Yelp Review Data Prediction Part I

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Data Overview

- ➤ Overall: 1546379 obs. of 8 variables
 - stars; name; text; date; city; longitude; latitude; categories
- > Names & location & date: not considered
- > Categories: 606 in train data and 611 in total
- >Text: 464938 words in total after first step data cleaning
- > Focus on text and categories



Text - Language

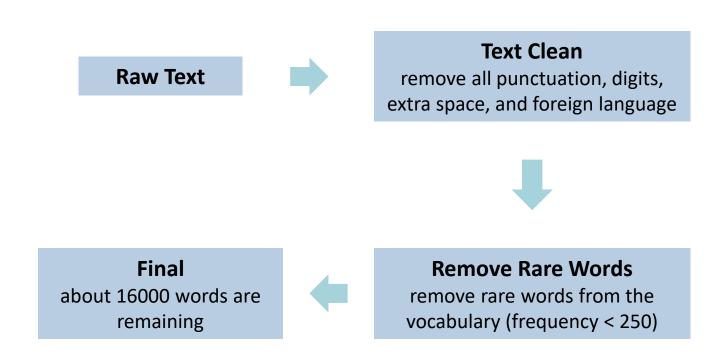
Language	English	German	French	Spanish	Italian	Japanese
Counts	1524126	13547	7190	553	187	143

• Foreign Language: 32

• English: 98.56%



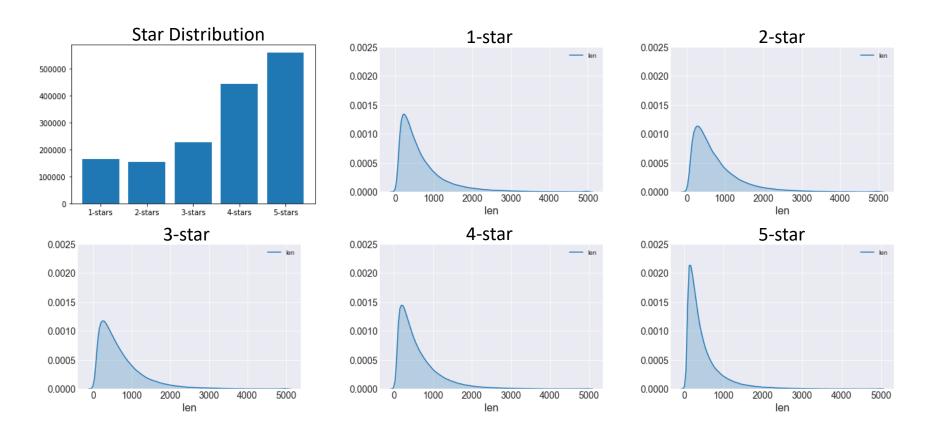
Text - Cleaning Procedure





Text – Length of Characters

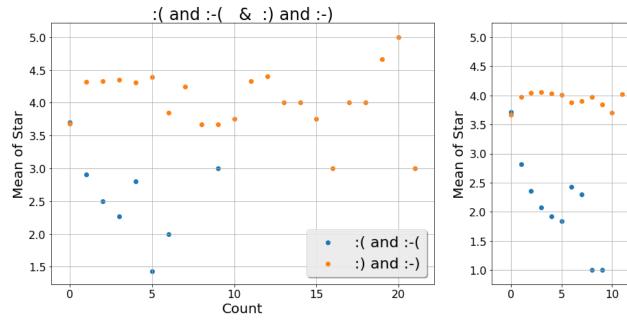
Star Distribution & Text Length Based on Rating

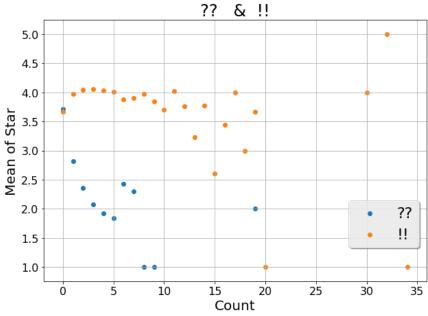




Text – Special Punctuation

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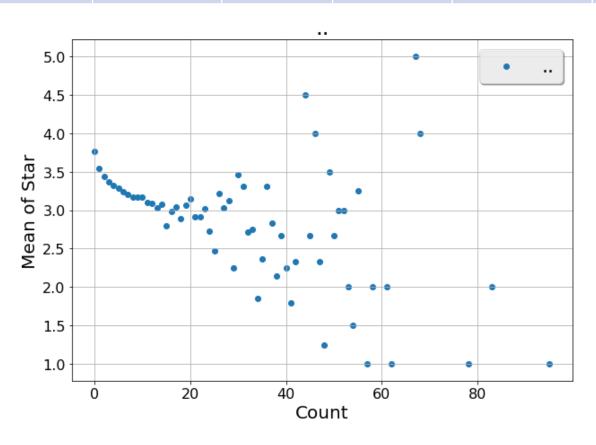






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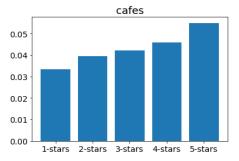
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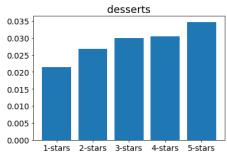


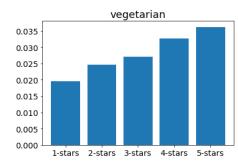


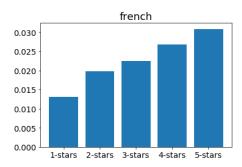
Categories

Positive Categories

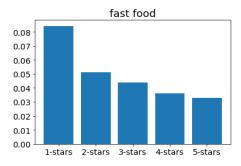


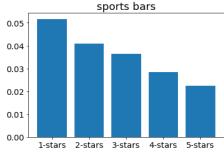


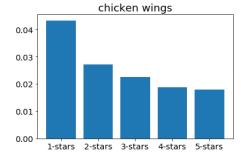


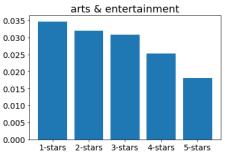


Negative Categories











Categories – Word Frequency

Positive Categories Examples

Vegan & Vegetarian

drinks nothing atmosphere sandwich another server soup nitely last, hot table indian side TIEVEI times bowl healthy dishes tasty however right many tasted different worth friend

French





Categories – Word Frequency

Negative Categories Examples







Future work

Linear model

- LASSO: select important words
- Add interaction terms of adverbs(prep) and adjectives:

e.g: not:good

very: good

however: fast

Neural network

A good method to do natural language processing

Thank You!