



reddit Classification

Hello!

I am Alex Fioto

I am here to talk about classifying
subreddit posts using scikit-learn
classifier models





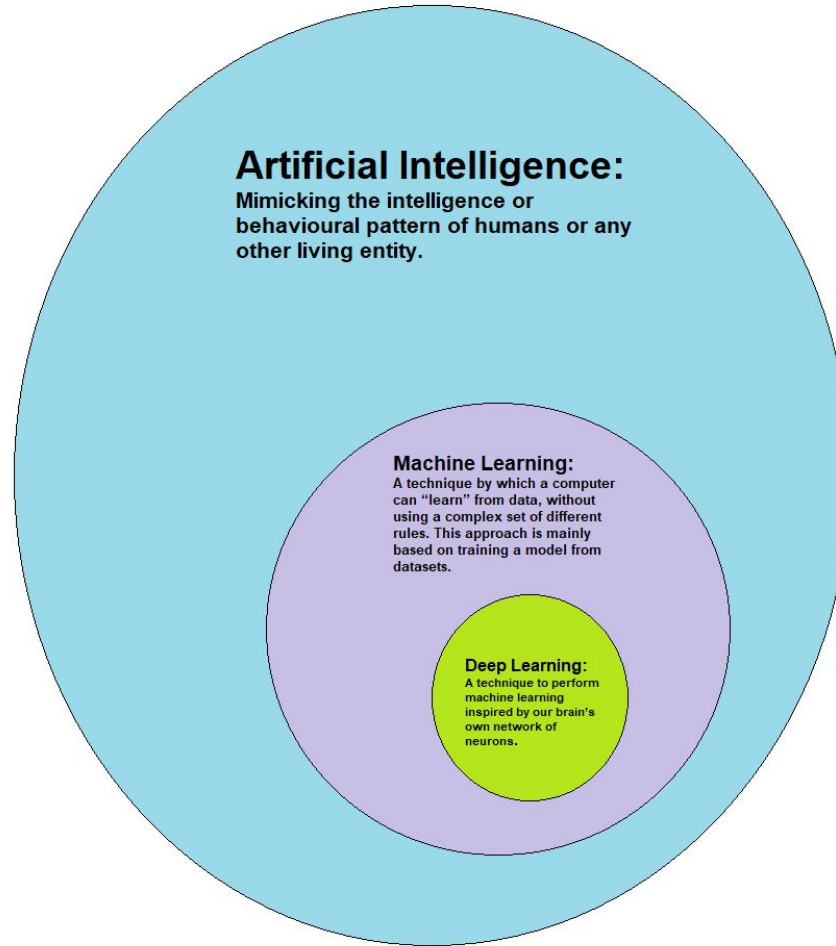
Problem:

Trained on data from two similar subreddits,
how well can a model classify a Reddit post?



Machine Learning vs Artificial Intelligence

How similar?



Data Collection

Subreddit		Rows
Machine Learning	r/MachineLearning/	9743
Artificial Intelligence	r/ArtificialIntelligence/	9998

Text Preprocessing

Feature Creation

Combining all text from each post to create an “all_text” feature

Lemmatizing

Create custom lemmating function and apply to “all_text”

Stemming

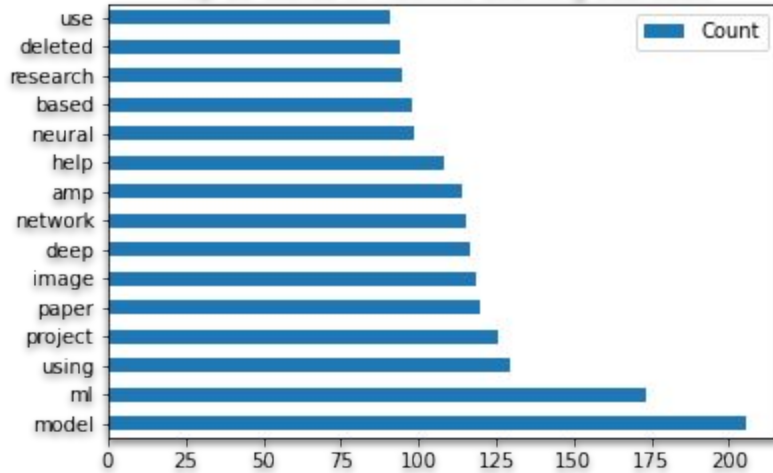
Create custom stemming function and apply to “all_text”

I like data!

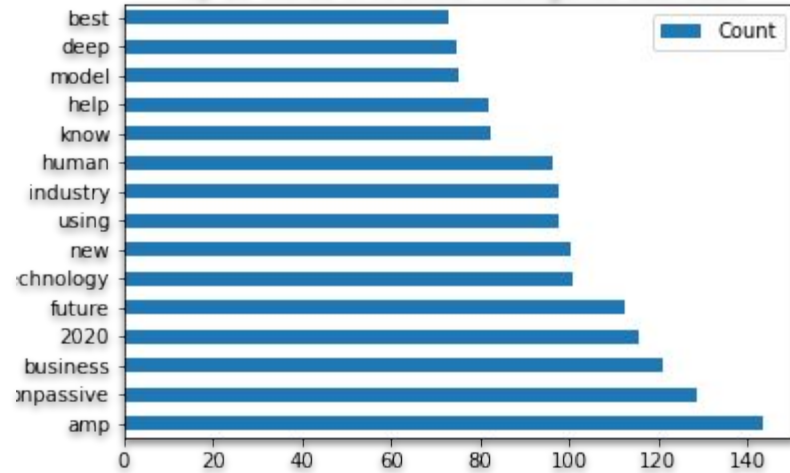


Common words

Top 15 Words in Machine Learning Subreddit



Top 15 Words in Artificial Intelligence Subreddit





www.onpassive.com



Google AMP

<https://readwrite.com/2019/02/11/a-comprehensive-guide-to-google-accelerated-mobile-pages/>

Classifiers Used:

Naive-Bayes

- ▷ Simple
- ▷ Quick to train
- ▷ Interpretable

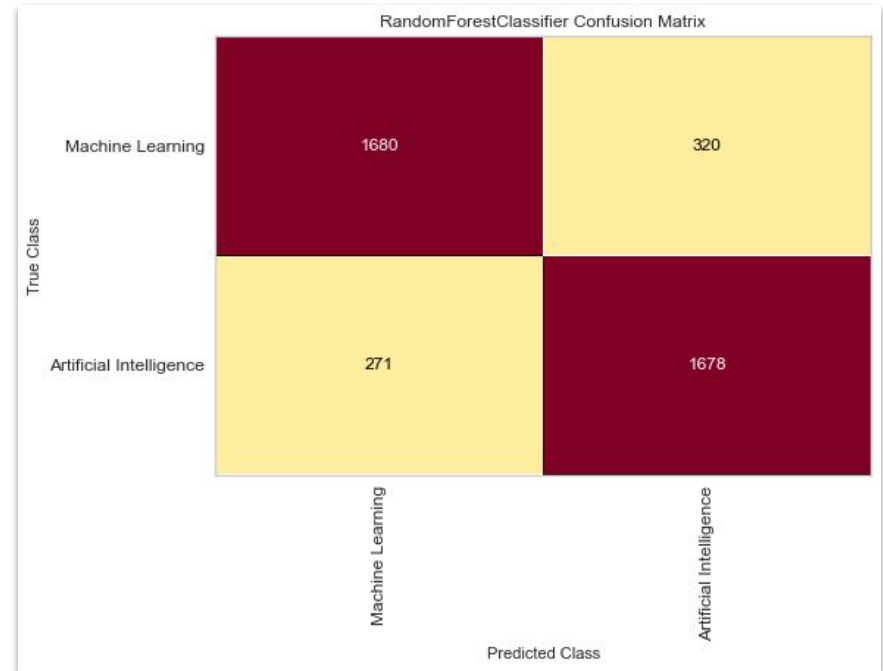
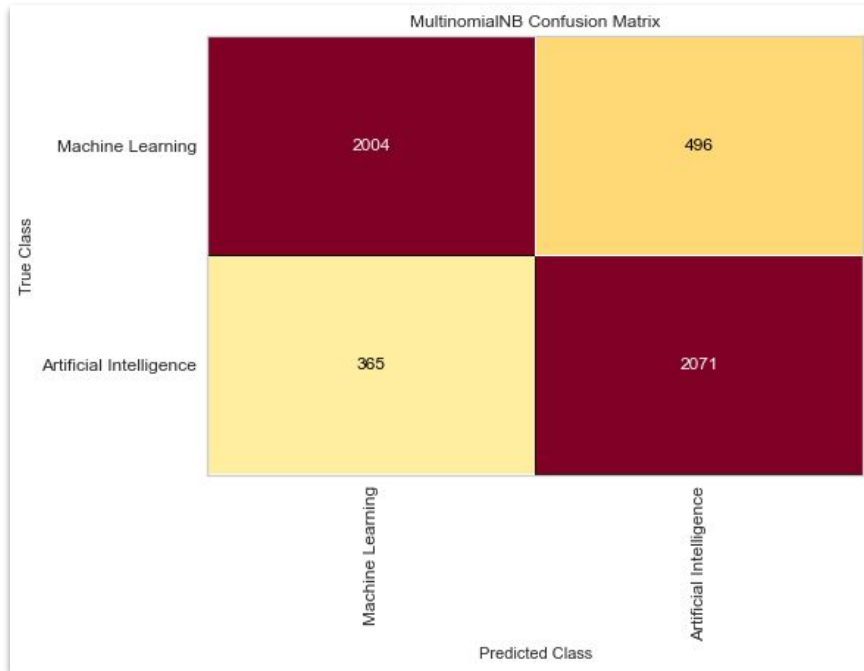
Random Forest

- ▷ Powerful
- ▷ Interpretable
- ▷ Accurate

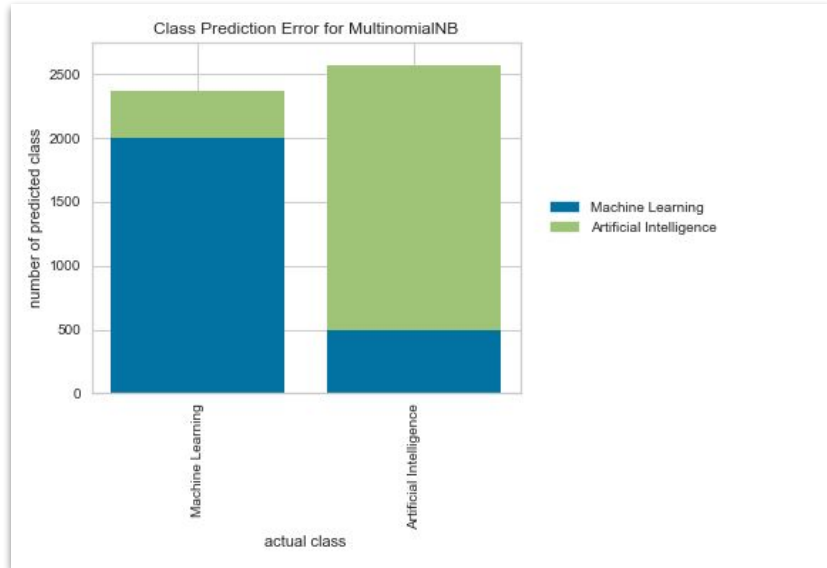
Classification Metrics

- ▷ Accuracy
- ▷ F-1 Score
- ▷ Confusion Matrix

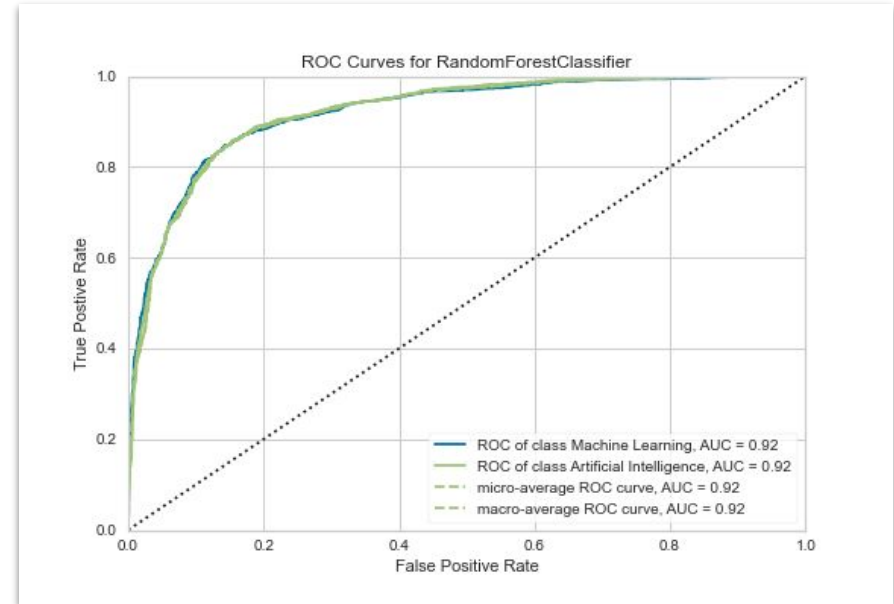
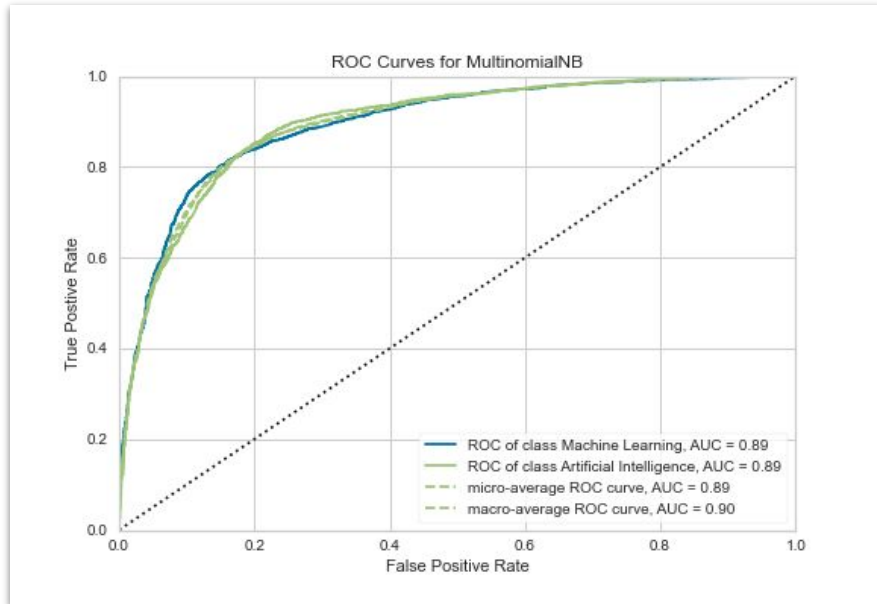
Confusion Matrices



Class Prediction Error



ROC Curves



Model Results

	Test Accuracy	Train Accuracy	Test F-1 Score	Train F-1 Score
Naive-Bayes	0.8256	0.8321	0.8279	0.8353
Random Forest	0.8519	0.9851	0.8513	0.9850

Hyperparameters Used:

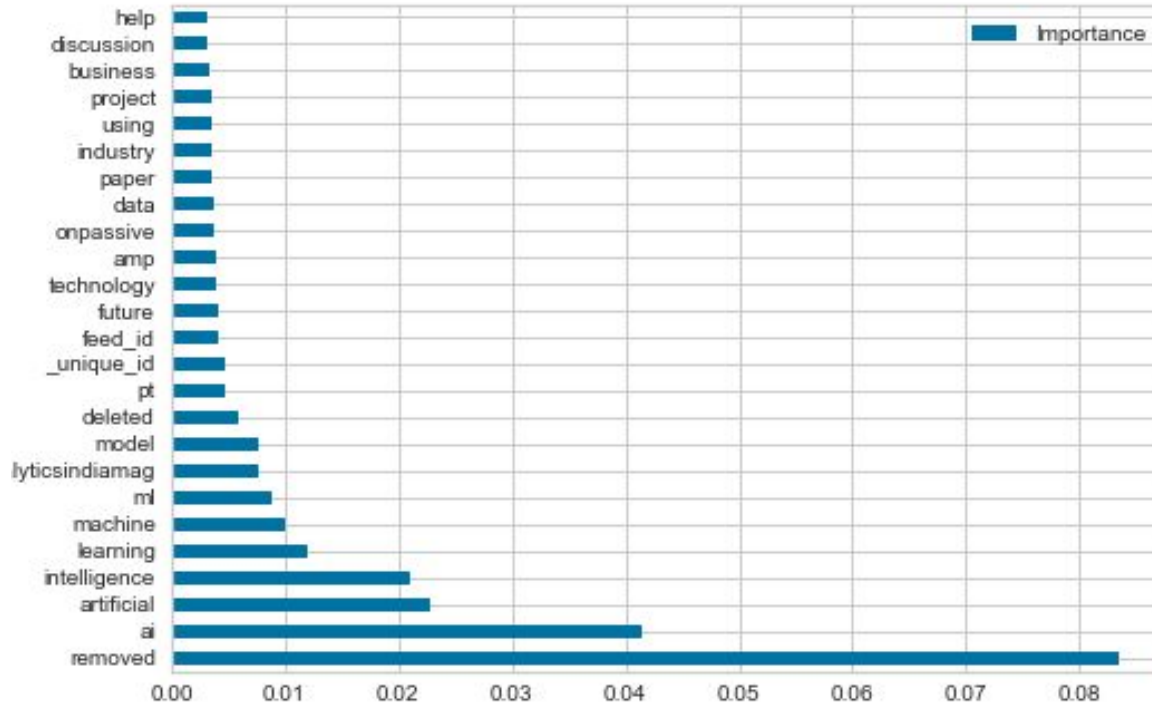
Naive-Bayes

- ▷ Tfidfvectorizer
- ▷ alpha=250
- ▷ fit_prior=True

Random Forest

- ▷ Tfidfvectorizer
- ▷ n_estimators=500
- ▷ criterion='entropy'
- ▷ max_depth=None
- ▷ min_samples_split=2
- ▷ min_samples_leaf=1
- ▷ max_features='auto'
- ▷ max_leaf_nodes=None
- ▷ min_impurity_decrease=0.0

Random Forest Feature Importance



Conclusion

Summary

- Random Forest
- Many features
- 85% Accuracy

Limitations

- Narrow view
- “Removed” Dependent

Future

- Collect more data
- Logistic Regression
- Neural Net

Thanks!

Any questions?

