Progress Report

Subject: Reproducing paper: Hongning Wang, Yue Lu, and ChengXiang Zhai. 2011. Latent aspect rating analysis without aspect keyword supervision.

1) Progress made thus far

Finished reading this paper and the original paper first paper.

Acquired the datasets needed for the paper experiments.

2) Remaining tasks

The remaining tasks would be actually understand the described model and try to reproduce the algorithm and experiment in time, hopefully.

3) Any challenges/issues being faced.

Since previously I'm quite busy with some other study in parallel with this course. Except for keeping up with the lesson and MPs, and also the taking exam, I hadn't have enough time to work on the project, or to join a team. So I'm working alone now.

This is also why I chose this reproducing paper as project, since I figured this requires least creativity thus effort, and might get some help from classmates and TAs.