NLP EX5

<u>Implementation Explanation:</u>

• Feature Function:

The features function operates on two nodes. The features could be indicative or contra indicative that there is an arc between those two nodes. The features function also considers the label of the arc. It returns a vector of which features are relevant for the two nodes.

To save time and space we used indexe to represent a word , and index to represent a tag. Those indexes were used later to update the weights vector, and the score. W - the weight vector has $n^2 + t^2$ entries, each entry from 0 to $n^2 - 1$ defines an arc between two words , and each entry between n^2 to $t^2 - 1$ defines an arc between two tags. Where n represents the number of different words in the vocabulary , and t represents the number of different tags.

• Calculate Score:

Instead of using a dot product between a sparse binary features vector and the weight vector, all we need to do is to sum only two entries from the weights vector. The two relevant entries are calculated by:

- 1. first word index * number of words + second word index
- 2. number of words^2 + first word's tag index * number of tags + second word's tag index

The maximal spanning tree will be the one with the highest sum of scores of it's arcs

$$T' \leftarrow \operatorname{argmax}_T \sum_{(v_1, v_2, l) \in T} \operatorname{score}_{\theta}(T)$$

• Update the weights vector:

$$\theta^{((r-1)N+i)} \leftarrow \theta^{((r-1)N+i-1)} + \eta \cdot \Big(\sum_{(v_1,v_2,l) \in T_i} \Phi(v_1,v_2,l) - \sum_{(v_1,v_2,l) \in T'} \Phi(v_1,v_2,l) \Big)$$

In order to update the weights vector we need to subtract the sums of the feature function of an arc from the gold standard tree, from the sums of the feature function of an arc from the maximal spanning tree. To avoid building very large binary vectors we check if the mapped arcs are identical, if not we add 1 or -1 to the relevant entries, where finding the entries is done as explained above.

<u>Results</u>

Test Set Evaluation

Test Set Average Accuracy: 0.301

Where the accuracy of each sentence is calculated by:

$ACC = \frac{\#CORRECT\ EDGES}{\#NUMBER\ OF\ WORDS}$

and the average accuracy is the sum of sentences accuracy divided by the number of sentences.

We tried different ways to deal with the root node from the gold standard tree. We chose the most reasonable way that also had the highest accuracy of 0.301.

We chose to map root nodes of arcs to an index by checking if the head node is None or 0. According to the data set:

- If the head node is None than this arc is the one that represents the root. i.e (tree['head'] = None,tree['address']= 0), where tail = tree['deps]['ROOT'] is the index of the tail word in the sentence.

 We map the head to index 0, and the tail index on the sentence is found by the 'deps' value of the tree's root. Then, we map it to a word, and then to the index according to the location on the words set, i.e (head = 0, tail = index on words set). In this case the tags are (head_tag = 0,tail_tag = index on tags set).
- If the head node is 0 then this arc is from the root to the first word, i.e (tree['head'] = 0,tree['address']= tail)

 We find the tail index with dictionaries that maps the index of a word from a sentence to a word, and a word from the words set of training set to an index that will be updated in W , i.e (head = 0, tail = index on words set). In this case the tags are (head_tag = 0,tail_tag = index on tags set).
- Else, we find the head index and the tag index with dictionaries that maps the index of a word from a sentence to a word, and a word from the words set of training set to an index that will be updated in W, i.e (head = index on words set, tail = index on words set). In this case the tags are (head_tag = index on words set, tail_tag = index on tags set).

Accuracies:

- When root is defined by index 0, and the word it's connected to get's the relevant index, the accuracy is 0.301.
 When adding an arc of the root (head= None, tail = 0) that is mapped to (0, first word index) to the gold standard arcs list the accuracy is 0.284
- 2. When root's head and tail are defined by indexes 0 (ignoring the word that the root is connected to) the accuracy is 0.267 Check root: 0.251

3. When only root's head is defined by indexes 0, without checking if head is None the accuracy is 0.2799

Check root: 0.263

Evaluate 100 sentences from training set results:

Training Set Average Accuracy: 0.519

Example of a sentence from training set:

Predicted arcs of the maximal spanning tree:

ROOT -> underscore Plans -> that that -> give that -> have give -> maintaining give -> . advertisers -> ad advertisers -> competition discounts -> for maintaining -> or maintaining -> increasing maintaining -> spending or -> discounts increasing -> at ad -> Plans ad -> the ad -> B. ad -> Zuckerman ad -> World have -> News become -> fixtures become -> between become -> advertisers permanent -> become at -> weeklies at -> Inc. weeklies -> news underscore -> permanent competition -> fierce between -> Report Inc. ->, Inc. -> & 's -> Newsweek 's -> Warner 's -> magazine 's -> Mortimer

's -> U.S.

magazine -> Time

Report -> and Report -> 's

Gold standard tree arcs:

ROOT -> have have -> Plans Plans -> that that -> give give -> advertisers give -> discounts discounts -> for for -> maintaining maintaining -> or maintaining -> increasing spending -> ad maintaining -> spending have -> become fixtures -> permanent become -> fixtures fixtures -> at weeklies -> the at -> weeklies weeklies -> news have -> and have -> underscore competition -> the underscore -> competition competition -> fierce competition -> between Report -> Newsweek between -> Report Report -> , 's -> Time magazine -> 's 's -> Warner 's -> Inc. Report -> magazine magazine -> Time Report ->, Report -> and 's -> Mortimer Report -> 's 's -> B. 's -> Zuckerman Report -> U.S. Report -> News Report -> & Report -> World

have -> .

Shared arcs of gold standard tree and predicted tree:

Plans -> that that -> give discounts -> for maintaining -> or maintaining -> increasing maintaining -> spending become -> fixtures at -> weeklies weeklies -> news competition -> fierce between -> Report 's -> Warner magazine -> Time Report -> and 's -> Mortimer Report -> 's

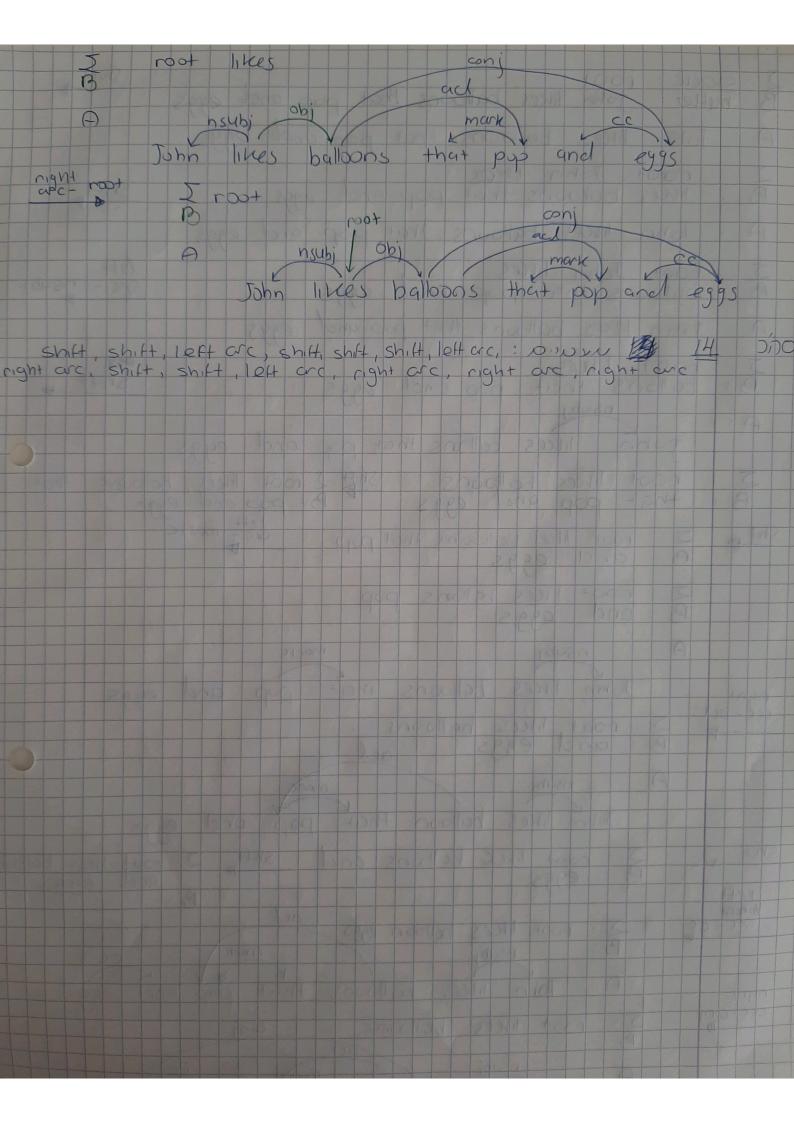
Example Accuracy: 0.3478

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