Week 10 Quiz

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In this quiz, we're going to load documents from 2 topics (space, cars) in the 20newsgroups dataset.

The goal is to train a classifier that classifies documents into these 2 topics based on a term frequency representation of the documents.

We will then calculate mean cross-validaion accuracy of a RandomForestClassifier using this transformation.

Setup Environment

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In [1]: import numpy as np import pandas as pd
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Load the Dataset

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# Import fetch 20newsgroups from sklearn.datasets
In [2]:
        from sklearn.datasets import fetch 20newsgroups
        # Load the dataset into newsgroups using fetch 20newsgroups.
            Only fetch the training subset using subset='train'.
            Only fetch the two topics using categories=['sci.space', 'rec.auto
        s 1
        # Store in the result into newsgroups
        newsgroups = fetch 20newsgroups(subset='train', categories=['sci.spac
        e','rec.autos'])
        # Store the newsgroups.data as docs, newsgroups.target as y and newsg
        roups.target names as y_names
        docs = newsgroups.data
        y names = newsgroups.target names
        v = newsgroups.target
        # Print the number of observations by printing the length of docs
        len(docs)
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Out[2]: 1187

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In [3]: # Print the text of the first document in docs.
docs[0]
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Out[3]: "From: prb@access.digex.com (Pat)\nSubject: Re: Proton/Centaur?\nOrga nization: Express Access Online Communications USA\nLines: 15\nNNTP-P osting-Host: access.digex.net\n\n\nWell thank you dennis for your as usual highly detailed and informative \nposting. \n\nThe question i have about the proton, is could it be handled at\none of KSC's spar e pads, without major malfunction, or could it be\nhandled at kouro u or Vandenberg? \n\nNow if it uses storables, then how long wou ld it take for the russians\nto equip something at cape york?\n\nIf Proton were launched from a western site, how would it compare to th e\nT4/centaur? As i see it, it should lift very close to the T4.\n\npat\n"

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In [4]: # Print the target value of the first document in y.
y[0]
Out[4]: 1
In [5]: # Print the target_name of the first document using y_names and y.
y_names[y[0]]
Out[5]: 'sci.space'
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Use CountVectorizer to Convert To TF

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In [6]: # Import CountVectorizer from sklearn.feature extraction
        from sklearn.feature extraction.text import CountVectorizer
        # Initialize a CountVectorizer object. It should
            lowercase all text,
            include both unigrams and bigrams
            exclude terms that occur in fewer than 10 documents
            exclude terms that occur in more that 95% of documents
            exclude all 'english' stopwords
        # Store as cvect
        cvect = CountVectorizer(lowercase=True,
                                 ngram range=(1,2),
                                 min df=10,
                                 max df=.95,
                                 stop words='english'
                             )
        # Fit cvect on docs and transform docs into their term frequency repr
        esentation.
        # Store as X tf
        X tf = cvect.fit transform(docs)
        # Print the shape of X tf.
        # The number of rows should match the number of documents
             and the number of columns should be in the thousands
        X tf.shape
Out[6]: (1187, 3628)
In [7]:
        # The stopwords learned by cvect are stored as a set in cvect.stop_wo
        rds
        # We'd like to print out a small subset of these terms.
        # One way to get a subset of a set is to treat it as a list.
        # First, convert the stop words_ set to a list.
        # Store as stop words list
        stop words list = list(cvect.stop words )
        # Print out the first 5 elements in stop words list.
        # Note that, since a set is unordered,
             there is no meaning to the ordering of these terms and they may
         vary over runs.
        stop words list[:5]
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Out[7]: ['awarded usaf', 'article foo', 'old grandma', 'drivability', 'russ']

Calculate Mean CV Accuracy Using RandomForestClassifier

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In [8]: # Import cross_val_score from sklearn.model_selection
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score

# Import RandomForestClassifier from sklearn.ensemble
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier

# Get a set of 5-fold CV scores using
# a RandomForestClassifier with 50 trees, X_tf and y
# Store as cv_scores
cv_scores = cross_val_score(RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=50),X
_tf,y,cv=5)

# Print the mean of these cv_scores. The mean accuracy should be abov
e .9
np.mean(cv_scores)
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Out[8]: 0.9730666649839511

Optional: Find Important Features

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In [9]: # CountVectorizer stores the feature names (terms in the vocabulary)
    in two ways:
# 1. as a dictionary of term:colum_index pairs, accessed via cvect.v
    ocabulary__
# 2. as a list of terms, in column index order, accessed via cvect.g
    et_feature_names()
#
# We can get the indices of the most important features by retraining
    a RandomForestClassifier on X,y
# and accessing .feature_importances__
#
# Using some combination of the above data-structures,
# print out the top 10 terms in the vocabulary
# ranked by the feature importances learned by a RandomForestClassif
    ier
#
# The terms you find will likely not be surprising given the document
    categories.
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