

NLP Assignment 3

1. What's the difference between regular grammar and regular expressions?

Regular Grammar:

Describes the rules for constructing strings in a language using a set of production rules. It typically consists of terminals, non-terminals, production rules, and a start symbol. It defines the language's syntax through a set of production rules like $A \rightarrow aB$.

Regular Expressions:

Provide a concise way to represent patterns in strings. They are sequences of characters defining a search pattern. Regular expressions are more about pattern matching and are widely used in tasks like string matching and text processing.

2. In the context of NLP, what is parsing?

Parsing in NLP refers to the process of analyzing the grammatical structure of a sentence to determine its syntactic constituents. It involves breaking down sentences into their grammatical components such as nouns, verbs, adjectives, etc., and determining the relationships between these components.

3. What exactly is the TF-IDF procedure?

TF-IDF is a numerical statistic used to evaluate the importance of a word in a document relative to a collection of documents (corpus). It calculates a weight for each word based on its frequency in the document and rarity across documents, aiming to highlight words that are significant for a particular document.

4. Which factors influence Natural Language Processing interpretation?

Context, ambiguity, syntax, semantics, co-reference resolution, word sense disambiguation, and domain-specific knowledge are some of the factors influencing NLP interpretation. Understanding the context and disambiguating word meanings are critical challenges in accurate interpretation.

5. What are the different types of conversational interfaces?

Conversational interfaces include Chatbots (text-based), Voice Assistants (voice-based), and Multimodal Interfaces (combination of text, voice, and visual elements). Chatbots and voice assistants are widely used for communication and interaction in various applications.

6. Apply Uni-gram and Bi-grammar-gram to the statement "I am really happy."

Uni-gram:

Uni-grams are single words in a sentence. For the statement "I am really happy," the uni-grams are: ["I", "am", "really", "happy"].

Bi-gram:

Bi-grams are pairs of adjacent words in a sentence. For the statement "I am really happy," the bi-grams are: ["I am", "am really", "really happy"].