[Lab] Filtering spam messages using Naïve Bayes

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<u>Due</u>: Before the end of today lab session

Evaluation: Show your Python code and results to the Professor and answer his questions on the code and on the results.

Remark:

- Only groups of two or three people accepted (preferably three). Forbidden groups of fewer or larger number of people.
- Show your lab and explain it to the Professor before the end of today lab session.
- No plagiarism. If plagiarism happens, both the "lender" and the "borrower" will have a zero.
- Code yourself from scratch following the theory explained in class. No lab work will be considered if you solve the problem using any ML library.
- Do thoroughly all the demanded tasks.
- Study the theory for the questions.
- There is NO make-up session.

1 Tasks

- 1. Divide the data in two groups: training and test examples.
- 2. Parse both the training and test examples to generate both the spam and ham data sets.
- 3. Generate a dictionary from the training data.
- 4. Extract features from both the training data and test data.
- 5. Implement the Naïve Bayes from scratch, and fit it to the training data.
- 6. Make predictions for the test data.
- 7. Measure the spam-filtering performance for each approach through the confusion matrix, accuracy, precision, recall, and F1 score.
- 8. Plot a graph with true positive rate on the vertical axis and with false positive rate on the horizontal axis.
- 9. Discuss your results.

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