

lab6

Credit: materials adapted from Patrick Chester, with some examples taken from Ken Benoit's NYU Dept. of Politics short course Fall 2014

1 Setting up

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# Clear Global Environment
rm(list = ls())
setwd("/Users/Lingyi/TAD/lab/Text-as-Data-Lab-Spr2018/W6_02_27_18")

# Libraries
#devtools::install_github("kbenoit/readtext")

library(quanteda)

## quanteda version 1.0.0
## Using 3 of 4 threads for parallel computing
##
## Attaching package: 'quanteda'
## The following object is masked from 'package:utils':
##
##      View
library(quanteda.corpora)
library(readtext)
```

1 Supervised Learning: Naive Bayes

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# Example: Replication of 13.1 from IIR textbook

trainingset <- matrix(0,ncol=6,nrow=5)
trainingset[1,] <- c(1, 2, 0, 0, 0, 0)
trainingset[2,] <- c(0, 2, 0, 0, 1, 0)
trainingset[3,] <- c(0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0)
trainingset[4,] <- c(0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1)
trainingset[5,] <- c(0, 3, 1, 0, 0, 1)
colnames(trainingset) <- c("Beijing", "Chinese", "Japan", "Macao", "Shanghai", "Tokyo")
rownames(trainingset) <- paste("d", 1:5, sep="")

trainingset <- as.dfm(trainingset) # training data

trainingclass <- factor(c("Y", "Y", "Y", "N", NA), ordered = TRUE)
# training/test classes -- last document is unknown
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# replicate IIR p261 prediction for test set (document 5)
nb.p261 <- textmodel_nb(x = trainingset, y = trainingclass,
                        smooth = 1, prior="docfreq")
# Smooth gives values of 1 for new words; NB wouldn't work very well
pr.p261 <- predict(nb.p261)
pr.p261

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## $log.posterior.lik
##           Y           N
## d1 -3.928188 -6.591674
## d2 -3.928188 -6.591674
## d3 -3.080890 -5.087596
## d4 -6.413095 -5.898527
## d5 -8.107690 -8.906681
##
## $posterior.probab
##           Y           N
## d1 0.9348373 0.06516267
## d2 0.9348373 0.06516267
## d3 0.8814994 0.11850060
## d4 0.3741233 0.62587672
## d5 0.6897586 0.31024139
##
## $nb.predicted
## [1] "Y" "Y" "Y" "N" "Y"
##
## $Pc
##      Y      N
## 0.75 0.25
##
## $classlabels
## [1] "Y" "N"
##
## $call
## predict.textmodel_nb(object = nb.p261)

```

2 Classification using Word Scores

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# Read in conservative and labour manifestos
filenames <- list.files(path = "cons_labour_manifestos")

# Party name and year are in the filename -- we can use regex to extract these to use as our docvars
party <- unlist(regmatches(unlist(filenames), gregexpr("^[:alpha:]]{3}", unlist(filenames))))
year <- unlist(regmatches(unlist(filenames), gregexpr("[:digit:]]+", unlist(filenames))))

## get the data directory
#DATA_DIR <- system.file("extdata/", package = "readtext")

# This is how you would make a corpus with docvars from this data
cons_labour_manifestos <- corpus(readtext("cons_labour_manifestos/*.txt"))
docvars(cons_labour_manifestos, field = c("party", "year")) <- data.frame(
  cbind(party, year))

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# We're going to use a dataframe
cons_labour_df <- data.frame(text = texts(cons_labour_manifestos),
                             party = party,
                             year = year,
                             stringsAsFactors = FALSE)

# Identifying test speech: Labor
test_speech <- cons_labour_df[46,]

# Setting training speeches: The remaining 45 Labor and Conservative speeches

training_df <- cons_labour_df[1:45, ]

# Create DFMs
training_dfm <- dfm(
  corpus(training_df$text,
         docvars = training_df[, c("party", "year")]))

test_dfm <- dfm(corpus(test_speech$text, docvars = test_speech[, c("party", "year")]))

# Train Word Score model

ws_base <- textmodel_wordscores(training_dfm,
                                y = (2 * as.numeric(training_df$party == "Lab")) - 1
# Y variable must be coded on a binary x in {-1,1} scale,
# so -1 = Conservative and 1 = Labour
                                )

# Look at strongest features
lab_features <- sort(ws_base$wordscores, decreasing = TRUE)

lab_features[1:10]

##          vested      co-operators          brain          die
##             1             1             1             1
##             tory      disgrace      bankrupt      yes
##             1             1             1             1
## enfranchisement      inequality
##             1             1

con_features <- sort(ws_base$wordscores, decreasing = FALSE)

con_features[1:10]

## conclusive      triumph displayed prescribe      imperial baldwin's
##          -1          -1          -1          -1          -1          -1
##      evident indirectly      rush assurances
##          -1          -1          -1          -1

ws_base$wordscores[c("drugs", "minorities", "unemployment")]

##          drugs      minorities      unemployment
##    -0.5337070    0.2757702    0.3393032

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# Trying it again with smoothing
ws_smooth <- textmodel_wordscores(training_dfm,
                                   y = (2 * as.numeric(training_df$party == "Lab")) - 1,
                                   smooth = 1)

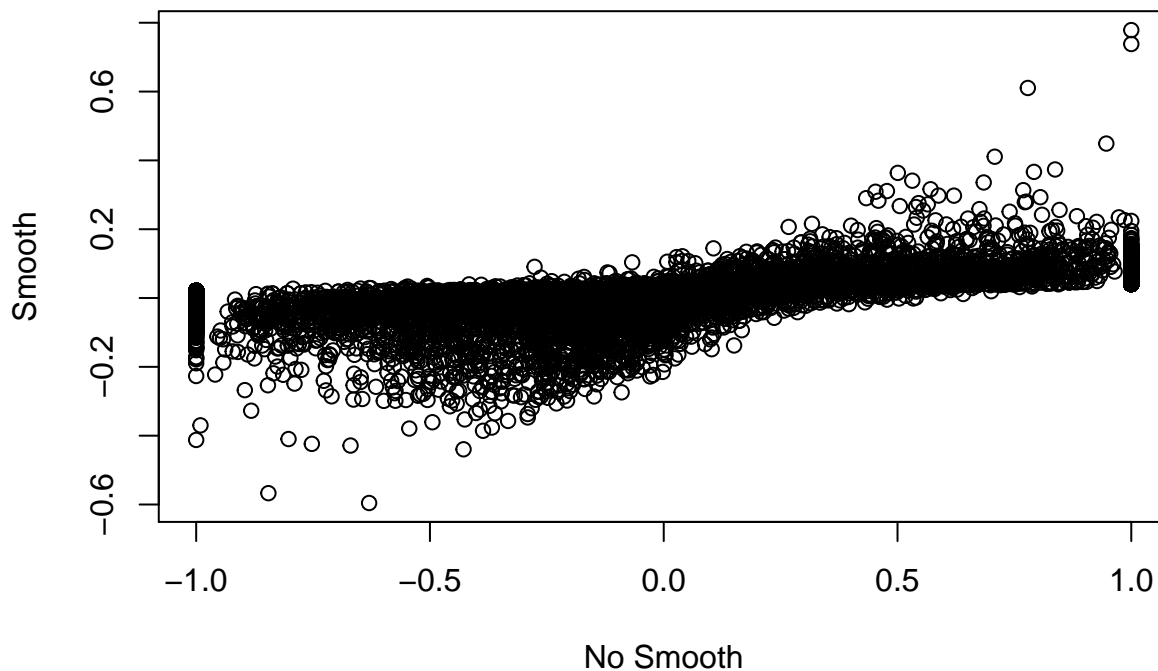
ws_smooth$wordscores[c("drugs", "minorities", "unemployment")]

##          drugs  minorities unemployment
## -0.15597370  0.09958915  0.18520351

# Smoothing is giving stronger priors, decreasing the impact of new information

plot(ws_base$wordscores, ws_smooth$wordscores, xlim=c(-1, 1),
     xlab="No Smooth", ylab="Smooth")

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## predict that last speech
predict(ws_base, newdata = test_dfm,
        rescaling = "none", level = 0.95)

##          text1
## -0.03693925

predict(ws_smooth, newdata = test_dfm,
        rescaling = "none", level = 0.95) # It makes the wrong prediction!

##          text1
## -0.08624139

```

3 Applying Naive Bayes and Word Scores to Amicus texts from Evans et al

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# Loading data
data("data_corpus_amicus")

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amicus_dfm <- dfm(data_corpus_amicus)

amNBmodel <- textmodel_nb(amicus_dfm, docvars(data_corpus_amicus, "trainclass"))
amNBpredict <- predict(amNBmodel)

# "confusion matrix": Naive Bayes
tab_NB <- table(
  docvars(data_corpus_amicus, "testclass"),
  amNBpredict$nb.predicted)

tab_NB

##
##      P  R
##  AP 15  4
##  AR  5 74

# Accuracy: Naive Bayes
(tab_NB[1,1]+tab_NB[2,2])/sum(tab_NB)

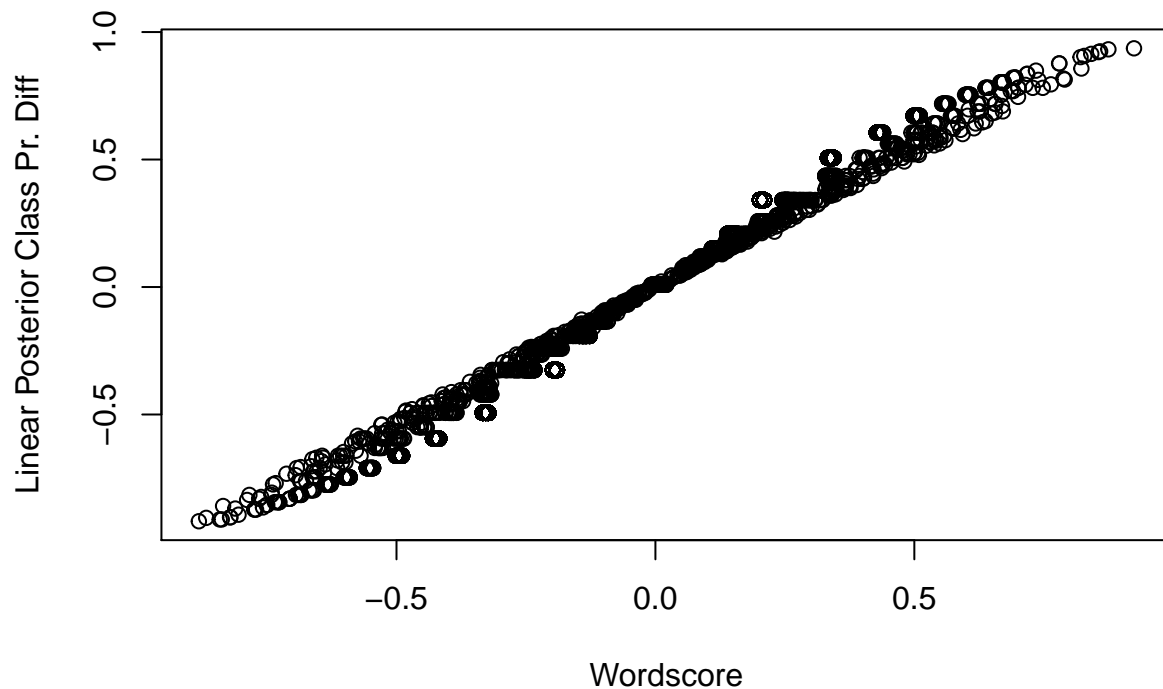
## [1] 0.9081633

reference <- c(1, 1, -1, -1, rep(NA, 98)) # class labels

amWSmodel <- textmodel_wordscores(amicus_dfm, reference, smooth = 1)

plot(amWSmodel$wordscores,
     c(1, -1) %*% amNBmodel$PcGw,
     xlab="Wordscore",
     ylab="Linear Posterior Class Pr. Diff")

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(amWSpredict <- predict(amWSmodel))

##      sP1.txt      sP2.txt      sR1.txt      sR2.txt      sAP01.txt

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## 0.0463611797 0.0441314298 -0.0578700916 -0.0326225179 0.0072442731
## sAP02.txt sAP03.txt sAP04.txt sAP05.txt sAP06.txt
## -0.0038518723 -0.0011623859 0.0090533623 -0.0035788474 0.0048185544
## sAP07.txt sAP08.txt sAP09.txt sAP10.txt sAP11.txt
## -0.0039522351 -0.0060324551 -0.0117224916 -0.0078865887 -0.0013982447
## sAP12.txt sAP13.txt sAP14.txt sAP15.txt sAP16.txt
## -0.0043969975 0.0095243175 0.0025730719 -0.0035439035 0.0038302271
## sAP17.txt sAP18.txt sAP19.txt sAR01.txt sAR02.txt
## -0.0154016733 -0.0090571857 0.0034205422 -0.0102261951 0.0004065718
## sAR03.txt sAR04.txt sAR05.txt sAR06.txt sAR07.txt
## -0.0197155515 -0.0224776571 -0.0030425788 -0.0209559481 -0.0198296799
## sAR08.txt sAR09.txt sAR10.txt sAR11.txt sAR12.txt
## -0.0177242249 -0.0150669289 -0.0220056887 -0.0086157898 -0.0132528041
## sAR13.txt sAR14.txt sAR15.txt sAR16.txt sAR17.txt
## -0.0177605446 -0.0178823872 -0.0243155804 -0.0156863139 -0.0074407500
## sAR18.txt sAR19.txt sAR20.txt sAR21.txt sAR22.txt
## -0.0184157603 -0.0050704101 -0.0066476276 -0.0089441748 -0.0210664296
## sAR23.txt sAR24.txt sAR25.txt sAR26.txt sAR27.txt
## -0.0241688294 -0.0326156611 -0.0233249279 -0.0288108311 -0.0291769226
## sAR28.txt sAR29.txt sAR30.txt sAR31.txt sAR32.txt
## -0.0182034750 -0.0141591268 -0.0189065008 -0.0188973090 -0.0074482941
## sAR33.txt sAR34.txt sAR35.txt sAR36.txt sAR37.txt
## -0.0088058089 -0.0195370733 -0.0158132680 -0.0155265389 0.0003312207
## sAR38.txt sAR39.txt sAR40.txt sAR41.txt sAR42.txt
## -0.0242922067 -0.0221411703 -0.0215422647 -0.0071186889 -0.0075155849
## sAR43.txt sAR44.txt sAR45.txt sAR46.txt sAR47.txt
## -0.0305184700 -0.0309595632 -0.0136601662 -0.0235866315 -0.0089229987
## sAR48.txt sAR49.txt sAR50.txt sAR51.txt sAR52.txt
## -0.0218971898 -0.0183941284 -0.0176363588 -0.0165273544 -0.0194470335
## sAR53.txt sAR54.txt sAR55.txt sAR56.txt sAR58.txt
## -0.0052255693 -0.0179436107 -0.0077110690 -0.0143581765 -0.0086522559
## sAR59.txt sAR60.txt sAR61.txt sAR62.txt sAR63.txt
## -0.0117094118 -0.0182767345 -0.0090923917 -0.0141087989 -0.0163563567
## sAR64.txt sAR65.txt sAR66.txt sAR67.txt sAR68.txt
## -0.0211294835 -0.0211436529 -0.0108646755 -0.0179647946 -0.0107338512
## sAR71.txt sAR72.txt sAR73.txt sAR74.txt sAR75.txt
## -0.0158756649 -0.0212776004 -0.0197323430 -0.0052725608 -0.0163203561
## sAR76.txt sAR77.txt sAR78.txt sAR79.txt sAR80.txt
## -0.0184632105 -0.0154536036 -0.0114869806 -0.0002606598 -0.0196881229
## sAR81.txt sAR83.txt
## -0.0112007928 -0.0083545581
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amWSresults <- ifelse(amWSpredict > 0, "P", "R")
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# "confusion matrix": WordScores
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(tab_WS <- table(docvars(data_corpus_amicus, "testclass"), amWSresults) )
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## amWSresults
```

```
## P R
```

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## AP 7 12
```

```
## AR 2 77
```

```
# Accuracy: WordScores
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(tab_WS[1,1]+tab_WS[2,2])/sum(tab_WS)
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## [1] 0.8571429
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