

BIA 660 - Project: TEAM 5

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Project Proposal

1. Change Points

“Can you detect when things change suddenly (i.e. a business coming under new management)?”

2. Events

“Can you see when a city starts going nuts over cronuts?”

Algorithm

Refer Presentation Slides (under ‘/Presentation’ folder)

Run Program

To run the program,

1. Download and Copy the yelp dataset to /scripts/data folder
2. open the ‘/scripts’ folder in the terminal window and execute the RUN COMMAND (given below).

The program will take ~2 mins to execute completely, so please be patient.

Run Command

```
python Main.py --bucket quarter --averagestars 2.0 --confidencescore 74.9 --granularity general  
--kneighbours 5 --eventthreshold 300 --dispalyeventforbucket 2016-Q2
```

Run Command Configuration

| Command | Value options | Default value | Description |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|---|
| --bucket or -b | day, month, year, quarter, semester | quarter | It is the date range, by which the data is partitioned and grouped |
| --averagestars or -a | 0.0 to 5.0 | 2.0 | A threshold value to filter changepoints that are less than equal to this value |
| --confidencesc | 0.0 to 100.0 | 75.0 | A threshold value to filter |

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| ore or -c | | | change points that are less than equal to this value |
| --reviewcount or -rc | 0 to 50 | 10 | A threshold value to filter business that have less than this value |
| --traindataset or -t | File name | reviews-train | Training Dataset file name |
| --granularity or -g | general, detailed | general | Value specifies output detail level |
| --kneighbours or -k | Whole Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 ... | 5 | Number of neighbours to use in KNN |
| --eventthreshold or -e | Greater than 0.0 | 300 | A threshold value to filter events that have less than this value |
| --eventstartbucket | Bucket | 2015-07-01 | Value used to find events starting this bucket |
| --eventendbucket | Bucket | 2015-12-31 | Value used to find events ending this bucket |
| --displayeventforbucket | Bucket | None | Value used to display all events for this bucket. If the value is None then display events for all buckets. |

Solution

Refer PDF under '/Results' folder