irr measures

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1 COVID-19 NLP Annotation

1.1 Inter-rater Reliability (IRR) Measures

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This notebook contains the computation of inter-rater reliability measures. These measures are computed based off of manual review of text snippets from the NLP COVID-19 study with David Carrell. Manual review was performed by Ann Kelley and Will Bowers. There are 50 snippets in total, ten snippets each for five different features: cough, diarrhea, fever, nausea, and vomiting.

Reviewers were asked two questions for each snippet:

- Is this term referring to the feature?
- Responses: yes, no, uncertain.
 - Does the patient have this feature?
 - Responses: yes, no, uncertain.

1.3 Key Findings

- For question 1, "Is this term referring to the feature?", there is 100% agreement between raters.
 - Cohen's Kappa may not be computed if there is 100% agreement due to divide by zero error
- For question 2, "Does the patient have this feature?", kappa ~ 0.899 .
 - This indicates near perfect agreement.

1.4 Imports

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[62]: import os
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
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1.5 Load data

1.5.1 Ann's Review

Verify length of Ann's DataFrame.

- [11]: len(ann_df)
- [11]: 50

1.5.2 Will's Review

Verify length of Will's DataFrame

- [18]: len(will_df)
- [18]: 50

1.6 Cohen's Kappa

$$k = \frac{P_o - P_e}{1 - p_e} = 1 - \frac{1 - p_o}{1 - p_e}$$

1.6.1 Question 1: Is this term referring to the feature?

Calculate P_o - the observed proportional agreement $P_o = n_{agree} / N = (n_{yes} + n_{no} + n_{uncertain}) / N$

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[102]: counts = (ann_df['is_feature?'] == will_df['is_feature?']).value_counts()
total_agree = counts[True]
total = len(ann_df)
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p_o = total_agree / total
p_o
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[102]: 1.0

Calculate P_{yes} - the probability both raters would randomly say 'yes'.

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[43]: ann_prob_yes = len(ann_df[ann_df['is_feature?'].str.lower() == 'yes']) / total will_prob_yes = len(will_df[will_df['is_feature?'].str.lower() == 'yes']) /__ stotal

prob_yes = ann_prob_yes * will_prob_yes prob_yes
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[43]: 1.0

Calculate P_{no} - the probability both raters would randomly say 'no'.

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[44]: ann_prob_no = len(ann_df[ann_df['is_feature?'].str.lower() == 'no']) / total will_prob_no = len(will_df[will_df['is_feature?'].str.lower() == 'no']) / total prob_no = ann_prob_no * will_prob_no prob_no
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[44]: 0.0

Calculate $P_{uncertain}$ - the probability both raters would randomly say 'uncertain'.

[54]: 0.0

Calculate P_e - the hypothetical probability of chance agreement $P_e = P_{yes} + P_{no} + P_{uncertain}$

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[55]: p_e = prob_yes + prob_no + prob_unk
p_e
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[55]: 1.0

Calculate k

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[56]: num = p_o - p_e
denom = 1 - p_e
k = num / denom
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ZeroDivisionError Traceback (most recent call last)

Input In [56], in <cell line: 3>()

1 num = p_o - p_e

2 denom = 1 - p_e

----> 3 k = num / denom

ZeroDivisionError: float division by zero
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In cases of total agreement, Cohen's Kappa can not be computed as $P_e = 1$, 1 - 1 = 0, and we cannot divide by 0.

1.6.2 Question 2: Does the patient have this feature?

Calculate P_o - the observed proportional agreement $~P_o=n_{agree}$ / ${\rm N}=(n_{yes}+n_{no}+n_{uncertain})$ / ${\rm N}$

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[103]: counts = (ann_df['patient_has?'] == will_df['patient_has?']).value_counts()
total_agree = counts[True]
total = len(ann_df)

p_o = total_agree / total
p_o
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[103]: 0.96

Calculate P_{ues} - the probability both raters would randomly say 'yes'.

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[104]: ann_prob_yes = len(ann_df[ann_df['patient_has?'].str.lower() == 'yes']) / total
will_prob_yes = len(will_df[will_df['patient_has?'].str.lower() == 'yes']) /
ototal

prob_yes = ann_prob_yes * will_prob_yes
prob_yes
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[104]: 0.04000000000000001

Calculate P_{no} - the probability both raters would randomly say 'no'.

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[105]: ann_prob_no = len(ann_df[ann_df['patient_has?'].str.lower() == 'no']) / total
   will_prob_no = len(will_df[will_df['patient_has?'].str.lower() == 'no']) / total
   prob_no = ann_prob_no * will_prob_no
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prob_no
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[105]: 0.5624

Calculate $P_{uncertain}$ - the probability both raters would randomly say 'uncertain'.

[106]: 0.0024

Calculate P_e - the hypothetical probability of chance agreement $P_e = P_{yes} + P_{no} + P_{uncertain}$

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[107]: p_e = prob_yes + prob_no + prob_unk
p_e
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[107]: 0.6048

Calculate k

[109]: 0.8987854251012145

k = 0.8987854251012145, this indicates near perfect agreement

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