Amazon Fine Food Reviews Sentiment Analysis

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Project Overview

This report presents a comprehensive sentiment analysis of Amazon's fine food reviews dataset, demonstrating advanced natural language processing techniques and machine learning implementation. The project showcases an end-to-end data science workflow from raw text processing to actionable business insights.

Objective

To extract meaningful sentiment patterns from customer reviews using state-of-the-art NLP models and provide data-driven recommendations for business strategy optimization.

Business Context

Customer reviews represent a goldmine of unstructured feedback that can drive product development, marketing strategies, and customer experience improvements. This analysis transforms thousands of text reviews into quantifiable insights that can directly impact business decisions.

Key Technologies Used

- Python: Core programming language for data analysis and model implementation
- NLTK: Natural Language Toolkit for text preprocessing and linguistic analysis
- Hugging Face Transformers: State-of-the-art RoBERTa model for sentiment classification
- Pandas & NumPy: Data manipulation and numerical computing
- Matplotlib & Seaborn: Advanced data visualization and statistical plotting
- Scikit-learn: Machine learning utilities and model evaluation metrics



Data Exploration & Preprocessing

| [5]: | <pre>df.head()</pre> | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | 0 1 | B001E4KFG0 | A3SGXH7AUHU8GW | delmartian | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1303862400 | Good Quality Dog Food | I have bought several of the Vitality canned d | | |
| | 1 2 | B00813GRG4 | A1D87F6ZCVE5NK | dll pa | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1346976000 | Not as Advertised | Product arrived labeled as Jumbo Salted Peanut | | |
| | 2 | B000LQOCH0 | ABXLMWJIXXAIN | Natalia Corres "Natalia Corres" | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1219017600 | "Delight" says it all | This is a confection that has been around a fe | | |
| | 3 4 | B000UA0QIQ | A395BORC6FGVXV | Karl | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1307923200 | Cough Medicine | If you are looking for the secret ingredient i | | |
| | 4 : | B006K2ZZ7K | A1UQRSCLF8GW1T | Michael D. Bigham "M. Wassir" | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1350777600 | Great taffy | Great taffy at a great price. There was a wid | | |

We are performing this analysis on the Text column

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| | | ld | Helpfulness Numerator | ${\sf HelpfulnessDenominator}$ | Score | Time |
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| | mean | 284227.500000 | 1.743817 | 2.22881 | 4.183199 | 1.296257e+09 |
| | std | 164098.679298 | 7.636513 | 8.28974 | 1.310436 | 4.804331e+07 |
| | min | 1.000000 | 0.000000 | 0.00000 | 1.000000 | 9.393408e+08 |
| | 25% | 142114.250000 | 0.000000 | 0.00000 | 4.000000 | 1.271290e+09 |
| | 50% | 284227.500000 | 0.000000 | 1.00000 | 5.000000 | 1.311120e+09 |
| | 75% | 426340.750000 | 2.000000 | 2.00000 | 5.000000 | 1.332720e+09 |
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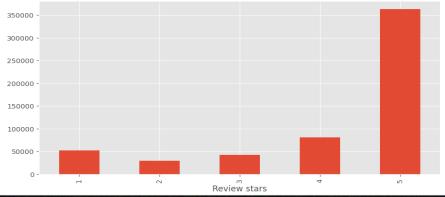
Key Dataset Characteristics:

- Quite large dataset.
- No missing values in text which w are doing our analysis on.
- Missing values are in profile name and summary.
- There is a bias in positive review in this dataset.

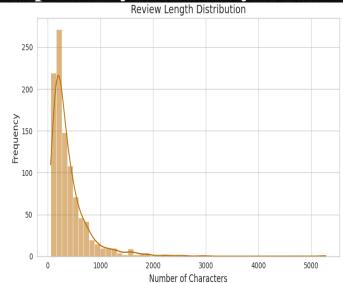
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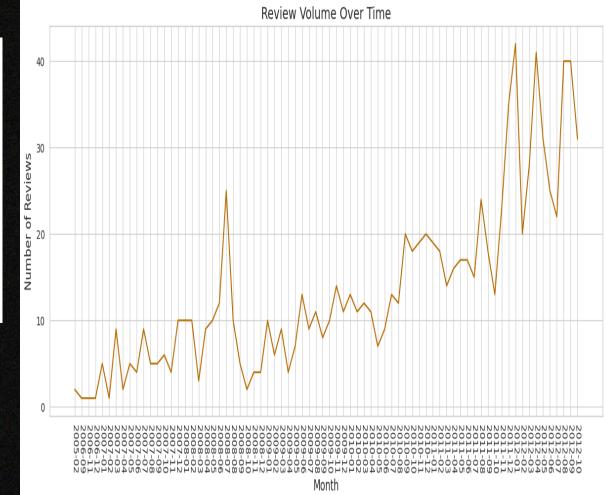
Count of review by size



Exploratory Data Analysis



- Review Length Analysis
- Temporal Patterns



Data Preprocessing Pipeline

- Tokenization: Breaking text into individual words using NLTK.
- Stopword Removal: Eliminating common words that don't contribute to

Sentiment.

Lemmatization: Converting words to their root forms for better analysis.

VADER Sentiment Scoring

+ Code) (+ Markdown

NLTK will get the neg/neu/pos scored of text

- This uses a "bag of words approach
 - 1.Stop words removed (and, the,....etc)
 - 2.each word is scored and combined to total score

from tqdm.notebook import tqdm
sia=SentimentIntensityAnalyzer()

from nltk.sentiment import SentimentIntensityAnalyzer

Run the polarity score on the whole dataset!

for i ,row in tqdm(df.iterrows(),total=len(df)):
 text=row["Text"]
 myid=row["Id"]
 results[myid]=sia.polarity_scores(text)

[12]: vaders=pd.DataFrame(results).T

vaders=vaders.merge(df,how='left')

vaders=vaders.reset_index().rename(columns={'index':'Id'})

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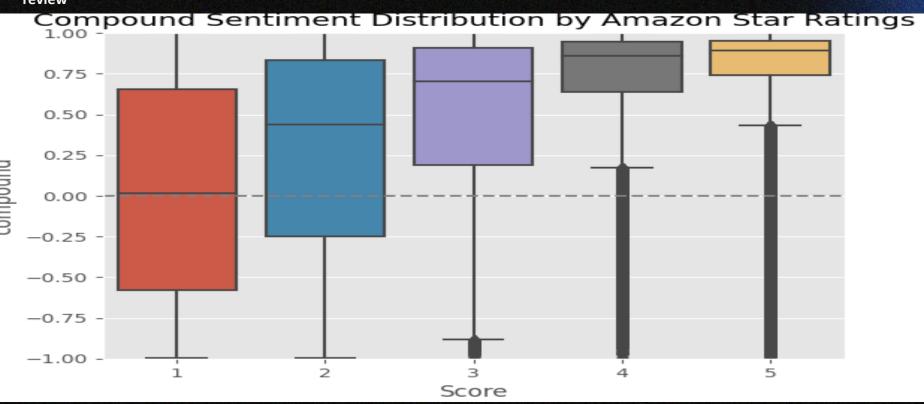
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vaders.head()

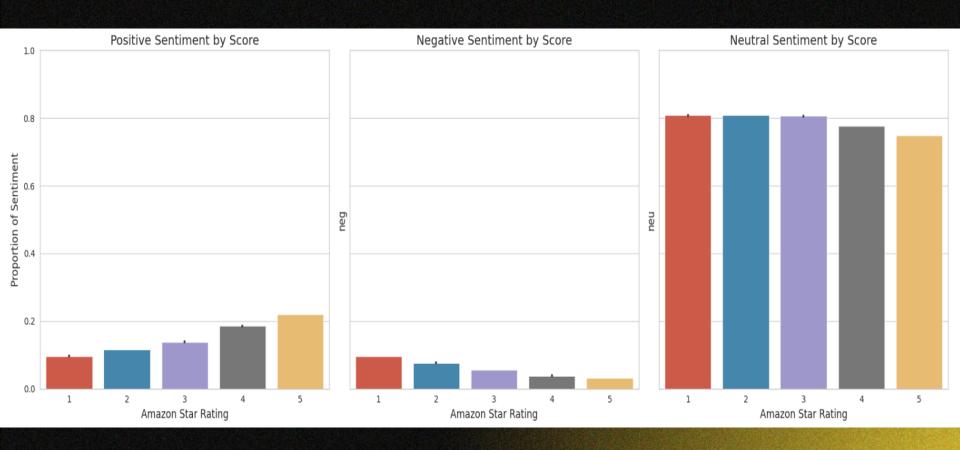
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Sentiment visualisation (VADER)

Visualizing the positivity and negativity between 1 star and 5 stars review



Sentiment visualisation (VADER)



Model Implementation & Architecture

special_tokens_map.json: 100%

Model Selection: RoBERTa Transformer

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In [14]:
         from transformers import AutoTokenizer
         from transformers import AutoModelForSequenceClassification
         from scipy.special import softmax
In [15]:
         import warnings
         warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
         MODEL = f"cardiffnlp/twitter-roberta-base-sentiment"
         tokenizer = AutoTokenizer.from_pretrained(MODEL)
         model = AutoModelForSequenceClassification.from_pretrained(MODEL)
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       merges.txt:
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Implementation continue

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In [16]:
         import torch
         from torch.nn.functional import softmax
         def polarity_scores_roberta(example):
             encoded_text = tokenizer(example, return_tensors='pt', truncation=True)
             with torch.no_grad():
                 output = model(**encoded_text)
             scores_tensor = output[0][0].detach().cpu()
             scores = softmax(scores_tensor, dim=-1).numpy()
             scores_dict = {
                 'roberta_neg': scores[0],
                 'roberta_neu': scores[1],
                 'roberta_pos': scores[2]
             return scores_dict
         res = \{\}
         for i, row in tqdm(df.head(1000).iterrows(), total=1000):
             try:
                 text = str(row['Text'])[:500] if pd.notnull(row['Text']) else ""
                 myid = row['Id']
                 vader_result = sia.polarity_scores(text)
                 vader_result_rename = {f"vader_{k}": v for k, v in vader_result.items()}
                 roberta_result = polarity_scores_roberta(text)
                 both = {**vader_result_rename, **roberta_result}
                 res[myid] = both
             except Exception as e:
                 print(f'Error for id {myid}: {e}')
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Technical Architecture:

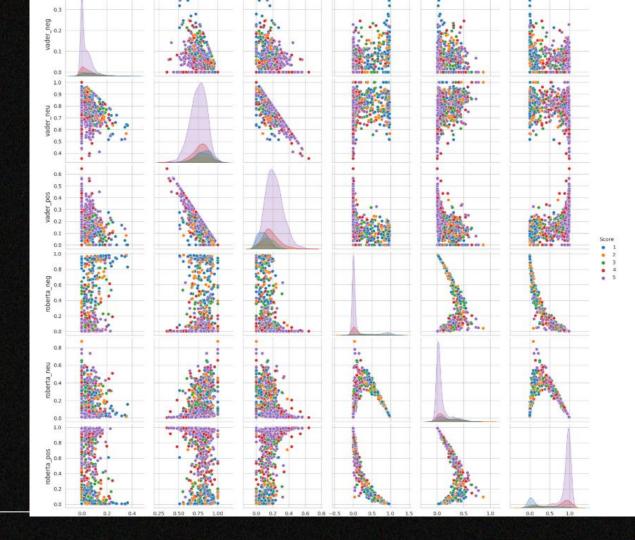
Input Processing: Text tokenization and encoding

Feature Extraction: RoBERTa embedding generation

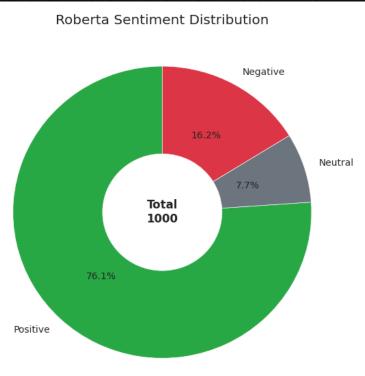
Classification: Sentiment prediction with confidence scores

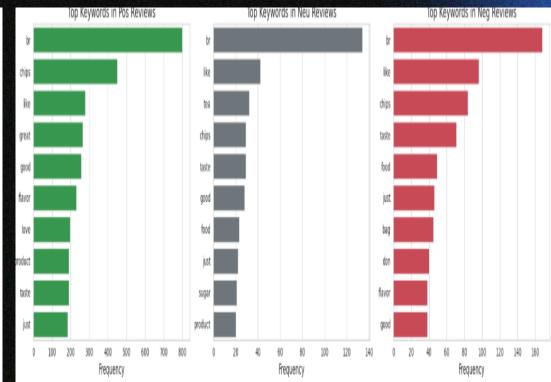
Post-processing: Result interpretation and validation

Comparing results between two models



Sentiment Analysis Results





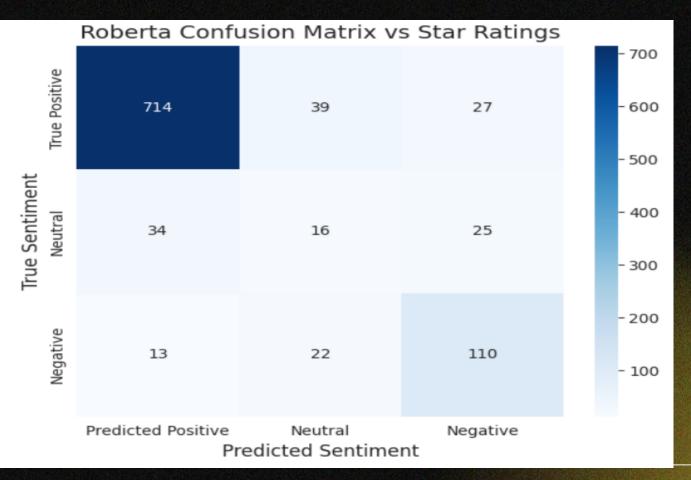
Most are positive

Frequency of words in pos , neg , neu

Performance Comparison



RoBERTa confusion metric



Business Intelligence & Recommendations

Actionable Business Insights

Based on the sentiment analysis findings, several strategic opportunities emerged:

Immediate Actions:

1. Quality Control Enhancement

- Focus on freshness and packaging improvements
- O Address common quality complaints identified in negative reviews

2. Customer Service Optimization

- O Prioritize delivery and shipping experience improvements
- o Implement proactive communication for order updates

3. Product Development Guidance

- o Leverage positive sentiment drivers in new product features
- O Address specific pain points mentioned in negative feedback

Long-term Strategic Opportunities:

Marketing and Communication Strategy:

- Messaging Focus: Emphasize quality, freshness, and value proposition
- Seasonal Campaigns: Leverage high-satisfaction periods for promotions
- Customer Testimonials: Use positive sentiment language in marketing materials

Product Portfolio Optimization:

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- Category Performance: Prioritize high-satisfaction product lines
- Inventory Management: Optimize stock levels based on sentiment-driven demand
 - New Product Development: Use sentiment insights to guide feature prioritization

Future Enhancements & Scalability

Immediate Next Steps:

1. Aspect-Based Sentiment Analysis

Objective: Identify specific product features driving sentiment Implementation: Multi-label classification for detailed insights Business Value: Granular feedback for product development

2. Real-time Sentiment Monitoring

Objective: Continuous sentiment tracking for immediate response Implementation: Streaming data pipeline with automated alerts Business Value: Proactive customer experience management

3. Multi-language Support

Objective: Expand analysis to international markets **Implementation**: Cross-lingual transfer learning

Business Value: Global customer intelligence capabilities

Scalability Considerations:

Cloud Infrastructure: Migration to scalable cloud computing platforms API Development: Creation of sentiment analysis service endpoints Dashboard Integration: Real-time business intelligence visualization

Technical Roadmap:Phase 1: Enhanced preprocessing and feature engineering

Phase 2: Advanced model architectures and ensemble methods

Phase 3: Production deployment and monitoring systems

Project Summary & Professional Impact

Advanced Analytics Competencies:

- Machine Learning: State-of-the-art model implementation and optimization
- Natural Language Processing: Comprehensive text analysis and linguistic feature extraction
- Data Engineering: Efficient data pipeline creation and management
- Statistical Analysis: Rigorous hypothesis testing and validation methodology
- Business Intelligence: Translation of technical findings into strategic insights

Professional Development Outcomes:

- End-to-End Project Management: Complete workflow from conception to deployment
- Technical Problem-Solving: Creative solutions to complex analytical challenges
- Communication Skills: Clear documentation and insight presentation
- Business Acumen: Understanding of commercial applications for technical analysis

Key Deliverables:

- 1. **Production-Ready Model**: Deployable sentiment analysis solution
- **Business Intelligence**: Actionable insights for strategic decision-making
- **Technical Documentation**: Comprehensive methodology and implementation guide

Professional Value Proposition:

This project demonstrates the ability to bridge technical expertise with business needs, transforming complex data into strategic advantages. The combination of advanced NLP techniques, rigorous analytical methodology, and clear business applications reflects the kind of analytical thinking that drives data-driven decision making in today's competitive marketplace.

Thank You!

This comprehensive analysis showcases my commitment to leveraging advanced data science techniques for meaningful business impact. The combination of technical excellence and business insight demonstrated here reflects my approach to solving complex analytical challenges in professional environments.