Sentiment Analysis: Memorability

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Summary

Using movie scripts, can a line be identified as memorable?

Are there frequent parts of speech tags that are used in memorable lines?

Can the memorability of a line be predicted?

Memorable: Worth remembering or easily remembered

Process

Data Mining

- Use 40 movie scripts from online database
- Break up scripts into a corpus of sentences
- Scrape yahoo search results to get hits per sentence
- Two main corpus for training:
 - Top Yahoo hits w/o manual annotation
 - Top Yahoo hits w/manual annotation

Feature Analysis

- Part of speech frequencies for each corpus
 - What are the most common breakdowns (tuples or more) for each type of sentence?
 - What tags are most frequently used for each type of sentence?

Prediction

- ◆ Approach:
 - split up sentences into data set of words per memorability type
 - ← Eliminate low information
 - Use Information gain/Kullback-Leibler divergence
- Return predictions based off of corpus with and without annotations

Evaluation/Difficulties

- Difficulties:
 - Defining memorability
 - Consistency across annotators
 - Getting proper evaluation
 - Search engine hits
 - Which one is best?
 - ► Inherent problem of popularity bias
 - Getting enough data throttled from too much scraping

- Evaluation
 - Use of recall and f-score for annotator agreement
 - Use of same annotators and yahoo hits for new scripts
 - Compare predictions against manual annotations & engine hits of new scripts