

Some terms

Machine translation - predicting which word is used is more frequent
 Improvement in perplexity often correlates with improvement in speech recognition performance

Edit distance

Do row by row if letter is different, add substitution cost
 min edit distance at any cell is the cost + 1 from the left cell if letter is same take no cost from i-1, j-1 (diagonal)

Tag	Description	Example	Tag	Description	Example
CC	coordin. conjunction	and, but, or	SYM	symbol	+%, &
CD	cardinal number	one, two, three	TO	"to"	to
DT	determiner	a, the	UH	interjection	ah, oops
EX	existential 'there'	there	VB	verb, base form	eat
FW	foreign word	mea culpa	VBD	verb, past tense	ate
IN	preposition/sub-conj	of, in, by	VBG	verb, gerund	eating
JJ	adjective	yellow	VBN	verb, past participle	eaten
JJR	adj., comparative	bigger	VBP	verb, non-3sg pres	eat
JJS	adj., superlative	wildest	VBZ	verb, 3sg pres	eats
LS	list item marker	1, 2, One	WDT	wh-determiner	which, that
MD	modal	can, should	WP	wh-pronoun	what, who
NN	noun, sing. or mass	llama	WP\$	possessive wh-	whose
NNPS	noun, plural	llamas	WRB	wh-adverb	how, where
NNP	proper noun, singular	IBM	\$	dollar sign	\$
NNPSS	proper noun, plural	Carolinas	#	pound sign	#
PDT	predeterminer	all, both	"	left quote	" or "
POS	possessive ending	's	"	right quote	" or "
PRP	personal pronoun	I, you, he	(left parenthesis	[, {, <
PRP\$	possessive pronoun	your, one's)	right parenthesis], }, >
RB	adverb	quickly, never	,	comma	,
RBR	adverb, comparative	faster	.	sentence-final punc	! ?
RBS	adverb, superlative	fastest	:	mid-sentence punc	: ; ... --
RP	particle	up, off			

	word	POS tag		word	POS tag
(a)	Mary	NNP	(f)	Mr.	NNP
(b)	also	RB	(g)	resolved	VBN
(c)	bought	VBD	(h)	must	MD
(d)	10	CD	(i)	not	RB
(e)	apples	NNS	(j)	Every	DT

Personal pronoun

PRP - He

Auxiliary

AUX - Does

Determiners (DT)

the, a, some, that, this

E.g. Does that

particles (RP) can appear after object
 prepositions (IN) can appear only after verb
 E.g. of, off, on
 I thought that/IN

adjectives (JJ)

E.g. other, grand, already married/JJ

Verbs

VBD - commented

VBP - do, have

VBZ - is

There/EX are 70 children there/RB

Modal

MD - could

Personal Pronouns

PRP - you

PRP\$ - your

Binary classification

$\text{sign}(x) = 1 \text{ for } x \geq 0, -1 \text{ for } x < 0$ Feature extraction so that there is a good mapping of x

Softmax

$[2 -1 5]$

$\frac{e^2}{e^2+e^{-1}+e^5}$ into another vector of 3 numbers where it sum to 1

Loss functions

$$L_{\text{cross-entropy}}(\hat{y}, y) = - \sum_i y \log(\hat{y})$$

or $-\log(\hat{y})$ for hard classification

\hat{y} is 1 then it can minimize the loss function

\hat{y} requires softmax for transformation

Ranking loss

$$L_{\text{ranking}}(x, x') = \max(0, 1 - (f(x) - f(x')))$$

Gradient descent

$$w_i \leftarrow w_i - \alpha \frac{\partial L}{\partial w_i} \text{ for } \alpha > 0$$

Successive iterative approximation, can't plug in a value like $w_{1,1}$
 if $L(w)$ is convex (single min point), then it will converge to global minimum

Expected number of bits

$$\sum \text{bits} * P(\text{bits}) = 1 \times \frac{1}{2} + 2 \times \frac{1}{4} + 3 \times \frac{1}{8} \dots = 2$$

Entropy is the number of bits needed to encode

Per word cross entropy

$$\text{Entropy rate} = \frac{1}{n} H(w_1) = -\frac{1}{n} (\sum p(W) \log(p(W)))$$

Smoothing

$$P(w|c_i) = \frac{\#\text{times } w \text{ occur in texts of class } c_i}{\sum \#\text{times } w \text{ occurs in texts of class } c_i}$$

$$P(w|c_i) = \frac{\#\text{times } w \text{ occur in texts of class } c_i + 1}{\sum \#\text{times } w \text{ occurs in texts of class } c_i + V}$$

$$C^*(w_0w) = \{C(w_0w) + 1\} \times \frac{C(w_0)}{C(w_0) + V}$$

Witten Bell

$$\text{If } C^*(w_x w_i) > 0, C(w_x) \times \frac{C(w_x w_i)}{C(w_x) + T(w_x)}$$

$$\text{If } C^*(w_x w_i) = 0, \frac{c(w_x)T(w_x)}{Z(w_x)(c(w_x) + T(w_x))}$$

Stochastic POS tagging

$$P(T, W) = P(< s >, t_1, w_1, t_2, w_2 \dots < s >)$$

$$= P(< s >) \cdot P(t_1 | < s >) \cdot P(w_1 | < s >, t_1)$$

$$P(T|W) = \frac{P(T,W)}{P(W)} = P(T,W)$$

Markov assumption

w_k only depends on the previous n - 1 words

$$P(w_k | w_1, \dots, w_{k-1}) \approx P(w_k | w_{k-1})$$

Vertibi

$$v(\text{tag, word}) = P(w_i | t_i) \times P(t_i | t_{i-1}) \times P(t_{i-1})$$

$$\text{Trigram } P(t_i | t_{i-1} t_{i-2}) = P(t_i | t_{i-1} t_{i-2}) + P(t_i | t_{i-1}) + P(t_i)$$

Forward computation

1. Look at the number of input nodes

2. Compute the s node which is the value before there is actually h_1 (non-linear activation function)

$$s_i = w_x i_i + w_{x+1} i_{i+1} \dots + w_k i_k + \dots b_i$$

For the hidden layers i_i will be h_i

$$h_i = \frac{1}{1+e^{-s_i}}$$

Final value h_i will be o_i

$$L = \frac{1}{2}[(o_1 - t_1)^2 + (o_2 - t_2)^2]$$

Backward computation

Base case

1. Take the s values previously computed

$$2. \text{ Calculate } \frac{\partial L}{\partial w_m} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial s_1} \frac{\partial s_1}{\partial w_m}$$

$$\text{E.g. } \frac{\partial L}{\partial w_6}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial s_3} = (o_1 - t_1) \times o_1(1 - o_1)$$

$$\frac{\partial s_3}{\partial w_6} = h_2$$

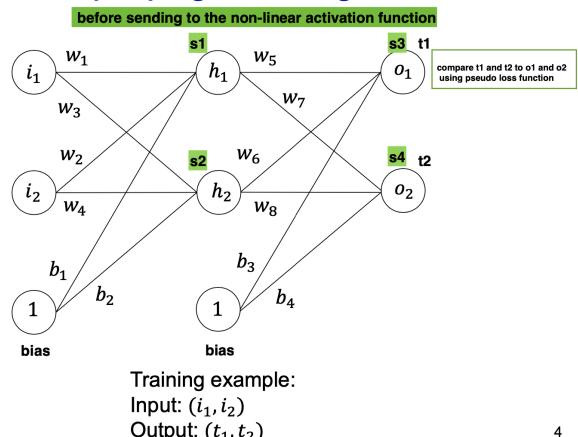
Recursive case

$$\text{E.g. } \frac{\partial L}{\partial w_2}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w_2} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial s_1} \times i_2$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial s_1} = [\frac{\partial L}{\partial s_3} \times w_5 + \frac{\partial L}{\partial s_4} \times w_7] \times h_1(1 - h_1)$$

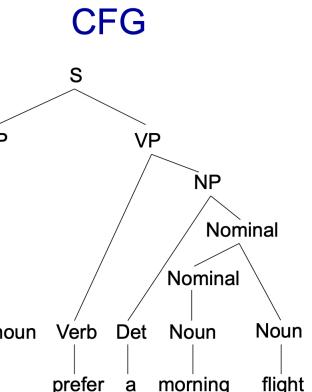
Backpropagation Algorithm



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CFG

Constituency parse tree



Bracketed notation

$[S[NP[Pronoun I]][VP[Verb prefer][NP[Det a][Nominal [Nominal[Noun morning]]][Noun flight]]]]]$

Answer to Question 4:

$$v(V, \text{water}) = v_1(1) = P(\text{water} | V) \times P(V | <\text{s}>) \times P(<\text{s}>) = \frac{1}{20} \times \frac{3}{4} \times 1 = \frac{3}{80}$$

$$v(N, \text{water}) = v_1(2) = P(\text{water} | N) \times P(N | <\text{s}>) \times P(<\text{s}>) = \frac{1}{50} \times \frac{1}{4} \times 1 = \frac{1}{200}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} v(V, \text{plants}) &= v_1(1) \\ &= P(\text{plants} | V) \times \max\{P(V | V) \times v_1(1), P(V | N) \times v_1(2)\} \\ &= \frac{1}{50} \times \max\{\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{3}{80}, \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{1}{200}\} \\ &= \frac{3}{10000} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, edge from V_1 and V_2 is chosen.

Since

$$\begin{aligned} v(N, \text{plants}) &= v_1(2) \\ &= P(\text{plants} | N) \times \max\{P(N | V) \times v_1(1), P(N | N) \times v_1(2)\} \\ &= \frac{1}{10} \times \max\{\frac{1}{5} \times \frac{3}{80}, \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{200}\} \\ &= \frac{3}{4000} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, edge from V_1 and N_2 is chosen.

Since

$$\max\{P(<\text{s}> | V) \times v_1(1), P(<\text{s}> | N) \times v_1(2)\} = \max\{\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{3}{10000} \times 1, \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{3}{4000} \times 1\} = \frac{1}{8000}$$

Therefore, edge between N_2 and $<\text{s}>$ is chosen.

Hence, path: $<\text{s}> \rightarrow V_1 \rightarrow N_2 \rightarrow <\text{s}>$ is the chosen path.

Therefore, the optimal sequence of part-of-speech tags is $<\text{s}>, V, N, <\text{s}>$

Det → that | this | a
Noun → book | flight | meal | money
Verb → book | include | prefer
Pronoun → I | she | me
Proper-Noun → Houston | NWA
Aux → does
Prep → from | to | on | near | through

CKY - Bottom up

- Define base case where non-terminal expands into a word
- For a computed cell, try every combination for e.g. $[1, 5]$ is there a rule at cell $[1, 5]$ that expands to $[1, 2]$ and $[2, 5]$, $[1, 3]$ and $[3, 5]$

'a flight through' is not a constituent then there would be no symbol assigned

Earley algorithm

- Write down in chart[0] where RHS is non-terminal symbol
!Note! Remember to add in • in front of POS tag to make it a dotted rule

- Add the single rule where the RHS matches the word at the location

For e.g. Book that flight

Add Verb ← book • Chart[1]

Include recursively where LHS is found in the RHS of the grammar rule

Do not add repeated rules to same chart

In the same chart expand all grammar rules that are after •

Combine rules from previous chart and current chart for combined rules matches CFG

- Terminate when $[0..n]$ and $S \leftarrow \text{some rule } •$

The Earley Algorithm

does not require CNF

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function EARLEY-PARSE(words, grammar) returns chart
    kick start the whole process, looking for a S
    ENQUEUE((γ → • S, [0,0]), chart[0])
    for i ← from 0 to LENGTH(words) do
        for each state in chart[i] do
            if INCOMPLETE?(state) and
                NEXT-CAT(state) is not a part of speech then
                    PREDICTOR(state) pos expands to the word
                    that symbol to right of dot is non-terminal symbol
                elseif INCOMPLETE?(state) and
                    NEXT-CAT(state) is a part of speech then
                    SCANNER(state)
                else
                    COMPLETER(state)
            end
        end
    end
    return(chart)
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The Earley Algorithm

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procedure PREDICTOR( $A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet B \beta, [i, j])$  what B can expand to
  for each  $(B \rightarrow \gamma)$  in GRAMMAR-RULES-FOR( $B, \text{grammar}$ ) do
    ENQUEUE( $(B \rightarrow \gamma \bullet, [j, j]), \text{chart}[j]$ )
  end
procedure SCANNER( $A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet B \beta, [i, j])$ 
  if  $B \in \text{PARTS-OF-SPEECH}(\text{word}[j:j])$  then
    ENQUEUE( $(B \rightarrow \text{word}[j:j], [j, j]), \text{chart}[j:j]$ )
procedure COMPLETER( $B \rightarrow \gamma \bullet, [j, k])$ 
  for each  $(A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet B \beta, [i, j])$  in chart[j] do
    ENQUEUE( $(A \rightarrow \alpha \bullet B \bullet \beta, [i, k]), \text{chart}[k]$ ) book wouldn't be entertained if it is a noun
  end
procedure ENQUEUE(state, chart-entry)
  if state is not already in chart-entry then
    APPEND(state, chart-entry)
  end APPEND no need to redo does not do repeated work

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Grammar rules, non-terminal symbol

NP - Noun phrase

VP - Verb phrase

Either have 2 non-terminal symbols or 1 terminal symbol (words)

Garden path sentences

Reduced relative clause (which was)

The horse raced past the barn fell

raced used in the passive voice

Decision tree

For the training set at the root,
 $p = n = 6, H\left(\frac{6}{12}, \frac{6}{12}\right) = 1 \text{ bit.}$



Consider the attributes **Patrons** and **Type**:

$$IG(\text{Patrons}) = 1 - \left[\frac{2}{12}H(0,1) + \frac{4}{12}H(1,0) + \frac{6}{12}H\left(\frac{2}{6}, \frac{4}{6}\right) \right] = 0.541 \text{ bits}$$

$$IG(\text{Type}) = 1 - \left[\frac{2}{12}H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{2}{12}H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{4}{12}H\left(\frac{2}{4}, \frac{2}{4}\right) + \frac{4}{12}H\left(\frac{2}{4}, \frac{2}{4}\right) \right] = 0 \text{ bits}$$

Every regular language is context free

Union: $R = R_1 + R_2$

$S \rightarrow S_1 | S_2$

Then $S \rightarrow S_1$ and $S \rightarrow S_2$

Concat: $R = R_1R_2$

$S \rightarrow S_1S_2$

Kleene star:

$S \rightarrow S_1S_1|\epsilon$

Perplexity

$$P(w_1, \dots, w_n)^{-\frac{1}{n}}$$

If $P(\text{hello}) = 1/4$, $P(\text{there}) = 1/4$ and there are 30000 names

with probability $1/20$

$$\text{Then } P\left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{20}\right)^{-\frac{1}{3}}$$

Semantic Representation

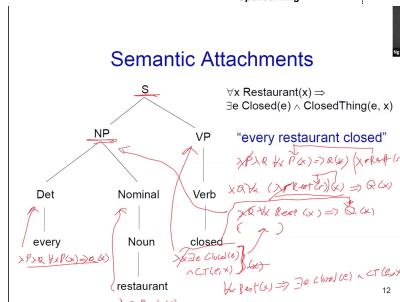
If CFG, then what is RHS becomes the LHS of the semantic representation

1. Determine the POS tags of each word
2. Propagate up if there is only 1 RHS
3. Apply rules in order, remove first lambda and apply whenever f appears E.g.

$\text{NP.sem}(\text{VP.sem})$ then $\lambda f \cdot f(\text{Fransca}) (\lambda x \exists e \text{ Closed}(e) \dots) (\lambda x \exists e \text{ Closed}(e) \dots) (\text{Frasca})$

Grammatical Rule	Semantic Attachment
$S \rightarrow \text{NP VP}$	$\{\text{NP.sem}(\text{VP.sem})\}$
$\text{NP} \rightarrow \text{Det Nominal}$	$\{\text{Det.sem}(\text{Nominal.sem})\}$
$\text{NP} \rightarrow \text{ProperNoun}$	$\{\text{ProperNoun.sem}\}$
$\text{Nominal} \rightarrow \text{Noun}$	$\{\text{Noun.sem}\}$
$\text{VP} \rightarrow \text{Verb}$	$\{\text{Verb.sem}\}$
$\text{VP} \rightarrow \text{Verb NP}$	$\{\text{Verb.sem}(\text{NP.sem})\}$
$\text{Det} \rightarrow \text{every}$	$\{\lambda P Q \forall x P(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)\}$
$\text{Det} \rightarrow a$	$\{\lambda P Q \exists x P(x) \wedge Q(x)\}$
$\text{Noun} \rightarrow \text{restaurant}$	$\{\lambda x \text{Restaurant}(x)\}$
$\text{ProperNoun} \rightarrow \text{Matthew}$	$\{\lambda m \text{Matthew}\}$
$\text{ProperNoun} \rightarrow \text{Franco}$	$\{\lambda f \text{Franco}\}$
$\text{ProperNoun} \rightarrow \text{Frasca}$	$\{\lambda f \text{Frasca}\}$
$\text{Verb} \rightarrow \text{closed}$	$\{\lambda x \exists e \text{ Closed}(e) \wedge \text{ClosedThing}(x, e)\}$
$\text{Verb} \rightarrow \text{opened}$	$\{\lambda w \lambda z w(\lambda x \exists e \text{ Opened}(e) \wedge \text{Opener}(e, z) \wedge \text{Opened}(x, z))\}$

Opened thing

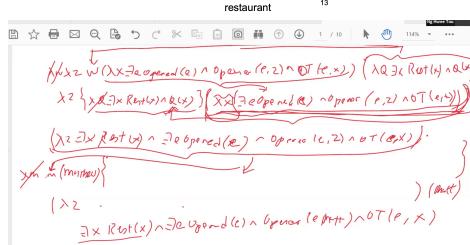


$\text{S} \rightarrow \text{NP VP}$ "Matthew opened a restaurant"

NP: ProperNoun (Matthew), Verb (opened), NP (NP)

NP: Det (a), Nominal (Nominal)

Nominal: Noun (restaurant)



Constituents Parse trees

Head word are propagated up the parse tree (RHS to LHS)

$NP \rightarrow DT NN$ RHS will always be non-terminal symbol unless there is POS tag on LHS

E.g. $S \rightarrow NP VP$

Sometimes there are no direct objects after the verb "he disappeared" instead of "he disappeared mary"
Verb decides what types of non-constituents

Head finding

1. Find the POS tag that expands to each word
2. For each grammar rule, add the head child with LHS to be the head
3. Add the head word in () beside the new head

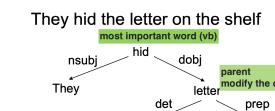
Typed Dependency Parse

Parent is modified by the child

!Note! Do not forget the edge has an arrow pointing from parent to child

Who hid?

The nominal subj is they and direct obj is letter
on the shelf are more auxiliary things



Argument Dependencies	Description
nsbj	nominal subject
csubj	clausal subject
dobj	direct object
iobj	indirect object
pobj	object of preposition
Modifier Dependencies	Description
tmod	temporal modifier
appos	appositional modifier
det	determiner
prep	prepositional modifier

Untyped Dependency Parse

1. Find all the head words
2. For every RHS, determine the most important head word then add the other symbols as the children

