Computational Linguistics for Indian Languages

(CS689A)

Assignment 2

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QUESTION 2:

COMPARING MACRO F1-SCORE FOR INDIC BERT AND INDIC NER-

VALIDATION SET:

- MACRO F-SCORE FOR INDIC BERT: 0.6662
- MACRO F1-SCORE FOR 25 SENTENCES USING IndicNER: 0.7761

TEST SET:

- MACRO F-SCORE FOR INDIC BERT: 0.5357142857142857
- MACRO F1-SCORE FOR 25 SENTENCES USING IndicNER: 0.5614035087719298

From this we can observe that **IndicNER gives a better macro F1 score as compared to IndicBERT.** The higher F1-scores of IndicNER suggest that it's better suited for named entity recognition tasks, which aligns with its design and purpose. IndicNER have specialized architectures or training methodologies optimized for NER tasks, enabling it to capture nuances in named entity recognition better than IndicBERT. Since, IndicBERT is a strong language model; it might not be as effective in capturing specific NER-related features compared to a model explicitly designed for NER tasks like IndicNER. This observation suggests that although pre-trained language models like BERT can perform reasonably well across various NLP tasks, task-specific models like IndicNER might still outperform them in their respective domains.

QUESTION 4: METRICS OUTPUT OF MANUALLY MARKED SENTENCES AND CHATGPT:

METRICS OUTPUT OF MANUALLY MARKED SENTENCES AND TAGGING GIVEN BY Indic-BERT:

```
MACRO F1-SCORE FOR 25 SENTENCES USING IndicBERT:
    0.47190975693506293
CLASSWISE PRECISION, RECALL AND F1-SCORE FOR 25 SENTENCES:

0 : [0.796969696969697, 0.9163763066202091, 0.8525121555915721]
B_PER : [0.7368421052631579, 0.933333333333333, 0.8235294117647058]
I_PER : [0.4166666666666667, 0.4545454545454545453, 0.43478260869565216]
B_LOC : [0.25, 0.3, 0.272772727272727]
I_LOC : [0.5, 1.0, 0.6666666666666666]
B_ORG : [0.4, 0.333333333333333, 0.36363636363636]
I_ORG : [1.0, 0.7142857142857143, 0.833333333333]
B_MISC : [0, 0.0, 0]
```

METRICS OUTPUT OF MANUALLY MARKED SENTENCES AND TAGGING GIVEN BY Indic-NER:

QUESTION 5:

From the comparisons I can infer that accuracy of model and precision of predicting the tags highly depends on parameters like learning rate and batch size.

- Increasing the batch size decreases the precision of predictions made by the models.
- Also smaller learning rate gives better accuracy as compared with increasing the learning rate.

Hyper parameters setting to improve the performance of models:

The hyper parameters that I have changed:

- per_device_train_batch_size and per_device_eval_batch_size These parameters
 define the number of training samples and evaluation samples, respectively processed
 simultaneously on each device (GPU or CPU) during training. Larger batch sizes require
 more memory, and if the batch size exceeds the available memory, training may fail.
 Smaller batch sizes generalize better and help prevent overfitting, especially with limited
 data.
- **Num_train_epochs** It directly controls how many times the model iterates over the entire training dataset. Increasing this parameter allows the model to see the training data more times, potentially leading to better convergence and improved performance.
- Learning_rate The learning rate determines the size of the step taken in the direction opposite to the gradient during optimization. A higher learning rate means larger steps, potentially leading to faster convergence but with the risk of overshooting the optimal solution.

Optimal values chosen by me:

Optimal results are obtained on following arguments: (for both the models)

- per device train batch size 8
- Per_device_eval_batch_size 8
- Num_train_epochs 3
- Learning_rate 5e-5

OUTPUT FOR BOTH THE MODELS -

OUTPUTS FOR INDIC-BERT (ARGUMENTS 1):

```
batch_size=8
args=TrainingArguments(
    output_dir='output_dir',
    per_device_train_batch_size=batch_size,
    per_device_eval_batch_size=batch_size,
    num_train_epochs=3,
    evaluation_strategy = "epoch",
    learning_rate=5e-5
)
```

```
***** eval metrics *****
 epoch
                              3.0
 eval_LOC_f1
                           0.7224
 eval_LOC_number = eval_LOC_precision =
                            10213
                           0.7169
 eval_LOC_recall
                           0.728
 eval ORG f1
                           0.5604
 eval_ORG_number
                            9786
 eval ORG precision
                           0.5707
 eval_ORG_recall
                           0.5504
 eval_PER_f1
                          0.7082
 eval_PER_number
                           10568
 eval_PER_precision
                           0.715
 eval_PER_recall
                          0.7016
 eval loss
                          0.2606
 eval_overall_accuracy =
                          0.9206
 eval overall f1
                          0.6662
 eval overall precision =
                          0.6705
 eval_overall_recall =
                            0.662
                      = 0:04:19.63
 eval_runtime
 eval_samples_per_second = 51.842
 eval_steps_per_second =
                            3.243
```

OUTPUTS FOR INDIC-BERT (ARGUMENTS 2):

```
batch_size=6
args=TrainingArguments(
   output_dir='output_dir',
   per_device_train_batch_size=batch_size,
   per_device_eval_batch_size=batch_size,
   num_train_epochs=3,
   evaluation_strategy = "epoch",
   learning_rate=4e-5
)
```

```
***** eval metrics *****
 epoch
 eval LOC f1
                            0.7227
 eval_LOC_number
eval_LOC_precision
                             10213
                            0.7183
 eval LOC recall
                            0.7272
 eval ORG f1
                           0.5614
 eval_ORG_number = eval_ORG_precision =
                             9786
                           0.5665
 eval ORG recall
                     = 0.5564
 eval PER f1
                            0.7064
 eval_PER_number
                             10568
 eval_PER_precision
                            0.7162
 eval_PER_recall
                            0.6969
 eval loss
                          0.2626
 eval_overall_accuracy = 0.9202
 eval overall f1
                            0.6657
 eval overall precision = 0.6693
 eval_overall_recall =
                           0.6621
 eval runtime
                       = 0:04:33.20
 eval_samples_per_second =
                            49.267
 eval_steps_per_second =
                             4.107
```

OUTPUTS FOR INDIC-BERT (ARGUMENTS 3):

```
***** eval metrics *****
                                   3.0
 eval_LOC_f1
                                   0.0
 eval LOC number
                                 10213
 eval LOC precision
                                   0.0
 eval LOC recall
                                   0.0
 eval ORG f1
                                  0.0
 eval ORG number
                                  9786
 eval ORG precision
                                   0.0
 eval ORG recall
                                   0.0
 eval PER f1
                                   0.0
 eval PER number
                                 10568
 eval PER precision
                                   0.0
 eval PER recall
                                   0.0
 eval loss
                                0.7806
                                0.8204
 eval overall accuracy
 eval overall f1
                                   0.0
 eval overall precision =
                                   0.0
 eval overall recall
                                   0.0
 eval runtime
                         = 0:03:59.08
 eval samples per second =
                                56.299
 eval steps per second =
                                 1.761
```

```
batch_size=16
args=TrainingArguments(
    output_dir='output_dir',
    per_device_train_batch_size=batch_size,
    per_device_eval_batch_size=batch_size,
    num_train_epochs=3,
    evaluation_strategy = "epoch",
    learning_rate=5e-2
)
```

OUTPUTS FOR INDIC-NER (ARGUMENTS 1):

```
***** eval metrics *****
 epoch
                                  3.0
 eval LOC f1
                               0.8315
 eval LOC number
                                10213
 eval LOC precision
                               0.8116
 eval LOC recall
                               0.8523
 eval ORG f1
                               0.6783
 eval ORG number
                                 9786
 eval_ORG_precision
                               0.6715
 eval ORG recall
                               0.6853
 eval PER f1
                               0.8122
 eval PER number
                                10568
 eval PER precision
                               0.8006
 eval PER recall
                               0.8242
 eval loss
                               0.2078
 eval overall accuracy
                               0.9459
 eval overall f1
                               0.7761
 eval overall precision =
                               0.7635
 eval overall recall
                               0.7891
 eval runtime
                         = 0:05:11.69
 eval samples per second =
                               43.183
 eval_steps_per_second
                                2.701
```

```
args=TrainingArguments(
   output_dir='output_dir',
   per_device_train_batch_size=8,
   per_device_eval_batch_size=8,
   num_train_epochs=3,
   evaluation_strategy = "epoch",
   learning_rate=5e-5)
```

OUTPUTS FOR INDIC-NER (ARGUMENTS 2):

```
eval_LOC_f1
epoch
                             3.0
                          0.8315
eval_LOC_number
eval_LOC_number
eval_LOC_precision
                          10213
                          0.8116
eval_LOC_recall
                          0.8523
eval_ORG_f1
eval_ORG_number
                         0.6783
                           9786
eval_ORG_precision =
                         0.6715
eval ORG recall
                         0.6853
eval PER f1
                         0.8122
eval_PER_number
                          10568
eval_PER_precision
                          0.8006
eval_PER_recall
                          0.8242
eval_loss
                         0.2078
eval_overall_accuracy = 0.9459
eval overall f1 =
                          0.7761
eval_overall_precision =
                          0.7635
eval overall recall =
                          0.7891
eval_runtime
                   = 0:05:11.69
eval_samples_per_second = 43.183
eval_steps_per_second =
                         2.701
```

***** eval metrics *****

OUTPUTS FOR INDIC-NER (ARGUMENTS 3):

args=TrainingArguments(

output dir='output dir',

per_device_train batch size=8,

evaluation_strategy = "epoch",

per device eval batch size=8,

```
***** eval metrics *****
 epoch
                                    3.0
 eval_LOC_f1
eval_LOC_number =
eval_LOC_precision =
                                0.8328
                                10213
                                0.8136
 eval ORG f1
                                0.683
 eval_ORG_number
                                 9786
 eval_ORG_precision = 0.6776
                        = 0.6884
 eval ORG recall
 eval PER f1
                                0.814
 eval PER number
                                10568
 eval_PER_precision = 0.8022
eval_PER_recall = 0.8262
 eval_PER_recall
eval loss
 eval loss
                               0.2032
 eval_overall_accuracy = 0.9464
eval_overall_f1 = 0.7787
 eval_overall_precision =
                               0.7668
 eval_overall_recall = 0.791
eval_runtime = 0:05:07.58
 eval_samples_per_second = 43.76
 eval_steps_per_second =
                                 2.737
```

```
batch_size=8
args=TrainingArguments(
    output_dir='output_dir',
    per_device_train_batch_size=batch_size,
    per_device_eval_batch_size=batch_size,
    num_train_epochs=3,
    evaluation_strategy = "epoch",
    weight_decay=0.1,
    learning_rate=4e-5)
```

OUTPUTS FOR INDIC-NER (ARGUMENTS 4):

```
batch_size=6
args=TrainingArguments(
    output_dir='output_dir',
    per_device_train_batch_size=batch_size,
    per_device_eval_batch_size=batch_size,
    num_train_epochs=3,
    evaluation_strategy = "epoch",
    learning_rate=5e-7)
```

```
***** eval metrics *****
  epoch
                                              3.0
  eval LOC f1
                                        0.5742
  eval_LOC_number
                                          10213

      eval_LOC_number
      =
      10213

      eval_LOC_precision
      =
      0.5671

      eval_LOC_recall
      =
      0.5815

 eval_ORG_f1 = 0.3439
eval_ORG_number = 9786
eval_ORG_precision = 0.3465
eval_ORG_recall = 0.3413
  eval_PER_f1
eval_PER_number
                                        0.5299
 eval_PER_number =
eval_PER_precision =
eval_PER_recall =
eval_loss =
                                          10568
                                       0.4378
                                      0.6712
                                          0.3268
  eval_overall_accuracy =
                                      0.9002
  eval_overall_f1 =
                                        0.4896
  eval_overall_precision = 0.4509
  eval_overall_recall = 0.5356
  eval runtime
                                = 0:05:56.19
  eval samples per second = 37.788
  eval_steps_per_second =
                                           3.15
```

CONCLUSION:

From the above outputs we can conclude that increasing the batch size significantly decreases the accuracy as smaller batch size gives better generalization and also helps reduce overfitting. And lower learning rate gives better convergence and helps models gain better accuracy. So, we can alter the hyper parameter for the training arguments and tune it to the most optimal one.