Assignment 2: Classification for the Detection of Opinion Spam

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Dataset for training, validation and test

Dataset split

Feature selection

```
# Remove terms that occur in less than 5% of the documents
# Training document-term matrix
train.dtm.freq <- removeSparseTerms(train.dtm, 0.95)</pre>
# Test document-term matrix
test.dtm.freq <- DocumentTermMatrix(reviews.all[-index.train],</pre>
                                     list(dictionary = dimnames(train.dtm.freq)[[2]]))
# Training document-term matrix for bigrams
train.dtm.bigram.freq <- removeSparseTerms(train.dtm.bigram, 0.99)
# Test document-term matrix for bigrams
test.dtm.bigram.freq <- DocumentTermMatrix(reviews.all[-index.train],</pre>
                                             list(dictionary = dimnames(train.dtm.bigram.freq)[[2]]))
# Combine unigrams and bigrams
# Training document-term matrix for unigrams and bigrams
train.dtm.bigram.freq <- cbind(train.dtm.freq, train.dtm.bigram.freq)
# Test document-term matrix for unigrams and bigrams
test.dtm.bigram.freq <- cbind(test.dtm.freq, test.dtm.bigram.freq)</pre>
# Select top-n mutual-information terms from total vocabularies
index.top300 <- calculate.topn(train.dtm, topn = c(1:300))</pre>
train.dtm.top300 <- train.dtm[, index.top300]</pre>
test.dtm.top300 <- test.dtm[, index.top300]</pre>
# Select top-n mutual-information terms from frequent terms
index.freq.top200 <- calculate.topn(train.dtm.freq, topn = c(1:200))</pre>
train.dtm.freq.top200 <- train.dtm[, index.freq.top200]</pre>
test.dtm.freq.top200 <- test.dtm[, index.freq.top200]</pre>
```

Classifiers

Multinomial naive Bayes

```
# 4-fold cross validation
reviews.mnb.pred <- c()
reviews.mnb.actual <- c()

# hyper-parameter: feature selection
# the best option: only mutual information to select top-300 terms out of 6900 total terms
train.dtm.mnb <- train.dtm.top300</pre>
```

```
for(i in 1:4) {
  # Validation fold
  val.start <- (i - 1) * 80 + 1
  val.end \leftarrow val.start + 80 - 1
  val.range <- c(c(val.start:val.end), 320+c(val.start:val.end))</pre>
  # Training fold
  train.range \leftarrow c(c(1:320)[-val.range], 320+c(1:320)[-val.range])
  # Train the model with priors and conditional probabilities
  reviews.mnb <- train.mnb(as.matrix(train.dtm.mnb)[train.range,], labels[index.train][train.range])</pre>
  # Make predictions
  reviews.mnb.pred <- c(reviews.mnb.pred, predict.mnb(reviews.mnb, as.matrix(train.dtm.mnb)[val.range,]
  reviews.mnb.actual <- c(reviews.mnb.actual, labels[index.train][val.range])</pre>
# Confusion matrix
conf.mat.mnb <- table(reviews.mnb.actual, reviews.mnb.pred, dnn = c("actual", "predicted"))</pre>
perf.mnb <-performance(conf.mat.mnb)</pre>
perf.mnb %>% kable()
```

| metric | value |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| recall | 0.9531250 |
| miss-rate | 0.0468750 |
| fall-out | 0.1218750 |
| selectivity | 0.8781250 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.8866279 |
| false omission rate | 0.0506757 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 7.8205128 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.0533808 |
| accuracy | 0.9156250 |
| false discovery rate | 0.1133721 |
| neg predictive value | 0.9493243 |
| diagnostic odds ratio | 146.5042735 |
| F1 | 0.9186747 |

```
# 4-fold cross validation
reviews.mnb.bigram.pred <- c()
reviews.mnb.bigram.actual <- c()

# hyper-parameter: feature selection
# the best option: only mutual information to select top-300 terms out of 6900 total terms
train.dtm.mnb.bigram <- train.dtm.bigram.freq

for(i in 1:4) {
    # Validation fold
    val.start <- (i - 1) * 80 + 1
    val.end <- val.start + 80 - 1
    val.range <- c(c(val.start:val.end), 320+c(val.start:val.end))</pre>
```

| metric | value |
|-----------------------|------------|
| recall | 0.8000000 |
| miss-rate | 0.2000000 |
| fall-out | 0.1468750 |
| selectivity | 0.8531250 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.8448845 |
| false omission rate | 0.1899110 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 5.4468085 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.2344322 |
| accuracy | 0.8265625 |
| false discovery rate | 0.1551155 |
| neg predictive value | 0.8100890 |
| diagnostic odds ratio | 23.2340426 |
| F1 | 0.8218299 |
| | |

Regularized logistic regression

245 244 241 236 231 220 202 163 98 57 23 3 1

```
Misclassification Error

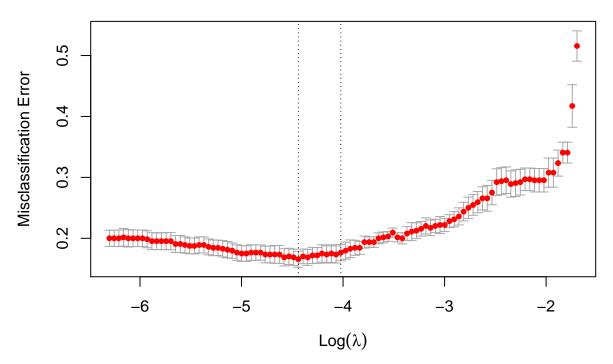
-10 -8 -6 -4 -2

Log(λ)
```

| metric | value |
|----------------------|-----------|
| recall | 0.7125000 |
| miss-rate | 0.2875000 |
| fall-out | 0.1000000 |
| selectivity | 0.9000000 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.8769231 |
| false omission rate | 0.2421053 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 7.1250000 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.3194444 |
| accuracy | 0.8062500 |
| false discovery rate | 0.1230769 |
| neg predictive value | 0.7578947 |

| metric | value |
|-----------------------|------------|
| diagnostic odds ratio | 22.3043478 |
| F1 | 0.7862069 |

259 250 229 212 179 142 102 70 34 18 9 1 1 1

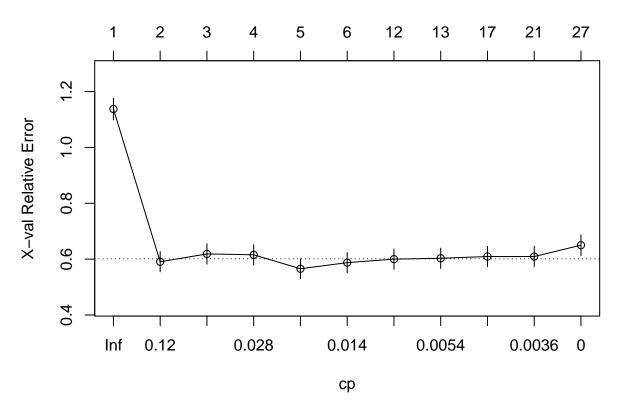


```
perf.logreg.bigram <-performance(conf.mat.logreg.bigram)
perf.logreg.bigram %>% kable()
```

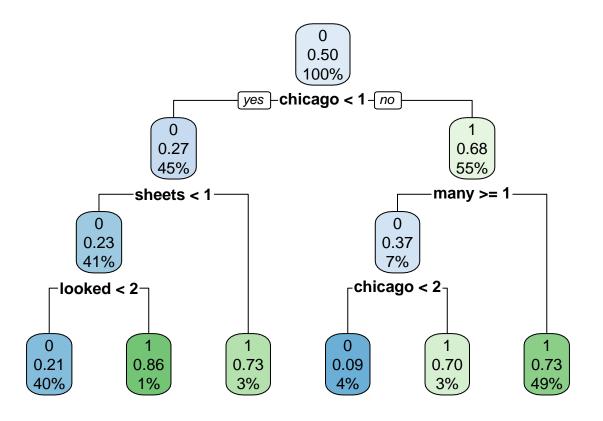
| metric | value |
|-----------------------|------------|
| recall | 0.6250000 |
| miss-rate | 0.3750000 |
| fall-out | 0.0875000 |
| selectivity | 0.9125000 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.8771930 |
| false omission rate | 0.2912621 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 7.1428571 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.4109589 |
| accuracy | 0.7687500 |
| false discovery rate | 0.1228070 |
| neg predictive value | 0.7087379 |
| diagnostic odds ratio | 17.3809524 |
| F1 | 0.7299270 |
| | |

Classification trees





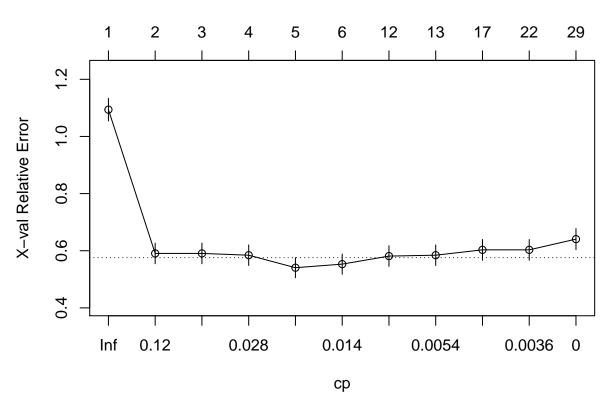
```
# Tree with lowest cv error
reviews.rpart.pruned <- prune(reviews.rpart, cp=0.014)
# Plot the tree
rpart.plot(reviews.rpart.pruned)</pre>
```



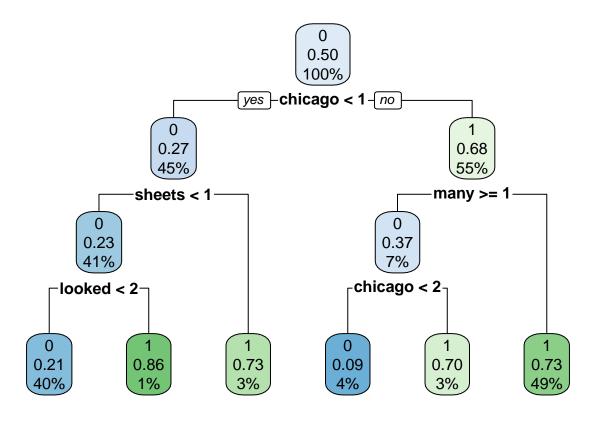
| metric | value |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| recall | 0.6000000 |
| miss-rate | 0.4000000 |
| fall-out | 0.2875000 |
| selectivity | 0.7125000 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.6760563 |
| false omission rate | 0.3595506 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 2.0869565 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.5614035 |
| accuracy | 0.6562500 |
| false discovery rate | 0.3239437 |
| neg predictive value | 0.6404494 |
| diagnostic odds ratio | 3.7173913 |

| metric | value |
|--------|-----------|
| F1 | 0.6357616 |

size of tree



```
# Tree with lowest cv error
reviews.rpart.bigram.pruned <- prune(reviews.rpart.bigram, cp=0.014)
# Plot the tree
rpart.plot(reviews.rpart.bigram.pruned)</pre>
```



| metric | value |
|----------------------|-----------|
| recall | 0.6000000 |
| miss-rate | 0.4000000 |
| fall-out | 0.2875000 |
| selectivity | 0.7125000 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.6760563 |
| false omission rate | 0.3595506 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 2.0869565 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.5614035 |
| accuracy | 0.6562500 |
| false discovery rate | 0.3239437 |
| neg predictive value | 0.6404494 |

| metric | value |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| diagnostic odds ratio | 3.7173913 |
| F1 | 0.6357616 |

Random forests

| metric | value |
|-----------------------|------------|
| recall | 0.8000000 |
| miss-rate | 0.2000000 |
| fall-out | 0.1750000 |
| selectivity | 0.8250000 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.8205128 |
| false omission rate | 0.1951220 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 4.5714286 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.2424242 |
| accuracy | 0.8125000 |
| false discovery rate | 0.1794872 |
| neg predictive value | 0.8048780 |
| diagnostic odds ratio | 18.8571429 |
| F1 | 0.8101266 |
| | |

| metric | value |
|-----------------------|------------|
| recall | 0.6625000 |
| miss-rate | 0.3375000 |
| fall-out | 0.1250000 |
| selectivity | 0.8750000 |
| prevalence | 0.5000000 |
| precision | 0.8412698 |
| false omission rate | 0.2783505 |
| pos likelihood ratio | 5.3000000 |
| neg likelihood ratio | 0.3857143 |
| accuracy | 0.7687500 |
| false discovery rate | 0.1587302 |
| neg predictive value | 0.7216495 |
| diagnostic odds ratio | 13.7407407 |
| F1 | 0.7412587 |

Hyper-parameters

Questions

- 1. For a single classification tree, the impurity reduction is not equal to mutual information?
- 2. the words found in feature selection (e.g. frequency or mutual information) = the words found in classification tree by impurity reduction = the words found in logistic regression by coef(s="lambda.1se") (e.g. as.matrix(coef(reviews.glmnet, s="lambda.1se"))[,1]['chicago'])?
- 3. sum(as.matrix(coef(reviews.glmnet, s="lambda.1se"))!= 0) is 52, so top50 is better?