CSCE 5300 Introduction to Big Data and Data science Twitter Sentiment Analysis using TextBlob and RoBERTa

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Problem Statement:

Classification of tweets as positive/negative/neutral or determining the sentiment score for each tweet.

Software Requirements:

Python, Jupyter Notebook.

Sentiment Analysis is a process of computationally identifying and classifying the emotions expressed in a text regarding a product or topic. It is also called opinion mining and is an approach to **Natural Language Processing** [NLP]. Sentiment Analysis is useful for determining the opinions of people regarding a product which is helpful for product's improvement. In this task, for determining the sentiment of tweets, I have used TextBlob and Roberta. There are three steps in this process

- Reading the CSV file
- Data Cleaning
- Classification

Before reading the Data, we need to import libraries for our code

import pandas as pd

import numpy as np

from textblob import TextBlob

import re

import csv

import sys

from nltk.stem.porter import PorterStemmer

from transformers import AutoModelForSequenceClassification

from transformers import TFAutoModelForSequenceClassification

from transformers import AutoTokenizer

from scipy.special import softmax

Reading the Data:

We need to read to csv but here the raw data does not have ',' as delimiter so we used read_table to read the data.

Code

```
data = pd.read_table("Task-1 tweets_1000.csv",header=None)
words=[]
for i in data[0]:
    words.append(i)
```

Data Cleaning:

Properly cleaned data will help us to do good text analysis. In this case, a tweet can contain URLs, emoticons, emojis, Punctuations etc. which are not necessary for the text analysis. We need to remove these unwanted texts in the tweets. Also, stemming is important aspect of data cleaning. Porter Stemmer is an important stemmer library which reduces a word to its stem word. From Data cleaning step we get processed tweets which we use for classification.

Code

```
use_stemmer =True
def preprocess_word(word):
    # Remove punctuation
    word = word.strip('\'''?!,.():;')

# Convert more than 2 letter repetitions to 2 letter
# funnnnny --> funny
    word = re.sub(r'(.)\\1+', r'\\1\\1', word)

# Remove - & '
    word = re.sub(r'(-|\')', ", word)
    return word
```

def is_valid_word(word):

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return (re.search(r'^[a-zA-Z][a-z0-9A-Z]._]*, word) is not None)
def handle_emojis(tweet):
  # Smile -- :), : ), :-), (:, (:, (-:, :')
  tweet = re.sub(r'(:\s?\)|:-\)|(\s?:\(-:|:\'\))', 'EMO_POS', tweet)
  # Laugh -- :D, : D, :-D, xD, x-D, XD, X-D
  tweet = re.sub(r'(:\s?D|:-D|x-?D|X-?D)', 'EMO_POS', tweet)
  # Love -- <3, :*
  tweet = re.sub(r'(<3|:\rangle^*)', 'EMO_POS', tweet)
  # Wink -- ;-), ;), ;-D, ;D, (;, (-;
  tweet = re.sub(r'(;-?)|;-?D|(-?;)', 'EMO_POS', tweet)
  # Sad --:-(,:(,:(,):,)-:
  tweet = re.sub(r'(:\s?\(|:-\(|\)\s?:\|)-:)', 'EMO_NEG', tweet)
  # Cry -- :,(, :'(, :"(
  return tweet
def preprocess_tweet(tweet):
  processed_tweet = []
  # Convert to lower case
  tweet = tweet.lower()
  # Replaces URLs with the word URL
  tweet = re.sub(r'((www\.[\S]+)|(https?://[\S]+))', 'URL', tweet)
  # Replace @handle with the word USER_MENTION
  tweet = re.sub(r'@[\S]+', 'USER\_MENTION', tweet)
  # Replaces #hashtag with hashtag
  tweet = re.sub(r'\#(\S+)', r' \1', tweet)
```

Check if word begins with an alphabet

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# Remove RT (retweet)
  tweet = re.sub(r'\brt\b', ", tweet)
  # Replace 2+ dots with space
  tweet = re.sub(r'\setminus \{2,\}', '', tweet)
  # Strip space, " and ' from tweet
  tweet = tweet.strip(' "\")
  # Replace emojis with either EMO_POS or EMO_NEG
  tweet = handle_emojis(tweet)
  # Replace multiple spaces with a single space
  tweet = re.sub(r'\s+', '', tweet)
  words = tweet.split()
  for word in words:
    word = preprocess_word(word)
    if is_valid_word(word):
       word = str(porter_stemmer.stem(word))
       processed_tweet.append(word)
  return ' '.join(processed_tweet)
porter_stemmer = PorterStemmer()
```

Classification:

A.TextBlob:

TextBlob is a Python (2 and 3) library for handling textual data. It gives a basic Programming interface to look into natural language processing (NLP) tasks, for example, part-of-speech tagging, noun phrase extraction, sentiment analysis, classification, translation, and more.

Code:

```
Tweetdf = pd.DataFrame(columns=['Tweet', 'Sentiment'])
```

```
for tweet in processed_tweets:
    print(tweet)

textanalysis = TextBlob(tweet)

if textanalysis.sentiment[0]>0:
    status = "Positive"
    print ('Positive')

elif textanalysis.sentiment[0]<0:
    print ('Negative')

status = "Negative"

else:
    print ('Neutral')

status = "Neutral"

Tweetdf = Tweetdf.append({"Tweet': tweet, 'Sentiment': status}, ignore_index=True)

Tweetdf.reset_index(drop= True,inplace= True)

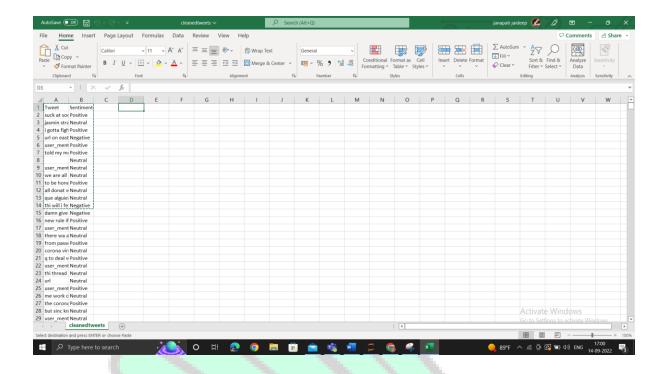
Tweetdf.to_csv('/Users/jaide/Desktop/cleanedtweets.csv',index=None)</pre>
```

Output:

Tweet	Sentiment
suck at social distanc	Positive
jasmin strang share a messag of hope dure thi life of covid19 musicvideo product by moodolog if	
you like it dm me whi if you coronaviru stayathom oaklandfilmmak url	Neutral
i gotta fight these allergi in public to make sure peopl think i got corona	Positive
url on easter pleas rememb the poor and desol covid19 infrastructur lalov natgeo compass	Negative
user_ment i have a cute one made from recycl sari silk my friend got me in nepal	Positive
told my mom we should start to work from home due to corona no one els work in our offic but	
is but ya know work from home sound nice	Positive
	Neutral
user_ment user_ment user_ment user_ment user_ment so use your logic of not pay	
ani attent to fact and detail trump call covid a and seven week later infect and kill american	Neutral
we are all in deep doo doo	Neutral
to be honest everyon wa scare of coronaviru and govt had to somehow convinc the public to	
compli inflat death number were use to keep us at home regardless the end result is what matter	
unfortun dem want thi to be biblic so they could blame trump	Positive
all donat will be distribut by halo to lowincom famili elderli homeless commun member and those	
recent affect by covid19 who need help feed their pet noth is	Neutral
que alguien expliqu	Neutral

thi will i fear continu as it seem like it wa a bad flu season last winter but mayb it wa circul quit a bit earlier than origin thought which ha far reach implic

Negative



B. RoBERTa

RoBERTa builds on BERT's language masking strategy, wherein the system learns to predict intentionally hidden sections of text within otherwise unannotated language examples. RoBERTa, which was implemented in PyTorch, modifies key hyperparameters in BERT, including removing BERT's next-sentence pretraining objective, and training with much larger mini-batches and learning rates. This allows RoBERTa to improve on the masked language modeling objective compared with BERT and leads to better downstream task performance.

BERT is a robustly optimized method for pretraining natural language processing (NLP) systems that improves on Bidirectional Encoder Representations from Transformers, or BERT, the self-supervised method released by Google in 2018.

RoBERTa falls under Unsupervised Machine learning Algorithms.

Code

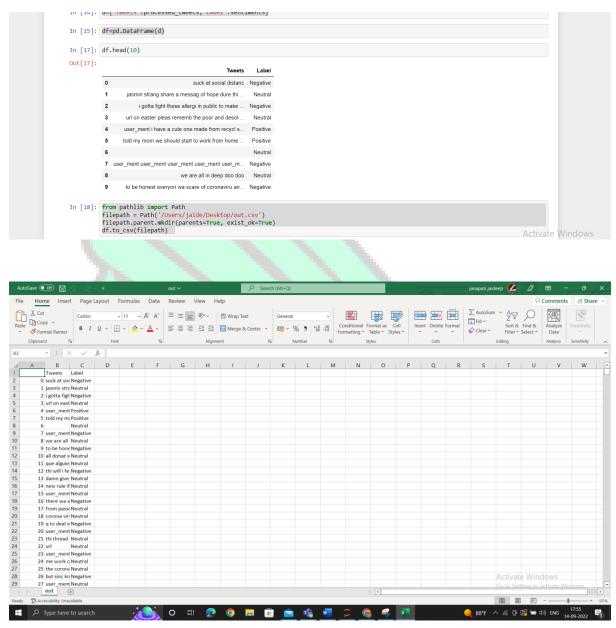
roberta = "cardiffnlp/twitter-roberta-base-sentiment"

model=AutoModelForSequenceClassification.from_pretrained(roberta)

tokenizer = AutoTokenizer.from_pretrained(roberta)

```
labels = ['Negative', 'Neutral', 'Positive']
sentiments=[]
# sentiment analysis
def sentiment(tweet):
    error=processed_tweets[942]
    if(tweet!=error):
       encoded_tweet = tokenizer(tweet, return_tensors='pt')
# output = model(encoded_tweet['input_ids'], encoded_tweet['attention_mask'])
       output = model(**encoded_tweet)
       scores = output[0][0].detach().numpy()
       scores = softmax(scores)
       max_score=max(scores)
       for i in range(len(scores)):
         if(scores[i]==max_score):
            return labels[i]
    else:
       return 'Negative'
for word in processed_tweets:
  sentiments.append(sentiment(word))
d={'Tweets':processed_tweets,'Label':sentiments}
df=pd.DataFrame(d)
from pathlib import Path
filepath = Path('/Users/jaide/Desktop/out.csv')
filepath.parent.mkdir(parents=True, exist_ok=True)
df.to_csv(filepath)
```

Output:



CONCLUSION:

The Models used for this task [Textblob & RoBERTa] are very powerful and efficient giving good classification results but there is some inaccuracy. The preprocessing techniques used for the models might be the one of the reasons for the inaccurate results. Overall, the results are satisfactory.