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Keyword Extraction

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Objective

To build an automatic keyword extraction model for extracting meaningful information from textual data.



Motivation

With the growth of internet in the 21'st century, there has been a sudden explosion in the amount of **data** we have.

Extracting meaningful insights from it can help the world in ways unimagined.

This project aims at the same by development of an automatic keyword extraction model.

Keyword Extraction from textual data on the internet can help in various tasks like **information retrieval**, **automatic indexing**, **automatic classification**, **automatic clustering**, **automatic filtering**, **faster search engines**, etc

Introduction

Keywords are described as a series of one or more words which provide a **compact representation** of a documents' content. However, assigning keywords to documents manually is very costly, time consuming, and tedious task, therefore **automatic keyword extraction** has attracted the interest of researchers over the last few years.

Automatic keyword extraction is done through mainly 4 approaches-

1. Supervised approach
2. Unsupervised approach
3. Statistical approach
4. Hybrid approach.

We have used the graph based statistical approach in this project.

Many existing **graph-based** keyword extraction approaches determine keywords purely based on centrality measure. However, various features such as **frequency**, **centrality** and **position** of the keyword also affect the importance of a keyword.

Therefore, this projects implements a novel **unsupervised graph-based** keyword extraction method called **keywords from collective weights (KCW)** which determines the

importance of a keyword by collectively considering various influencing features. The KCW is based on **node-edge rank centrality** with node weight depending on various features.

Our model has been built based on the paper

Keyword extraction from micro-blogs using collective weight by (Monali Bordoloi¹ · Saroj Kr. Biswas¹)

and implemented on a dataset consisting of research papers on machine learning.

They built it specifically for tweets; we've tried to keep our algorithm more general.

Implemented KCW model

The KCW model considers **frequency**, **centrality** and **position** of a node to calculate importance of the node. The implementation of the model is divided into four phases: **pre-processing**, **textual graph representation**, **node weight assignment**, and **keyword extraction**. The flowchart of the proposed model is shown in Figure1.

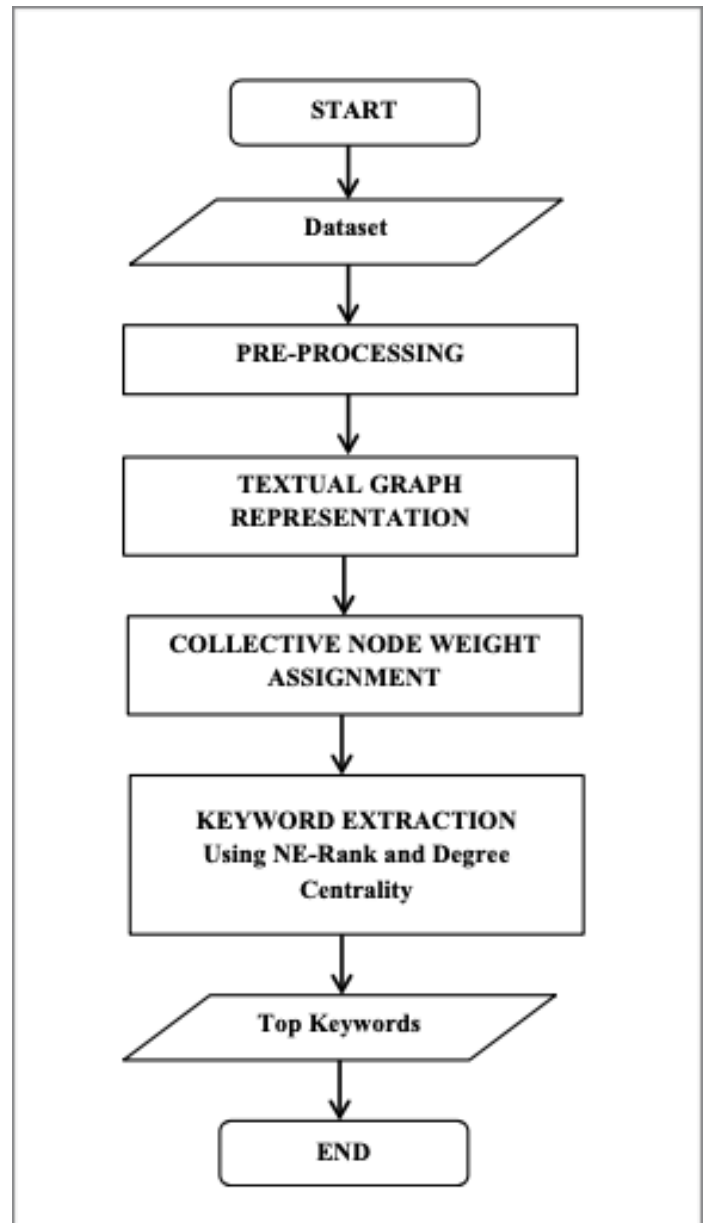


Figure 1

Phase 1: Pre-processing

Text pre-processing in this model involves the following steps-

1. Tokenisation with removal of unwanted characters

Regular expression tokeniser by NLTK has been used to split sentences into sequence of words and removing all unwanted characters and symbols like '@', '#', '\$', '/', etc.

2. Lower Casing

All characters have been lower cased in order to avoid multiple nodes with same word in the graph.

3. Stopword Removal and Lemmatisation

A standard list of stop words such as about, be, etc. that does not contribute much in the overall meaning has been removed from the tokenised sentences.

4. Removal of tokens with frequency below threshold frequency

An average occurrence frequency(AOF) has been computed and the words with frequency less than that have been removed. Formula for AOF calculation is as follows-

$$\text{AOF} = \frac{\sum \text{Frequency of each token}}{\text{Number of tokens}}.$$

5. Vectorisation

Each token has been assigned a number(vector) and thus a vocabulary has been created on the given corpus.

Phase 2: Textual Graph Representation

Let $G = (V, E)$ be a graph, where V is the set of vertices and E is the set of edges. The textual graph is then represented as described below.

1. Vertex assignment

Each token has been used to create one vertex each. The set of vertices (V) has been created from the set of tokens in the vertex assignment.

2. Edging

If 2 nodes(words) occur in the same 'paper' there is an edge b/w them.

Edge Weight assignment has been done using the following formula:

$$W_c(i,j) = \frac{\text{freq}(i,j)}{\text{freq}(i) + \text{freq}(j) - \text{freq}(i,j)},$$

where $\text{freq}(i, j)$ is the number of times node i and j co-occur, and $\text{freq}(i)$ and $\text{freq}(j)$ are the occurrence frequencies of nodes i and j , respectively.

Phase 3: Node Weight Assignment

In keyword extraction using graph-based model, the weight of a node plays a vital role. Proper node weight evaluation leads to effective and representative keywords determination for tweets/text. Many factors affect the importance of a node. The KCW model considers four different important features to calculate the node weights as discussed below:

1. Position of a node

It has been suggested that the position of a term is an important criterion while extracting keywords. Therefore added weight is given to them, which is calculated as follows.

- i. If token i is the first word then,

$$F[i] = \frac{n_f}{\text{freq}(i)}$$

where, $F[i]$ is the weight of i and n_f is the number of times i is the first word.

- ii. Else $F[i] = 0$

- i. If token i is the last word then,

$$L[i] = \frac{n_l}{\text{freq}(i)}$$

where, $L[i]$ is the weight of i and n_l is the number of times i is the last word.

- ii. Else $L[i] = 0$

2. Term frequency

Important keywords tend to occur more frequently in a document. Thus, the frequency of the keywords forms an essential parameter in the node weight determination. Term frequency is defined as the number of times a given term occurs in a document. Here, the term frequency is the

average of number of times the term occurs in the each paper.

3. Selectivity centrality

Selectivity centrality is defined as the average weight on the links of a single node. Centrality measure is an indication of the importance of a node within a graph. It is calculated as follows-

$$SC(v) = \frac{s(v)}{d(v)}$$

$$s(v) = \sum_u W_{vu}$$

where W_{uv} is the weight b/w node 'u' and node 'v' and $d(v)$ is the out degree of node 'v'.

4. Distance from central node:

The closer a node is to the most central node the more probability it has to be an important keyword. Therefore, importance of a node is calculated as the inverse of its distance from the central node. The central node is found using degree of the nodes. The node with the highest degree is considered as the most central. In case there is a tie in the degree of nodes, frequency of the nodes is used to break the tie. If central node is c , then the importance for a node i is determined by

$$D_{C(i)} = \frac{1}{d(c, i)}$$

where $d(c, i)$ is distance of node i from the central node c . This value is normalised to be within the range of 0 and 1. For the central node c , the $DC(c)$ value is set to 1.

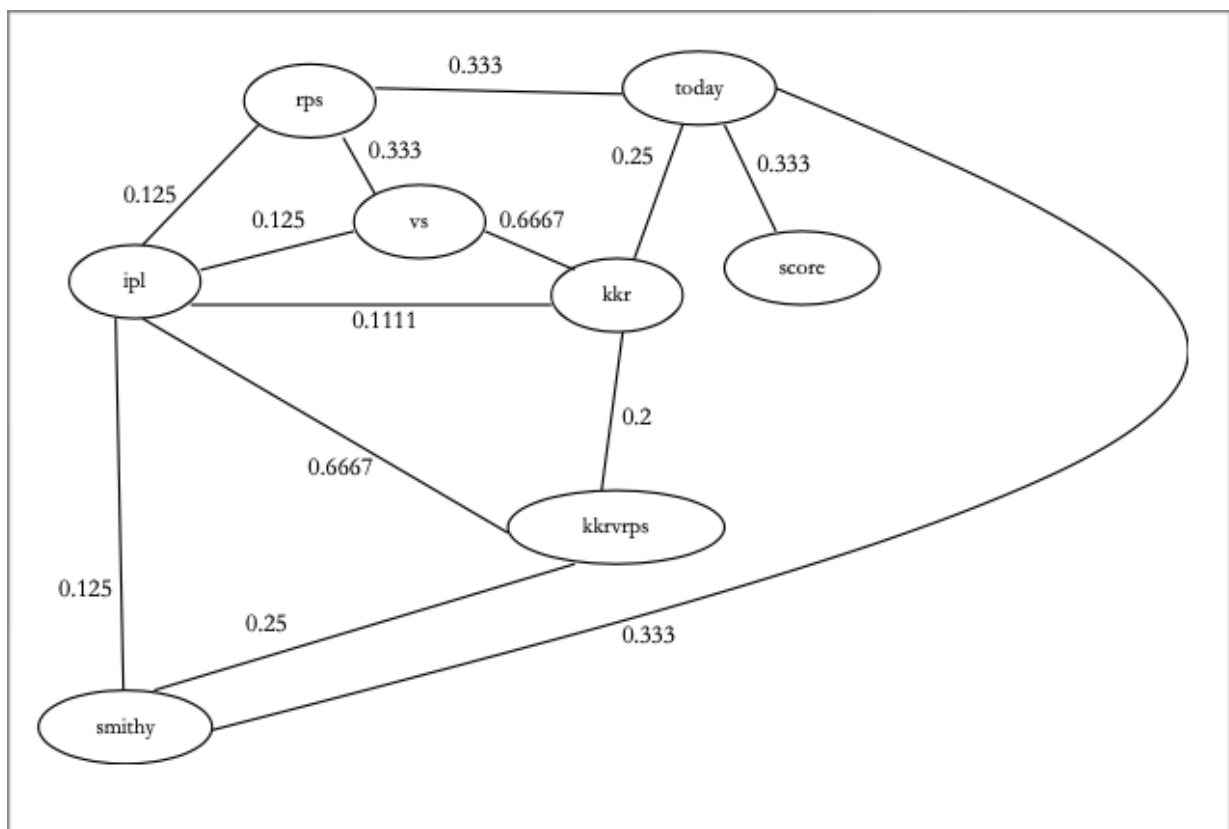
The weight of any node i is calculated by given eq.

$$\text{Node}(\text{wt}, i) = F[i] + L[i] + \text{TF}[i] + \text{SC}[i] + D[i]$$

and is normalised to get value between 0 and 1 by the given equation

$$\text{Final}_{\text{weight}(i)} = \frac{\text{Node_weight}(i) - \text{min_weight}}{\text{max_weight} - \text{min_weight}},$$

The normalised value of i is the final weight of i .



Sample Graph representation of words

Phase 4: Keyword Extraction

The process of identifying keywords from a paper/document that can appropriately represent the subject of the paper/document is termed keyword extraction. To extract the important keywords, the proposed model uses NE rank and degree centrality.

1. Calculation of NE-Rank

For a node v_i , the rank/relevance using NE rank is calculated using given equation-

$$R(v_i) = (1 - d) \cdot W(v_i) + d \cdot W(v_i) \cdot \sum_{j: v_j \rightarrow v_i} \frac{w_{ji}}{\sum_{k: v_j \rightarrow v_k} w_{jk}} R(v_j).$$

d is the damping factor which denotes the probability of jumping from a node to the next node and is usually set to 0.85; and $(1 - d)$ denotes the probability of jumping to a new node. $W(v_i)$ is the weight of the current node v_i . w_{ji} is the weight of the edge from the previous vertex v_j to the current vertex v_i and $(\sum_{k: v_j \rightarrow v_k} w_{jk})$ is the summation of all edge weights in the previous node v_j . Here, the rank/relevance of node v_j is denoted by $R(v_j)$.

2. Calculation of degree centrality

Degree centrality of a node is defined as the number of edges incident on the node.

3. Sorting keywords

Sort the keywords using the following algorithm.

Let i and j be two terms/nodes such that j occurs immediately after i in the list/text. Then:	
i.	If $NE(i) = NE(j)$
	If $degree(i) < degree(j)$ Swap (i, j)
ii.	Else if $NE(i) < NE(j)$ Swap (i, j)
iii.	Otherwise No action

4. Selection of top keywords

Finally, n best ranked terms/nodes are selected as keywords.

Implementation

Source code-

https://github.com/its7ARC/keywordExtraction/blob/main/_keywordExtraction.ipynb

Result and Conclusion

The constructed KCW model extracts keywords with great accuracy, reinforcing the fact that node weights are as important a parameter as edge weights in automatic keyword extraction.

Printing Top Keywords¶

```
topKeywords = R.argsort()[-20:][::-1]
```

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for i in range(20):  
    print(invVocab[topKeywords[i]])
```

```
network  
neural  
input  
use  
show  
error  
model  
set  
control  
figure  
weight  
time  
function  
plasma  
test  
data  
cell  
value  
parameter  
result
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1. Numpy library
2. NLTK library
3. SKLearn
4. Jupyter Notebook

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