Text, Tweets, and Sentiment

Part 3

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Returning to Trump

```
require(tidyverse)
tweet_words <-
read_rds(file="https://github.com/jbisbee1/DS1000_S2024/raw/main/data/T
tweet_words <- tweet_words %>% mutate(PostPresident = Tweeting.date >
as.Date('2016-11-06'))
```

Log-Odds

- Odds: Probability a word is used pre/post presidency
- Log: Useful for removing skew in data!
- Interactive code time!

```
(odds1 <- tweet_words %>%
  count(word, PostPresident) %>%
  filter(sum(n) >= 5) %>%
  spread(PostPresident, n, fill = 0) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  mutate(totFALSE = sum(`FALSE`),
      totTRUE = sum(`TRUE`)))
```

```
# A tibble: 45,221 × 5
##
     word
                `FALSE` `TRUE` totFALSE totTRUE
    <chr>
                  <dbl> <dbl>
                               <dbl> <dbl>
##
##
                      6
                            27
                                 189217
                                         257487
   1 a
##
                                 189217 257487
   2 aa
##
                     11
                              189217 257487
   3 aaa
##
                             0
                                 189217 257487
   4 aamp
   5 aand
                                 189217
                                         257487
##
##
                                 189217 257487
    6 aaron
                                 189217 257487
##
   7 ab
                      0
                                 189217 257487
##
   8 abaco
##
   9 abandon
                             8
                                 189217 257487
  10 abandoned
                    13
                            11
                                 189217
                                         257487
## # i 45,211 more rows
```

```
(odds2 <- odds1 %>%
  mutate(propFALSE = (`FALSE` + 1) / (totFALSE + 1),
      propTRUE = (`TRUE` + 1) / (totTRUE + 1)))
```

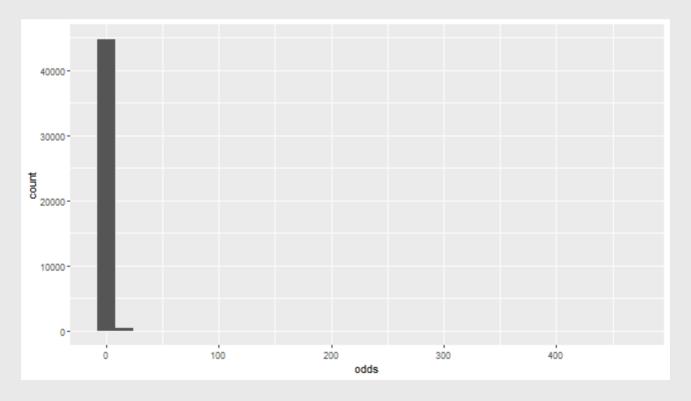
```
# A tibble: 45,221 × 7
##
     word
            `FALSE` `TRUE` totFALSE totTRUE propFALSE propTRUE
              <dbl>
                     <dbl> <dbl>
                                      <dh1>
                                                <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <
##
     <chr>
##
                             189217
                                     257487
                                              3.70e-5 1.09e-4
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                             189217
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   2 aa
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                                              6.34e-5 7.77e-6
   3 aaa
##
                         0
                             189217
                                     257487
                                              1.06e-5 3.88e-6
   4 aamp
##
   5 aand
                             189217
                                     257487
                                              5.28e-6
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   6 aaron
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##
   8 abaco
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                                              5.28e-6 7.77e-6
   9 aband...
                            189217
                                     257487
                                              3.70e-5 3.50e-5
##
##
  10 aband...
                 13
                        11
                            189217
                                     257487
                                              7.40e-5 4.66e-5
  # i 45,211 more rows
```

```
(odds3 <- odds2 %>%
  mutate(odds = propTRUE / propFALSE))
```

```
## # A tibble: 45,221 × 8
##
     word
             `FALSE` `TRUE` totFALSE totTRUE propFALSE propTRUE
##
      <chr>>
               <dbl>
                      <dbl>
                               <dbl>
                                       <dh1>
                                                 <dbl>
                                                           <dbl>
##
   1 a
                   6
                         27
                              189217
                                      257487
                                               3.70e-5 1.09e-4
##
                              189217
                                      257487
                                               1.06e-5 1.17e-5
   2 aa
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   3 aaa
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                                      257487
   4 aamp
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   8 abaco
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##
   9 aband...
                              189217
                                      257487
                                               3.70e-5 3.50e-5
##
  10 aband...
                  13
                         11
                              189217
                                               7.40e-5 4.66e-5
                                      257487
  # i 45,211 more rows
## # i 1 more variable: odds <dbl>
```

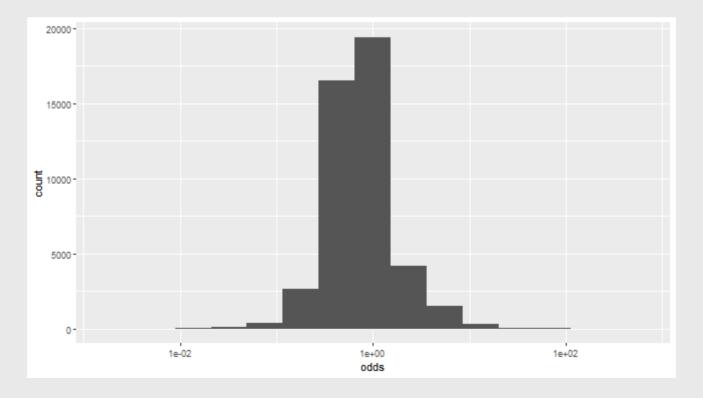
Why log?

```
odds3 %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = odds)) +
  geom_histogram()
```



Why log?

```
odds3 %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = odds)) +
  geom_histogram(bins = 15) +
  scale_x_log10()
```



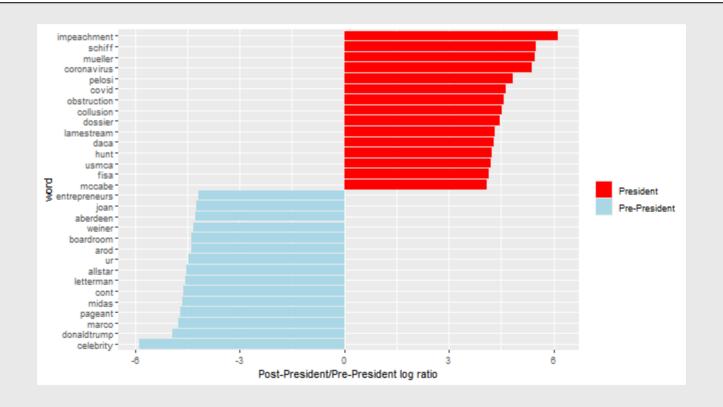
```
(prepost_logodds <- odds3 %>%
  mutate(logodds = log(odds)))
```

```
## # A tibble: 45,221 × 9
             `FALSE` `TRUE`
##
     word
                            totFALSE totTRUE propFALSE propTRUE
##
      <chr>>
               <dbl>
                      <dbl>
                               <dbl>
                                       <dh1>
                                                 <dh1>
                                                           <dh1>
##
   1 a
                   6
                         27
                              189217
                                      257487
                                               3.70e-5 1.09e-4
##
                              189217
                                      257487
                                               1.06e-5 1.17e-5
   2 aa
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                                      257487
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   3 aaa
                                               1.06e-5 3.88e-6
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                                      257487
   4 aamp
##
   5 aand
                              189217
                                      257487
                                               5.28e-6 7.77e-6
##
   6 aaron
                              189217
                                      257487
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                                                       7.77e-6
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   7 ab
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                                      257487
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##
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                              189217
##
   9 aband...
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  10 aband...
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                         11
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                                               7.40e-5
                                                        4.66e-5
##
                                      257487
  # i 45,211 more rows
  # i 2 more variables: odds <dbl>, logodds <dbl>
```

Effect of becoming president

Effect of becoming president

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Meaning

- Thus far, everything is topic-related
 - How often he talks about things
- But what does he mean when he talks about Mueller?
 - We can probably guess
- But we want a more systematic method
 - **Sentiment**: the *feeling* behind words

Meaning

- Sentiment analysis is based on dictionaries
 - Just like stop words from last week!
 - Prepared lists of words, but tagged according to emotion
- Good dictionary included in tidytext package

```
require(tidytext) # Might need to install.packages('textdata')
```

Loading required package: tidytext

```
# nrc <- get_sentiments("nrc")
# If this doesn't work on your computer, just load it with read_rds()
nrc <-
read_rds('https://github.com/jbisbee1/DS1000_S2024/raw/main/data/nrc.Rc</pre>
```

Meaning

nrc

```
## # A tibble: 13,901 × 2
##
     word
                 sentiment
##
   <chr>
                 <chr>>
##
   1 abacus
                 trust
   2 abandon
                 fear
##
##
   3 abandon
                 negative
   4 abandon
                 sadness
##
##
   5 abandoned
                 anger
##
   6 abandoned
                 fear
                 negative
   7 abandoned
##
  8 abandoned
                 sadness
##
   9 abandonment anger
##
## 10 abandonment fear
## # i 13,891 more rows
```

Sentiment by Pre/Post Presidency

- Measure sentiment by proportion of words
- Divide by pre/post presidency

```
word_freq <- tweet_words %>%
  group_by(PostPresident) %>%
  count(word) %>%
  filter(sum(n) >= 5) %>%
   mutate(prop = prop.table(n)) # Faster way of calculating
proportions!
```

Sentiment by Pre/Post Presidency

- Attaching sentiment from nrc
 - inner_join(): only keeps words that appear in nrc

```
word_freq_sentiment <- word_freq %>%
  inner_join(nrc, by = "word")
```

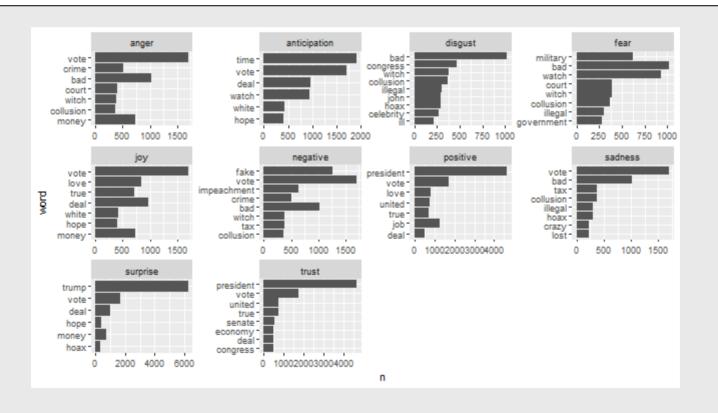
```
## Warning in inner_join(., nrc, by = "word"): Detected an unexpected
many-to-many relationship between
## `x` and `y`.
## i Row 7 of `x` matches multiple rows in `y`.
## i Row 2 of `y` matches multiple rows in `x`.
## i If a many-to-many relationship is expected, set
## `relationship = "many-to-many"` to silence this warning.
```

Sentiment overall

```
p <- word_freq_sentiment %>%
  group_by(sentiment) %>%
  top_n(10, n) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  mutate(word = reorder(word, n)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(y = word, x = n)) +
  facet_wrap(~ sentiment, scales = "free", nrow = 3) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity")
```

Sentiment Overall

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Sentiment overall

- Could also just calculate positive sentiments negative sentiments
 - Want to do this at the tweet level

Sentiment overall

tweet_sentiment_summary

```
# A tibble: 45,592 × 13
## # Groups: PostPresident [2]
   PostPresident document anger anticipation disgust fear
##
##
     <lgl>
                        <dhl> <int>
                                          <int> <int> <int><</pre>
  1 FALSE
##
                  1701461182
                                                           0
  2 FALSE
##
                   1741160716
##
   3 FALSE
                   1924074459
##
  4 FALSE
                   2045871770
##
  5 FALSE
                  2317112756
##
  6 FALSE
                  2346367430
##
  7 FALSE
                  2403435685
##
   8 FALSE
                  3688564134
##
   9 FALSE
                                                           0
                  7677152231
  10 FALSE
                   8083871612
  # i 45,582 more rows
## # i 7 more variables: joy <int>, negative <int>,
      positive <int>, sadness <int>, surprise <int>,
## #
## # trust <int>, sentiment <int>
```

Sentiment by presidency

Calculate total number of tweets by sentiment

```
tweet_sentiment_summary %>%
  group_by(PostPresident) %>%
  mutate(ntweet = 1) %>%
  summarize(across(-document, sum))
```

```
## # A tibble: 2 \times 13
    PostPresident anger anticipation disgust fear joy
##
    <lg1>
                  <int> <int> <int> <int> <int><</pre>
##
  1 FALSE
                 8138
                            13333 5356 7999 12440
                              14095 8933 14051 10973
## 2 TRUE
                 13892
## # i 7 more variables: negative <int>, positive <int>,
      sadness <int>, surprise <int>, trust <int>,
## #
      sentiment <int>, ntweet <dbl>
## #
```

Sentiment by presidency

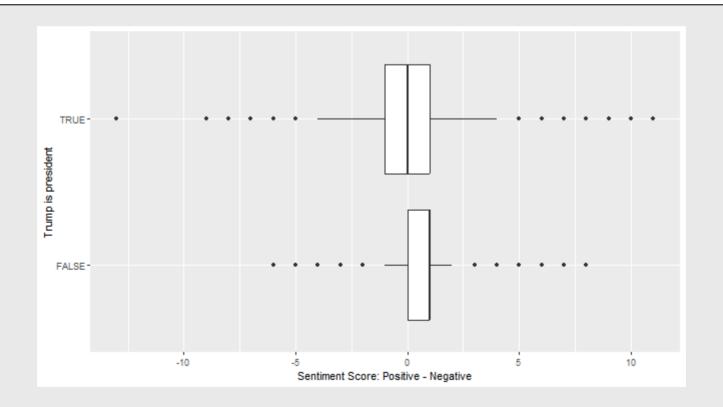
Univariate distributions!

```
p <- tweet_sentiment_summary %>%
   ggplot(aes(x = sentiment, y = PostPresident)) +
   geom_boxplot() +
   labs(y= "Trump is president", x = "Sentiment Score: Positive -
Negative")
```

Sentiment by presidency

Univariate distributions!

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Sentiment by hour

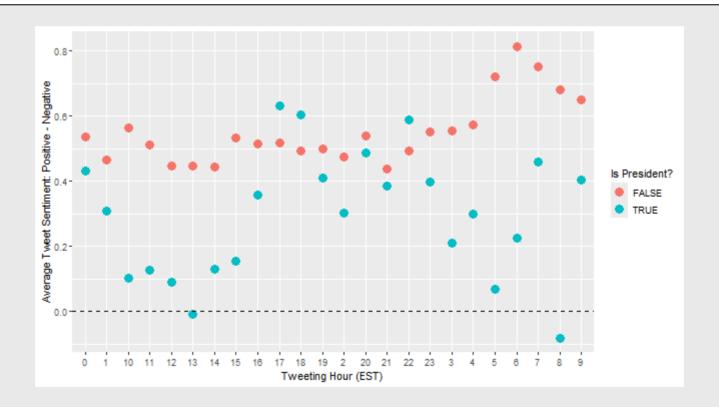
- Univariate distributions
 - Comparing sentiment by hour

```
p <- tweet_sentiment %>%
    group_by(PostPresident,Tweeting.hour,sentiment) %>%
    count(document,sentiment) %>%
    pivot_wider(names_from = sentiment, values_from = n, values_fill =
0) %>%
    mutate(sentiment = positive - negative) %>%
    summarize(AvgSentiment = mean(sentiment)) %>%
    ggplot(aes(y = AvgSentiment, x= Tweeting.hour,
color=PostPresident)) +
    geom_point(size = 4) +
    geom_hline(yintercept = 0,linetype = 'dashed') +
    labs(x = "Tweeting Hour (EST)", y = "Average Tweet Sentiment:
Positive - Negative", color = "Is President?")
```

Sentiment by hour

• Comparing sentiment by hour

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Understanding Trump

- When Trump is coded as "positive" or "negative", what is he saying?
- Look at log-odds ratio words, matched to sentiment!

```
p <- prepost logodds %>%
  inner join(nrc, by = "word") %>%
  filter(!sentiment %in% c("positive", "negative")) %>%
  mutate(sentiment = reorder(sentiment, -logodds),
         word = reorder(word, -logodds)) %>%
  group by(sentiment) %>%
  top n(10, abs(logodds)) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  ggplot(aes(y = word, x = logodds, fill = logodds < 0)) +</pre>
  facet wrap(~ sentiment, scales = "free", nrow = 2) +
  geom bar(stat = "identity") +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, hjust = 1)) +
  labs(x = "", y = "Post / Pre log ratio") +
  scale fill manual(name = "", labels = c("Post", "Pre"),
                    values = c("red", "lightblue")) +
  theme(legend.position = 'bottom')
```

Understanding Trump

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Text as predictors

- Let's say we didn't know when each tweet was written
- Could we predict whether it was written during his presidency or not?
 - Logit model using text as predictors

Text as Data

Predict tweets by average of words' log-odds!

```
toanal <- tweet_words %>%
  select(document,word,PostPresident) %>%
  left_join(prepost_logodds %>% select(word,logodds)) %>% # Link data
with log-odds
  group_by(document,PostPresident) %>%
  summarise(logodds = mean(logodds)) %>% # Calculate average log-odds
by document
  ungroup()

m <- glm(PostPresident ~ logodds,toanal,family = binomial) # logit
regression</pre>
```

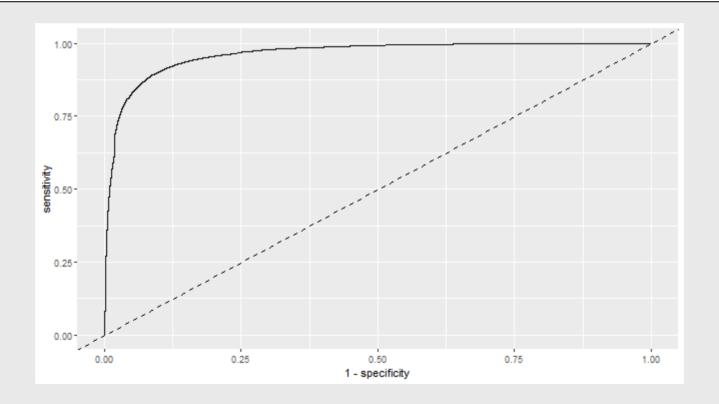
Text as Data

• Evaluate the performance

```
p <- roc_curve(forAUC, 'truth', 'preds') %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = 1-specificity,y = sensitivity)) +
  geom_line() +
  geom_abline(intercept = 0, slope = 1, linetype = 'dashed')
```

Evaluate performance

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Evaluate on some sample tweets

```
raw_tweets <- read_rds('../data/Trumptweets.Rds')
set.seed(20)
toCheck <- raw_tweets %>% slice(sample(1:nrow(.),size = 10))

toCheck %>%
  select(content)
```

```
## # A tibble: 10 × 1
##
    content
##
   <chr>>
   1 "RT @ShannonBream: BREAKING: POTUS commutes Roger Stone...
##
    2 "Congratulations to a future STAR of the Republican Part...
##
   3 "@Seanelmi Thanks Sean."
##
    4 "\"\"@0071Lisav: @CNN @realDonaldTrump @CNNPolitics ca...
##
   5 "RT @thejtlewis: @realDonaldTrump https://t.co/W7L9kCZK3...
##
    6 "RT @TrumpWarRoom: WATCH: @KatrinaPierson explains Joe B...
##
   7 "The State Department's 'shadow government' #DrainTheSwa...
##
   8 "Sexual pervert Anthony Weiner has zero business holding...
  9 "TO MY FAVORITE PEOPLE IN THE WORLD! https://t.co/38DbQt...
  10 "Small businesses will have an ally in the White House w...
```

Evaluate on some sample tweets

```
toTest <- toCheck %>% left_join(toanal,by = c('id' = 'document')) #
Merge the raw text with the Log-odds

toTest %>%
  mutate(preds = predict(m,newdata = toTest,type = 'response')) %>%
  select(content,PostPresident,preds) %>%
  mutate(pred_binary = preds > .5) %>%
  filter(PostPresident != pred_binary)
```

```
# We only make 3 mistakes!
```

Can we do better if we add sentiment?

```
toanal <- toanal %>%
  left_join(tweet_sentiment_summary) %>%
  drop_na()
```

Joining with `by = join_by(document, PostPresident)`

Can we do better if we add sentiment?

```
roc_auc(forAUC,'truth','preds1') %>% mutate(model = 'logodds') %>%
  bind_rows(roc_auc(forAUC,'truth','preds2') %>% mutate(model =
'logodds & net sentiment')) %>%
  bind_rows(roc_auc(forAUC,'truth','preds3') %>% mutate(model =
'logodds & detailed sentiment'))
```

Not really

Conclusion

- Sentiment can...
 - ...help us describe the data (i.e., infer what someone meant)
 - ...help us predict the data (RQ: do positive tweets get more likes?)