



**Product Trend Analysis By Mining Twitter Data**

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**Using R and Tableau**

# Scrapping Twitter Data

Package Used : **twitterR**

Date Range	Nov 24 - Nov 29
Hashtags	1. Apple + iphone 2. Samsung+ galaxy
Geolocations	1. Los Angeles 2. New York 3. Toronto 4. London
Fields	1. Tweet Text 2. Retweet Count 3. Favorite Count 4. IsRetweet 5. Time

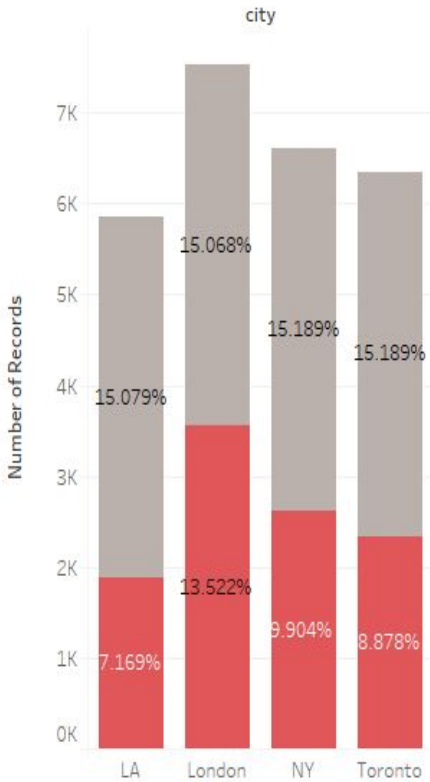
Total Number of Tweets	26,334
Apple	15939
Samsung	10395

## Distribution of Tweets

Red : Samsung

Grey : Apple

Tweets Collected in Popular Cities



# Preprocessing the Tweets

Filter the tweets which contains words related to deals and coupons

<b>Coupons</b>	40
<b>Giveaway</b>	273
<b>Deals</b>	1288
<b>Giveawayends</b>	787
<b>Both products</b>	365

Custom Stop Words :  
BestBuy, Save,

Processes the tweets to remove following from the tweet text

## **Un recognised Variables :**

Convert from Latin1 to ASCII , if cannot be converted delete

## **Remove**

1. URLs
2. # Symbols
3. Punctuation symbols
4. Control Characters
5. Digits
6. White spaces
7. Stop words

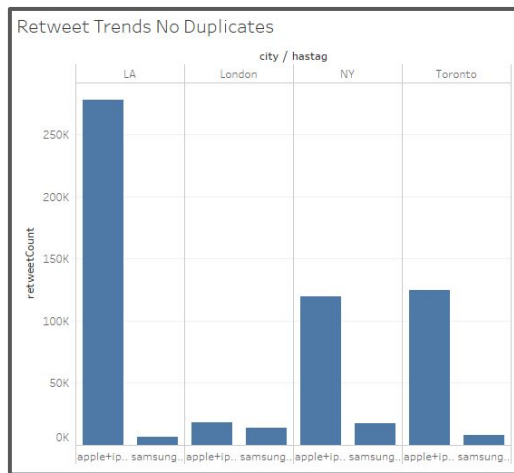
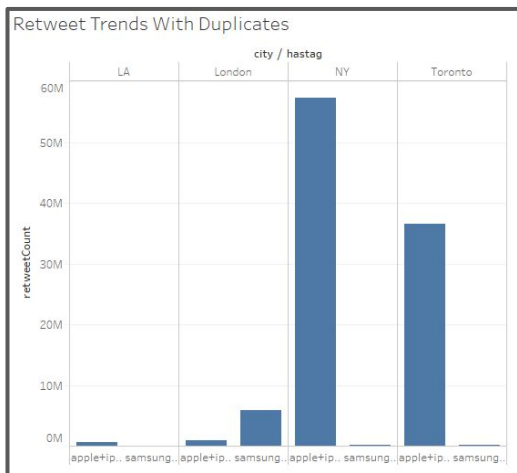
# Retweet and Duplicate Data

**Retweet** : Share the tweet with original tweet tagged.

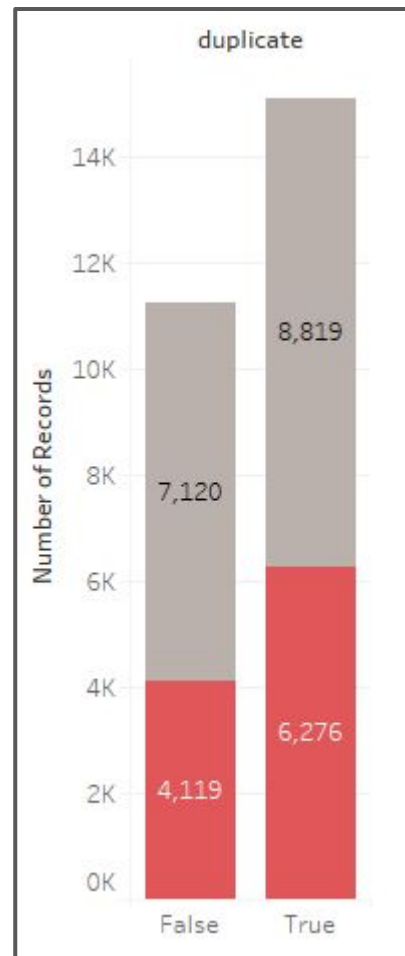
**Share Tweet** : Copy and paste the tweet

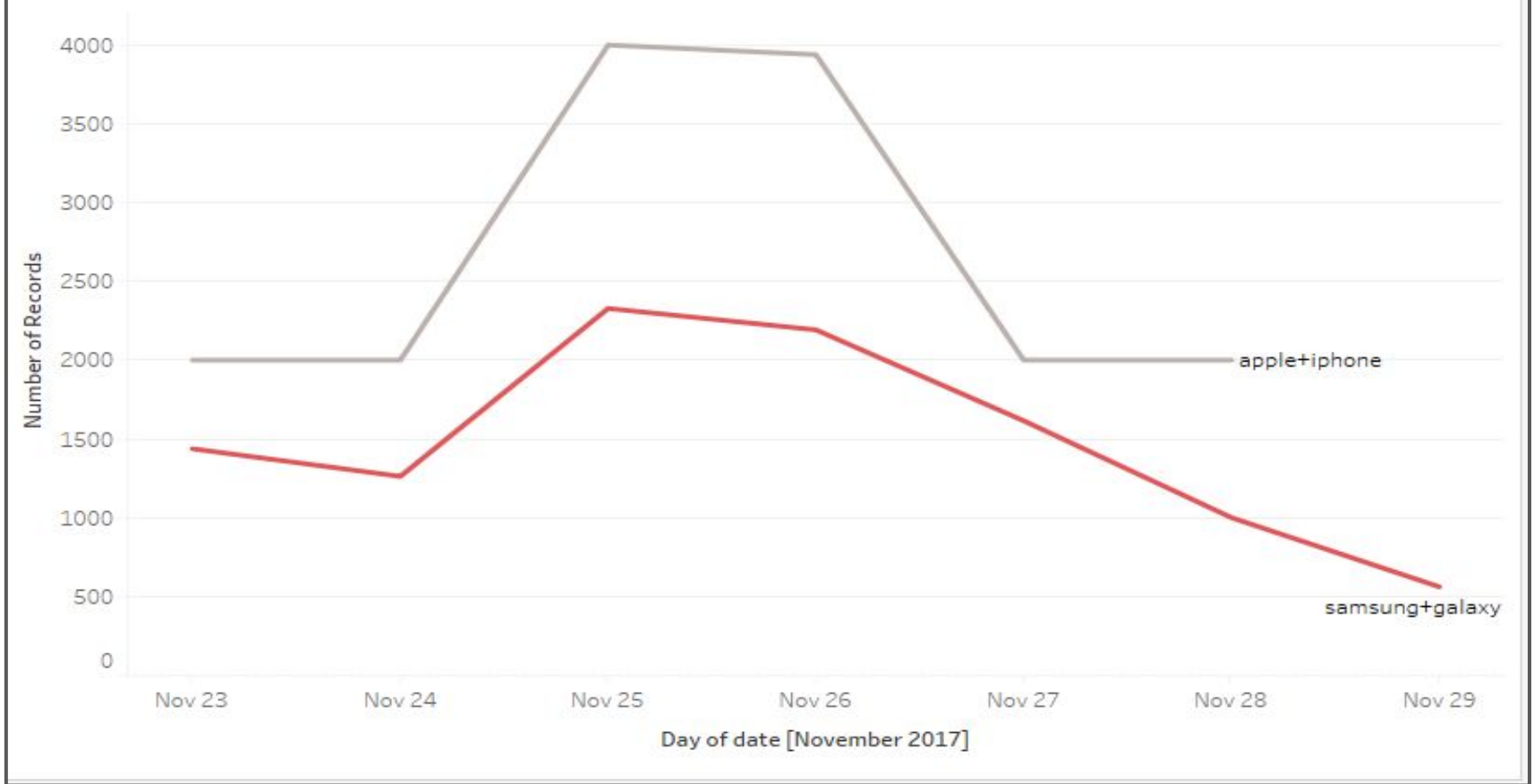
**Retweet + ShareTweet = Duplicated Data**

## Trends in Retweet



*Retweets  
Depict  
influence of  
any Events*





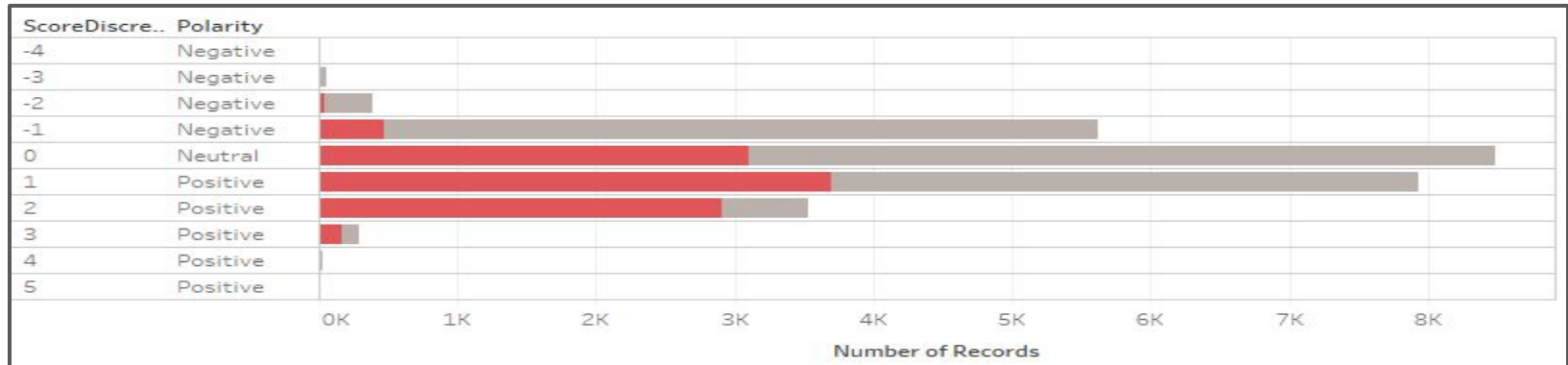
**Variation of Tweets in Time Series : Black Friday Effect**

# Sentiment Analysis

**Lexicon Based Analysis** : Based on the Lexicon Data provided by **University of Illinois** at Chicago. They have provided lists of Positive and negative words which is used for Classification of Tweets into positive , negative and neutral tweets.

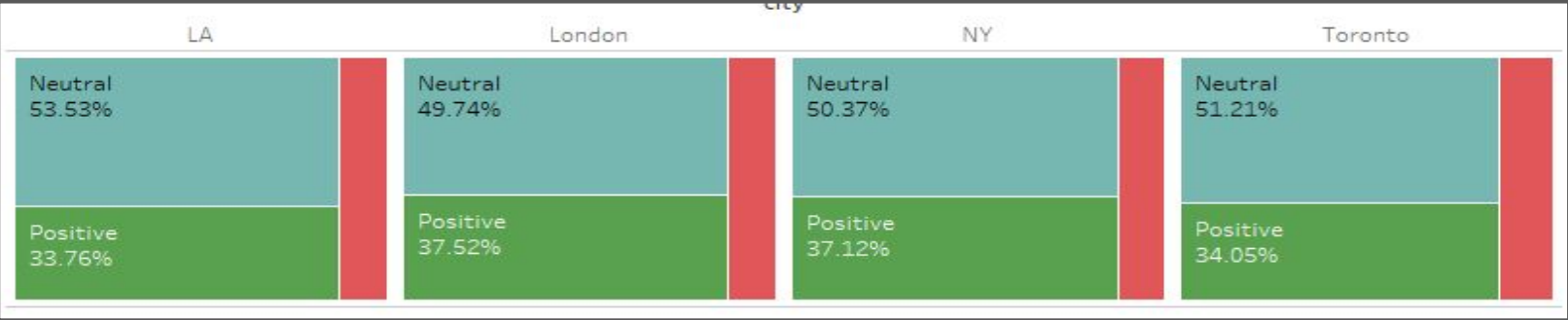
Processing Sentiment : Each tweet is split into words and matched against positive and negative words. **Sentiment score is the difference of {Positive Match - Negative Match }**

If the Score is 0 then “Neutral” ,  $>0$  “Positive” ,  $<0$  “Negative”

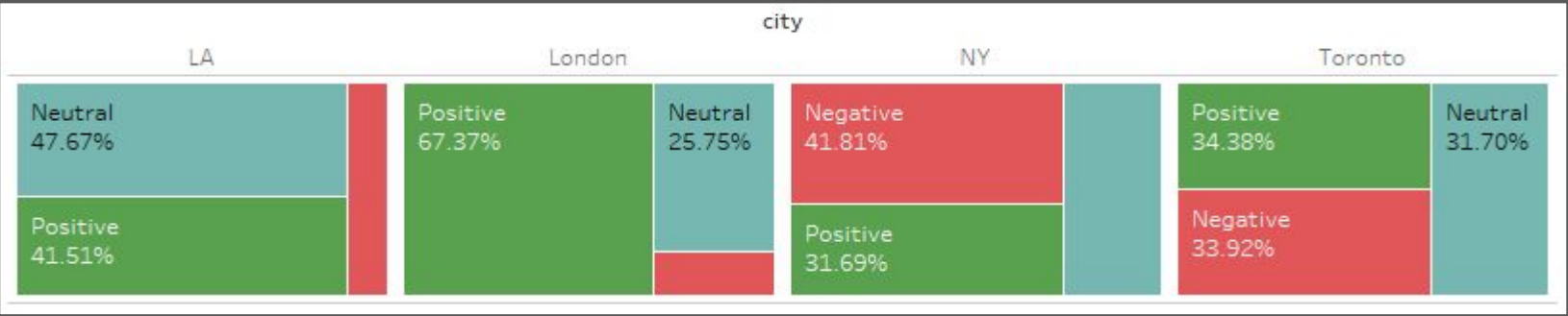


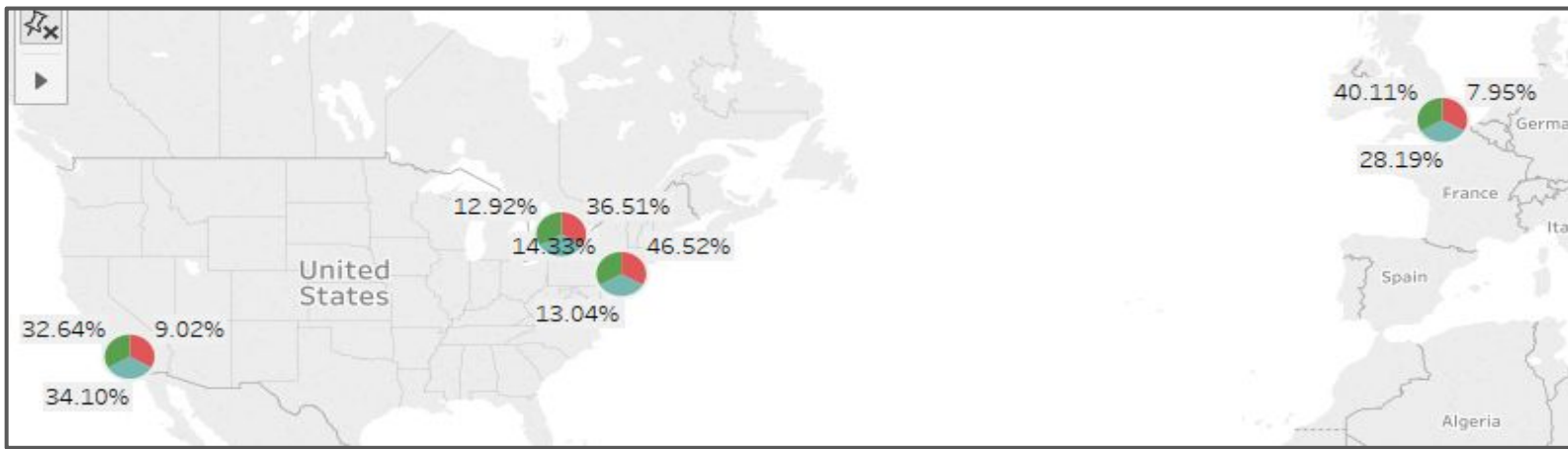
# Sentiment Analysis in Different Cities

## With Duplicates

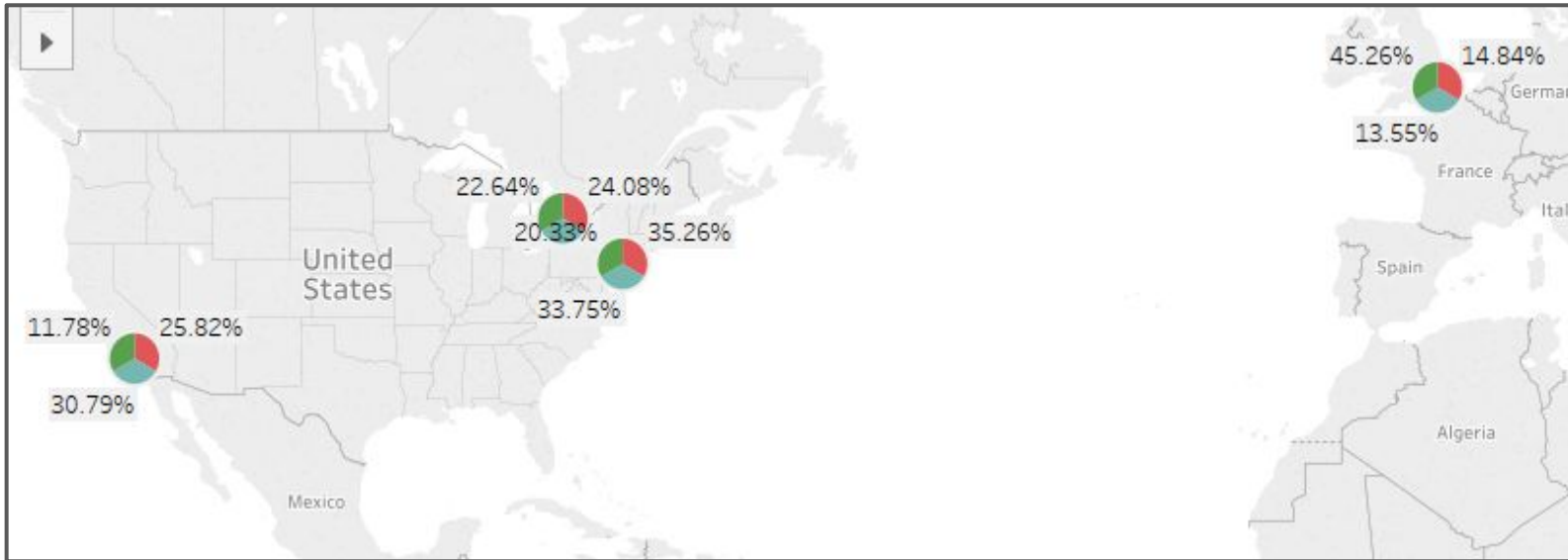


## No Duplicates





Apple  
Iphone



Samsung  
Galaxy



## Negative

This is so stupid I have an iPhone plus which is bigger and can use it with one hand It isnt that hard I have s

This is Apples awful phone experience iphone iphonex

Why is my Apple iPhone unable to access WiFi Internet and how to fix it Troubleshooting Guide

## Neutral

AmazonPrime Shipped Samsung Galaxy Note US Version Factory Unlocked Phone Screen GB Mid

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AmazonPrime Shipped Samsung GalaxyS Unlocked GB US Version Midnight Black US Warranty aff

## Positive

WIGHIfunny I love the Note Had the Notes since the Note and Im pleased And the Galaxy S is a really good p

VZWSupport How much for one line iphone x GB Unlimited data and apple care and protection

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# Predictive Analysis

Tried few algorithms like SVM and random forest.

## Steps Involved

1. Convert the sentiment score into 3 classes,  $=0$  "Neutral"  $> 0$  "Positive" and  $< 0$  "Negative"
2. Divide the Data into Train and test
3. Converted the text part of data into Document term matrix.
4. Accuracy was around 60 % , precision and recall values are not good as data is highly imbalanced.

## Packages Used :

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