

MBTI PREDICTOR 5000

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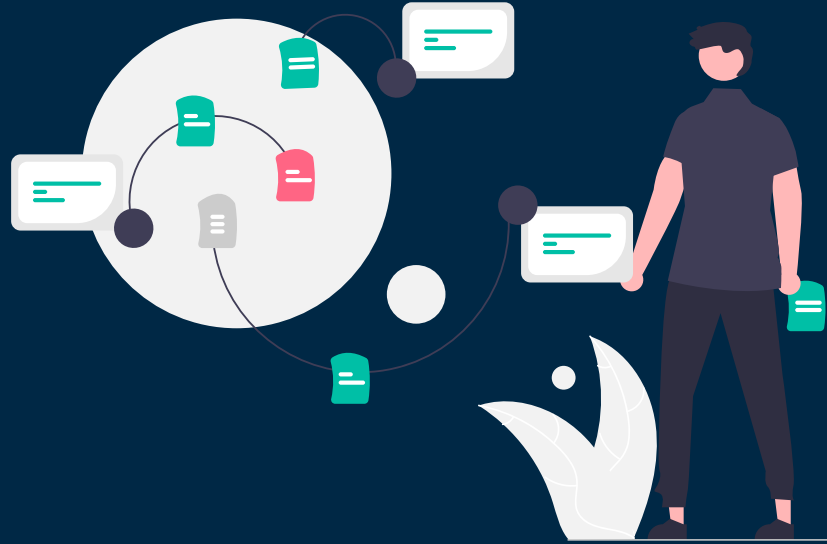
WHAT DOES IT DO?

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OVERVIEW

AN INFORMATION GROWTH



Information growth has accelerated with the advent of social media especially in the form of textual data types.

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OVERVIEW

POSSIBLE APPLICATIONS



Team formation



Job Applications



Relationship Apps



Online Marketing



01

OVERVIEW

MYERS-BRIGGS TYPE INDICATOR

E

Extroverts

are energized by people, enjoy a variety of tasks, a quick pace, and are good at multitasking.

I

Introverts

often like working alone or in small groups, prefer a more deliberate pace, and like to focus on one task at a time.

T

Thinkers

tend to make decisions using logical analysis, objectively weigh pros and cons, and value honesty, consistency, and fairness.

F

Feelers

tend to be sensitive and cooperative, and decide based on their own personal values and how others will be affected by their actions.

S

Sensors

are realistic people who like to focus on the facts and details, and apply common sense and past experience to come up with practical solutions to problems.

N

Intuitives

prefer to focus on possibilities and the big picture, easily see patterns, value innovation, and seek creative solutions to problems.

J

Judgers

tend to be organized and prepared, like to make and stick to plans, and are comfortable following most rules.

P

Perceivers

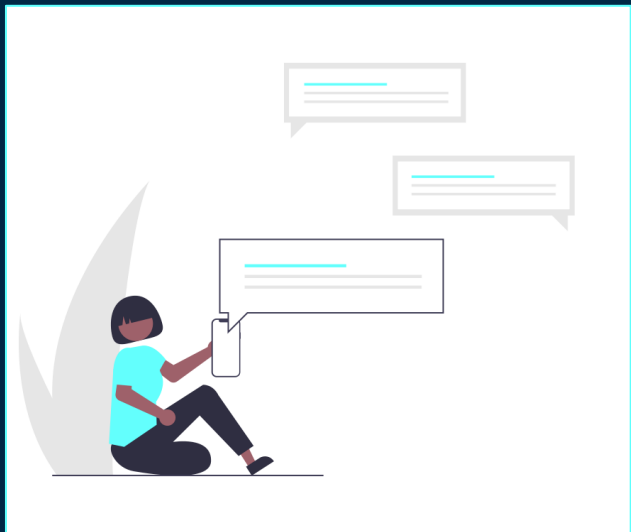
prefer to keep their options open, like to be able to act spontaneously, and like to be flexible with making plans.

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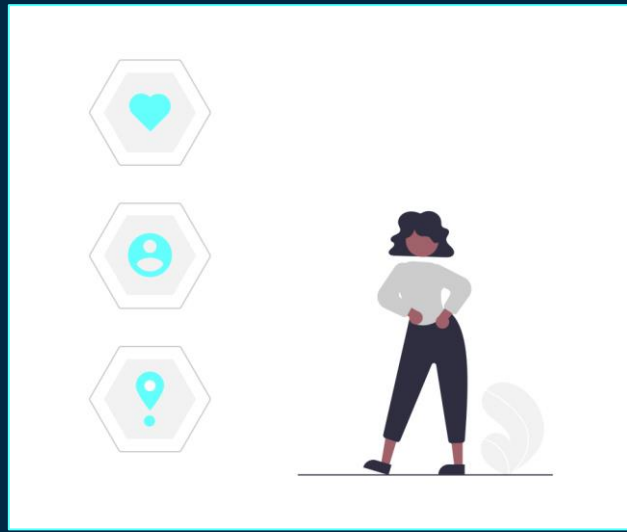
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OUR MODEL

Textual Data



MBTI



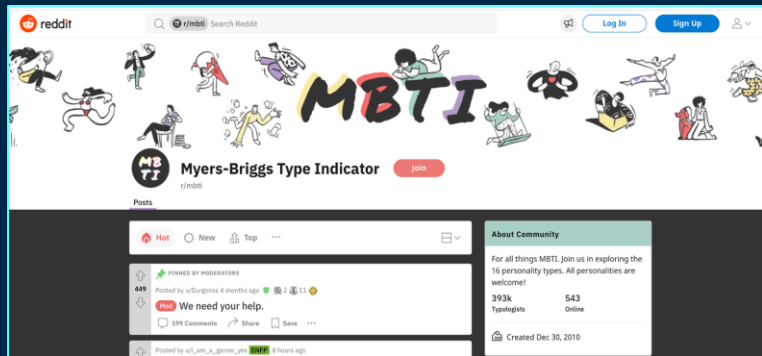
Predict personality type from textual data

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DATA RETRIEVAL

Reddit: All comments from users in r/mbti

```
SELECT flair_text.author_flair_text as flair_text, comments.body as body,
comments.subreddit as subreddit, comments.author as author FROM
(
  SELECT author,author_flair_text
  FROM [fh-bigquery:reddit_comments.all]
  WHERE author_flair_text != 'null'
  AND REGEXP_MATCH(author_flair_text,r'([IEie][SNsn][TFtf][JPjp]\W)')
  GROUP BY author,author_flair_text
) AS flair_text
INNER JOIN
(
  SELECT author_flair_text, body, subreddit, author
  FROM [fh-bigquery:reddit_comments.all]
) AS comments
ON
comments.author = flair_text.author
```



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Dataset Open Access

Myers Briggs Personality Tags on Reddit Data

Dylan Storey

This data was pulled on 11/10/2018 from google big query using the following query:

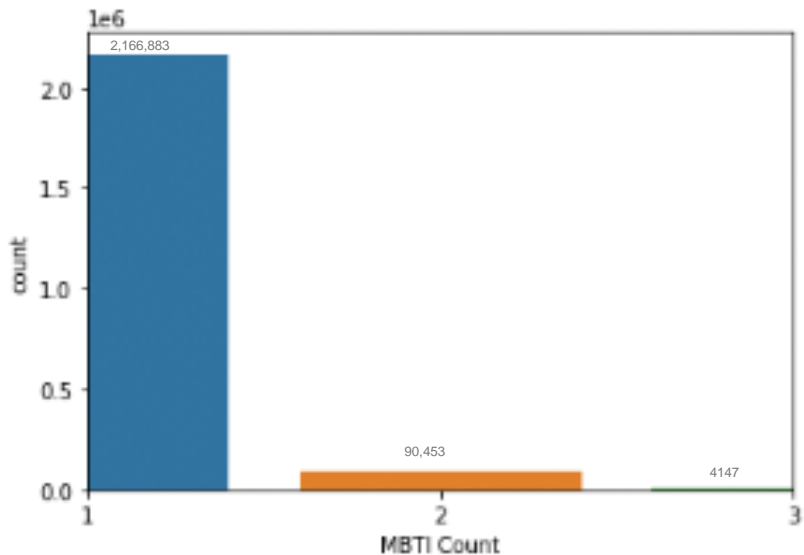
DATA VISUALIZATION, CLEANING & PREPROCESSING

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DATA CLEANING

REMOVING AMBIGUOUS DATA



```
df['MBTIs'] = df.apply(lambda row: re.findall("[IiEe][SsNn][FfTt][PpJj]", row.flair_text), axis=1)
df['MBTI Count'] = df['MBTIs'].str.len()
sns.countplot(x='MBTI Count', data=df).set_xlim(0,2)
```

Plotting box plot for MBTI count per user



```
author_to_remove = df[df['MBTIs'].str.len() > 1]['author'].tolist()
df1 = df[~df['author'].isin(author_to_remove)].copy()
```

Removing users with more than one MBTI

DATA CLEANING

REMOVING STOPWORDS

Removing stop words gives more **context** to the comments and removes **"noisy"** words that do not add value to our prediction

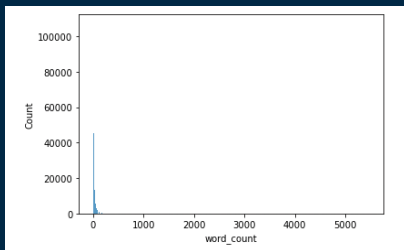
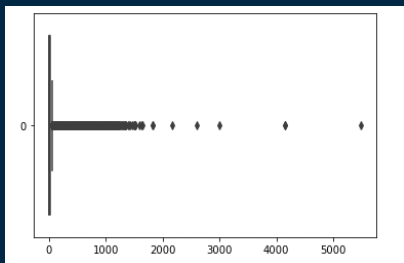


Before removing stopwords

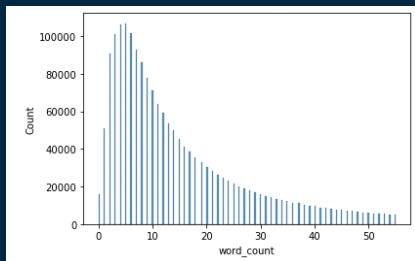
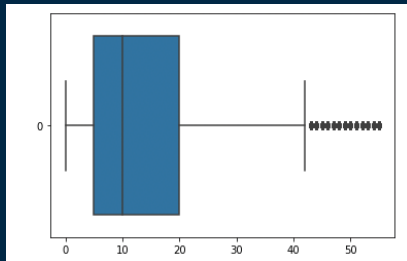
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DATA CLEANING

NORMALIZING COMMENT LENGTHS



Before removal of outliers



After removal of outliers

```
df1['word_count'].describe()
```

count	1984338.00000
mean	24.67303
std	44.81360
min	0.00000
25%	6.00000
50%	12.00000
75%	26.00000
max	5485.00000
Name: word_count, dtype: float64	

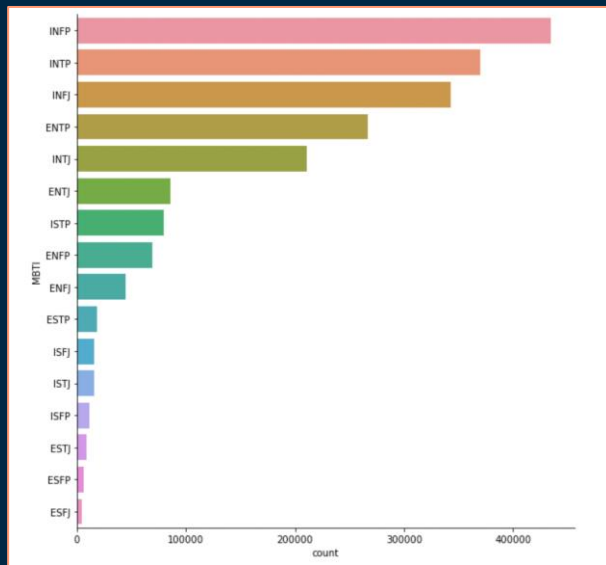
We limit comment lengths to between 20-30 words due to limited processing power and considering mean and median comment lengths

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DATA CLEANING

DOWN SAMPLING CLASSES

There are unequal proportions of each MBTI type

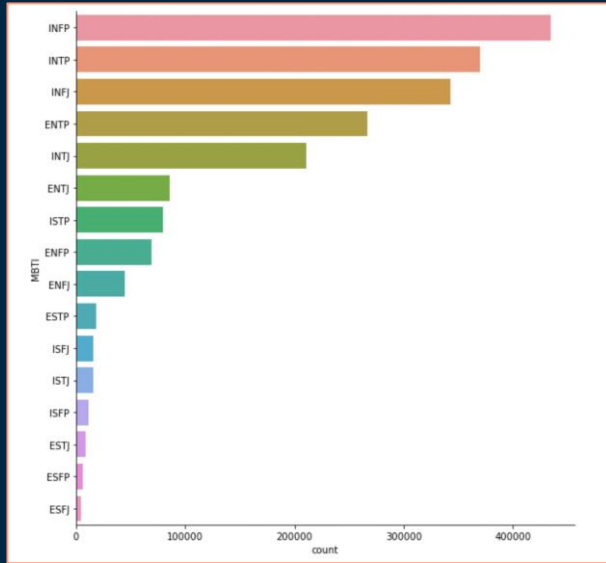


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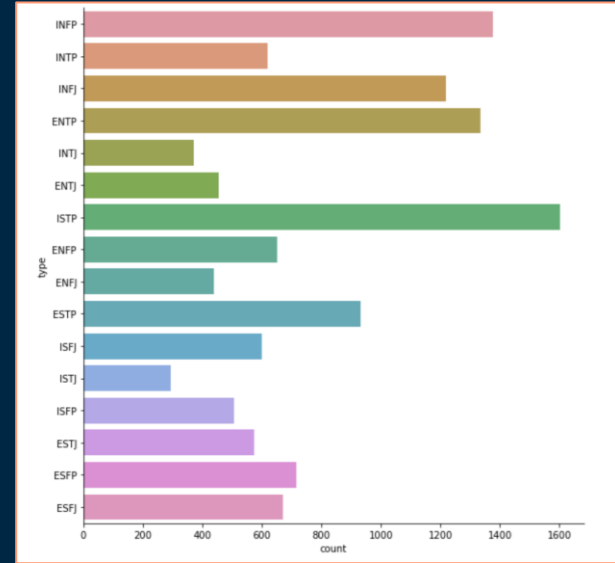
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DATA CLEANING DOWN SAMPLING CLASSES



Before

1,984,338 samples



After

12,356 samples

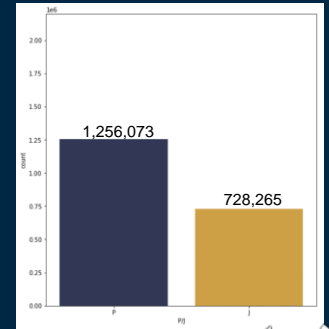
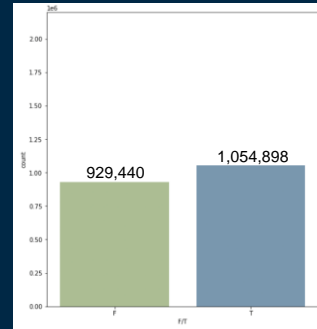
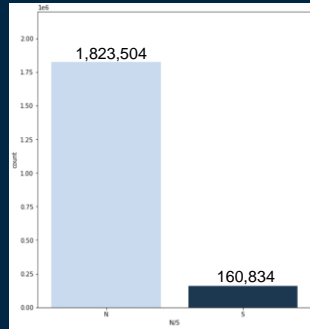
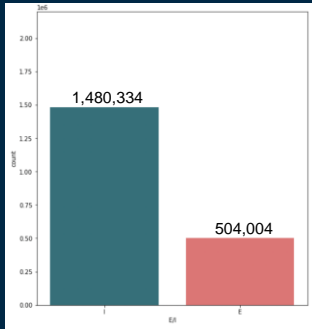


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DATA CLEANING DOWN SAMPLING CLASSES

There is a wide distribution of each class and counts are largely unequal which may lead to the model over-fitting to the majority class

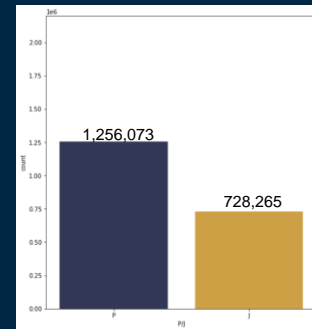
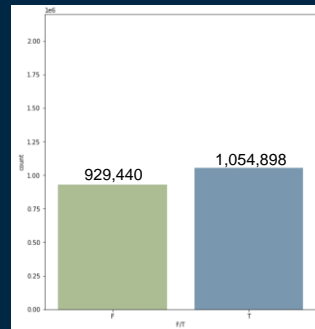
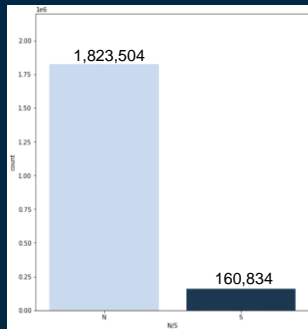
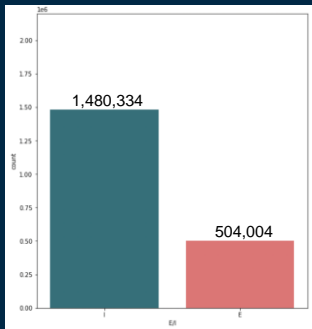
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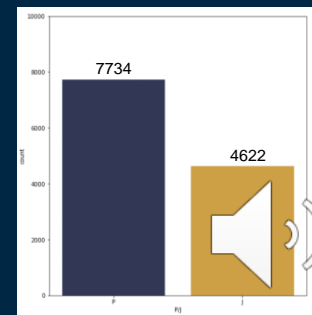
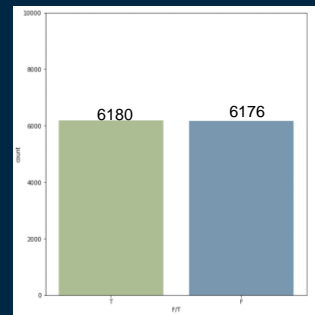
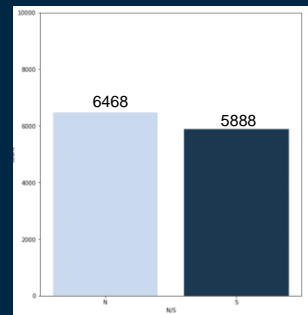
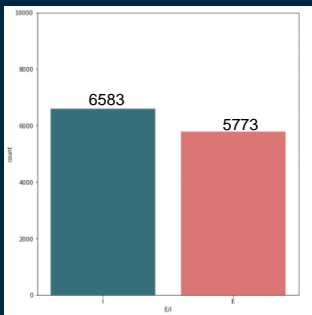
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DATA CLEANING DOWN SAMPLING CLASSES

Before



After



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DATA CLEANING

DOWN SAMPLING CLASSES

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    . . .

distrib = dict(allCounts)

counts = {}
for i in distrib:
    for j in i:
        c = counts.get(j,0)
        counts[j] = c+distrib[i]
ie = counts["I"] - counts["E"]

total = distrib["INTP"] + distrib["INFP"] + distrib["INTJ"] +
distrib["INFJ"] +distrib["ISTP"] + distrib["ISFP"] + distrib["ISTJ"] +
distrib["ISFJ"]
for i in distrib:
    if i[0] == "I":
        toremove = int(ie*(distrib[i]/total))
        distrib[i] -= toremove
```

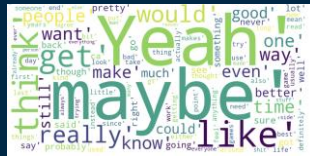
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DATA VISUALIZATION

WORDCLOUD



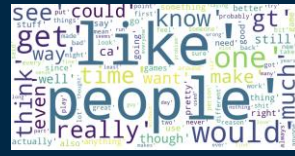
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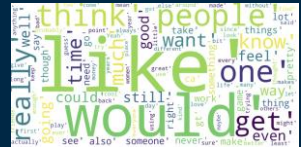
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IST.



ISTI



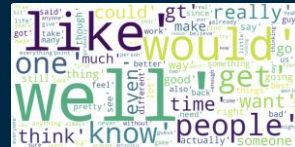
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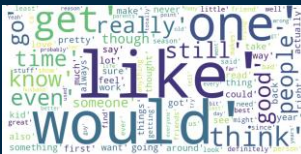
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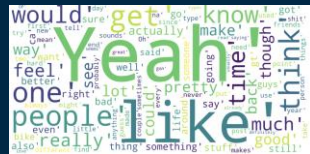
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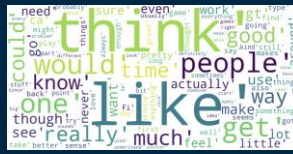
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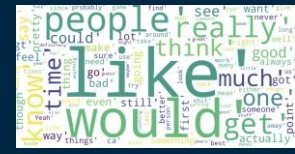
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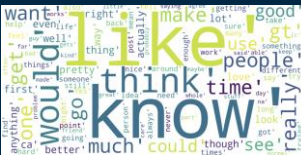
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EST.



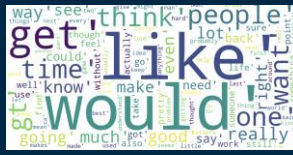
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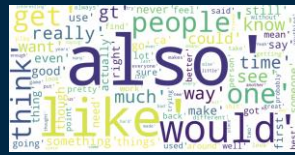
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ENF



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DATA VISUALIZATION

WORDCLOUD



MACHINE LEARNING

WHAT DID WE USE?

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MACHINE LEARNING

TOKENIZER



BERT: Bidirectional Encoder Representation From Transformers

- Pretrained on unsupervised Wikipedia and BookCorpus Datasets using language modelling.

ALBERT: A lite BERT that lowers memory consumption and increases the training speed of BERT

- Learns contextual relations between words in a text

Transformer based approach is superior to the standard LSTM approaches and deeply bidirectional

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MACHINE LEARNING

TOKENIZER --> Converts words to vectors

	text
0	post `` try telling people time always joking ...
1	kind strange lump vague references religions o...
2	helped friends mine purchase two Honda Civic S...
3	, one come back ? , indeed , need meds , chang...
4	promised fuck climate campaign . promises fuck...
...	...
131335	EKIN . forget exact number . class small fills...
131336	Congrats !! senior , makes nostalgic sad , ex...
131337	Oh called . sanguine choleric * , whatever mea...
131338	traditional calendar ; Extraordinary Form pari...
131339	feel pain , friend . Craigslist crap shoot , e...

131340 rows × 1 columns



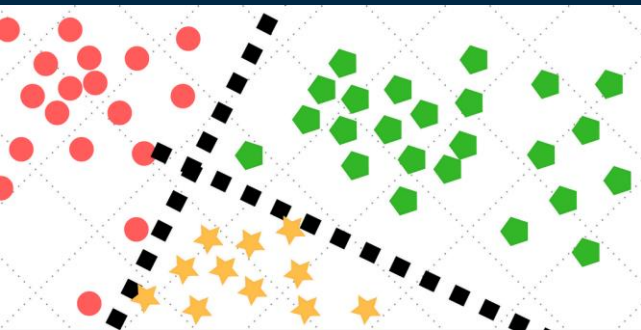
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1	-0.910153	0.755426	0.616445	0.529585	-0.573597	-0.533925	1.681382
2	-1.336975	-0.329202	1.147945	-1.601125	-0.038263	-0.191345	2.353152
3	0.852663	-1.131741	0.702313	0.933792	0.787668	0.265421	-1.255930
4	0.641273	0.661787	-0.949508	0.768758	-0.842885	0.330161	1.045339
...
131335	0.579979	1.240591	0.911377	-0.035959	0.736116	1.456866	0.607049
131336	0.070313	-0.476752	-0.300813	2.849004	1.418178	-1.435400	-0.612279
131337	0.087869	0.627987	-0.840733	0.125208	-0.803629	-0.430973	0.480788
131338	0.171308	-1.423708	0.447174	-0.527545	0.777886	0.094312	0.152559
131339	0.261051	0.582918	-0.841849	0.666375	-0.673524	0.883894	-1.360341

131340 rows × 768 columns

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MACHINE LEARNING

CLASSIFIERS - sklearn



1. K Nearest Neighbors
2. Linear SVM (Support Vector Machine)
3. Decision Tree Classifier
4. Neural Net (Multi Layer Perceptron)
5. Random Forest
6. RBF (Radial Basis Function) SVM
7. Naïve Bayes (Quadratic Discriminant Analysis)
8. AdaBoost

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MACHINE LEARNING

Process

```
data_x, data_y = get_inputs(filename, layer)
data_x = StandardScaler().fit_transform(data_x)
x_train, x_test, real_y_train, real_y_test = train_test_split(data_x, data_y, test_size = 0.2)

labels = ["Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)", "Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)", "Feeling (F) vs Thinking (T)", "Judging (J) vs Perceiving (P)" ]

for idx, label in enumerate(labels):
    y_train = real_y_train[:, idx]
    y_test = real_y_test[:, idx]
    for clf in classifiers:
        clf.fit(x_train, y_train)
        score = clf.score(x_test, y_test)
        y_pred = clf.predict(x_test)

        conf_matrix = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
        tn, fp = conf_matrix[0]
        fn, tp = conf_matrix[1]

        precision = tp / (tp + fp)
        recall = tp / (tp+fn)
        accuracy = (tp + tn) / (tp+tn+fp+fn)
        f1 = (2 * (precision * recall)) / (precision + recall)
```

- Train Test Split of 0.2
- Select axis to train on for binary classification
- Fit model from train data
- Plot Confusion Matrix and calculate metrics

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MACHINE LEARNING

WHAT WE USED

Techniques from Course	New Techniques tried
Sampling and Preprocessing	One-Hot Encoding, Down Sampling
Decision Tree Classifier	Word Vectorization and other NLP techniques
Confusion Matrices	Other classifiers (e.g. SVM)

RESULTS & ACCURACY

HOW WELL DID IT DO?

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RESULTS & ACCURACY

Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Analysis of Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Model	Accuracy	F1 Score	Precision	Recall
K Nearest Neighbors	0.517	0.484	0.482	0.487
Linear SVM	0.537	0.467	0.504	0.436
Decision Tree	0.515	0.443	0.477	0.414
Neural Net (MLP)	0.530	0.500	0.496	0.504
Random Forest	0.542	0.483	0.509	0.460
RBF SVM	0.558	0.100	0.968	0.053
Naïve Bayes	0.538	0.495	0.505	0.487
AdaBoost	0.529	0.453	0.493	0.419

The best models for E/I are
RBF SVM and Neural Net.

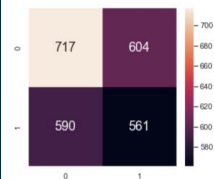
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RESULTS & ACCURACY

Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

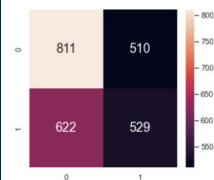
Trying out: Nearest Neighbors
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5169902912621359
F1 score: 0.4844559505492228
Precision: 0.4815450643776824
Recall: 0.48740225890529976
Accuracy: 0.5169902912621359
Took 89 seconds



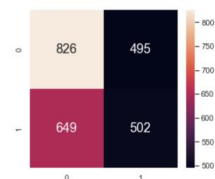
Trying out: Random Forest
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5420711974110033
F1 score: 0.4831050228310502
Precision: 0.5091434071222329
Recall: 0.4596003475238923
Accuracy: 0.5420711974110033
Took 9 seconds



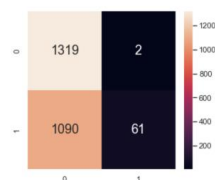
Trying out: Linear SVM
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5372168284789643
F1 score: 0.4674115456238361
Precision: 0.5035105315947843
Recall: 0.43614248479592973
Accuracy: 0.5372168284789643
Took 254 seconds



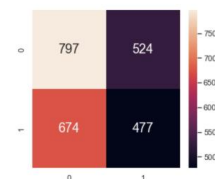
Trying out: RBF SVM
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.558252427184466
F1 score: 0.1004942393739704
Precision: 0.9682539682539683
Recall: 0.052997393570807995
Accuracy: 0.558252427184466
Took 272 seconds



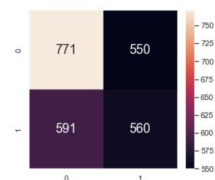
Trying out: Decision Tree
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5153721682847896
F1 score: 0.44330855018587356
Precision: 0.47652347652347654
Recall: 0.4144222415291051
Accuracy: 0.5153721682847896
Took 9 seconds



Trying out: Naive Bayes
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5384304207119741
F1 score: 0.49535603715170284
Precision: 0.5045045045045045
Recall: 0.48653344917463076
Accuracy: 0.5384304207119741
Took 8 seconds



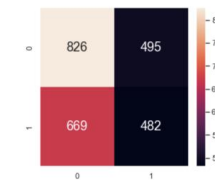
Trying out: Neural Net
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5303398058252428
F1 score: 0.4997845756139595
Precision: 0.49572649572649574
Recall: 0.5039096437880104
Accuracy: 0.5303398058252428
Took 10 seconds



Trying out: AdaBoost
Labelling: Extraversion (E) vs Introversion (I)

Classification Accuracy: 0.529126213592233
F1 score: 0.4530075187969924
Precision: 0.49334698055271237
Recall: 0.41876629018245004
Accuracy: 0.529126213592233
Took 41 seconds



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RESULTS & ACCURACY

Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Analysis of Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Model	Accuracy	F1 Score	Precision	Recall
K Nearest Neighbors	0.511	0.538	0.530	0.547
Linear SVM	0.541	0.591	0.552	0.636
Decision Tree	0.513	0.552	0.530	0.576
Neural Net (MLP)	0.547	0.567	0.566	0.569
Random Forest	0.517	0.656	0.522	0.881
RBF SVM	0.551	0.699	0.537	1.0
Naive Bayes	0.520	0.547	0.539	0.555
AdaBoost	0.534	0.588	0.545	0.638

The best models for N/S are
RBF SVM and Neural Net.

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RESULTS & ACCURACY

Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

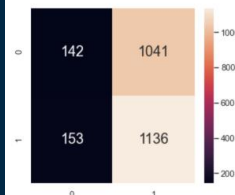
Trying out: Nearest Neighbors
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5105177993527508
F1 score: 0.5381679389312976
Precision: 0.5296769346356123
Recall: 0.5469356089992242
Accuracy: 0.5105177993527508
Took 2 seconds



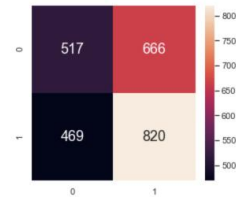
Trying out: Random Forest
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5169902912621359
F1 score: 0.6555106751298327
Precision: 0.5218190169958659
Recall: 0.8813033359193173
Accuracy: 0.5169902912621359
Took 0 seconds



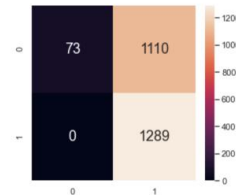
Trying out: Linear SVM
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5408576051779935
F1 score: 0.590990990990991
Precision: 0.5518169582772544
Recall: 0.6361520558572537
Accuracy: 0.5408576051779935
Took 64 seconds



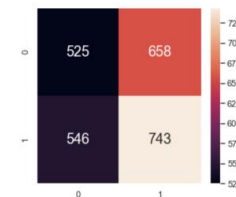
Trying out: RBF SVM
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5509708737864077
F1 score: 0.6990238611713665
Precision: 0.5373072113380575
Recall: 1.0
Accuracy: 0.5509708737864077
Took 68 seconds



Trying out: Decision Tree
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5129449838187702
F1 score: 0.5524163568773234
Precision: 0.5303354746609564
Recall: 0.5764158262218774
Accuracy: 0.5129449838187702
Took 3 seconds



Trying out: Naive Bayes
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5202265372168284
F1 score: 0.5469824293353706
Precision: 0.5387509405568096
Recall: 0.5554693560899923
Accuracy: 0.5202265372168284
Took 0 seconds



Trying out: Neural Net
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5473300970873787
F1 score: 0.5671179883945842
Precision: 0.5655864197530864
Recall: 0.5686578743211792
Accuracy: 0.5473300970873787
Took 13 seconds



Trying out: AdaBoost
Labelling: Intuition (N) vs Sensing (S)

Classification Accuracy: 0.5335760517799353
F1 score: 0.5877726135144798
Precision: 0.5450928381962865
Recall: 0.6377036462373933
Accuracy: 0.5335760517799353
Took 36 seconds



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Feeling (F) vs Thinking (T)

Analysis of Feeling (F) vs Thinking (T)

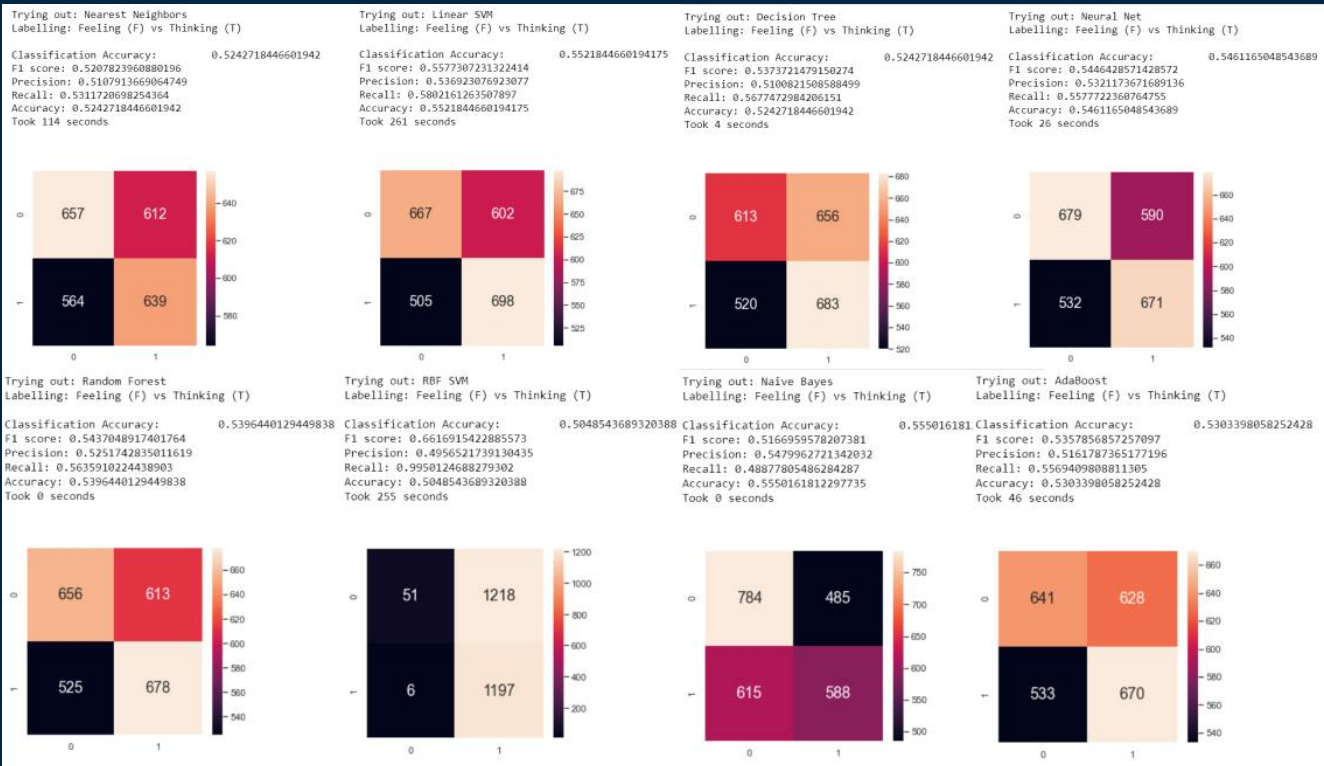
Model	Accuracy	F1 Score	Precision	Recall
K Nearest Neighbors	0.524	0.521	0.511	0.531
Linear SVM	0.552	0.558	0.537	0.580
Decision Tree	0.524	0.537	0.510	0.568
Neural Net (MLP)	0.546	0.545	0.532	0.558
Random Forest	0.540	0.544	0.525	0.564
RBF SVM	0.505	0.662	0.496	0.995
Naive Bayes	0.555	0.517	0.548	0.489
AdaBoost	0.530	0.536	0.516	0.557

The best models for F/T are
RBF SVM and Naïve Bayes.

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Feeling (F) vs Thinking (T)



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RESULTS & ACCURACY

Perceiving (P) vs Judging (J)

Analysis of Perceiving (P) vs Judging (J)

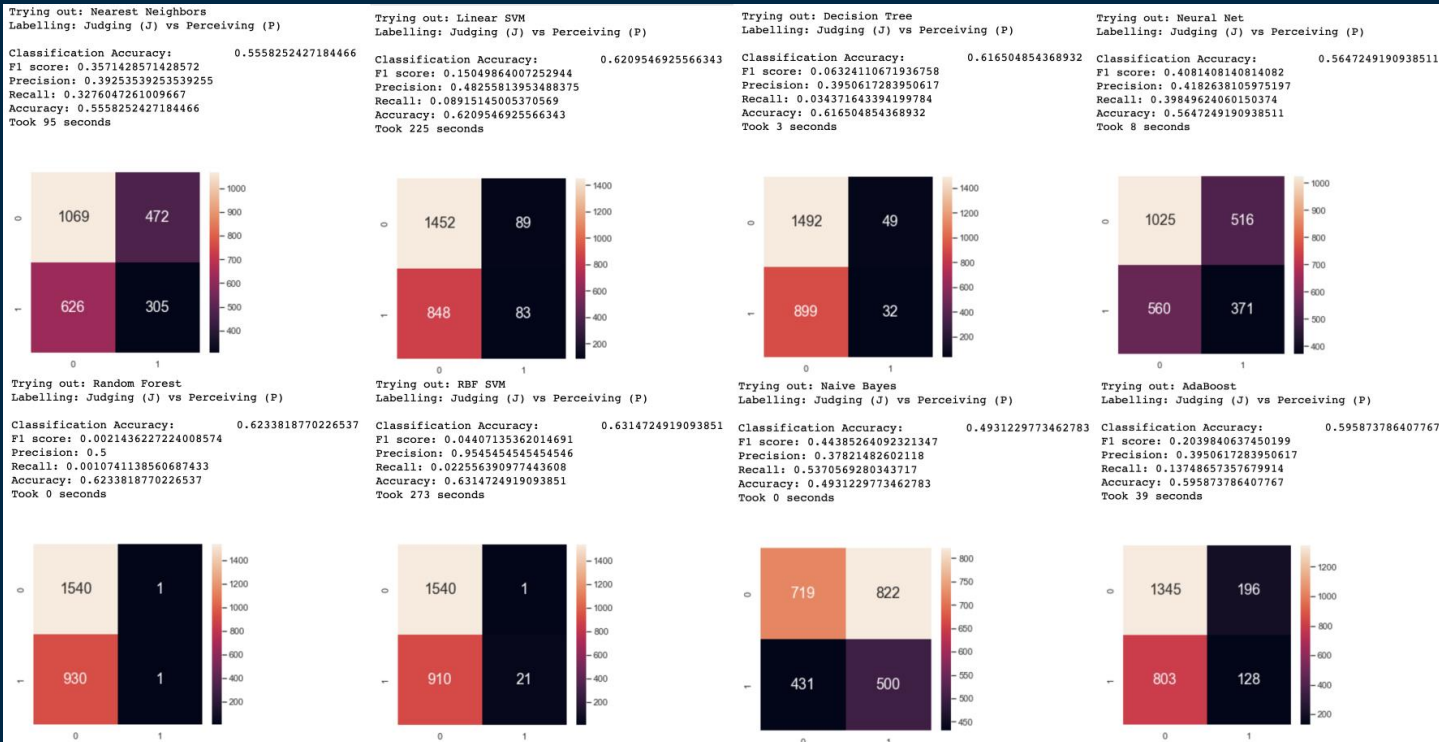
Model	Accuracy	F1 Score	Precision	Recall
K Nearest Neighbors	0.556	0.357	0.392	0.327
Linear SVM	0.621	0.150	0.482	0.089
Decision Tree	0.617	0.063	0.395	0.034
Neural Net (MLP)	0.565	0.408	0.418	0.398
Random Forest	0.623	0.002	0.500	0.001
RBF SVM	0.631	0.044	0.955	0.023
Naive Bayes	0.493	0.444	0.378	0.537
AdaBoost	0.596	0.204	0.395	0.137

The best models for P/J are
RBF SVM and Naïve Bayes.

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RESULTS & ACCURACY

Perceiving (P) vs Judging (J)



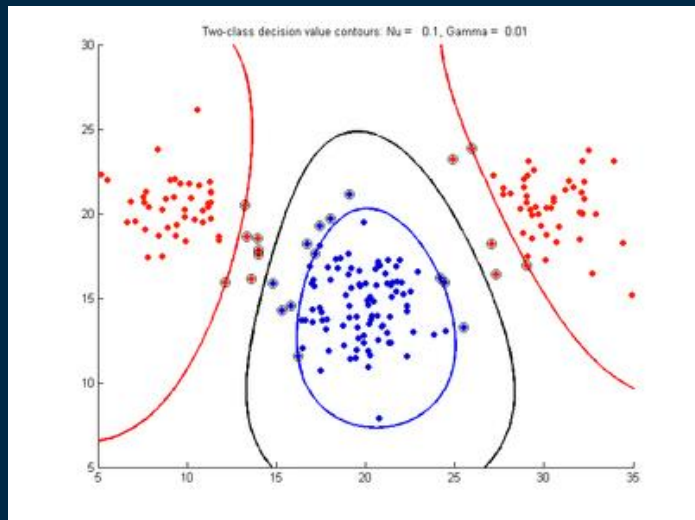
INSIGHTS & FUTURE RECOMMENDATIONS

DATA-DRIVEN INSIGHTS &
WHATS NEXT?

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INSIGHTS



No issue with classifiers as we tried a range of classifiers but all of them did not improve the accuracy above a bound of 65%.

We recommend the RBF SVM as it is the best performing classifier, with the highest average accuracy

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FUTURE RECOMMENDATIONS

TRAIN OUR MODEL FROM OTHER TEXT SOURCES



Tweets



Personal Profile Captions



Personal Statements

Use primary text data instead of secondary text data.

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FUTURE RECOMMENDATIONS

DIFFERENT MODELS



OpenAI GPT-3

Trained on billions of parameters 470 times bigger than BERT model



XLNet

Uses auto-regressive (AR) models instead of auto-encoding (AE) which has improved accuracy on tasks like natural language inference

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FUTURE RECOMMENDATIONS: HYPERPARAMETER TUNING



Hyperparameters help us find the balance between overfitting and underfitting our model.

E.g. RBF SVM:

We can optimize the C and Gamma parameters.



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