

Genre Identification on a subset of Gutenberg Corpus

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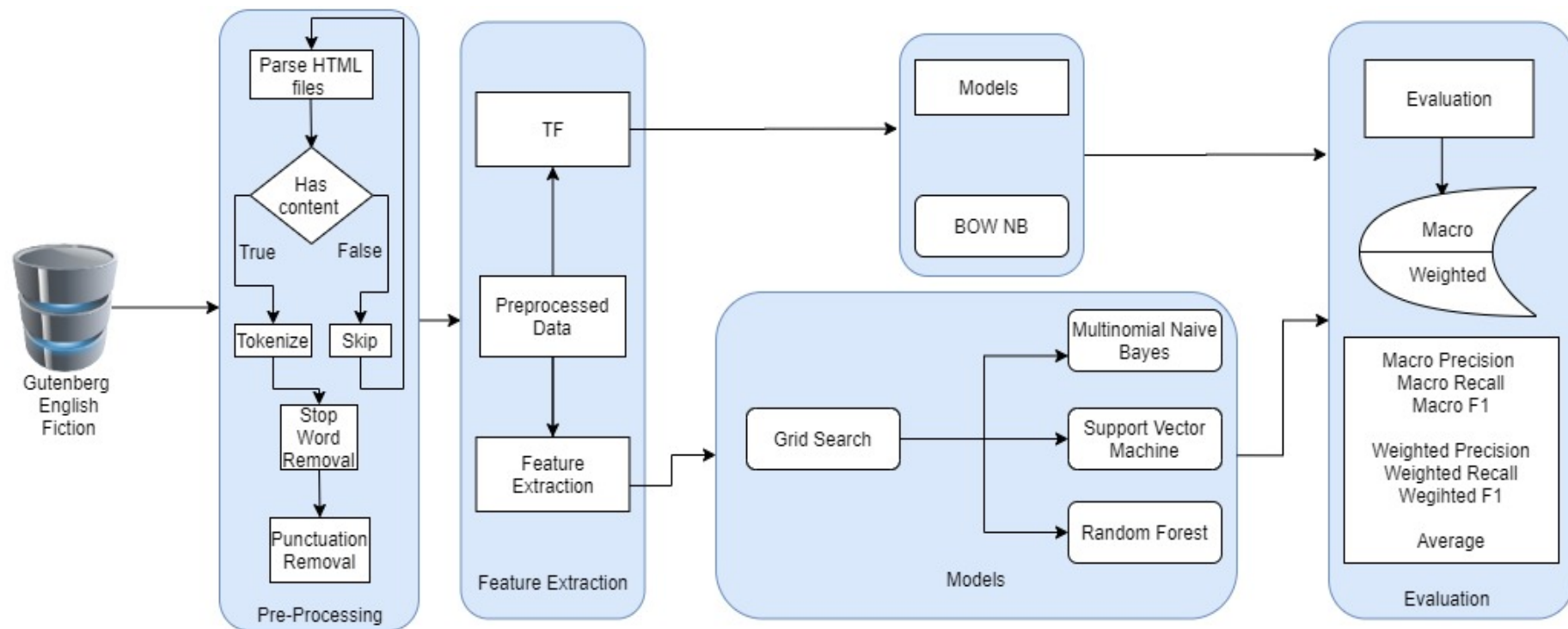
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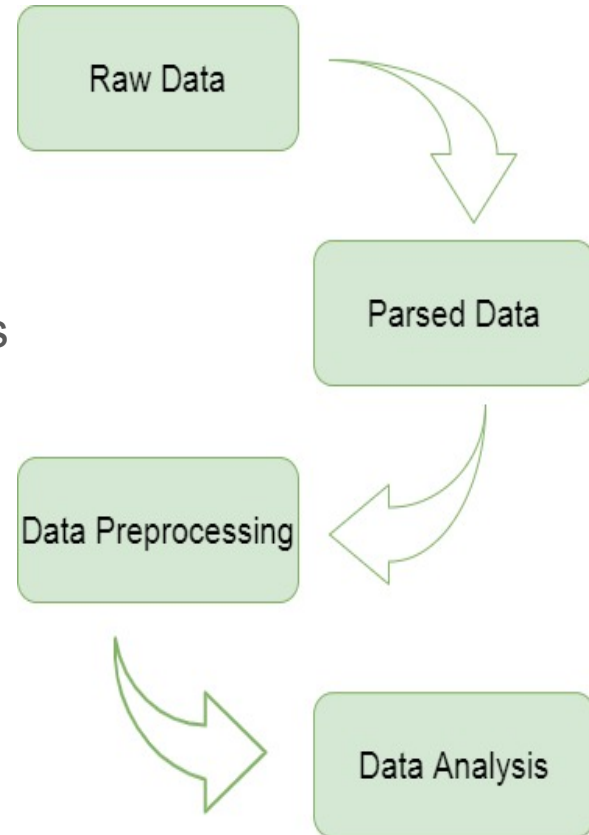
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Overview



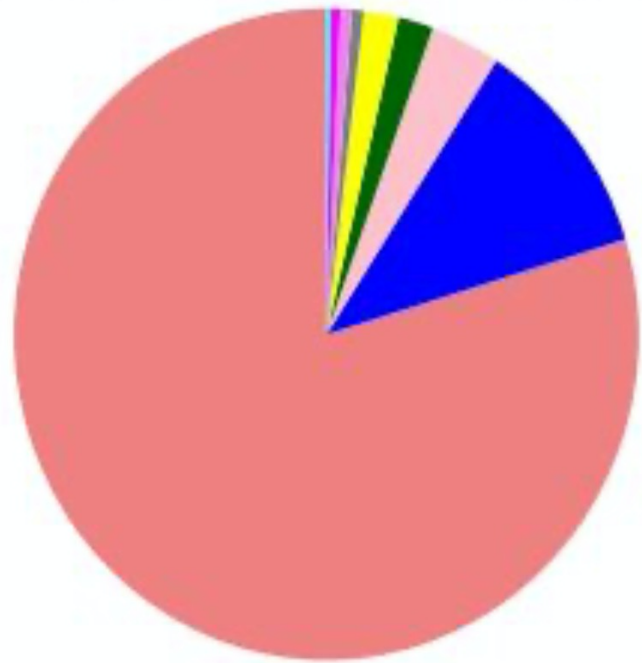
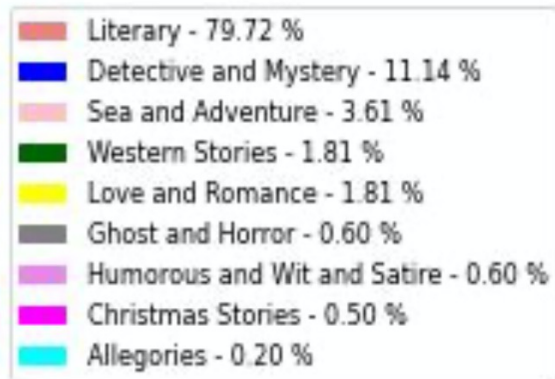
Preprocessing Steps:

- Parse HTML files to remove <p> tags
- Check for documents with no content
- Do tokenization for all features, but perform punctuation or stop word removal for certain features
- Reduced the text content to save the processing time

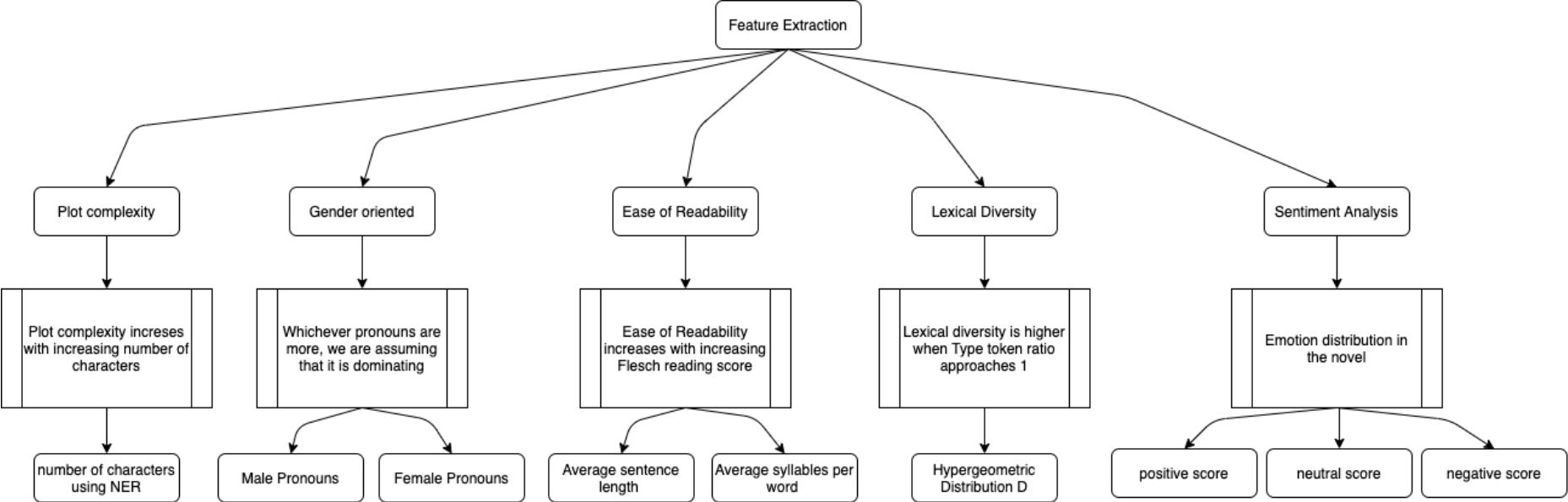


Data Analysis

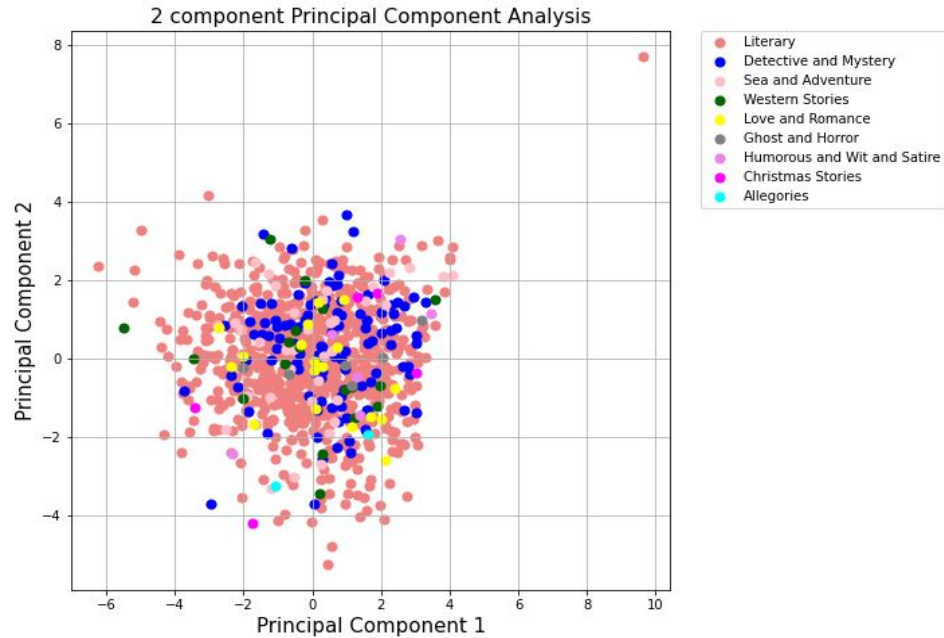
Pie chart showing percentage of labels



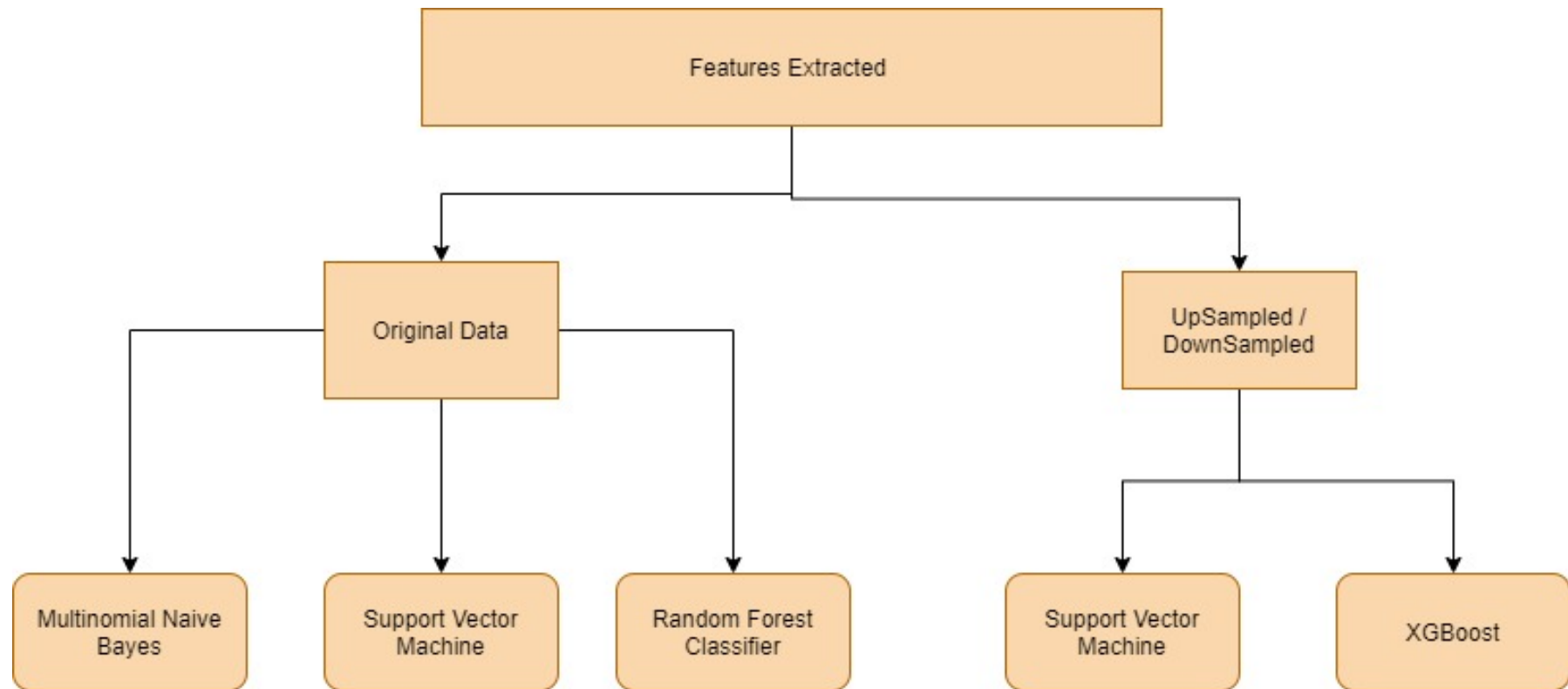
Features Extracted



Features Analysis



Models



Evaluations - 1

TABLE I
PERFORMANCE OF ORIGINAL FEATURE DATA SET WITH AVERAGE AS
MACRO

Classifier ^b	Evaluation Metrics (Macro)(%)			
	Precision	Recall	F1	Accuracy ^c
BOW NB	24.4	26.8	25.2	80.9
SVM	9.9	11.1	12.5	79.9
NB	9.9	12.5	11.1	79.8
RandomForest	19.0	15.8	16.5	77.8

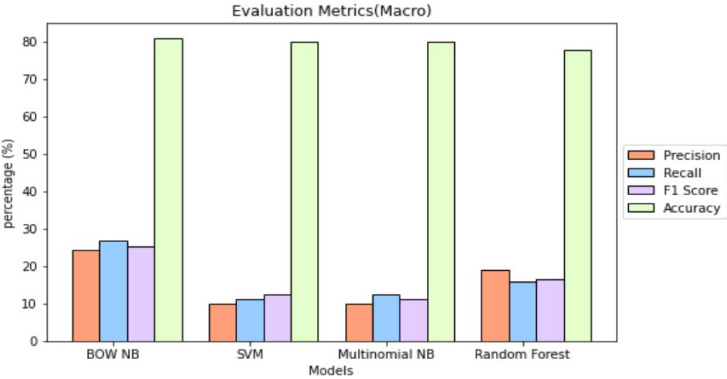
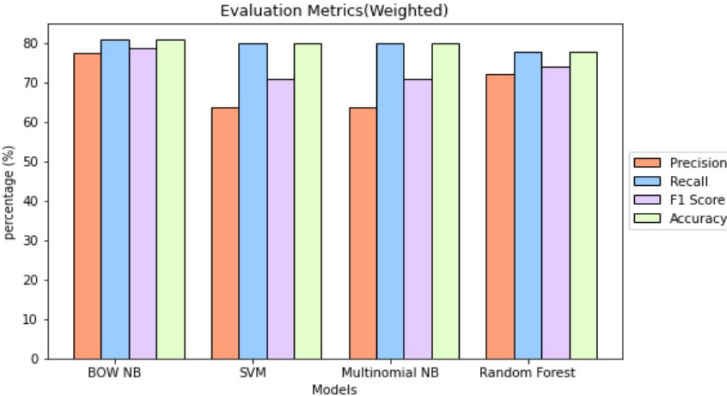


TABLE II
PERFORMANCE OF ORIGINAL FEATURE DATA SET WITH AVERAGE AS
WEIGHTED

Classifier ^b	Evaluation Metrics (Weighted)(%)			
	Precision	Recall	F1	Accuracy ^c
BOW NB	77.6	80.9	78.8	80.9
SVM	63.8	79.8	70.9	79.9
NB	63.8	79.8	70.9	79.8
RandomForest	72.0	77.8	73.9	77.8



Evaluations - 2 (Balanced Data)

PERFORMANCE OF BALANCED DATA SET WITH AVERAGE AS MACRO

Dataset ^a	Classifier ^b	Evaluation Metrics (Macro)(%)			
		Precision	Recall	F1	Accuracy ^c
OverSampled	SVM	35.3	80.7	42.4	56.2
OverSampled	XGBoost	25.2	44.6	28.5	56.2
UnderSampled	SVM	9.7	12.5	10.9	78.3
UnderSampled	XGBoost	15.8	14.9	14.8	78.9

PERFORMANCE OF BALANCED DATA SET WITH AVERAGE AS WEIGHTED

Dataset ^a	Classifier ^b	Evaluation Metrics (Weighted)(%)			
		Precision	Recall	F1	Accuracy ^c
OverSampled	SVM	81.1	56.2	61.5	56.2
OverSampled	XGBoost	79.3	56.2	61.8	56.2
UnderSampled	SVM	61.4	78.3	68.8	78.3
UnderSampled	XGBoost	68.9	78.9	72.8	78.9

Comparison with BOW:

- Bag-Of-Words (BOW) outperforms selected models considering Accuracy, Precision, Recall values
- BOW suffers from sparse representation and much bigger vocabulary resulting in higher computational complexity

Conclusion:

- Random forest performed really well for this dataset, because of highly imbalanced nature
- Weighted average gave results better than Macro average
- Chunking of the book can be explored to find if it gives better results

Challenges:

- Computation cost in extracting features is high.
- Additional features needs to be explored to enrich the feature set
- Class Imbalance problem