

Naive Bayes clustering using Apache Mahout

Step 1:

Create a working directory for the dataset and all input/output on your local drive.

```
export WORK_DIR=/tmp/mahout-work-${USER}
```

```
mkdir -p ${WORK_DIR}
```

In my case it will create mahout-work-cloudera in /tmp folder

Step 2:

Download and extract the 20news-bydate.tar.gz from the 20newsgroups dataset to the working directory from moddle.

```
chmod 777 20news-bydate.tar.gz
```

```
mkdir -p ${WORK_DIR}/20news-bydate
```

```
cd /tmp/mahout-work-cloudera
```

```
tar -xzf 20news-bydate.tar.gz
```

Step 3:

Move both the folder to 20news-bydate

```
mv 20news-bydate-test/ 20news-bydate
```

```
mv 20news-bydate-train/ 20news-bydate
```

Step 4:

Upload the folder 20news-all on hdfs at path "/user/cloudera/20news-all"

```
hdfs dfs -put ${WORK_DIR}/20news-bydate /user/cloudera/20news-all
```

OR

```
hdfs dfs -put ${WORK_DIR}/20news-all /user/cloudera/20news-all
```

Step 5:

Convert the full 20 newsgroups dataset into a < Text, Text > SequenceFile

```
mahout seqdirectory -i /user/cloudera/20news-all -o /user/cloudera/20news-seq
```

Step 6:

Convert and preprocesses the dataset into a < Text, VectorWritable > SequenceFile containing term frequencies for each document.

```
mahout seq2sparse -i /user/cloudera/20news-seq -o /user/cloudera/20news-vectors -lnorm -nv -wt tfidf
```

Step 7:

Split the preprocessed dataset into training and testing sets.

```
mahout split -i /user/cloudera/20news-vectors/tfidf-vectors --trainingOutput
```

```
/user/cloudera/20news-train-vectors --testOutput /user/cloudera/20news-test-vectors --
```

```
randomSelectionPct 40 --overwrite --sequenceFiles -xm sequential
```

Step 8:

Check all folders created in HDFS.

```
hdfs dfs -ls /user/cloudera/
```

Step 9:

Train the classifier.

```
mahout trainnb -i /user/cloudera/20news-train-vectors -el -o /user/cloudera/model -li  
/user/cloudera/labelindex -ow -c
```

Step 10:

Test the classifier.

```
mahout testnb -i /user/cloudera/20news-test-vectors -m /user/cloudera/model -l  
/user/cloudera/labelindex -ow -o /user/cloudera/20news-testing -c
```

Step 11:

Delete the folders and files from HDFS.

```
hadoop fs -rmr /user/cloudera/20news-seq
```