

# ELM-LSTM Based Sentiment Analysis

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## Abstract

*The speed of machine learning has been a concern of the people. The speed of Extreme Learning Machine (ELM) has been improved very faster than others. However, the speed of Sequential Extreme Learning Machine is still slow. So, a fast sequence Extreme Learning Machine (Fast Sequential Extreme Learning Machine, FS-ELM) is present by the use of iterative calculation in calculation of the output weights at obtaining input weights and hidden bias randomly. Independent parts of data on the hidden layer are superimposed after acquiring the sequence training data. Then the output weights are obtained with calculation formula. In the initialization of the learning phase during training FS-ELM can accept any number of training data without affecting the accuracy of training and test impact. Supervised learning methods are widely used in text sentiment classification. To acquire high classification performance, the effective and precise term weighting scheme plays a prime and necessary role for classification system. The traditional term weighting schemes often ignore the use of the available labeling information as the prior knowledge, which results the expressed relationships between features and class labels are not accurate and adequate enough. Hence, this paper proposes a term weighting scheme which makes use of class contribution of feature terms, and obtains a scheme which takes into account the class contribution, local distribution and global distribution of feature terms.*

## Introduction

With the increase in number of documents on the Web, it has become increasingly important to reduce the noisy and redundant features which can reduce the training time and hence increase the performance of the classifier during text classification. Selection of a good classifier plays a vital role in the text classification process. Many of the traditional classifiers have their own limitations while solving any complex problems. On the other hand, Extreme

Learning Machine (ELM) is able to approximate any complex non-linear mappings directly from the training samples. Hence, ELM has a better universal approximation capability than conventional neural networks based classifiers.

ELM, a new learning scheme of feed forward neural networks, error surface that impacts the performance of back propagation learning algorithm is the presence of local minima. Neural network may be over-trained by using back propagation and obtain worse generalization performance. Extreme Learning Machine for Regression and Multiclass Classification, ELM uses multi output nodes, and index of the output node with the highest output value is considered as the label of input data. ELM and LS-SVM have the same optimization cost function. ELM method not only has universal approximation capability (of approximating any target continuous function) but also has classification capability (of classifying any disjoint regions).

“An ELM-based model for affective analogical reasoning” when it comes to interpreting sentences and extracting useful information for users, their capabilities are still very limited. Indeed, such scenario has led to the emerging fields of opinion mining and sentiment analysis, which deal with information retrieval and knowledge discovery from text using data mining and natural language processing (NLP) techniques to distill knowledge and opinions. Mining opinions and sentiments from natural language though, an extremely difficult task as it involves a deep understanding of most of the explicit and implicit, regular and irregular, syntactical and semantic rules proper of a language. The target spotting module aims to separate one or more opinion targets, such as people, places, events and ideas, from the input concepts.

ELM have a, quick learning speed, ability to manage huge volume of data, requirement of less human intervention, good generalization capability, easy implementation etc. are some of the salient features which make ELM more popular compared to other traditional classifiers. Recently developed Multilayer ELM which is based on the architecture of deep learning is an extension of ELM and have more than one hidden In this paper, we propose an approach for feature selection called Commonality-Rarity Score Computation (CRSC) by means of three parameters (Alpha (measures weighted commonality), Beta (measures extent of occurrence of a term) and Gamma (average weight of term per document)), computes the score of a term in order to rank them based on their relevance. The top m% features are selected for text classification.

**Literature survey**

**Jithin et al [1]** presented a classification of text that combines two machine learning techniques, K-Means and extreme learning machines. First the clustering and feature selection is performed by using K-Means algorithm and then this attribute will be the training set for the extreme learning machine. First the data is preprocessed in their approach. After that feature was extracted. The features selection using information gain method then from the reduced data set chi-square method is used for exact features. Feature selection is necessary for removing features that are not relevant.

**Shah et al [2]** addressed a new clustering based feature selection technique that reduces the feature size. Traditional k-means clustering technique along with TF-IDF and Wordnet helps to form a quality and reduced feature vector to train the Extreme Learning Machine (ELM) and Multi-layer ELM (ML-ELM) which has been used as the classifiers for text classification. TF-IDF scores and finally all these top features are combined together to generate the final reduced feature vector of a cluster.

**Yong et al [3]** discussed a technique, namely window-based sentence representation (WSR), to obtain the features of sentences using pre-trained word vectors. The method is developed based on the Extreme Learning Machine (ELM). This proposed framework does not require any prior knowledge and thus can be applied to various document summarization tasks with different languages, written styles and so on.

**Pranav et al [4]** addressed a new feature selection technique called CRSC, where three parameters (Alpha, Beta and Gamma) are computed for each term of a document. Finally, a score for each term is calculated using these three parameters values. Then the terms are ranked in each cluster based on the assigned scores and top m% features are selected as the important features which are used to train the classifiers.

**Philip et al [5]** described a new algorithm providing regularized training of the extreme learning machine (ELM) that uses a modified conjugate gradient (CG) method to determine the network hidden to output weights. The solution is initialized to zero and during the CG iterations, we monitor the validation set error. When the error begins to rise we terminate the CG algorithm. The operations per iteration is  $O(P^2)$ , where P is the number of output weights, which is significantly faster than the  $O(P^3)$  operations per iteration required by ridge regression regularization methods.

**Azreen et al [6]** proposed a method is to reduce the size of the Word2Vec feature set for sentiment analysis. The method constructs cluster of terms centered by a set of opinion words from a sentiment lexical dictionary. A simple transformation is applied to the negative term vectors to redistribute the terms in the space based on their polarity. A much smaller matrix of document vectors is produced based on the set of clusters. In particular, the set of terms in a vocabulary are clustered around opinion words in order to distribute them based on polarity.

**Sathish et al [7]** proposed a technique for find out the topics which also available in the text documents as a group of words and apply a clustering technique using the Singular value decomposition method. Then opinions are extracted from the comments, collected on a particular subject of interest like the comments. A novel approach to finding the opinions of the customers towards specific features of Smartphone using Opinion analysis and clustering technique.

**XU YUAN et al [8]** discussed a deep hypergraph scheme for online reviews modeling and sentiment classification. One property of this model is to construct hypergraph to detect high-order relations among different reviews. Another property of the model is to use an improved hierarchical clustering algorithm to discover semantic cliques used for detecting precise semantic units as the supervision information.

**Emil et al [9]** presented an aspect based opinion mining method that relies on two nature inspired approaches: an ant based sentence clustering method for discovering the aspects commented on in product review opinionated sentences, and an unsupervised neural network for actually classifying the positive/ negative opinion about the aspects discovered by the sentence clustering step. For an unsupervised classifier, the quality of labeling the opinion polarity is pretty good, as the classifier does not require annotated training data to be built for the given semantic domain.

**Shuanglu et al [10]** proposed an affective visual descriptor method, BoAW, which is able to bridge the semantic gap between low-level visual features and affective language descriptors. Second, group of ANPs can be generated by the proposed structured forest. These ANPs can be integrated with the textual affective descriptors by SSP method. Third, the integrated representation is able to provide effective sentiment classification on social media posts with mixed images and texts.

**Methodology**

The Text classification is an important thing due to the increase in E-documents. The motive of this paper is to evaluate the performance of ELM-LSTM in the field of text classification and sentiment analysis. So there are many methods for text classification. Here introduces a new method which is a combination of two classifiers, ELM and LSTM. Also two feature selection method make the classification more accurate. K-Means is a simple clustering method. This produces set of clusters with attributes. This attribute will use to train the ELM. ELM is a recent machine learning technique

Our work proposes Extreme learning machine and Long Short-Term Memory network for sentiment analysis of text. The model is able to detect binary sentiment classification of text context. Results demonstrate that our approach is effective. In our opinion, the affective sentiment of text context is decided by the interaction of the target feature within the context. Our model describes the interaction by using attention mechanism with a standard ELM and LSTM. In the LSTM layer, target information is applied to affect the production of contextual sentiments. In the attention layer, the target guides capturing the importance of text context.

From the perspective of language model, the RNN with LSTM can be regarded as an improved model of the conventional RNN language model. They both calculate the error of each model via putting the text statements as the input sequence. The smaller error indicates higher degree of confidence of text statement under this model. But generally the RNN model with LSTM is more effective to overcome the sequence information attenuation problem when the text sequence information is rather long. So we would apply the RNN with LSTM on the text sentiment analysis.

ELM, as a single hidden layer feed forward neural network, contains three layers: an input layer, a hidden layer and output layer. ELM does not need many of the iterative calculation of network weights corrected. Compared with traditional machine learning methods, Extreme Learning Machine greatly improves the speed of the network training. This makes ELM been used to the application in regression and classification successfully. But in most of the applications, the data is serialized acquisition. This need to wait that all of the training data collection is completed before training, or that the old training data required for repeated calculation after new data is added.

In the training phase, the training data are divided into several categories, according to their target features. Then the LSTM models are trained for each category of data, resulting in several LSTM models, each for the corresponding to the text. To forecast the value of a new input review, the LSTM models obtained in the training phase are evaluated on the new input review, giving error values. The model giving the smallest error value is assigned as the emotional category to the new input review. In order to improve the speed of sequence learning, a new sequence learning strategies is proposed to improve the speed of sequentially training ELM model.

In this work, an approach is made to enhance the performance in terms of speed and accuracy of the model. First, data is collected from Twitter, Facebook posts and other news blogs using web scraping tools. Preprocessing is performed on collected textual data to remove the unwanted features. Processed data is then passed to the Recurrent Neural Network (RNN) model for further processing.

We apply five main steps to perform sentiment analysis. These steps consist of

- (i) pre-processing
- (ii) feature extraction,
- (iii) term weighting
- (iv) classification,
- (v) Evaluation.

In order to analyze the opinions of the user, first step required is to collect the user-generated content from web. Web scraping is the process of automatically mining data or collecting information from the World Wide Web. Data is collected from two social networking sites, Twitter and Facebook. Twitter Search API is used to collect the tweets from Twitter. Facebook API is used to collect public posts from Facebook. Using web crawling tool Parsehub, data from different blogs and News websites is collected.

ELM is a fastest method of classification. Basically it is a single hidden layer feed forward network. Most of the neural network need tuning for efficient classification. But in ELM it can achieve the goal without tuning. Hence it become a fastest method among the existing ones.

**Pre-processing**

Data collected from the web is unstructured, it contains noise and uninformative parts such as HTML tags, stopwords, scripts and advertisements. The processes of cleaning and preparing data for sentiment analysis is called preprocessing. On words level, many words in the text do not have an impact on the general orientation of it.

Since each word in the text is treated as one dimension, keeping irrelevant words increases the dimensionality of the problem and hence makes the classification more difficult. The entire pre-processing procedure involves several steps: white space removal, abbreviation expansion, stemming, stop words removal, negation handling.

In the pre-processing step, we clean the Twitter feeds from the incomprehensible words and characters. Then, we extract features in two different ways including Bag of Words (BoW) and ngram. After the feature extraction phase, weights are assigned to features and document vectors are computed. Then we build a learning system by training a classifier. In the final phase, we employ this learning system to make polarity classification of the tweets.

As the pre-processing task we apply the following steps to extract meaningful information from the tweets:

1. Cleaning noise from the tweets by removing the incomprehensible words and meaningless characters (only in BoW model) such as punctuation marks and digits.
2. Lowercase conversion to remove case sensitivity of features.
3. Applying text normalization to prevent from having high dimensional feature space by removing the repeating letters and reducing them to one letter.
4. Removing the tweets that have less than one feature (i.e., word or n-gram) by applying minimum term count filter.
5. Stripping the features, whose length is less than two characters, out from the tweets?
6. Removing the Twitter specific terms (e.g., emoticons, URLs, hashtags, etc.) to make the classifier learn only from the meaningful textual content.

Sentiment analysis has sparse and high dimensional feature space as it is considered as text classification task. Especially, the high dimensionality of feature space stems from the traditional feature extraction models. Therefore, to prevent from having high dimensional feature space we also apply the following steps only in BoW model:

- Stop-words removal, and
- Stemming

### **Stop word removal**

Stop word removal is another important task in data preprocessing. It is a process of eliminating the commonly occurring words existing in a sentence like a, an, the, are etc. Stop words does not carry any relevant information and are language specific functional words.

We remove the stop-words from the tweets by using the default list in Lucene API. We also perform word stemming by utilizing the Zemberek that is an open source Turkish NLP tool . After the completion of the pre-processing steps which are illustrated in Table 2, we tokenize the tweets and extract features to classify the datasets.

### **Stemming**

Stemming is the process of deleting the suffix of the word and putting it into its basis or fundamentals. If a text contains the words, connected, connection and connecting, they should not be treated as different words especially in a sentiment classifier where they have the same meaning and the same polarity. Stemming them will return to connect and then the words frequency will be 3, and that is instead of three words with a frequency 1. Purpose of stemming is to reduce the number of words, to have accurately matching stems, for saving time and memory space

Porters stemming algorithm is one of the most popular stemming algorithm. It is based on the idea that the suffixes in the English language are mostly made up of grouping of smaller and simpler suffixes.

It has five steps, and within each step, rules are applied until one of them passes the conditions. If a rule is accepted, the suffix is removed consequently, and the next step is performed. The resultant stem at the end of the fifth step is returned. The rule looks like the following:

(Condition) (suffix) = (new suffix)

For example,

a rule (v) + (c) EED = EE

Means if the word has at least one vowel and consonant plus EED ending, change the ending to EE.

e.g. (\*v\*) ED -> null Plastered -> plaster

If word contains vowel and ends with ED, then remove ED, hence” Plastered”becomes ”Plaster”.

After applying all preprocessing techniques, resulted text is passed to processing module i.e. recurrent neural network model where text is analyzed for assigning opinion polarity.

### Feature Extraction

In Vector Space Model (VSM), the data instances are converted to numerical vectors by using different methods which have high impact on the accuracy of the classification system applied. Data instances (i.e., tweets) are represented as numerical vectors by using the extracted features and assigning weights to these features. In this study, we use two different methods that are BoW and n-gram (i.e., trigram) to extract features. We apply both methods to the two datasets, therefore we have 2 different representations for each dataset. We call them according to the feature extraction method used as  $DS1_{BoW}$ ,  $DS1_{Trigram}$ ,  $DS2_{BoW}$ , and  $DS2_{Trigram}$  respectively.

In BoW model, numerical vector representation of a document is often done by associating a word with a numerical weight which is generally proportional to its frequency on the document. Therefore, each word is taken as a feature in BoW model.

The n-gram model, on the other hands, is an alternative feature extraction technique. It can be applied in two different ways: i) character level, and ii) word level n-grams. In character level ngram model, the features are formed by taking  $n$  consecutive characters in the text content. For example, the character level ngrams of the string “*opinion mining*” are obtained as follows:

- 2-gram (bigram): |op|, |pi|, |in|, |ni|, |io|, |on|, |n\_|, |\_m|, |mi|, |in|, |ni|, etc.
- 3-gram (trigram): |opi|, |pin|, |ini|, |nio|, |ion|, |on\_|, |n\_m|, |\_mi|, |min|, |ini|, |nin|, etc.

where ‘\_’ represents whitespace character, and ‘|’ is used to show the n-gram boundary. In word level n-gram representation, the adjacent  $n$  words are taken as a feature. For the same example above, word level 1-grams and 2-gram are as follows:

- 1-gram (unigram): |opinion|, |mining|
- 2-gram (bigram): |opinion mining|

Where, we do not have any 3-gram. Character level n-grams are language independent and they can handle with misspelling and abbreviations. Therefore, in this study, we use character level trigrams.

**Term Weighting**

After all features are extracted from the whole document collection by using either BoW, or n-gram methods, weight of each feature for each document is computed to form the document vector. Term weighting is a process to determine the importance of a term for a document. For this reason, it has an important role in the correct and effective representation of textual data.

The aim of a good feature selection technique is to effectively distinguish between terms that are relevant and those that are not. For this purpose, the meaning of 'relevance' needs to be considered clearly. Some methods understand 'relevance' on the basis of the relation of the term to a particular class. Other feature selection methods rely on probabilistic or statistical models to select the appropriate terms. For Commonality Rarity Score Computation (CRSC), a term is 'relevant' if it has the following attributes:

It does not appear very frequently in the corpus, as it would then be unsuitable as a differentiator between documents.

It's frequency in the corpus is not very low, as it would then be unsuitable to be used for grouping similar documents.

iii. In the documents in which the term appears, it should be reasonably frequent.

iv. It needs to be a good discriminator at the document level.

In this paper, we propose an approach for feature selection called Commonality-Rarity Score Computation (CRSC) by means of three parameters (Alpha (measures weighted commonality), Beta (measures extent of occurrence of a term) and Gamma (average weight of term per document)), computes the score of a term in order to rank them based on their relevance. The top m% features are selected for text classification.

In order to apply these properties to a mathematical definition of relevance, we propose three parameters, whose combination would provide a score to each term. If the score of a term would be higher then its relevance is higher. The parameters mentioned above are alpha ( $\alpha(x)$ ), beta ( $\beta(x)$ ) and gamma ( $\gamma(x)$ ), each of which will be considered in detail in the next section.

**Alpha**

The parameter alpha ( $\alpha(x)$ ), is a mathematical representation of the weighted commonality of the term x and is defined as

$$\alpha(x) = \left( \frac{1}{id} * y \right) + (\overline{id} * (1-y))$$

Where,  $y = \frac{d}{N}$

$$\overline{id} = \sum_x^N \frac{id(x)}{N}$$

Here 'd' represents the number of documents with the term x and N represents total number of documents in the corpus. The ID of a term indicates the rarity of the term in the corpus.

$$ID(x) = 1 + \log_{10} \left( \frac{N}{d} \right)$$

The average ID (*id*) denotes the average rarity of the corpus.

Since we are weighting y by  $1/\overline{id}$ , y can be seen as being weighted by the commonality constant of the corpus. Therefore the term  $1/\overline{id} * y$  increases the value of  $\alpha(x)$  if the term x is common and the average commonality of the terms in the corpus is high. Similarly, the term (1-y), which indicates the fraction of documents in the corpus without the term x, is weighted by the rarity constant  $1/idf$ . Therefore the term  $1/idf * (1-y)$  increases.

The value of  $\alpha(x)$  if the term x is rare and the average rarity of the terms in the corpus is high. Thus, the equation for  $\alpha(x)$  provides a method to compute a commonality-rarity of a term in the corpus. Since *id* of a term is always greater than 1, therefore, *id* will be more than 1. Also, if a term is very rare, it's (1-y) value will be high which makes the value of  $\alpha(x)$  for that term as high. Hence, rare terms tend to have higher values for  $\alpha(x)$ . This feature is used to filter the unimportant terms.

### Beta

The parameter beta ( $\beta(t)$ ), is a mathematical representation of the frequency of appearance of the term t in the documents and can be given by

$$\beta(x) = y_1(x) + y_2^2(x) + y_3^3(x) + \dots$$

where

$$y_i(t) = \frac{d_i}{N}$$

Where  $d_i \leftarrow$  number of documents where frequency of  $x \geq i$ . The term of  $\beta(x)$  therefore provides information regarding the prevalence of the term x in the corpus by considering the fraction of documents containing the term t and also taking into account the frequency of appearance of the term in each document. Terms which appear frequently in several documents

will have a higher beta value. Also, the contribution of  $y_i$  to  $\beta(t)$  decreases with increasing value of  $i$ . Therefore, very high frequency of occurrence of a term  $t$  in a particular document does not significantly increase its  $\beta(t)$ . This is done mathematically by giving each  $y_i$  as an exponent  $i$ .

### Gamma

Gamma ( $\gamma(t)$ ) is obtained by summing over all documents  $d$  in the corpus of  $\gamma(t,d)$  and can be written as

$$\gamma(t, d) = \frac{TF(t,d)}{\text{maximum } TF \text{ in } d}$$

$\gamma(t,d)$  gives an indication of the relative weight of the term  $t$  in the document  $d$ , by comparing the frequency of the term  $t$  to the highest frequency term in  $d$ .  $\gamma(t)$  quantitatively denotes the average weighted frequency of the term per document in the corpus.

### Score

Finally, using the above three parameters, a total score is assigned to each term in the corpus as an indication of its relevance.

The score of a term  $t$  is given by *score*

$$score(t) = \beta(t) * \min(\gamma(t), 1/\gamma(t)) - \alpha(t) \quad (10)$$

A higher value of  $score(t)$  indicates a higher relevance of the term  $t$  to the corpus. As elaborated previously,  $\beta(t)$  indicates the overall frequency of a term in the corpus, and the term  $\gamma(t)$  indicates the average frequency of the term in each document in the corpus. A high value for  $\beta(t)$  indicates that very frequently  $t$  is present in most of the documents, whereas a high value for  $\gamma(t)$  suggests that the term  $t$  is frequent in those documents where it is present, and therefore a good discriminator for the same.

For a term  $t$  to be a good differentiator among documents, not only must it be frequent in the corpus, but it must also be important for differentiating between documents. For this,  $\gamma(t)$  should necessarily not be very low for a term, which is to be selected as part of the reduced feature space to classify the documents. However, a direct product of  $\beta(t)$  and  $\gamma(t)$  can result in common terms that appear in almost all documents given very high scores, despite them not being relevant per our earlier definition.

In order to eliminate such terms, we instead use a product of  $\beta(t)$  and the minimum of  $\gamma(t)$  and  $1/\gamma(t)$ . With this product, terms which are very frequent, and as a result have a high value for  $\beta(t)$ , will result in the  $\beta(t)$  value being divided by their equally large  $\gamma(t)$  value, reducing their score, and preventing such terms being considered as important. The term  $\alpha(t)$ , which takes high

values for rare terms, is subtracted from the previous product to produce the score. This eliminates those terms that are very rare from being considered as important.

The formula for score therefore eliminates terms that are both very frequent and very rare, leaving behind only those terms that are moderately rare, sufficiently good document level discriminators and sufficiently frequent in the documents in which they appear. score ( $t$ ) therefore provides an accurate mathematical representation of the definition of relevant stated earlier, and helps to select relevant terms based on their commonality-rarity both at the document and corpus level.

Deep learning has gained much attention in recent years, as it yields state-of-the-art performance in many tasks. Among the techniques available in deep learning, the long short-term memory (LSTM) recurrent neural network (RNN) is considered extremely suitable for sequential data such as speech, text and video. As customer product reviews are in the form of text chunks, we use LSTM RNN for the keyword extraction task.

### **Recurrent Neural Network (RNN)**

A Recurrent Neural Network (RNN) is a class of artificial neural network where connections between units form a directed cycle. It contains hidden units capable of analyzing streams of data. The RNN is usually fed with training samples that have strong interdependencies and a meaningful representation to maintain information about what happened in all the previous time steps. RNNs can use their internal memory to process arbitrary sequences of inputs. It contains directed loops which represent the propagation of activations to future inputs in a sequence.

From the training process, it can be seen that (1) and (2) will be used to calculate and obtain a new output weights every time acquire new data. But (1) and (2) contains a greater amount of matrix multiplication. When the amount of data is large, the multiplication needed more. And in

most cases, every output weights will not always be used during the test. In experiments, OS-ELM is much slower than ELM algorithm in the amount of data that ELM algorithm can calculate, although compared to other sequential machine learning algorithm is faster.

**LSTM Network**

The basic elements in an LSTM memory unit are three essential gates and a cell, as illustrated. All of the information memorized at time  $t$  is stored in the memory cell. The state of the memory cell is bonded with input three gates: the input gate, the output gate and the forget gate. Each gate's input consists of input and a recurrent part. The input gate is used to determine what new information should be stored in the LSTM cell. The output gate determines the content of output. The recurrent part is updated by the current status and feeds the information into the next iteration

LSTM through deliberate design to avoid long-term dependence, in practice, remember the long term information is the default behavior of LSTM. At present, LSTM network is the most widely used one, it replaces RNN node in hidden layer with LSTM cell, which is designed to save the text history information. LSTM uses three gates to control the usage and update of the text history information, which are input gates, forget gates and output gates respectively. The memory cell and three gates are designed to enable LSTM to read, save and update long-distance history information. LSTM network model was established based on the mathematical theories of the recurrent neural network

To summarize, our contributions lie in the following three points

- 1) We propose an ELM-LSTM model for sentiment analysis, which use the prior sentiment information of words as the supplemental information to improve the quality of word representation.
- 2) In order to improve the semantic composition ability of LSTMs, we define a new method to calculate the attention vector in general sentiment analysis with a target and take two special circumstances as examples.
- 3) To verify our methods, we conduct experiments on multiple datasets. The results of experiments show that our methods are effective. Furthermore, we find that LSTMs have strong ability in handling short text sequences. The attention mechanism that we use only works on the long text sequences.

The analysis experiments also prove the result.

Following Fig.2 shows general representation of RNN. Unlike any other neural network, RNN can accept the sequence of features for processing.

Notations used in it are:  $x_t$ = input at time step t  
 $s_t$ = hidden state at time step t ("memory of the network")  
 calculated as  $s_t = f(Ux_t + Ws_{t-1})$

where, f is the activation function ( tanh,ReLU )

$o_t$ = output at step t where,  $o_t = \text{softmax}(V s_t)$

Training of RNN can be done using gradient descent approach. It is trained by using training data, where resultant of given input is already specified. Model calculates the cost by subtracting actual output from generated output. The rate at which cost changes with respect to weight or bias is called gradient. RNN suffers from the problem of vanishing gradient. If gradient is too small then model will train very slowly and as gradient value keeps degrading it vanishes at the end, hence it becomes difficult to train model. To overcome the problem of vanishing gradient LSTM or GRU is used.

1) *LSTM (Long Short Term Memory)*: Long short-term memory (LSTM) units are a building unit for layers of a RNN. An RNN composed of LSTM units is often called an LSTM network. A common LSTM unit is composed of a cell, an input gate, an output gate and a forget gate. The cell is responsible for remembering" values over arbitrary time intervals.

The input gate can allow incoming signal to alter the state of the memory cell or block it. The output gate can allow the state of the memory cell to have an effect on other neurons or prevent it. Finally, the forget gate can modulate the memory cells self-recurrent connection, allowing the cell to remember or forget its previous state, as needed.

The following equations describe updation of layer of memory cells every timestep  $t$ .

In these equations:  $x_t$  is the input to the memory cell at time t

- $W_i, W_f, W_c, W_o, U_i, U_f, U_c, U_o$  and  $V_o$  are the weight matrices
- $b_i, b_f, b_c$  and  $b_o$  are the bias vectors

First, compute the values for  $i_t$ , the input gate, and  $\tilde{C}_t$  the candidate value for the states of the memory cells at time t:

$$i_t = \sigma(W_i x_t + U_i h_{t-1} + b_i)$$

$$C_t = \tanh(W_c x_t + U_c h_{t-1} + b_c)$$

Second, compute the value for  $f_t$ , the activation of the memory cells forget gates at time t:

$$f_t = \sigma(W_f x_t + U_f h_{t-1} + b_f)$$

Given the value of the input gate activation  $i_t$ , the forget gate activation  $f_t$  and the candidate state value  $C_{fr}$ , the  $C_t$  i.e. memory cells new state at time  $t$  can be computed:

$$C_t = i_t * \tilde{C}_t + f_t * C_{t-1}$$

With the new state of the memory cells, the value of their output gates and, subsequently, their outputs can be computed:  $o_t = \sigma(W_o x_t + U_o h_{t-1} + V_o C_t + b_o)$   $h_t = o_t * \tanh(C_t)$  Sigmoid function on last time step  $t_{end}$   $\hat{y} = \sigma(h_{t_{end}} U + b)$ . Final result gives the output of 0 or 1, which denotes the opinion polarity as positive or negative.

The input of the LSTM model is a series of vectorized texts and the parameters of the LSTM model. The parameters are propagated through the multilayer network of the LSTM model to achieve iterative updating, text feature learning, and satisfactory sentiment classification results.

The sequence in which the context input of the features also affects the determination of the polarity of the product features. Therefore, an improved BiLSTM network is introduced to improve the feature sentiment polarity judgment. In the BiLSTM neural network, two LSTM neural networks are introduced when the corpus is first modeled. One models the review texts at the beginning from left to right, whereas the other models review texts at the end from right to left and fully utilizes feature context information for sentiment analysis. After multi-layer LSTM network processing, the models are classified into the softmax layer

In comparison with the simple neural network, the applied LSTM neural network model includes three gates in the data processing unit part of the network layer, namely, input, forget, and output gates, in addition to the multilayer network. These gates save and delete context information by model. The implementation of sentiment analysis for text in the LSTM model depends mainly on the LSTM cell

### 3.5 Algorithm

Proposed approach of CRSC is discussed below.

Step 1. *Documents pre-processing and vector representation:*

The documents of a corpus  $d = \{d^1, d^2, \dots, d^m\}$  are collected and pre-processed by using a pre-processing algorithm. Then, all the documents are converted into vectors using the formal Vector Space Model (VSM) (Salton et al., 1975).

Step 2. *Formation of clusters:* Traditional  $k$ -means clustering algorithm (Hartigan and Wong, 1979) is run on the corpus to generate  $k$  term-document clusters,  $td_i, i = 1, \dots, k$ .

Step 3. *Important features selection:*

Now,  $\gamma(t)$  are for calculated each term and  $t \in \text{then } td^i, \alpha_{the(t)} \text{total}, \beta(t)$  score and using equation 10 is computed.

Step 4. *Training ML-ELM and other conventional classifiers:*

Based on the total score, all the terms of a cluster are ranked and top m% terms from each cluster are selected which constitute the training feature vector.

### Example

To apply ELM for classification, first of all, features extracted in the pre-processing step and their computed weight values for each tweet are taken as shown below:

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} (\text{Tweet}_1) & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ (\text{Tweet}_2) & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ (\text{Tweet}_3) & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ (\text{Tweet}_4) & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } t = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

where we have 4 tweets and 6 features such that matrix  $x$  represents feature weights for the training dataset such that in each row we have a document vector for each tweet; and  $t$  denotes the class labels of each tweet in matrix  $x$ . In the training phase, the matrices for input weights ( $w$ ) and the biases of hidden neurons ( $b$ ) are randomly initialized as shown below.

In our example, the number of neurons in the hidden layer is taken as  $L = 4$ , which corresponds to the number of tweets in the training set. Therefore, the input weight matrix has 4 (i.e., # of tweets) rows and 6 (i.e., # of features) columns.

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} 0.78 & 0.41 & 0.37 & 0.74 & 0.37 & 0.21 \\ 0.85 & 0.46 & 0.76 & 0.36 & 0.44 & 0.13 \\ 0.73 & 0.66 & 0.17 & 0.95 & 0.72 & 0.26 \\ 0.55 & 0.43 & 0.05 & 0.11 & 0.71 & 0.14 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } b = \begin{bmatrix} 0.98 \\ 0.40 \\ 0.21 \\ 0.30 \end{bmatrix}$$

After randomly initialization of the input weights and biases, the matrix for the output of the hidden layer  $H$  is calculated with the following equation:

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^N g(w_i \cdot x_j + b_i) \quad (13)$$

In above equation,  $g$  represents the activation function. In this example, we use the sigmoid activation function. Following the calculation of  $H$ , the output weights could then be calculated by using equation (4). The matrix  $H$  and resulting  $\beta$  are as follows:

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 0.89 & 0.87 & 0.85 & 0.85 \\ 0.82 & & & 0.77 \\ 0.79 & 0.80 & 0.78 & 0.72 \\ 0.61 & & & 0.70 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\beta = \begin{bmatrix} 0.77 & 0.83 \\ 0.73 & 0.81 \\ -57.693 & 482.609 & -116.98 & -299.08 \end{bmatrix}$$

66.3809      -569.61      118.394      371.656

$\beta = [ \quad ]$

5.53886      64.7862      0.40749      -68.685

-10.575      -23.298      9.16500      23.6135

After the output weights are computed, the training phase is completed. Then, we can classify a previously unseen test data (with the same number of hidden neuron and feature space) by using the computed output weights. In the testing phase, if the following vector  $x$  for a tweet with class label  $t$  which is 3 is given to the trained ELM system,

$x = [1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0]$  and  $t = [3]$

then, the  $H$  matrix for the test tweet is calculated by applying the same steps as in the training phase. Therefore,  $H_{Test}$  is computed as follows:

$$H_{Test} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.85 \\ 0.77 \\ 0.72 \\ 0.70 \end{bmatrix}$$

After that the class label of the test tweet is predicted by using the equation  $Y_{Out} = H_{Test}\beta$  as shown below:

$$Y_{Out} = \begin{bmatrix} -1.00 \\ -0.99 \\ -1.00 \\ 1.00 \end{bmatrix}$$

The resulting  $Y_{Out}$  shows the prediction of the ELM. As it can be seen from  $Y_{Out}$  the last value is the maximum of all values, therefore the predicted class label is equal to last class which is 3 (see matrix  $t$  in the training phase for all possible classes). This prediction is correct for the given test instance.

In this study, we also use SVM with linear kernel, which is a kernel-based and robust machine learning algorithm for sparse data, to make comparison with ELM. It has two types in practice including linear and non-linear SVM. Linear SVM aims to find a hyperplane that has maximum margin between classes without increasing dimension of the feature space. Non-linear SVM transforms the data to a higher dimension by a kernel function (e.g., Radial basis, Sigmoid) and performs classification in this space. SVM is mainly concerned with solving binary class problems, however, it can be employed successfully in multiclass classification by different methods such as one-against-one and one-against-all.

## Result

We take experiments to validate the discriminative bottleneck features. Because ELM is adopted as the classifier in our method, we also use ELM method in this part. As ELM is a static classifier, we first perform mean operation to all the segments in each utterance to get utterance-level features. Then the raw heuristic features with 384 dimensions and the bottleneck features with 30 dimensions are fed to ELM independently. Table 1 illustrates the F1 score which is a most common used measure of a test's accuracy.

We apply the proposed model to three datasets in different fields. The experiment results evaluate the effectiveness of ELM-LSTM in target-dependent sentiment classification by comparing to several baselines. Results in our work show that there is a great improvement when using bottleneck features. Bottleneck features can enhance the outperformance 3.91% on average F1 compared with raw heuristic features, especially for neutral class (+14.05%). The results prove that it is necessity to extract discriminative bottleneck features.

We employ  $n$ -fold cross validation (CV) approach to validate the predictive model. We prefer this method especially by considering the ELM. Since the ELM uses random values in the computations, even if we use the same activation function and the same number of hidden neurons, the input weights and the hidden layer biases may change. Therefore, the ELM should be run multiple times. In the  $n$ -fold CV, the dataset is randomly divided into  $n$  disjoint subsets, then one of these subsets is taken as the test set whereas the rest are used as the training set. This process is repeated for each subset. The overall success of the classification model is calculated by taking the average of these  $n$  iterations. In this study, we perform 10 folds CV.

To perform sentiment analysis, first we apply pre-processing to the datasets by removing the emoticons, short terms having length less than two characters, and other Twitter specific terms. In this way, we use only the textual content to train the classifier. Therefore, the size of the feature space is reduced by 3.95% and 14.15% for DS1 and DS2 respectively as shown in Table 3. We also remove some samples, which does not have enough number of terms, from the datasets. After the preprocessing phase, the total number of samples for each datasets is given in Table 4. Then we extract the features by using BoW and character level trigram methods. As it can be seen from Table 4, the number of BoW features is less than that of trigram features for each dataset. The main reason for this is that we apply stemming and stop words removal only in

BoW model. In the last step of the preprocessing, we compute term weights. Finally, we perform the classification to obtain the experimental results.

We evaluate our model on twitter data, all these tweets and data has been tagged by their author as positive and negative. This corpus consists of 13000 reviews, which has 7000 positive comments and we shuffled the positive and negative data. In this section, we describe the validation approach and performance evaluation measures that we use to compare the classification methods.

### **Datasets Used in the Experiments**

In this section, we describe the datasets used for the evaluation of the ELM. Sentiment analysis on Twitter is generally performed on two different types of datasets including subject-dependent and subject-independent. Subject-dependent means the dataset is composed of tweets that related to any topic, whereas subject-independent represents the dataset containing tweets that does not have relation with any topic. In this study, we use two different Twitter datasets from which the Dataset1 (DS1) is subject-dependent and the second one (DS2) is subject independent. The DS1 has manually labeled tweets which are related with a private company in the telecom sector. It contains totally 3000 tweets in three categories that are positive, negative, and neutral. The second dataset (DS2) is a subset of another dataset which is automatically collected and labeled by using emoticons contained in the tweets (i.e., distant supervision) with the help of Twitter API. This dataset contains 32000 tweets which are equally distributed in positive and negative categories. However, we use a subset of this dataset to form DS2 as the size of the original dataset is out of the scope for this paper. The DS2 is composed of 10000 tweets in total which have equal distribution for positive and negative classes.

The classifiers which are used for comparison purpose are Support Vector Machine (LinearSVC), Decision Tree (DT), SVM linear kernel (LinearSVM), Gaussian Naive Bayes (GNB), Random Forest (RF), Nearest Centroid (NC), Adaboost, Multinomial Naive-Bayes (MNB) and ELM. The algorithm was tested on hidden layer nodes of different size both for ELM and LSTM-ELM and the best results are obtained when the number of nodes of hidden layer are more than the nodes in the input layer. In the k-means clustering, k (the number of clusters) was set as 8 (decided empirically) for both the datasets. The following parameters are used to measure the performance.

Our experiments consist of two phases. First, we conduct the experiments on DS1BoW to find the best combination of the number of neurons in the hidden layer and the activation function for ELM. We use five different activation functions and nine different values for the number of neurons in the hidden layer resulting in a total of 45 combinations. The five different activation functions are sigmoid, sine, radbas, hardlim, and purelin. The nine different values of the number of neurons in the hidden layer are 10, 20, 30, 50, 80, 100, 200, 500, and 1000. According to the results of the first phase, we found that performance of the ELM is not so sensitive for the number of neurons in the hidden layer. However, the most successful result is generally obtained when the number of neurons in the hidden layer is selected as 500. We also observed that the activation function is more effective on the performance of the ELM with respect to the number of neurons in the hidden layer. The most successful activation function is LSTM-ELM with one exceptional case. Therefore, we decided to use the LSTM function, and 500 neurons in the hidden layer for ELM in subsequent experiments.

We compare our new LSTM model with the traditional LSTM model for sentiment analysis. In the experiments, the sentences are segmented. Word vectors are trained by the word embedding tool in on all product reviews. A python based sequence processing tool Keras is used to build LSTM models. Three LSTM models (LSTM, LSTM with L2 and Nadam, BLSTM) in different depths.

We compare the accuracy of the three text sentiment analysis models, including LSTM, BLSTM and LSTM based on Nadam and L2. In the following figure 3, we show the recognition accuracy of different model. We can find that the accuracy of BLSTM recognition LSTM is high and requires only few epoch. Because BLSTM can learn previous and feature information and can capture stronger dependency between words and phrases than LSTM. LSTM based on Nadam and L2 models have improved in terms of convergence speed and accuracy, which is much higher than LSTM. Because the LSTM based on L2 and Nadam has a stronger ability to prevent over-fitting and improve the model's generalization and convergence speed.

The training process uses BPTT algorithm to train the weights. The number of unfold state layer would affect the training accuracy. More unfold state layers generally lead to better results, but also cost higher computational complexity. In the meantime, the congenital advantage of LSTM structure requires less number of unfold layers to achieve comparable results

with the conventional RNN. So we set the number of unfold layer in BPTT as 10 in our experiment.

The following the natural order, from left to right, of the participles in the sentence, traversal one by one, through the forward calculation of LSTM. The output results are the probabilities of the word at time  $t$ , giving the vocabulary sequence before time  $t$ . Finally the error value of the sentence is measured by the joint distribution probability of all words. Higher joint distribution probability will result in lower value of text statement error.

The main process of the training phase is shown in the figure 2 below, where the data are classified into three categories as an illustration: positive, negative and neutral. Compared with the conventional RNN language model, RNN with LSTM could cover a long sentence completely, and does perform better in many experiments, especially for structures with conjunctions, such as ‘although...but...’, ‘not only...but also...’, ‘however’, ‘what is more’, ‘in addition’ and so on.

We apply both the RNN with LSTM and the conventional RNN on each data set. Sentiment analysis results are shown in the following tables.

Results are evaluated using a standard machine learning evaluation measure: the F1 score applied to each class

To compute success rate of the classification models we use precision (P), recall (R), F-measure (F1), and accuracy (Acc) values that are computed as in equations 14, 15, 16, and 17, respectively.

$$P = TP / (TP + FP) \text{ ----- (1)}$$

$$R = TP / (TP + FN) \text{ ---- (2)}$$

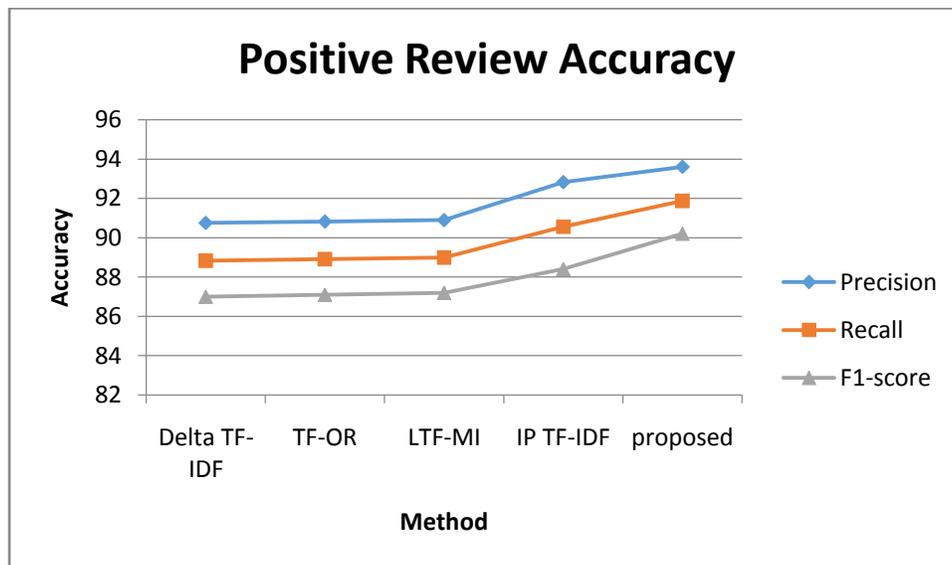
$$F1 = 2 \times (P \times R) / (P + R)$$

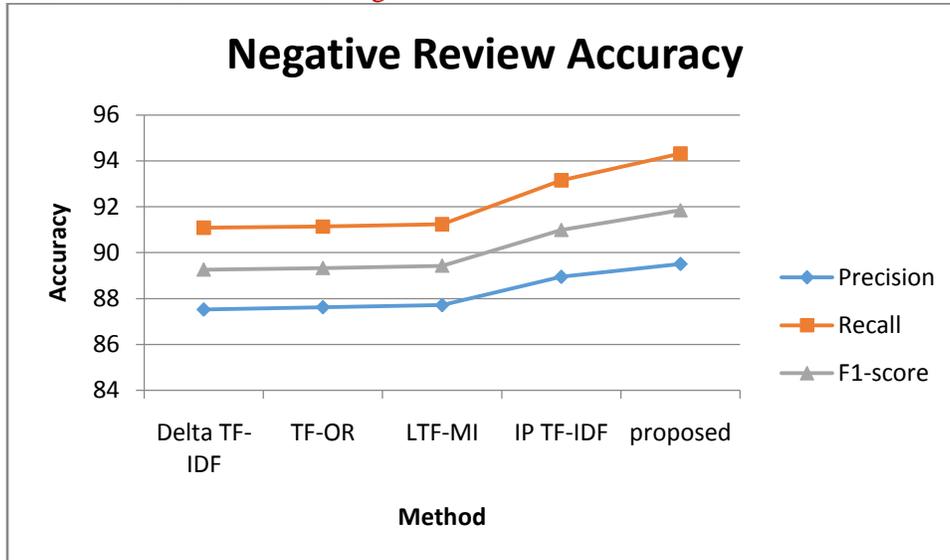
where  $N$  represents the number of samples in test dataset, TP, TN, FP, and FN values have the following definitions as shown in Figure 2.

- *TP*: Correctly classified tweets (e.g., a positive tweet is classified as positive)
- *TN*: Correctly rejected tweets (e.g., a negative tweet is classified as negative)
- *FP*: Incorrectly classified tweets (e.g., a negative tweet is classified as positive)
- *FN*: Incorrectly rejected tweets (e.g., a positive tweet is classified as negative)

**Table -1: precision and recall values of proposed work**

weighting scheme	positive			negative		
	<i>Precision</i>	<i>Recall</i>	<i>F1</i>	<i>Precision</i>	<i>Recall</i>	<i>F1</i>
Delta TF-IDF	90.75	87.00	88.82	87.52	91.09	89.26
TF-OR	90.82	87.10	88.90	87.62	91.14	89.33
LTF-MI	90.89	87.20	88.99	87.71	91.24	89.43
IP TF-IDF	92.82	88.40	90.55	88.94	93.15	90.99
<b>proposed</b>	93.6	90.2	<b>91.87</b>	89.5	94.32	<b>91.85</b>





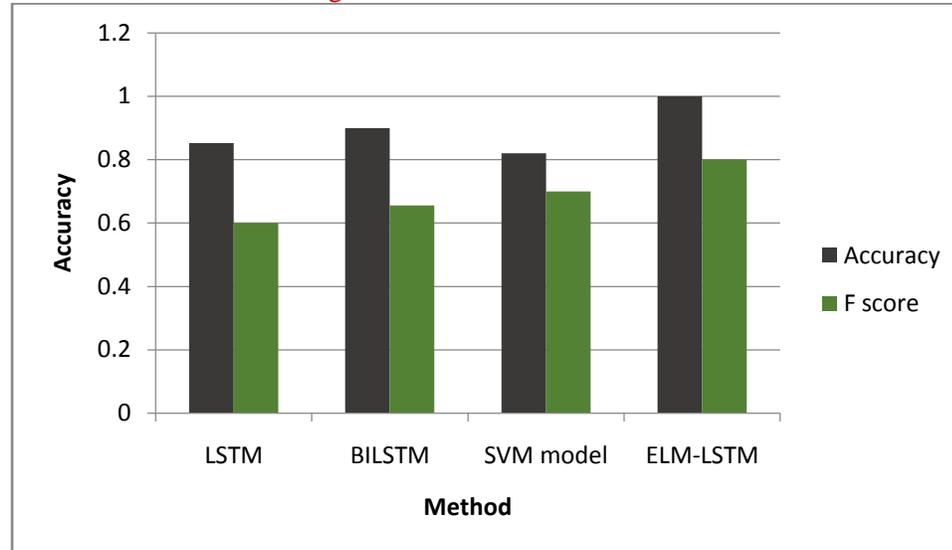
**Table 2. Experiment results**

Index value	LSTM model in this experiment	BiLSTM model in this experiment
Accuracy	1.414	1.3145
F-score	0.8967	0.8549

The experiment results are compared with those of Tang et al., as shown in Table 3.

**Table.3. Result comparison**

Index value	LSTM model		BiLSTM model	
	Present study	Existing study	Present study	Existing study
Accuracy	1.3653	0.9074	1.1567	0.9089
F-score	0.9843	0.6547	0.7980	0.6770



In this paper, an improved RNN language model is put forward ü LSTM, which successfully covers all history sequence information and performs better than conventional RNN. It is applied to achieve multi-classification for text emotional attributes, and identifies text emotional attributes more accurately than the conventional RNN.

For RNN model, scientists put forward an idea named ‘Attention’ which may lead to better results. This is to make RNN select information from larger information set in each step. Besides, ‘Attention’ is not the only development in RNN area. Scientists have proposed Grid LSTM which also showed excellent performances in some application scenarios. In future work, we could try these improvement programs or use different models combination to improve the performance of text sentiment analysis.

In this paper, in order to verify the performance of our method, a widely used standard dataset is selected as the experimental dataset. The dataset, ChnSentiCorp\_htl\_ba\_4000. In this paper, it is called the Chinese hotel dataset. The dataset contains 4000 documents (2000 negative and 2000 positive).

According to the data comparison in Table 3, the performance of the improved BiLSTM model in Chinese is better than that of the original LSTM. The use of the BiLSTM to model the text in two directions slightly influenced the judgment of the emotional polarity of the features. The reason may be that the LSTM model has a memory function on the context; consequently, the relative position of the text input has no effect on the model, and its absolute position is the key factor that affects the model. From the experimental results, the application of the LSTM

model to the Chinese language achieved good results after a series of modifications to Chinese characters was made. In comparison with the results of Tang et al. in English, accuracy and F-scores in Chinese improved, which indicates that the LSTM model is effective in Chinese fine-grained sentiment analysis. The use of the LSTM network in finegrained sentiment analysis of Chinese customer reviews is feasible and effective. As shown in Figure 7, the performance of the sentiment analysis of the LSTM model is greatly enhanced, compared with the traditional learning model, because the use of LSTM networks for sentiment analysis of product features does not require priori knowledge, such as syntactic parsing or sentiment lexicon. Only the LSTM model is used to consider the effect of context on feature emotional polarity. The emotional polarity in product features is judged automatically. Moreover, the LSTM model has long-term memory to the context of reviews text, which makes up for the disadvantage of the traditional sentiment ansalysis of neglecting product feature text context, which makes the judgment of emotional tendency on product features more accurate.

Overall, we achieved a satisfactory accuracy score of 63% using the LSTM-CNN model compared to a baseline model which used Naïve Bayes as a classifier. The experiment showed the ability of the CNN to act as powerful feature extractors and LSTM to capture changing sentiment in a long text.

## **Conclusion**

We propose an improved term weighting scheme in this paper, which combines the contribution of feature terms to the class, the local distribution in the document, and the global distribution in the document set. Compared with a series of weighted schemes, experimental results on a widely used Chinese dataset verify that the proposed scheme is effective and can significantly improve the classification performance. In the future, we plan to combine our scheme with other feature selection methods that reflect class distinctions and verify their effectiveness on more datasets which belong to different domains that aims to gain a better classification performance. Finally, the performance of the proposed scheme on unbalanced corpus is also the focus of the followup work.

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