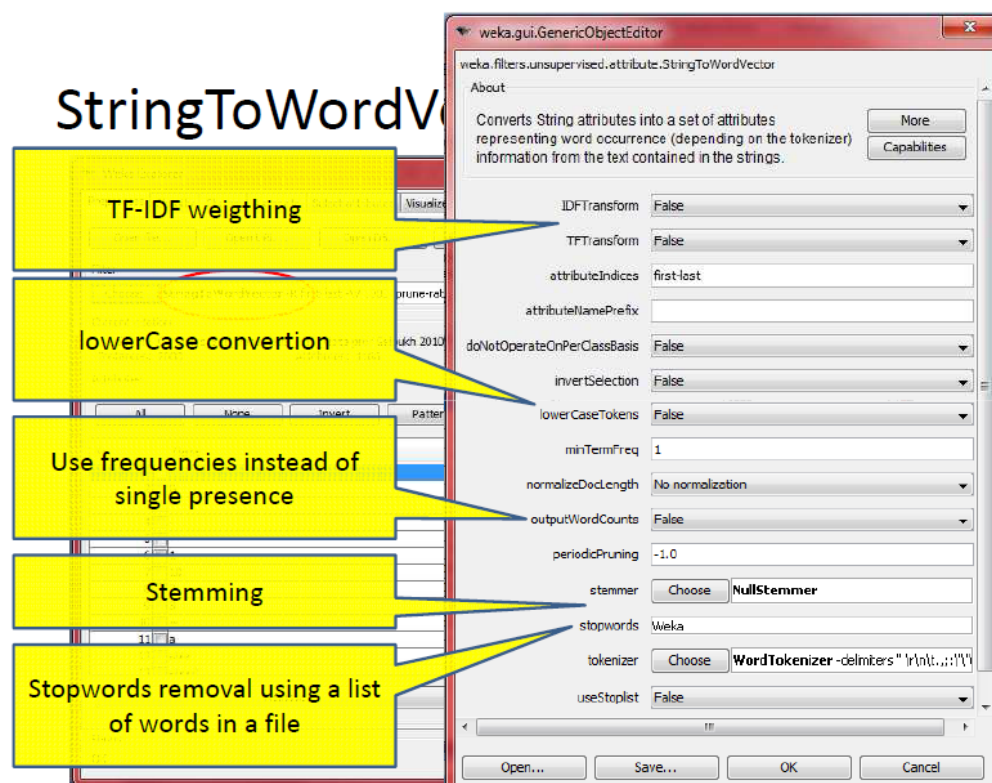


Data Mining II: Advanced Methods and Techniques

Assignment #5: Text Mining

1. Upload the Upload either Movie_Reviews.arff (under the Recourses section) or ReutersCorn-Train.arff (comes with Weka's Data folder) (for Extra credit do both!). Under the Preprocess tab click on Filters and choose the Unsupervised->Attribute->StringToWordVector. This filter will enable us to perform all of the Text mining Data preparation tasks.



Apply String To Vector Filter one step at the time! After you apply the particular set of parameters - save that particular version of the training data set after each set with a descriptive name. Then click Undo and start a new set of steps and a new file to be saved. We will use all these different versions later to build and compare diverse models.

1. Inspect data via Edit Tab

2. Apply default filter first – don't forget to click Apply button!! Observe the results; save the training data set
3. Inspect data via Edit Tab – how is it different?
4. Undo
5. Set Words to Keep to 100
6. Inspect data via Edit Tab; save this version of the training data set;
7. Undo
8. Perform the same(save training data set and then Undo changes) with DoNotOperateonPerClassBasis
9. Change IDFTransform and TFTransform to True + OutputWordCount should be True as well
10. Utilize the NormilizeDocLength
11. Use the Stemmer – LovinStemmer - break words down in a shorter form
12. StopWords – English stop words list in Weka
13. Tokenizer – use the ngrams
14. MinTermFrequency; periodicPruning – keep only words with term frequency of predetermined min value

As you perform all these different experiments I suggest keeping track of them in the table similar to the one presented below

File Name	Stopwords	Stemming	Presence/Frequency	Normalization	MinFreq
TrainMovies1_StopWords_Stemming.arff	y	y	...		
TrainMovies2_NoStopWords_Stemming_IDF.arff	n	y	IDF		
...					

Once you have performed the data prep – utilize each of the training data sets on several different classification models. Compare the % of correctly classified instances – provide in depth discussion on the evaluation, comparison and pros/cons of the different ways of data prep for text mining.

File Name	Naïve Bayes	J48	SVM	...
TrainMovies1_StopWords_Stemming.arff	74.6%			
TrainMovies2_NoStopWords_Stemming_IDF.arff				
...				

If you start having problems with running out of memory you can set the Maxheap=2048m in the CLI (command line interface) by typing the following command:

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java -Xmx2048m -jar weka.jar
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