Election Violence Newspaper Article Selection Process Pilot: Evaluate Keyword Selection Method

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1 Summary

After the code to setup and download data (Sections 2-??) the document below includes: First, an implementation of code to select of articles for coding, where initial evaluation of articles is based on keywords from the boolean searches which return those articles (Sections ??-??). This classification is done using actual searches conducted (effectively 4 keywords) with a Naive Bayes classifier.

Second, the document then provides an evaluation of the keyword selection step based on user classified articles from the platform with Naive Bayes and other classifiers and with 4 and 10 keyword sets (Sections 4-7).

Finally, to provide an alternative way of evaluating the process, the document includes 10 randomly selected cases which are rejected for coding in the implementation code (Section ??).

2 Packages used

```
library(reportRx) # note using this just for sanitizing LaTex output, not included in durhamevp package
library(tidyverse)
library(quanteda)
library(durhamevp)
library(RTextTools) # not sure if this is included as part of the durhamevp package
```

3 Download Classified Cases

There is an initial set of cases which represent the concept (in this case 'election violence'). We also have a set of cases which do not represent the concept (Note: King et al do not have the non-election violence cases).

I also add indicators that this material is classified (classified==1) and that it is not unclassified (unclass==0) which will be useful when added to subsequent material.

```
# In fact we have some classified docs non-EV cases here King's R set doesn't contain any
# I think we should use our more extensive information here

classdocs<-durhamevp::get_classified_docs()

classdocs<-classdocs %>%
    dplyr::mutate(std_url = sub("download/", "", url)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(unclass=0, classified=1)
```

4 Assess Naive Bayes selection performance on 4 keywords (binary dfm)

Here there are four keywords (election, riot, disturbance, incident) which are either present (1) or not-present (0). Use these patterns to identify election violence articles with a Naive Bayes classifer.

```
class_corpus<-quanteda::corpus(classdocs[classdocs$election_article==1,], text_field="ocr")</pre>
keywords<-c("election", "riot", "incident", "disturbance")</pre>
class_dfm_4<-quanteda::dfm(class_corpus, select=keywords)</pre>
#class_dfm<-preprocess_corpus(class_corpus, stem=FALSE, min_termfreq = 20)
the_sets_4<-split_dfm(class_dfm_4, n_train = 1000)
classifier <- quanteda::textmodel_nb(the_sets_4$training_set, y=quanteda::docvars(the_sets_4$training_set
quanteda::docvars(the_sets_4$testing_set, "predicted") <- predict(classifier, newdata = the_sets_4$testing_set, "predicted") <- predict(classifier, newdata = the_sets_4$testing_set, "predicted") <- predicted | |
caret::confusionMatrix(data=quanteda::docvars(the_sets_4$testing_set, "predicted"), reference=factor(qu
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
              Reference
##
## Prediction 0
##
             0 10
##
             1 134 395
##
                    Accuracy: 0.7404
##
##
                      95% CI: (0.7015, 0.7767)
##
       No Information Rate: 0.7367
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.4451
##
##
                       Kappa : 0.069
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value : <2e-16
##
##
##
                   Precision: 0.7467
                      Recall: 0.9801
##
##
                          F1: 0.8476
##
                  Prevalence: 0.7367
             Detection Rate: 0.7221
##
##
      Detection Prevalence: 0.9671
##
          Balanced Accuracy: 0.5248
##
##
           'Positive' Class : 1
##
```

5 How do other classifiers perform on 4 keywords (binary dfm)

Is performance improved by using other classifiers than Naive Bayes? Here there are four keywords (election, riot, disturbance, incident) which are either present (1) or not-present (0). Use these patterns to identify election violence articles.

```
class_corpus<-quanteda::corpus(classdocs[classdocs$election_article==1,], text_field="ocr")
keywords<-c("election", "riot", "incident", "disturbance")
class_dfm<-quanteda::dfm(class_corpus, select=keywords)
class_dfm_bin<-quanteda::dfm_weight(class_dfm, scheme="boolean")
doc_matrix<-quanteda::convert(class_dfm_bin, "tm")</pre>
```

```
## Warning in dfm2tm(x): converted DocumentTermMatrix will not have weight attributes set
correctly
training_nos<-which(1:nrow(class_dfm_bin) %in% sample(1:nrow(class_dfm_bin), 1000))
testing_nos<-which(!1:nrow(class_dfm_bin) %in% training_nos)</pre>
container <- RTextTools::create_container(doc_matrix, quanteda::docvars(class_dfm, "EV_article"), train</pre>
models_res<-RTextTools::train_models(container, algorithms=c("MAXENT", "SVM", "BOOSTING", "BAGGING", "R
results_res<-RTextTools::classify_models(container, models_res)
analytics_res<-RTextTools::create_analytics(container, results_res)</pre>
class_summary<-analytics_res@document_summary %>%
 tibble::rowid_to_column("document_id") %>%
 tidyr::gather(variable, value, -MANUAL_CODE, -document_id) %>%
 separate(variable, c("variable", "var2")) %>%
 filter(var2 %in% c("CODE")) %>%
 unite(value, var2, value) %>%
 group_by(variable, MANUAL_CODE, value) %>%
 tally() %>%
 spread(value, n)
## Warning: attributes are not identical across measure variables;
## they will be dropped
## Warning: package 'bindrcpp' was built under R version 3.4.4
class_summary_by_classifier<-analytics_res@document_summary %>%
 tibble::rowid_to_column("document_id") %>%
 tidyr::gather(variable, value, -MANUAL_CODE, -document_id) %>%
 separate(variable, c("variable", "var2")) %>%
 filter(var2=="LABEL") %>%
 unite(value, var2, value) %>%
 group_by(variable, MANUAL_CODE, value) %>%
 tally() %>%
 spread(value, n)
## Warning: attributes are not identical across measure variables;
## they will be dropped
knitr::knit_print(knitr::kable(class_summary))
```

variable	MANUAL_CODE	CODE_0	CODE_1
CONSENSUS	0	7	177
CONSENSUS	1	6	357
PROBABILITY	0	7	177
PROBABILITY	1	6	357

knitr::knit_print(knitr::kable(class_summary_by_classifier))

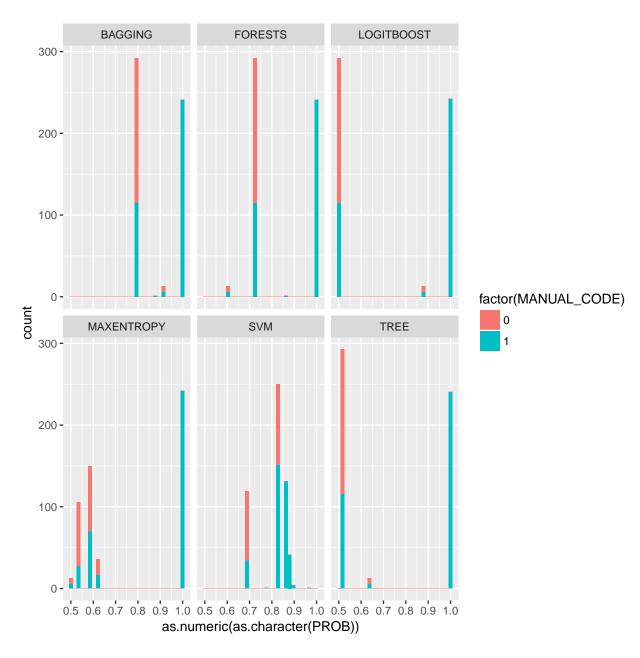
variable	MANUAL_CODE	LABEL_0	LABEL_1
BAGGING	0	7	177
BAGGING	1	6	357
FORESTS	0	NA	184
FORESTS	1	NA	363
LOGITBOOST	0	184	NA
LOGITBOOST	1	121	242
MAXENTROPY	0	7	177
MAXENTROPY	1	6	357
SVM	0	85	99
SVM	1	34	329
TREE	0	7	177
TREE	1	6	357

```
prob_summary<-analytics_res@document_summary %>%
  tibble::rowid_to_column("document_id") %>%
  tidyr::gather(variable, value, -MANUAL_CODE, -document_id) %>%
  separate(variable, c("variable", "var2")) %>%
  filter(var2 %in% c("LABEL", "PROB")) %>%
  spread(var2, value) %>%
  group_by(variable, MANUAL_CODE, LABEL)

## Warning: attributes are not identical across measure variables;
## they will be dropped

prob_summary%>%
  ggplot(aes(x=as.numeric(as.character(PROB)), fill=factor(MANUAL_CODE)))+
  facet_wrap(~variable)+
  geom_histogram()

## 'stat_bin()' using 'bins = 30'. Pick better
## value with 'binwidth'.
```



```
t(analytics_res@algorithm_summary)
##
                           0 1
## SVM_PRECISION
                        0.71 0.77
                        0.46 0.91
## SVM_RECALL
## SVM_FSCORE
                        0.56 0.83
## LOGITBOOST_PRECISION 0.60 1.00
## LOGITBOOST_RECALL
                        1.00 0.67
## LOGITBOOST_FSCORE
                        0.75 0.80
## BAGGING_PRECISION
                        0.54 0.67
## BAGGING_RECALL
                        0.04 0.98
## BAGGING_FSCORE
                        0.07 0.80
## FORESTS_PRECISION
                        NaN 0.66
## FORESTS_RECALL
                        0.00 1.00
```

```
## FORESTS_FSCORE NaN 0.80
## TREE_PRECISION
                   0.54 0.67
                   0.04 0.98
## TREE_RECALL
## TREE_FSCORE 0.07 0.80
## MAXENTROPY PRECISION 0.54 0.67
## MAXENTROPY_RECALL 0.04 0.98
## MAXENTROPY_FSCORE 0.07 0.80
t(analytics_res@label_summary)
##
## NUM_MANUALLY_CODED 184.00000
                             13.000000
## NUM_CONSENSUS_CODED
## NUM_PROBABILITY_CODED
                              13.000000
## PCT_CONSENSUS_CODED
                              7.065217
## PCT PROBABILITY CODED
                               7.065217
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_CONSENSUS 3.804348
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_PROBABILITY 3.804348
                        363.00000
534.00000
## NUM_MANUALLY_CODED
## NUM_CONSENSUS_CODED
                            534.00000
                            534.00000
## NUM_PROBABILITY_CODED
## PCT_CONSENSUS_CODED
                             147.10744
## PCT_PROBABILITY_CODED
                             147.10744
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_CONSENSUS 98.34711
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_PROBABILITY 98.34711
analytics_res@ensemble_summary
## n-ENSEMBLE COVERAGE n-ENSEMBLE RECALL
\#\# n >= 1
           1.00 0.67
                    1.00
\#\# n >= 2
                                    0.67
                   1.00
\#\# n >= 3
                                    0.67
\#\# n >= 4
                    1.00
                                    0.67
## n >= 5
                    0.81
                                    0.76
## n >= 6
                    0.44
                                    1.00
summary(analytics_res)
## ENSEMBLE SUMMARY
##
       n-ENSEMBLE COVERAGE n-ENSEMBLE RECALL
## n \ge 1 1.00 0.67
                                    0.67
\#\# n >= 2
                    1.00
\#\# n >= 3
                    1.00
                                   0.67
\#\# n >= 4
                    1.00
                                    0.67
                                    0.76
## n >= 5
                    0.81
                    0.44
## n >= 6
                                    1.00
##
##
## ALGORITHM PERFORMANCE
##
        SVM_PRECISION SVM_RECALL 0.740 0.685
##
       SVM_FSCORE LOGITBOOST_PRECISION
```

```
##
                   0.695
                                          0.800
##
      LOGITBOOST_RECALL
                             LOGITBOOST_FSCORE
##
                   0.835
                                          0.775
##
      BAGGING_PRECISION
                                BAGGING_RECALL
##
                   0.605
                                          0.510
##
         BAGGING_FSCORE
                             FORESTS_PRECISION
##
                   0.435
                                          0.330
##
         FORESTS_RECALL
                                FORESTS_FSCORE
##
                   0.500
                                          0.400
##
         TREE_PRECISION
                                   TREE_RECALL
##
                   0.605
                                          0.510
##
             TREE_FSCORE MAXENTROPY_PRECISION
##
                   0.435
                                          0.605
##
      MAXENTROPY_RECALL
                             MAXENTROPY_FSCORE
##
                   0.510
                                          0.435
```

6 Assess Naive Bayes selection performance on 10 keywords (binary dfm)

Here there are ten keywords ((election, riot, disturbance, incident, mob, stone, window, candidate, party, hustings, magistrate) which are either present (1) or not-present (0). Use these patterns to identify election violence articles with a Naive Bayes classifer.

```
cd<-classdocs[classdocs$election_article==1,]</pre>
cd<-cd[sample(nrow(cd)),]</pre>
\#class\_corpus < -quanteda::corpus(classdocs[classdocsfelection\_article==1,], text\_field="ocr")
class_corpus<-quanteda::corpus(cd, text_field="ocr")</pre>
keywords<-c("election", "riot", "incident", "disturbance", "mob", "stone", "window", "candidate", "part
class_dfm_10<-quanteda::dfm(class_corpus, select=keywords)</pre>
#class_dfm<-preprocess_corpus(class_corpus, stem=FALSE, min_termfreq = 20)</pre>
the_sets_10<-split_dfm(class_dfm_10, n_train = 1000)</pre>
classifier_10<-quanteda::textmodel_nb(the_sets_10$training_set, y=quanteda::docvars(the_sets_10$training_set)
quanteda::docvars(the_sets_10$testing_set, "predicted") <-predict(classifier_10, newdata = the_sets_10$testing_set)
caret::confusionMatrix(data=quanteda::docvars(the_sets_10$testing_set, "predicted"), reference=factor(q
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
             Reference
##
  Prediction
##
            \cap
               94 53
            1 75 325
##
##
##
                   Accuracy: 0.766
##
                     95% CI: (0.7282, 0.8009)
##
       No Information Rate: 0.691
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 6.201e-05
##
##
##
                      Kappa: 0.4315
##
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 0.06343
##
##
                  Precision: 0.8125
```

```
##
                    Recall: 0.8598
##
                        F1: 0.8355
##
                Prevalence: 0.6910
##
            Detection Rate: 0.5941
##
      Detection Prevalence: 0.7313
##
         Balanced Accuracy: 0.7080
##
##
          'Positive' Class : 1
##
```

7 How do other classifiers perform on 10 keywords (binary dfm)

The same but with ten keywords (election, riot, disturbance, incident, mob, stone, window, candidate, party, hustings, magistrate) which are either present (1) or not-present (0). Use these patterns to identify election violence articles using a range of other classifiers.

```
class_corpus<-quanteda::corpus(classdocs[classdocs$election_article==1,], text_field="ocr")
cd<-classdocs[classdocs$election_article==1,]</pre>
cd<-cd[sample(nrow(cd)),]</pre>
#class_corpus<-quanteda::corpus(classdocs[classdocsfelection_article==1,], text_field="ocr")
class_corpus<-quanteda::corpus(cd, text_field="ocr")</pre>
keywords<-c("election", "riot", "incident", "disturbance", "mob", "stone", "window", "candidate", "part
class_dfm<-quanteda::dfm(class_corpus, select=keywords)</pre>
class_dfm_bin<-quanteda::dfm_weight(class_dfm, scheme="boolean")</pre>
doc_matrix<-quanteda::convert(class_dfm_bin, "tm")</pre>
## Warning in dfm2tm(x): converted DocumentTermMatrix will not have weight attributes set
correctly
training_nos<-which(1:nrow(class_dfm_bin) %in% sample(1:nrow(class_dfm_bin), 1000))
testing_nos<-which(!1:nrow(class_dfm_bin) %in% training_nos)
container <- RTextTools::create_container(doc_matrix, quanteda::docvars(class_dfm_bin, "EV_article"), t</pre>
models_res<-RTextTools::train_models(container, algorithms=c("MAXENT", "SVM", "BOOSTING", "BAGGING", "R
results_res<-RTextTools::classify_models(container, models_res)
analytics_res<-RTextTools::create_analytics(container, results_res)</pre>
class_summary<-analytics_res@document_summary %>%
  tibble::rowid_to_column("document_id") %>%
  tidyr::gather(variable, value, -MANUAL_CODE, -document_id) %>%
  separate(variable, c("variable", "var2")) %>%
  filter(var2 %in% c("CODE")) %>%
  unite(value, var2, value) %>%
  group_by(variable, MANUAL_CODE, value) %>%
  tally() %>%
  spread(value, n)
## Warning: attributes are not identical across measure variables;
## they will be dropped
class_summary_by_classifier<-analytics_res@document_summary %>%
  tibble::rowid_to_column("document_id") %>%
  tidyr::gather(variable, value, -MANUAL_CODE, -document_id) %>%
  separate(variable, c("variable", "var2")) %>%
```

```
filter(var2=="LABEL") %>%
unite(value, var2, value) %>%
group_by(variable, MANUAL_CODE, value) %>%
tally() %>%
spread(value, n)

## Warning: attributes are not identical across measure variables;
## they will be dropped
knitr::knit_print(knitr::kable(class_summary))
```

variable	MANUAL_CODE	CODE_0	CODE_1
CONSENSUS	0	NA	161
CONSENSUS	1	NA	386
PROBABILITY	0	1	160
PROBABILITY	1	NA	386

knitr::knit_print(knitr::kable(class_summary_by_classifier))

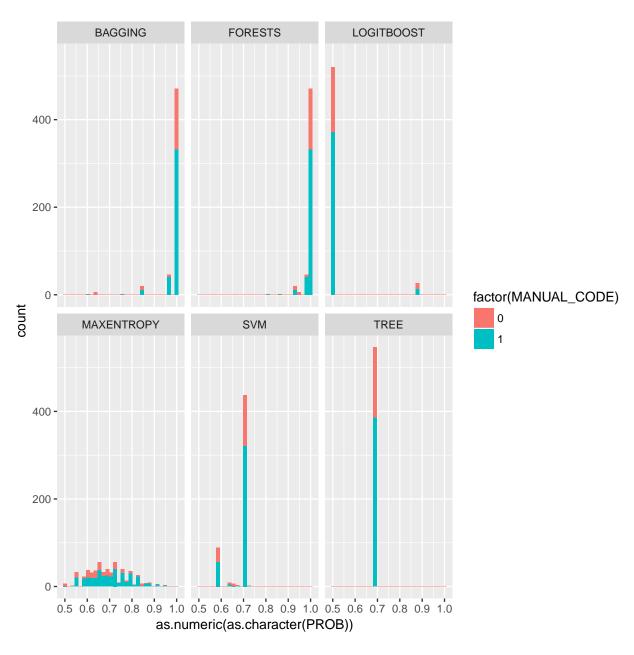
variable	MANUAL_CODE	LABEL_0	LABEL_1
BAGGING	0	8	153
BAGGING	1	1	385
FORESTS	0	NA	161
FORESTS	1	NA	386
LOGITBOOST	0	148	13
LOGITBOOST	1	372	14
MAXENTROPY	0	NA	161
MAXENTROPY	1	NA	386
SVM	0	NA	161
SVM	1	NA	386
TREE	0	NA	161
TREE	1	NA	386

```
prob_summary<-analytics_res@document_summary %>%
    tibble::rowid_to_column("document_id") %>%
    tidyr::gather(variable, value, -MANUAL_CODE, -document_id) %>%
    separate(variable, c("variable", "var2")) %>%
    filter(var2 %in% c("LABEL", "PROB")) %>%
    spread(var2, value) %>%
    group_by(variable, MANUAL_CODE, LABEL)

## Warning: attributes are not identical across measure variables;
## they will be dropped

prob_summary%>%
    ggplot(aes(x=as.numeric(as.character(PROB)), fill=factor(MANUAL_CODE)))+
    facet_wrap("variable)+
    geom_histogram()

## 'stat_bin()' using 'bins = 30'. Pick better
## value with 'binwidth'.
```



```
t(analytics_res@algorithm_summary)
##
                          0 1
## SVM_PRECISION
                        NaN 0.71
                       0.00 1.00
## SVM_RECALL
## SVM_FSCORE
                        NaN 0.83
## LOGITBOOST_PRECISION 0.28 0.52
## LOGITBOOST_RECALL
                       0.92 0.04
## LOGITBOOST_FSCORE
                       0.43 0.07
## BAGGING_PRECISION
                       0.89 0.72
## BAGGING_RECALL
                       0.05 1.00
## BAGGING_FSCORE
                       0.09 0.84
## FORESTS_PRECISION
                       NaN 0.71
## FORESTS_RECALL
                       0.00 1.00
```

```
## FORESTS_FSCORE NaN 0.83
## TREE_PRECISION
                    NaN 0.71
## TREE_RECALL
                   0.00 1.00
## TREE_FSCORE NaN 0.83
## MAXENTROPY_PRECISION NaN 0.71
## MAXENTROPY_RECALL 0.00 1.00
## MAXENTROPY_FSCORE NaN 0.83
t(analytics_res@label_summary)
##
## NUM_MANUALLY_CODED 161.000000
                             0.000000
## NUM_CONSENSUS_CODED
                              1.000000
## NUM_PROBABILITY_CODED
## PCT_CONSENSUS_CODED
                              0.000000
## PCT PROBABILITY CODED
                              0.621118
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_CONSENSUS 0.000000
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_PROBABILITY 0.621118
                        1
386.0000
547.0000
## NUM_MANUALLY_CODED
## NUM_CONSENSUS_CODED
                            547.0000
## NUM_PROBABILITY_CODED
                            546.0000
## PCT_CONSENSUS_CODED
                             141.7098
## PCT_PROBABILITY_CODED 141.4508
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_CONSENSUS 100.0000
## PCT_CORRECTLY_CODED_PROBABILITY 100.0000
analytics_res@ensemble_summary
## n-ENSEMBLE COVERAGE n-ENSEMBLE RECALL
## n >= 1
          1.00
                            0.71
                   1.00
\#\# n >= 2
                                    0.71
## n >= 3
                                    0.71
\#\# n >= 4
                    1.00
                                   0.71
## n >= 5
                    0.99
                                   0.71
## n >= 6
                    0.05
                                    0.54
summary(analytics_res)
## ENSEMBLE SUMMARY
##
       n-ENSEMBLE COVERAGE n-ENSEMBLE RECALL
## n \ge 1 1.00 0.71
                 1.00
                                    0.71
\#\# n >= 2
\#\# n >= 3
                    1.00
                                   0.71
\#\# n >= 4
                    1.00
                                   0.71
## n >= 5
                    0.99
                                    0.71
## n >= 6
                  0.05
                                    0.54
##
##
## ALGORITHM PERFORMANCE
##
        SVM_PRECISION SVM_RECALL 0.355 0.500
##
       SVM_FSCORE LOGITBOOST_PRECISION
```

```
##
                   0.415
                                          0.400
##
      LOGITBOOST_RECALL
                             LOGITBOOST_FSCORE
##
                   0.480
                                          0.250
##
      BAGGING_PRECISION
                                BAGGING_RECALL
##
                   0.805
                                          0.525
##
         BAGGING_FSCORE
                             FORESTS_PRECISION
##
                   0.465
                                          0.355
##
         FORESTS_RECALL
                                FORESTS_FSCORE
##
                   0.500
                                          0.415
##
         TREE_PRECISION
                                   TREE_RECALL
##
                   0.355
                                          0.500
##
             TREE_FSCORE MAXENTROPY_PRECISION
##
                   0.415
                                          0.355
##
      MAXENTROPY_RECALL
                             MAXENTROPY_FSCORE
##
                   0.500
                                          0.415
```

8 Assess Naive Bayes selection performance on full set of keywords (binary dfm)

Here we take all the keywords in the ocr as a theoretical maximum which are either present (1) or not-present (0). Use these patterns to identify election violence articles with a Naive Bayes classifer.

```
cd<-classdocs[classdocs$election_article==1,]</pre>
cd<-classdocs
cd<-cd[sample(nrow(cd)),]</pre>
\#class\_corpus < -quanteda::corpus(classdocs[classdocsfelection\_article==1,], text\_field="ocr")
class_corpus<-quanteda::corpus(cd, text_field="ocr")</pre>
class_dfm_full<-preprocess_corpus(class_corpus, stem=FALSE, min_termfreq = 20, min_docfreq = 20)</pre>
the_sets_full<-split_dfm(class_dfm_full, n_train = 1000)</pre>
classifier_full<-quanteda::textmodel_nb(the_sets_full$training_set, y=quanteda::docvars(the_sets_full$t
quanteda::docvars(the_sets_full$testing_set, "predicted") <-predict(classifier_full, newdata = the_sets_
caret::confusionMatrix(data=quanteda::docvars(the_sets_full$testing_set, "predicted"), reference=factor
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
             Reference
   Prediction
                0 1
            0 333 134
##
##
            1 328 455
##
                  Accuracy: 0.6304
##
                     95% CI : (0.603, 0.6572)
##
##
       No Information Rate: 0.5288
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 2.589e-13
##
##
                      Kappa: 0.2714
##
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value : < 2.2e-16
##
##
                  Precision: 0.5811
##
                     Recall : 0.7725
                         F1: 0.6633
##
```

```
## Prevalence : 0.4712
## Detection Rate : 0.3640
## Detection Prevalence : 0.6264
## Balanced Accuracy : 0.6381
##
    'Positive' Class : 1
```