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N: Text length, i. e. number of tokens

V(N): Vocabulary size, i. e. number of types

V(i, N): Number of types occurring i times

1 Measures that use sample size and vocabulary size

$$\text{type-token ratio} = \frac{V(N)}{N}$$

$$\text{Guiraud's } R = \frac{V(N)}{\sqrt{N}}$$

$$\text{Herdan's } C = \frac{\log(V(N))}{\log(N)}$$

$$\text{Dugast's } k = \frac{\log(V(N))}{\log(\log(N))}$$

$$\text{Maas' } a^2 = \frac{\log(N) - \log(V(N))}{\log(N)^2}$$

$$\text{Dugast's } U = \frac{\log(N)^2}{\log(N) - \log(V(N))}$$

$$\text{Tuldava's } LN = \frac{1 - V(N)^2}{V(N)^2 \log(N)}$$

$$\text{Brunet's } W = N^{V(N)^{-a}} \text{ with } a = -0.172$$

$$\text{Carroll's } CTTR = \frac{V(N)}{\sqrt{2N}}$$

$$\text{Summer's } S = \frac{\log(\log(V(N)))}{\log(\log(N))}$$

2 Measures that use part of the frequency spectrum

Honoré's
$$H=100\frac{\log(N)}{1-\frac{V(1,N)}{V(N)}}$$

Sichel's $S=\frac{V(2,N)}{V(N)}$
Michéa's $M=\frac{V(N)}{V(2,N)}$

3 Measures that use the whole frequency spectrum

$$\begin{split} \text{Entropy} &= \sum_{i=1}^{N} V(i,N) \left(-\log(\frac{i}{N}) \right) \frac{i}{N} \\ \text{Yule's } K &= 10^4 \left(-\frac{1}{N} + \sum_{i=1}^{N} V(i,N) \left(\frac{i}{N} \right)^2 \right) \\ \text{Simpson's } D &= \sum_{i=1}^{V(N)} V(i,N) \frac{i}{N} \frac{i-1}{N-1} \\ \text{Herdan's } V_m &= \sqrt{-\frac{1}{V(N)} + \sum_{i=1}^{V(N)} V(i,N) \left(\frac{i}{N} \right)^2} \\ \text{McCarthy and Jarvis' } HD\text{-}D &= \sum_{i=1}^{V(N)} \frac{1}{42} \left(1 - \frac{\binom{i}{0} \binom{N-V(i,N)}{42-0}}{\binom{N}{42}} \right) = \sum_{i=1}^{V(N)} \frac{1}{42} \left(1 - \frac{\binom{N-V(i,N)}{42}}{\binom{N}{42}} \right) \end{split}$$