868011 (0.001459) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 50, 'vect ngram range': (1, 2)}
         0.867894 (0.001566) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 50, 'vect ngram range': (1, 3)}
         0.869123 (0.000339) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 100, 'vect ngram range': (1, 1)}
         0.868040 (0.000688) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 100, 'vect ngram range': (1, 2)}
         0.868011 (0.000607) with: {'clf C': 1.0, 'vect max df': 0.75, 'vect min df': 100, 'vect ngram range': (1, 3)}
         LinearSVC cross-validated F-1 score with grid search: 0.8734
         Confusion matrix:
         [[ 196 68 616]
            96 207 197]
            92 13 7060]]
         Wall time: 2h 10min 42s
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Step 1. Classifier selection

- Several classifiers were tested on a limited dataset with cross-validation (see on the right)
- Naïve Bayes and SVM were selected based on reviewing mean train and test scores and past experience with their efficiency.
- They were built into a Pipeline along with the TfidfVectorizer
- A number of Pipeline parameters were selected to be tackled during the grid search (see below): the max and min document frequency of words, a choice of a unigram, bigram, or trigram model, and classifier parameters

```
# potential candidates
clfs = [MultinomialNB(),
       svm.LinearSVC(),
       LogisticRegression(),
       KNeighborsClassifier(n neighbors=3),
       GradientBoostingClassifier(),
       DecisionTreeClassifier(),
       RandomForestClassifier(),
       SGDClassifier()1
# vectorize data
vectorizer = TfidfVectorizer(analyzer='word', stop words=stopwords combined, min df=5, max df=0.25, ngram range=(1, 2))
matrix = vectorizer.fit transform(data)
# try each classifier on the data
for clf in clfs:
   #scoring = ['precision macro', 'recall macro']
                                                      # if using this, add scoring=scoring to cross validate()
   scores = cross_validate(clf, matrix, labels, cv=3)
   print('----')
   print(str(clf))
   print('----'
   for key, values in scores.items():
           print(key,' mean ', values.mean())
           print(key,' std ', values.std())
MultinomialNB(alpha=1.0, class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
fit time mean 0.10594948132832845
fit time std 0.0036903773744526307
score time mean 0.015373150507609049
score time std 0.0018912696447948786
test score mean 0.8424465172431659
test score std 8.267247775353001e-05
train score mean 0.8425869594139265
train score std 0.00011325272724816022
LinearSVC(C=1.0, class weight=None, dual=True, fit intercept=True,
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intercept_scaling=1, loss='squared_hinge', max_iter=1000,

verbose=0)

multi class='ovr', penalty='12', random state=None, tol=0.0001,

Step 2. Cross-validated parameter grid search

```
In [18]: # GridSearchCV
         def clf GridSearchCV(classifier, data, labels, param grid):
             # split data into train and test sets; create pipeline
             trainX, testX, trainY, testY = train test split(data, labels, test size = 0.2, random state = 43)
             clf = Pipeline([('vect', CountVectorizer(analyzer='word', stop words=stopwords combined, min df=5, max df=0.5, ngram range=(
                            ('tfidf', TfidfTransformer()),
                            ('clf', classifier),
             # get classifier's name to print results; otherwise, this function needs another argument
             clf string = str(classifier)
             idx = clf string.find("(")
             classifier name = clf string[:idx]
             # do 3-fold cross validation for each of the possible combinations of the parameter values above
             grid = GridSearchCV(clf, cv=3, param grid=param grid, scoring='f1 micro')
             grid.fit(trainX, trainY)
             # summarize results
             print("Best: %f using %s" % (grid.best score ,
                 grid.best params ))
             means = grid.cv results ['mean test score']
             stds = grid.cv results ['std test score']
             params = grid.cv results ['params']
             for mean, stdev, param in zip(means, stds, params):
                 print("%f (%f) with: %r" % (mean, stdev, param))
             # train and predict on test instances using the best configs found in the CV step
                                                                                  # this is how to find the best estimator
             #predictions = grid.best estimator .predict(testX)
             #testX = grid.best estimator .named steps['tfidf'].transform(testX) # this is how to find indiv. components (same for pipel
             predictions=grid.predict(testX)
                                                                                   # called on the best estimator by default
             score = metrics.f1 score(testY, predictions, average='micro')
             cm = metrics.confusion matrix(testY, predictions)
             print('{} cross-validated F-1 score with grid search: {:0.4f}'.format(classifier name, score))
             print('Confusion matrix:')
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RESULTS

Classification F1 score = approx. 0.9

Text only:

10. Running Naive Bayes and SVM with the Best Parameters from Grid Search on the full dataset

```
In [26]: # create full dataset and labels
         full data = df text['reviewText'].values
         full labels = df text['overall'].values
         # run the two best classifier on it
         for best clf in [best NB, best SVM]:
            # split into train and test sets
            trainX, testX, trainY, testY = train test split(full data, full labels, test size = 0.2, random state = 43)
            clf = best clf.fit(trainX, trainY)
            # predict and compute metrics
            predictions = clf.predict(testX)
             score = metrics.f1 score(testY, predictions, average='micro')
            cm = metrics.confusion_matrix(testY, predictions)
            print('The best {} F-1 score on full dataset: {:0.4f}'.format('Naive Bayes' if best clf==best NB else 'SVM', score))
            print('Confusion matrix:')
            print(cm)
            print()
         The best Naive Bayes F-1 score on full dataset: 0.8744
         Confusion matrix:
        [[ 3956 1338 13950]
            1598 4652 5200]
          [ 2153 442 163235]]
         The best SVM F-1 score on full dataset: 0.8845
         Confusion matrix:
         [[ 5304 2006 11934]
            2069 6118 3263]
           2703 726 162401]]
        Wall time: 17min 30s
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Text + additional data (summary, product ID, reviewer name)

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         full data = df text['reviewText'].values
         full labels = df text['overall'].values
In [27]: %%time
         # run the two best classifier on it
         for best clf in [best NB, best SVM]:
             # split into train and test sets
             trainX, testX, trainY, testY = train_test_split(full_data, full_labels, test_size = 0.2, random_state = 43)
             clf = best clf.fit(trainX, trainY)
             # predict and compute metrics
             predictions = clf.predict(testX)
             score = metrics.f1 score(testY, predictions, average='micro')
             cm = metrics.confusion_matrix(testY, predictions)
            print('The best {} F-1 score on full dataset: {:0.4f}'.format('Naive Bayes' if best clf==best NB else 'SVM', score))
             print('Confusion matrix:')
             print(cm)
             print()
         The best Naive Bayes F-1 score on full dataset: 0.8832
         Confusion matrix:
         [[ 6189 1657 11385]
            2036 5718 3598]
          [ 3742 543 161656]]
         The best SVM F-1 score on full dataset: 0.8971
         Confusion matrix:
         [[ 6591 1997 10643]
            2089 6884 2379]
          [ 2577 532 162832]]
        Wall time: 16min 46s
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