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## REVIEW BASED LINGUISTIC CLASSIFICATION FOR PRODUCT RANKING

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**Abstract:** In recent years, use of online shopping has increased rapidly. Majority of the public chooses online shopping option than traditional era methods which also ensures saving energy and money. People preferably share their attitude, opinion about the products or services, feature and quality based on their experiences on web. But for analysis of product or service it is tough for customers to read all the reviews of a particular product available on the internet. Due to preceded issue, there is a need to design methods which can distinguish positive and negative feedbacks of the users to assist customers for acquiring their favorite product promptly. Consequently, we have proposed Review Based Linguistic Classification for Product Ranking (RLCPR) framework to rank the products effectively by using opinion mining techniques. RLCPR contribute users for specifying product features to get back the ranking result of all matched goods. The proposed design also overcomes the short forms of the words used by customers for review process in present scenario. This process considerably allows parser to identify and tag such words in order to improve the ranking results.

**General Terms** - Opinion mining

**Keywords** – Reviews, product ranking, opinion mining, POS, XML documents

### I INTRODUCTION

In past times shopping was an idea in which a client used to purchase an item from a shopping center or from shop. Furthermore, he was paying cash to provider at the season of shopping. For conventional shopping, client should be physically present at shop or at shopping center. Additionally there was no survey framework accessible to portray the quality criteria of item. Client used to purchase item on the premise of retailers supposition. Some of the time retailers give fake criticism to offer their item. Yet in early days web has done enormous measure of development. Each movement is getting related with web. So for client and his need idea of web based shopping is presented. In web based shopping client can purchase or offer his items by sitting at home and utilizing advanced gadgets like cell phones, portable PCs, PCs and so on. Here client is doing installment by methods for Visa or net saving money frameworks. There is no need of client to be physically present over shop or at shopping center for acquiring item and paying cash. For choosing great quality items among all items, internet shopping gives survey

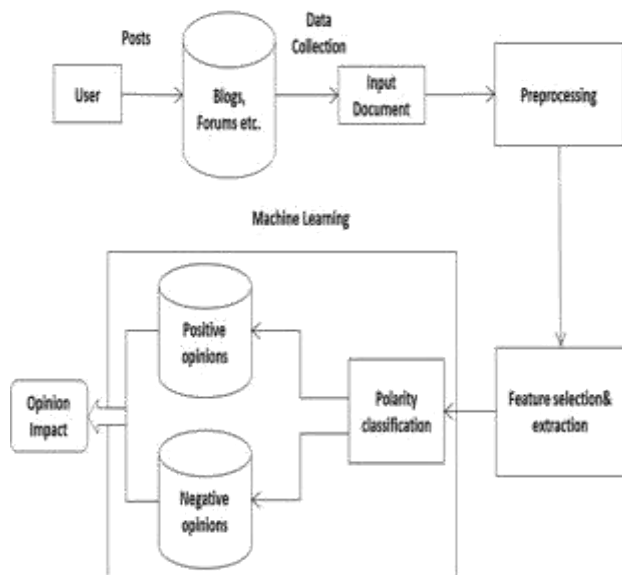
of every item given by different clients. Ordinarily client eludes these surveys before purchasing any item.

Since there is a rapid development in web technology; everyone tries to achieve their tasks online. Online registration, reservations, booking, banking, shopping are some of the commonly used tasks. So people can give their reviews, feedbacks or opinions about such various online services. Reviews could be positive, negative or neutral. Organizations and individuals are mainly concerned to get opinion about the product, services and event to improve the performance or for making suitable choice. Opinion mining is basically a four step process.

1. Data collection involves a process to acquire the reviews about a particular product available on the web.
2. Preprocessing on data is for removal of stop words and negation, stemming, opinion identification.
3. Feature selection and extraction
4. Polarity classification

As shown in the figure 1.1, it defines the sentiment analysis process which can be applied on the collected data. After data collection, preprocessing step is done where subjectivity and objectivity detection, removal of negations

and word sense disambiguation are the operation performed. Then in feature selection is the problem to extract and select features of text. Some features are term presence and frequency, part of speech (POS), opinion words and phrases, and negations. For feature selection some frequently used methods are point wise mutual information (PMI), Chi-square test and Latent Semantic Indexing (LSI).



**Figure 1** Machine learning in the context of opinion mining  
**Input parameters**

R- Reviews about the product available on the web that is unstructured data. This data need to be processed.

F- After processing of data, next step is to extract and select text features or aspects. Some of these features are term presence and frequency, part of speech (POS), opinion words or phrases and negations.

Class Names- Polarity classes are Positive, Negative.

**Output parameters**

P- Polarity of words.

S- Score value of the products.

Let S be the universal set such that,

$$S = \{I, O, F\}$$

where I = Input set.

O = Output set.

F = Set of function.

Opinion mining is the strategies for deciding the approach of the speaker concerning the item. When all is said in done feeling of the client is most vital for association or to people to build the execution of the administration. So sentiment mining is the method to remove the data about specific things in light of the audits. The supposition mining is ending up noticeably extremely fascinating zone of research because of the rising web innovation. The machine learning is utilized to arrange the feeling content. In the area two we will see the diverse sorts of machine learning

methods. In the writing study area we have clarified hotel points of interest different sorts of machine learning and estimation examination.

**II LITERATURE SURVEY**

Much work has recently been undertaken in opinion mining over the last few years. The most related work in the field of opinion mining using various methods of machine learning. These methods are having varying degree of effectiveness.

**Tanvir Ahmad, Mohammad Najmud Doja, Opinion Mining using Frequent Pattern Growth Method from Unstructured Text**

The paper suggests FP-growth method for frequent pattern mining from review documents which act as a backbone for mining the opinion words along with their relevant features by experimental data over two different domains which are very different in their nature. They used rule based system which extracts features and the extracted features which are frequent and satisfy the minimum threshold value as specified by the user are kept for further processing. After that they uses FP- growth algorithm to generate frequent patterns from the extracted features [3].

Advantages:

1. Used FP growth method which is superior over apriori to find frequent features.

Disadvantages:

1. Size of FP-tree is difficult to fit in the main memory.
2. Unwanted features are also extracted.

**Abd. Samad Hasan Basari, Burairah Hussin, I. Gede Pramudya Ananta and Junta Zeniarja, Opinion Mining of Movie Review using Hybrid Method of Support Vector Machine and Particle Swarm Optimization**

The paper suggests a method which classifies the online movie reviews by using the SVM machine learning technique as it is most efficient method. But the efficiency of SVM is affected due to the difficulty in selecting the SVM parameters. So their research firstly is intended at improving the correctness of SVM classifier by determining the useful features. So they proposed Particle swarm intelligence based enhanced SVM structure. A SVM-PSO technique includes two machine learning techniques by improving the parameters of SVM using PSO .is the optimization technique and it is very easy to apply. PSO starts with n-randomly chosen particles and queries for the optimal particle iteratively. Every particle is m-dimensional vector and indicates a candidate solution. SVM classifier is made for each selection solution to evaluate its efficiency through the cross validation method. PSO algorithm controls the choice of possible subsets that lead to best estimate accuracy. The algorithm uses the maximum suitable particle to give growth to the next design of n-candidate particle. PSO is used to

determine maximum feature subsets by finding the best feature mixtures as they fly within the issue area from the prepared datasets. [1]

Advantages:

1. Hybridized SVM-PSO obtains the more accuracy.

Disadvantages:

1. Worked on only binary classification.

### **Jalel Akaichi, Social Networks Facebook Statutes Updates Mining for Sentiment Classification**

In this research paper author focused on the usage of text mining for sentiment classification on Tunisian users statuses on Facebook posts during the Arabic Spring era. Their aim is to extract useful information, about user's sentiments and behaviors during this sensitive and significant period. For that purpose, they proposed a method based on Support Vector Machine (SVM) and Nave Bayes. They also constructed a sentiment lexicon, based on the emoticons, interjections and acronyms, from extracted statuses updates.

Advantages:

1. Used SVM and NB methods by combining different feature extractor.

2. The method used can achieve high accuracy.

Disadvantages:

1. Do not consider the temporal features.

### **Weishu Hu, Zhiguo Gong, JingzhiGuo, Mining Product Features from Online Reviews [15]**

In this paper, authors presented how to mine product features which is the method different from the previous methods because they only mine the features of the product in opinion sentences which the customers have expressed their positive or negative experiences on. In order to find opinion sentence, a Senti WordNet based algorithm is proposed. There are three steps to perform this task:

1. Identifying opinion sentences in each review which is positive or negative via SentiWordNet.

2. Mining product features that have been commented on by customers from opinion sentences;

3. Pruning feature to remove those incorrect features.

Advantages:

1. Effective method to identify subjective sentences or opinion sentences.

2. In feature extraction obtained higher precision and recall.

Disadvantages:

1. Need improvement in feature classification.

### **P. Tian, Y. Liu, M. Liu, and S. Zhu, Research of product ranking technology based on opinion mining [16]**

They introduced a method to mine the opinions of Chinese product review sentences by using natural language processing. For feature extraction, Ontology method is used. The dataset used of the reviews of cellular phone from <http://www.it168.com>. Experimental results show that their method is effective in performing the ranking task.

Advantages:

1. Proposed algorithm is more effective.

2. The method used is ontology based mining.

Disadvantages:

1. The reviews used are Chinese reviews.

There are mainly two main approaches used for sentiment classification that are machine learning approach and lexicon based approach. Machine learning is the study which finds an algorithm which trains the computer. It is commonly used for classification task in mining. It trains the machine by available training data and then this system is used for classifying new data. Machine learning algorithms are mainly divided into supervised and unsupervised learning. In lexicon based approach, it considers opinion lexicon such as positive and negative lexicons for classification task. It has mainly two sub approaches as dictionary based approach and corpus based approach. To solve this problem, we used the dictionary based approach.

To improve the efficiency issues, we added the data training module in the proposed work. As dataset contains many of the short forms of the words or there should be spelling mistakes while writing reviews. So tagger couldn't identify such words. This may affects the product ranking. Main reason of this work is to improve the review based ranking of the product.

In this work, we maintained the dataset in the text files. So inputs to the system are the text les which contains reviews of particular products. POS tagger can tag each and every word of the document. In extraction we only extract the adjectives and adverbs which are considered to be the opinion words. Polarity of the sentence is calculated by multiplying the three factors as opinion strength, inverse document frequency (IDF) and degree of adverbs. After getting polarity, score is calculated using average polarity reviews, popularity weight and weight of product release month. So finally the ranked results of the product are obtained.

### **III REVIEW BASED LINGUISTIC CLASSIFICATION FOR PRODUCT RANKING (RLCPR)**

As talked about before existing framework is having some real disadvantages which need be overcome for viable re-positioning of audits. Here we have proposed a structure, as appeared in Fig. 3 for maintaining a strategic distance from acknowledgment of fake criticism. In this we are utilizing predefined dataset for audit. At that point we will do extraction of conclusion from those surveys. After that we will evacuate the normal words which make impact of basic target. At that point contingent on quality of staying target we are registering level of modifiers. Next stride is to check sentence extremity. At that point sentence extremity is incorporated into the XML documents. At that point we will portray just those criticisms which are given by clients who

have as of now obtained the item. Our proposed framework comprises of taking after modules.

Year	Name	Authors	Algorithm Used	Publication
2009	An Opinion-Tree based Flexible Opinion Mining Model	Juling Ding, Zhongjian Le, Ping Zhou, Gensheng Wang, Wei Shu	Opinion tree	IEEE
2009	Research Of Product Ranking Technology Based On Opinion Mining	Peikang Tian, Yuanchao Liu, Ming Liu, Shanzong Zhu	Ontology & Syntactic Parser	IEEE
2010	An Approach Based on Tree Kernels for Opinion Mining of Online Product Reviews	Peng Jiang1, Chuanma Zhang1, Hongping Fu1, Zhendong Niu1, Qeng Yang1	Tree Kernel	IEEE
2011	An unsupervised approach to rank product reviews	Jianwei Wu, Bing Xu, Sheng Li	Unsupervised Learning	IEEE
2011	Analysis of three methods for web-based opinion mining	Hai-Bing Ma, Yi-Bing Geng, Jun-Rui Qiu	semantic patterns, sentiment lexicon, KNN or SVM	IEEE
2012	Rankbox: An Adaptive Ranking System for Mining Complex Semantic Relationships Using User	Na Chen, Viktor K. Prasanna	SVM	IEEE
2012	Classification of Opinion Mining Techniques	Nidhi Mishra, C.K.Jha	Survey	IJCA
2012	Sentiment Polarity Classification Using Statistical Data Compression Models	Ziegelmayr D., Schrader R.	Lossless Compression	IEEE
2012	Opinion mining and sentiment analysis on a Twitter data stream	Gopinakrishnan B., Priyathar, P., Ragavan, T., Prasad, N., Perera, A.	Supervised Learning	IEEE
2012	Grouping of Customer Opinions Written in Natural Language Using Unsupervised Machine Learning	Darena, F., Zinka, J., Burda, K.	Clustering(Unsupervised Learning)	IEEE
2013	Social Networks' Facebook' Statutes Updates Mining for Sentiment Classification	Akachi, J.	SVM, Naive Base	IEEE
2013	Scalable sentiment classification for Big Data analysis using Naive Bayes Classifier	Bingwei Liu, Blasch, E., Yu Chen, Dan Shen, Genshe Chen	Naive Bayes classifier	IEEE
2013	Opinion Mining using Frequent Pattern Growth Method from Unstructured Text	Tanvir Ahmad, Mohammad Najrud Doja	Frequent pattern generation	IEEE
2015	Web Product Ranking Using Opinion Mining	Yin-Fu Huang, Heng Lin	TF-IDF	IEEE

Figure 2 Summary

3.1 Selection of Dataset:

Here we are using pre-defined dataset of particular e shopping website. On the website user can specify his product brand and information of the product and download

this brand and give the product review by using the unique id get after purchasing that product. These all data is being saved into the database. Dataset is a part of database and we are going to use this dataset as an input to system.

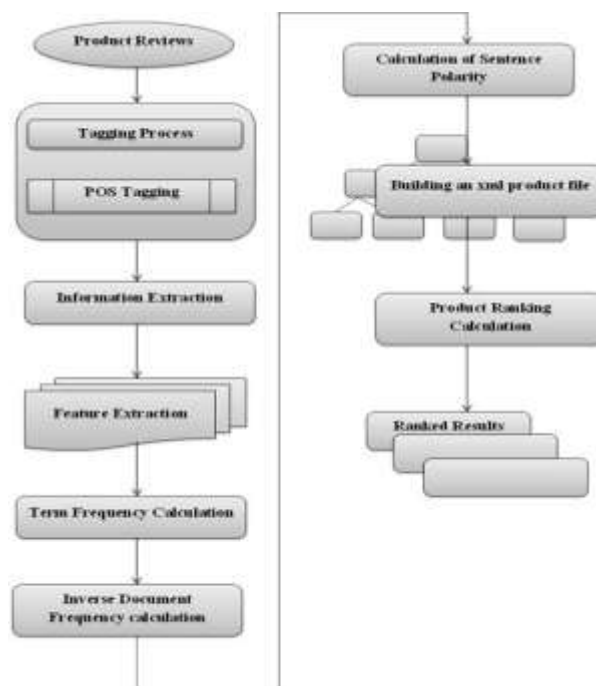


Figure 3 Proposed System Architecture.

3.2 Mining of Opinion words:

We extract the opinion word by sentiment dictionary based approach. After mining the opinion words then calculate the opinion strength by using following formula,

$$P\{W|C\} = - \frac{\text{Count}(w,c)+1}{\text{Count}(c)+|V|} \quad (1)$$

Where, P is the set of polarity it may be positive or negative depending upon the value of word w and count c. For example polarity of adjective good is positive and the polarity of word bad is negative. The above figure shows the working of the proposed system.

3.3 Calculation Document Strength:

The opinion strength may be very high if P is a common adjective. So there is need of removing the effect of common adjective. This can be calculated as follow,

$$C_{nb} = \text{argmax}_{C_j \in C} P(C_j) \prod_{i \in \text{positions}} P\{W_i|C_j\} \quad (2)$$

Where, C<sub>nb</sub> is count of Native Bayes and set of P is the set of polarity. The normalization formula makes the value of P in between [0, 1]. Here w denotes word and c denotes number of count of occurrences word.

3.4 Degree of Adverbs:

The adverb can be modified to adjective that is (adverb + adjective) and increase weakness or strength of the adverb. It not only increases or decreases the strength but also change the polarity of the adverb by modifying the polarity of the adverb.

Table 1 Levels of adverbs

High Level (0.6)	Medium Level (0.5)	Low Level (0.4)	Negative
Very, much, to so, large, too, completely ...	Partly, almost, rather, half...	Somewhat, slightly, little bit, half...	Not...

3.5 Calculating Sentence Polarity:

We are using three values to calculate the sentence polarity which we have calculated in the above sections.

$$P = \frac{P(w|c)}{P(w)} \quad (3)$$

In the above equation sentence P is the sentence containing the adverb p, numerator is the opinion strength of the P, denominator is the polarity frequency, and Degree of P is the degree of adverb modifying P.

3.6 Building Product XML Files:

In this section product information and sentence polarity is integrated into the XML files. This XML file consist of three sections one is product information , second is review section which describe the review of the product and product polarity, third is the specification section which describe the product specification.

3.7 Product Ranking:

The proposed system is rank only product selected by user not for all products. User can specify his brand, color, cost, etc. about the product. Then proposed system search the product with specification specified by the customer. Then system will find the product with specified product and with rank.

$$PMI(X, Y) = \log_2 \frac{P(x,y)}{P(x)P(y)} \quad (4)$$

Where PMI is point wise mutual information. Equation describes that how much more do events x and y co-occur than if they were independent.

IV EXPERIMENTATION AND RESULTS

The proposed system takes the dataset from the random online shopping website where the reviews about the two products i.e. camera and mobile phones are taken. Both the product reviews are worked on and according to polarity of the terms used in the reviews and comments, the products are ranked. Generally, the product having highest rank may not necessarily have good qualities, or might not be the best one, but after the use of product, the reviews that are given to the product are also the very important factor that matters a lot while giving reviews about the product. People now a days, don't waste much time in providing the reviews about the products. So they are using shortcut words such as "GUD for GOOD and XLNT against EXCELLENT or LYK INSTEAD of LIKE". As the proposed system works totally

on the polarity of the words, if such words are used, we may not be able to get the optimal results. So the proposed system is enhanced with another feature where in the database is trained to accept these kind of words if found in reviews, the words are replaced with the actual words corresponding to it manually during the data training part.

The graphical result is shown in the following graph.

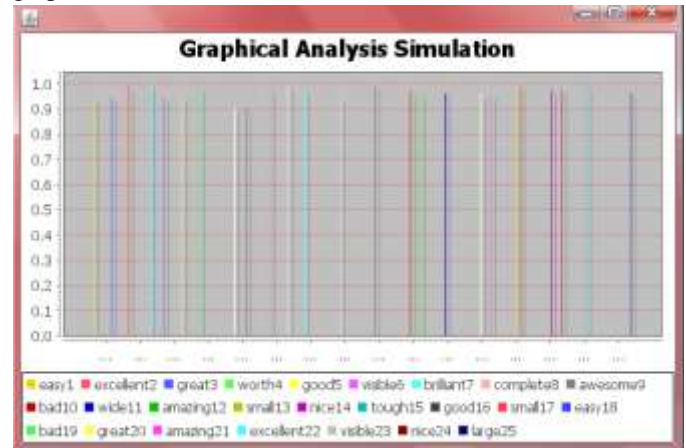


Figure 4 Average polarities of opinions

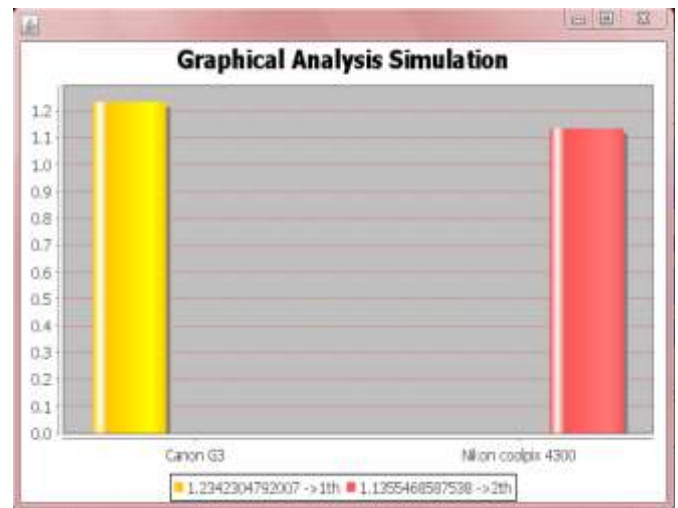


Figure 5 Ranking results for camera

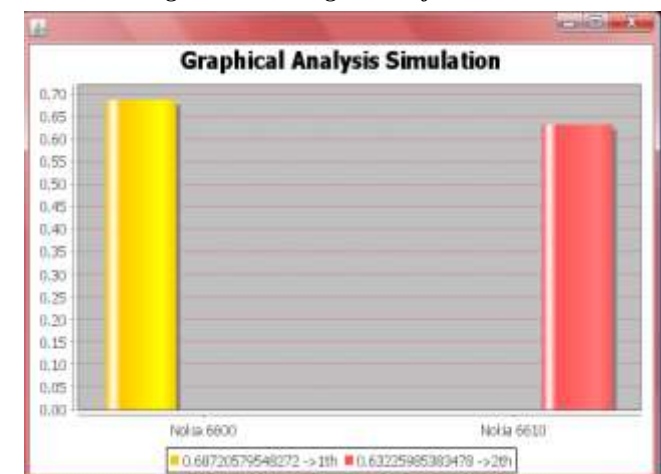


Figure 6 Ranking results for Mobile

## V CONCLUSION

1. In this work we maintained the dataset in the text files. So inputs to the system are the text files which contain reviews of particular products.
2. POS tagger can tag each and every word of the document. In extraction we only extract the adjectives and adverbs which are considered to be the opinion words.
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5. So finally the ranked results of the product are obtained.

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