# NLP PROJECT Neural POS Tagger

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#### 1 Introduction

#### 1.1 Project Introduction

- 1. POS tagging is a very basic task in NLP and Computational Linguistics. However, as many of you already know, the state of POS tagging for Indian Languages is quite a mess at the moment. This project as two sub parts.
- 2. Scope of this project is to use statistical classification or sequence labeling techniques such as HMMs, CRFs or basic neural network models in order to create a POS Tagger for GUJARATI language.

## 1.2 POS Tagging

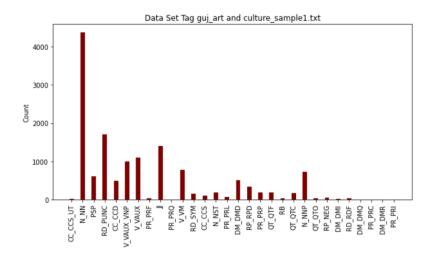
- 1. POS tagging is the process of tagging the words with their categories that best suits the definition of the word as well as the context of the sentence. It is often the first step for many NLP applications.
- 2. Aim of the project is to create the Neural network based POS Tagger for Gujrati Language.
- 3. In general and Gujrati Language in particular is not a very widely explored language in NLP Tasks. Also morphological complexity of the language makes it hard to develop NLP applications around it.
- 4. Previous Work has been done in the area of POS Tagging in Gujrati Language which uses different approaches like HMM (Hidden Markov Models) and CRF( Conditional Random Fields).
- 5. Purpose of this Project also includes the comparisons between these classical approaches and Neural POS Tagger

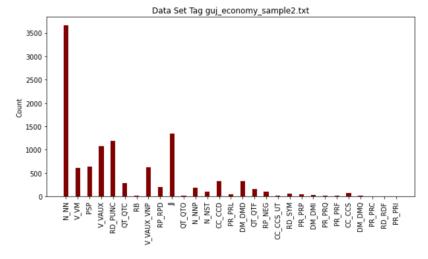
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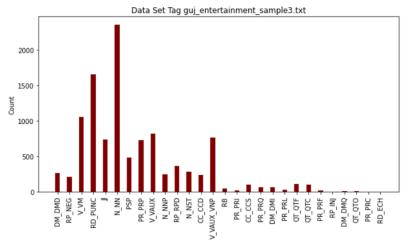
- Gujarati Monolingual Text Corpus ILCI-II 30,000 sentences of general domain. The translated sentences have been POS tagged according to BIS (Bureau of Indian Standards) tag set. https://www.ldcil.org/Download/Tagset/LDCIL/5Gujrati.pdf, It has eleven primary tags and similarly it divides in sub tags.
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- 2. economy sample2.txt
- 3. entertainment sample3.txt
- 4. Philosophy sample4.txt

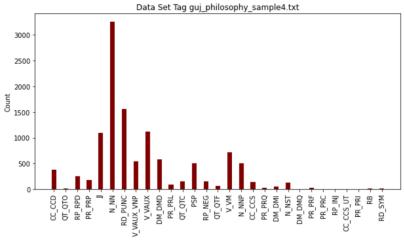
- 5. Religion sample5.txt
- 6. Science and technology sample 6. txt
- 7. Sports sample7.txt

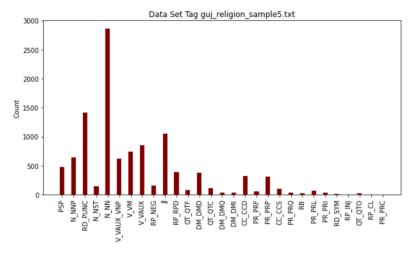
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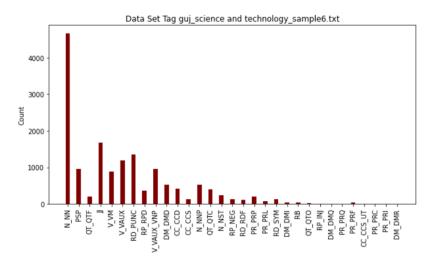


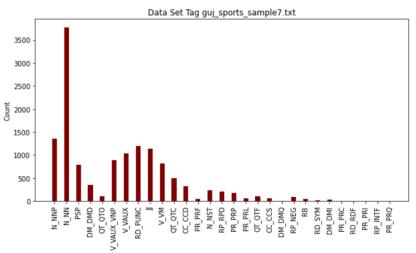












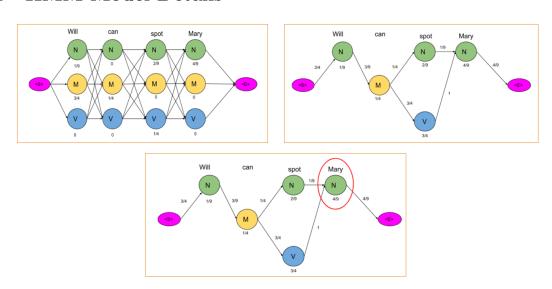
# 3 Baseline Mode

#### Reference Papers

- 1. Part-Of-Speech Tagging for Gujarati Using Conditional Random Fields ( Chirag Patel and Karthik Gali)
  - This paper describes a CRF machine learning algorithm for Gujarati Part of Speech Tagging.
  - This CRF model when provided with good features gives accuracy much better than other models.
  - The intuition presented in this paper is to convert the linguistic rules specific to Gujarati in to features which then provided to CRF. This method make use of advantages of both statistical and rule based approach.

- 2. A Statistical Method for Evaluating Performance of Part of Speech Tagger for Gujarati (Pooja M. Bhatt, Amit Ganatra)
  - This article presents POS tagging for Gujarati textual content the use of Hidden Markov Model. Using Gujarati text annotated corpus for training checking out statistics set are randomly separated. 80% accuracy is given by model. It discusses 2 approaches for POS tagging.
  - One is Supervised POS Tagging which requires tagged dataset this is used for studying details about rule sets, word-tag frequencies, tag gadgets, and so forth. The overall performance of supervised pos tagger fashions boom with enhancement of corpus's length.
  - Second is Unsupervised POS Tagging The Model does now not require tagged dataset. By applying computational techniques together with the transformation rules, Algorithm to generate tag clusters.

#### 3.1 HMM Model Details



# 3.2 HMM Implementation Details

- 1. Data processing by extracting unique words from the training data.
- 2. Initially set count of each tag as zero and then count of occurrence of each tag.
- 3. Initialize and update Emission Transmission matrix.
- 4. For testing data compute viterbi decoding.
- 5. Remove the path with minimum probability and backtrack for given sentence

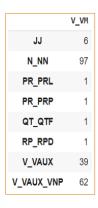
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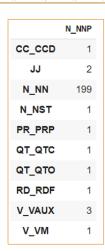
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IJ	6
N_NNP	19
N_NST	1
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PR_PRL	2
PR_PRP	1
PSP	5
RD_PUNC	1
RD_RDF	1
RP_RPD	2
V_VAUX	10
V_VAUX_VNP	3
V_VM	14









#### 3.4 CRF Model Details

- 1. A CRF is a sequence modeling algorithm which is used to identify entities or patterns in text, such as POS tags.
- 2. These models take into account previous data for which we use features which are generated from the data to feed into the CRF.
- 3. We define feature functions that express certain characteristic of the sequence that the data point represents , Ex : The tag sequence noun  $-\dot{\iota}$  verb  $-\dot{\iota}$  adjective
- 4. Y is the hidden state and X is the observed variable

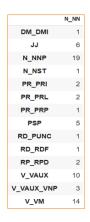
$$p(\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{Z(\mathbf{x})} \prod_{t=1}^{T} \exp \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{K} \theta_k f_k(y_t, y_{t-1}, \mathbf{x}_t) \right\}$$
Normalization Weight Feature

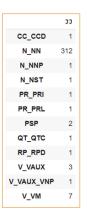
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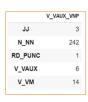
- The weight estimation is performed by maximum likelihood estimation(MLE) using the feature functions we define.
  - 1. Word
  - 2. Lowercase word
  - 3. Prefixes and suffixes of the word of varying lengths
  - 4. If word is a digit
  - 5. If word is a punctuation mark
  - 6. The length of the word no. of characters (since shorter words are expected to be more likely to belong to a particular POS)
  - 7. Stemmed version of the word
  - 8. Features mentioned above for the previous word, the following word, and the words two places before and after

# 3.6 CRF Results

	N_NN	PR_PRL	11	V_VAUX_V	V_VAUX	N_NNP	RD_PUNC	DM_DMD	N_NST	PR_PRI	PR_PRP	V_VM	PSP	DM_DMI	RP_RPD	QT_QTF	RP_NEG	CC_CCD	QT_QTC
JJ	6	(	) (	3	1	2	0	0	3	0	4	6	10	0	2	13	0	0	7
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RD_PUNC	1	(	) (	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N_NST	1	(	) 1	1 0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0
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DM_DMQ	0	(	) (	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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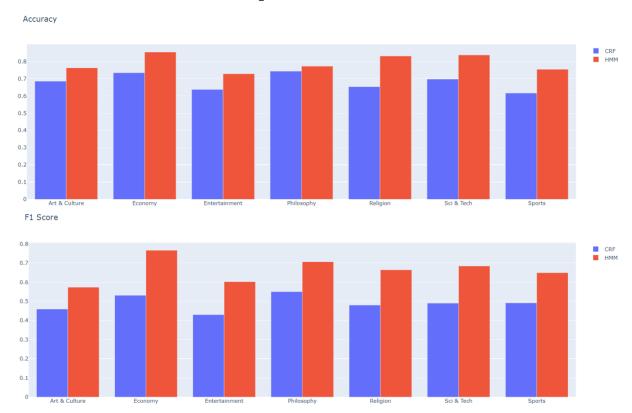




	V_VM
JJ	6
N_NN	97
PR_PRL	1
PR_PRP	1
QT_QTF	1
RP_RPD	1
V_VAUX	39
V_VAUX_VNP	62

	N_NNP
CC_CCD	1
JJ	2
N_NN	199
N_NST	1
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QT_QTC	1
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#### 3.7 Baseline Model Comparison

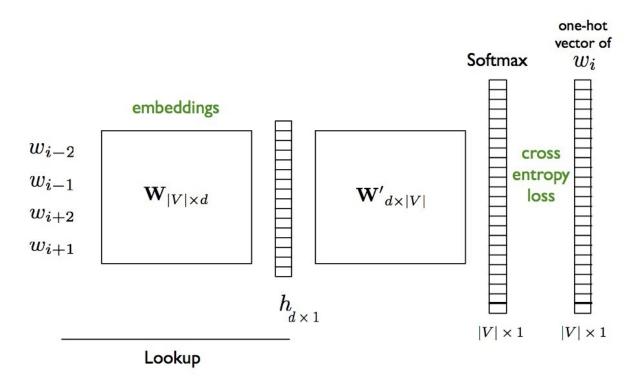


## 4 Neural Mode

## 4.1 Reference Papers

- 1. A Neural Network Model for Part-Of-Speech Tagging of Social Media Texts
  - This paper presents a neural network model for Part-Of-Speech (POS) tagging of User-Generated Content (UGC) such as Twitter, Facebook and Web forums. The proposed model uses both character and word level representations.
  - Character level representations are learned during the training of the model through a Convolutional Neural Network (CNN).
  - For word level representations paper describes combine several pre-trained embeddings (Word2Vec, FastText and GloVe).
  - To tackle the issue of the poor availability of annotated data on social media paper uses transfer learning. Neural model that we use for Transfer Learning experiments is based on bidirectional hierarchical Gated Recurrent Units (GRUs).

- It also uses 2 types of feature representations: character level and word level. CNN architecture is used for character level feature generation and Pretrained word embeddings are used for word level representation.
- 2. Part-Of-Speech Tagging using Neural network by Ankur Parikh
  - This paper presents two novel approaches of POS tagging using Neural network for Hindi language and compares them with two other machine learning approaches, HMM and CRF. In this paper, a single-neuro tagger, a Neural network based POS tagger with fixed length of context chosen is presented.
  - Then, a multineuro tagger which consists of multiple single-neuro taggers with fixed but different lengths of contexts is presented. Multineural tagger performs tagging by voting on the output of all single-neuro taggers.
- 3. Neural Network based Parts of Speech Tagger for Hindi
  - In this paper, Artificial Neural Network for Hindi parts of speech tagger has been used. Uses Rule base POS Tagger as the initial classifier and on top of it trains the Neural network to finally classify the words in tag classes.
  - The Rule based POS tagger tag the POS by simply using the Lexicon. The outcome of the Rule based POS Tagger is not perfect, for correction and accuracy it finally passes through the ANN based POS tagger. Here the ANN is used for pattern Recognition of corpus to identify and correct the POS tagging



#### 4.2 Word Embedding

- 1. Word embeddings are a type of word representation that allows words with similar meaning to have a similar representation.
- 2. Embedding layer is learned jointly with a neural network model on a specific natural language processing task It requires that document text be cleaned and prepared such that each word is one-hot encoded.
- 3. The size of the vector space is specified as part of the model, such as 50, 100, or 300 dimensions.
- 4. The vectors are initialized with small random numbers. The embedding layer is used on the front end of a neural network and is fit in a supervised way using the Backpropagation algorithm

#### 4.3 Model-1: LSTM

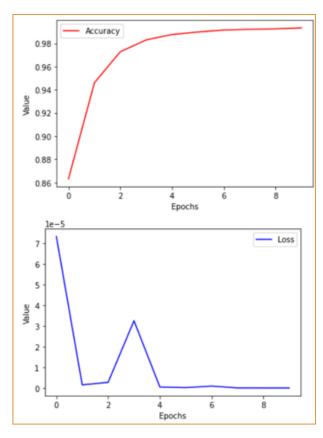
- 1. Model consist of the Word LSTM tagger , the Character LSTM Tagger and hidden states.
- 2. The LSTM takes in a sequence (words or characters), embeds the sequence into an embedding space (dimension of the space is a hyperparameter), and runs the LSTM model.
- 3. In current model, first the word level LSTM will take in a sequence of words and convert them into the word embedding space. Similarly, it will take the words sequentially and run the character level LSTM model, which will first take in the sequence of characters in each word and project it in the character embedding space and then run the LSTM model and take its hidden state and feed it back to the word LSTM model.
- 4. Using the character level hidden representation for every word as well as the word embedding, the word level model then runs LSTM on the sequence of words, and outputs the predictions for every tag.

#### LSTM Model Details

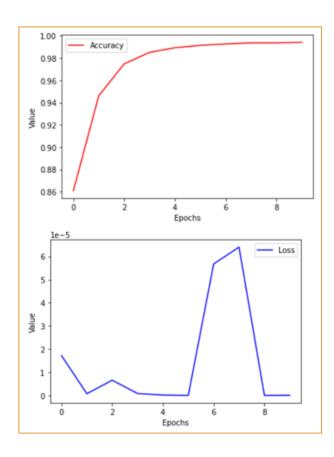
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model.eval()

DualLSTMTagger(
   (word_embedding): Embedding(20609, 1024)
   (char_embedding): Embedding(140, 128)
   (char_lstm): LSTM(128, 1024)
   (lstm): LSTM(2048, 1024)
   (hidden2tag): Linear(in_features=1024, out_features=34, bias=True)
)
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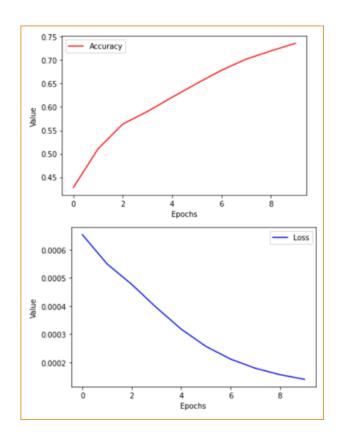
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# RMSPROP



#### SGD



#### Validation Results

#### ADAM Optimizer

from sklearn.metrics import accuracy\_score
accuracy\_score(y\_true, y\_pred)
0.7975521669341894

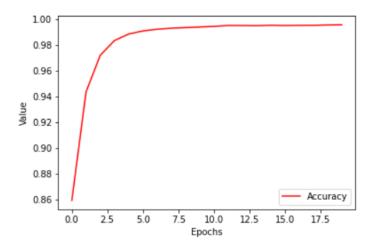
#### SGD Optimizer

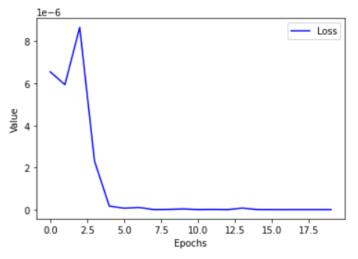
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy\_score
accuracy\_score(y\_true, y\_pred)
0.6857945425361156

#### RMSProp Optimizer

from sklearn.metrics import accuracy\_score
accuracy\_score(y\_true, y\_pred)
0.7734751203852327

# Testing Results



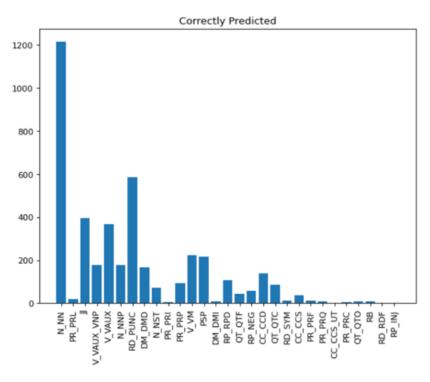


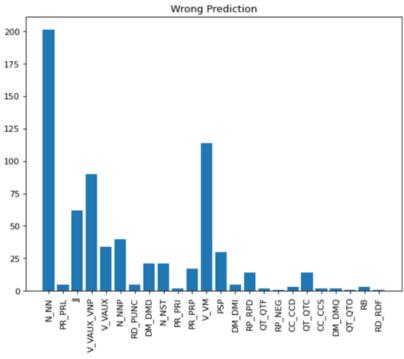
```
print("Training set Size ",len(train))
print("Test set Size ",len(test))
print("Sample Test")
print(test[2])

Training set Size 6650
Test set Size 350
Sample Test
[('એમના', 'PR_PRP'), ('ધરે', 'N_NN'), ('દરસેજ', 'N_NST'), ('હાર્માનિયમ', 'N_NN'), ('વાગ્યા', 'V_VM'), ('5રતું', 'V_VAUX_VNP'), ('.', 'RD_PUNC')]
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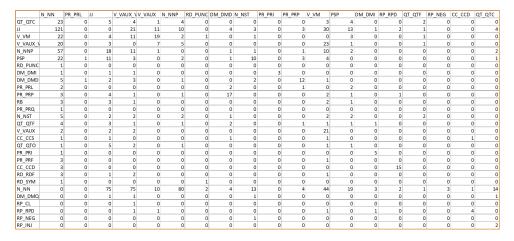
```
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
accuracy_score(y_true, y_pred)
0.8602106969205835
```

# 4.5 Correct vs Wrong Prediction





# 4.6 Error Analysis



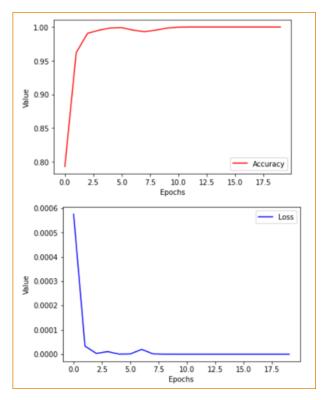
#### 4.7 Model-2: BILSTM

- 1. Bidirectional LSTM are just putting two independent LSTMs together.
- 2. This structure allows the networks to have both backward and forward information about the sequence at every time step Difference between unidirectional and Bidirectional LSTM is that in the LSTM that runs backward you preserve information from the future.
- 3. Using the two hidden states combined model is able to preserve information from both past and future at any point of time.

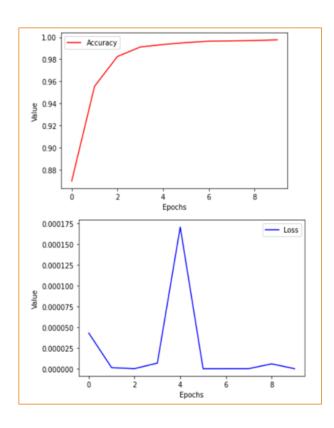
#### 4.8 BILSTM Model Details

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DualBILSTMTagger(
   (word_embedding): Embedding(20609, 1024)
   (char_embedding): Embedding(140, 128)
   (char_lstm): LSTM(128, 1024)
   (lstm): LSTM(2048, 1024, bidirectional=True)
   (hidden2tag): Linear(in_features=2048, out_features=34, bias=True)
)
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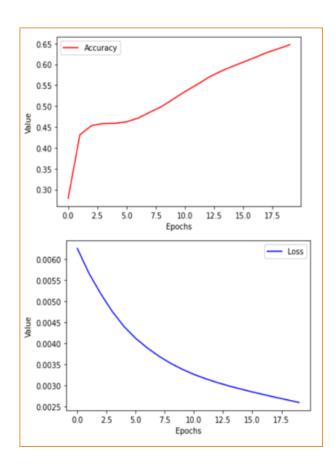
# 4.9 BILSTM Hyper-Parameter Tuning Model-2 ADAM



# RMSPROP



#### SGD



#### **BILSTM Validation Results**

#### ADAM Optimizer

from sklearn.metrics import accuracy\_score
accuracy\_score(y\_true, y\_pred)
0.8261437908496732

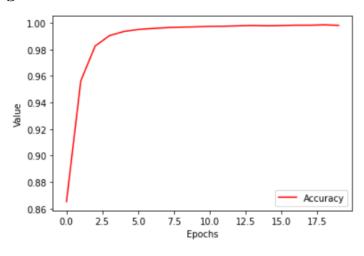
#### SGD Optimizer

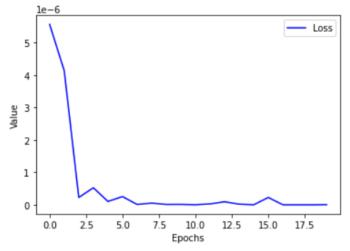
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy\_score
accuracy\_score(y\_true, y\_pred)
0.6274509803921569

#### RMSProp Optimizer

from sklearn.metrics import accuracy\_score accuracy\_score(y\_true, y\_pred)
0.7620646244229963

# **BILSTM Testing Results**



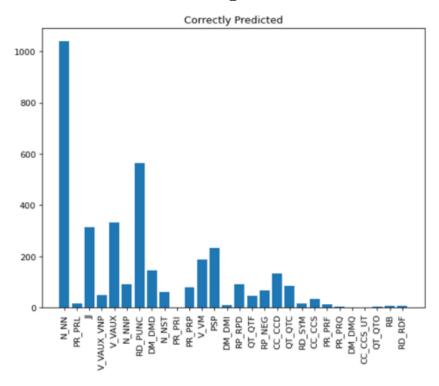


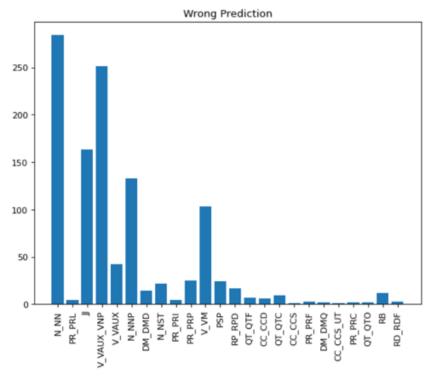
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print("Training set Size ",len(train))
print("Test set Size ",len(test))
print("Sample Test")
print(test[2])

Training set Size 6650
Test set Size 350
Sample Test
[('એમના', 'PR_PRP'), ('ધરે', 'N_NN'), ('દરરોજ', 'N_NST'), ('હાર્મોનિયમ', 'N_NN'), ('વાગ્યા', 'V_VM'), ('કરતું', 'V_VAUX_VNP'), ('.', 'RD_PUNC')]
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from sklearn.metrics import accuracy\_score accuracy\_score(y\_true, y\_pred)
0.7620646244229963

# 4.10 BILSTM Correct vs Wrong Prediction

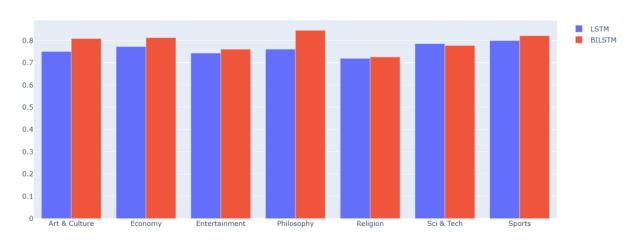




# 5 Results

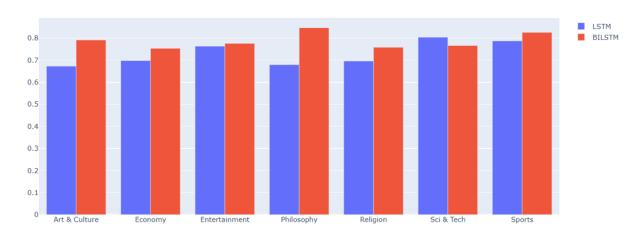
# 5.1 Accuracy

Accuracy



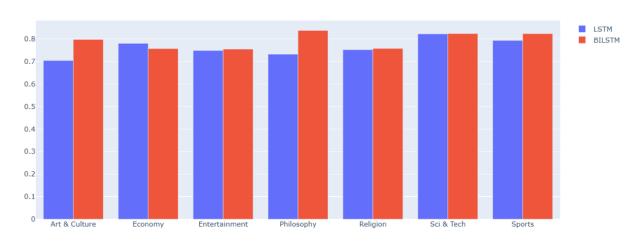
# 5.2 F1 Score

F1Score



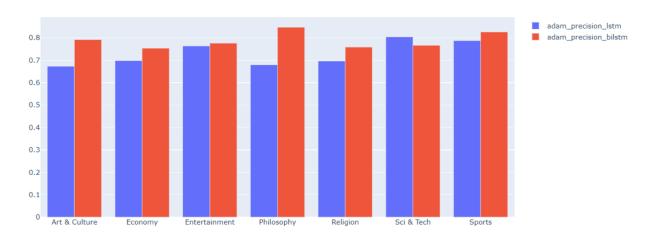
# 5.3 Recall

Recall



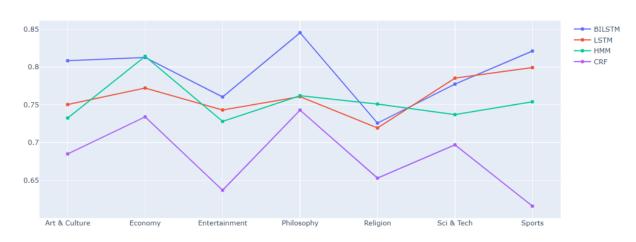
# 5.4 Precision

Precision



# 6 Comparison Statistical and Neural

#### Accuracy



#### F1Score

