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## 1 Introduction

The goal of this study is to identify and classify the toxic comments that have been posted on Wikipedia pages. Detailed instructions for replicating a research project have been provided in this configuration manual. Data gathering, model testing, and assessment are covered in detail in this article. Code snippets are referenced as necessary.

## 2 Configuration of the System

Kaggle Notebook with a Tesla P100-PCIE-16GB GPU was used to accomplish the work. Kaggle Notebook maintains that the model training session is not interrupted due to a lack of RAM.

<b>IDE</b>	Kaggle Notebook (Cloud Based)
<b>Programming Language</b>	Python
<b>Computation</b>	1 GPU (Tesla P100-PCIE-16GB)
<b>Visualization Library</b>	Matplotlib, WordCloud, Seaborn, Wandb
<b>Modeling Library</b>	SimpleTransformer, HuggingFace Transformer, Sklearn, Pandas, NumPy, NLTK, Regex
<b>Framework</b>	Pytorch

## 3 Dataset Collection

Google Jigsaw released a dataset in December 2017 as part of the Kaggle "Toxic-Comment-Classification-Challenge" that we utilized in our work. It is a collection of labeled comments posted from Wikipedia articles on Kaggle that are freely available to the public. The data for this study was obtained from [Kaggle](#).

## 4 Kaggle Notebook Setup

In the input folder of Kaggle Notebook, the data retrieved from Kaggle is saved. Below figure is a sample of code that demonstrates how to load the data into a data frame.

```

for dirname, _, filenames in os.walk('/kaggle/input'):
    for filename in filenames:
        print(os.path.join(dirname, filename))

```

We also made sure that the GPU was available before we started coding.

```

# SETTING UP THE GPU IF POSSIBLE
import torch

if torch.cuda.is_available():
    device = torch.device("cuda")
    print(f'There are {torch.cuda.device_count()} GPU(s) available.')
    print('Device name:', torch.cuda.get_device_name(0))

else:
    print('No GPU available, using the CPU instead.')
    device = torch.device("cpu")

```

```

There are 1 GPU(s) available.
Device name: Tesla P100-PCIE-16GB

```

## 5 Installing Python Pre-processing and Modelling Libraries

The pre-processing and modelling libraries needed to run the code are installed and imported into the system.

```

import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import time
import datetime
from sklearn.metrics import precision_score, recall_score
# import pyTorch
import torch
import torch.nn as nn
import torch.optim as optim
from torch.optim import lr_scheduler
# import other parts of transformers as well as tqdm
from transformers import (AutoTokenizer, AutoModel,
                          AutoModelForSequenceClassification,
                          DataCollatorWithPadding, AdamW, get_scheduler,
                          get_linear_schedule_with_warmup,
                          )

import pyarrow as pa
from tqdm.auto import tqdm
from torch.utils.data import TensorDataset, DataLoader, RandomSampler, SequentialSampler
import datasets
import random
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report, hamming_loss, accuracy_score

```

A pandas dataframe is used to read and store the supplied dataset.

```
# Read CSV File
train_csv = pd.read_csv(TRAIN)
print(train_csv.shape)
train_csv.head()
```

(159571, 8)

	id	comment_text	toxic	severe_toxic	obscene	threat	insult	identity_hate
0	0000997932d777bf	Explanation\nWhy the edits made under my usern...	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	000103f0d9c6b60f	D'aww! He matches this background colour I'm s...	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	000113f07ec002fd	Hey man, I'm really not trying to edit war. It...	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0001b41b1c6bb37e	"\nMore\nI can't make any real suggestions on ...	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	0001d958c54c6e35	You, sir, are my hero. Any chance you remember...	0	0	0	0	0	0

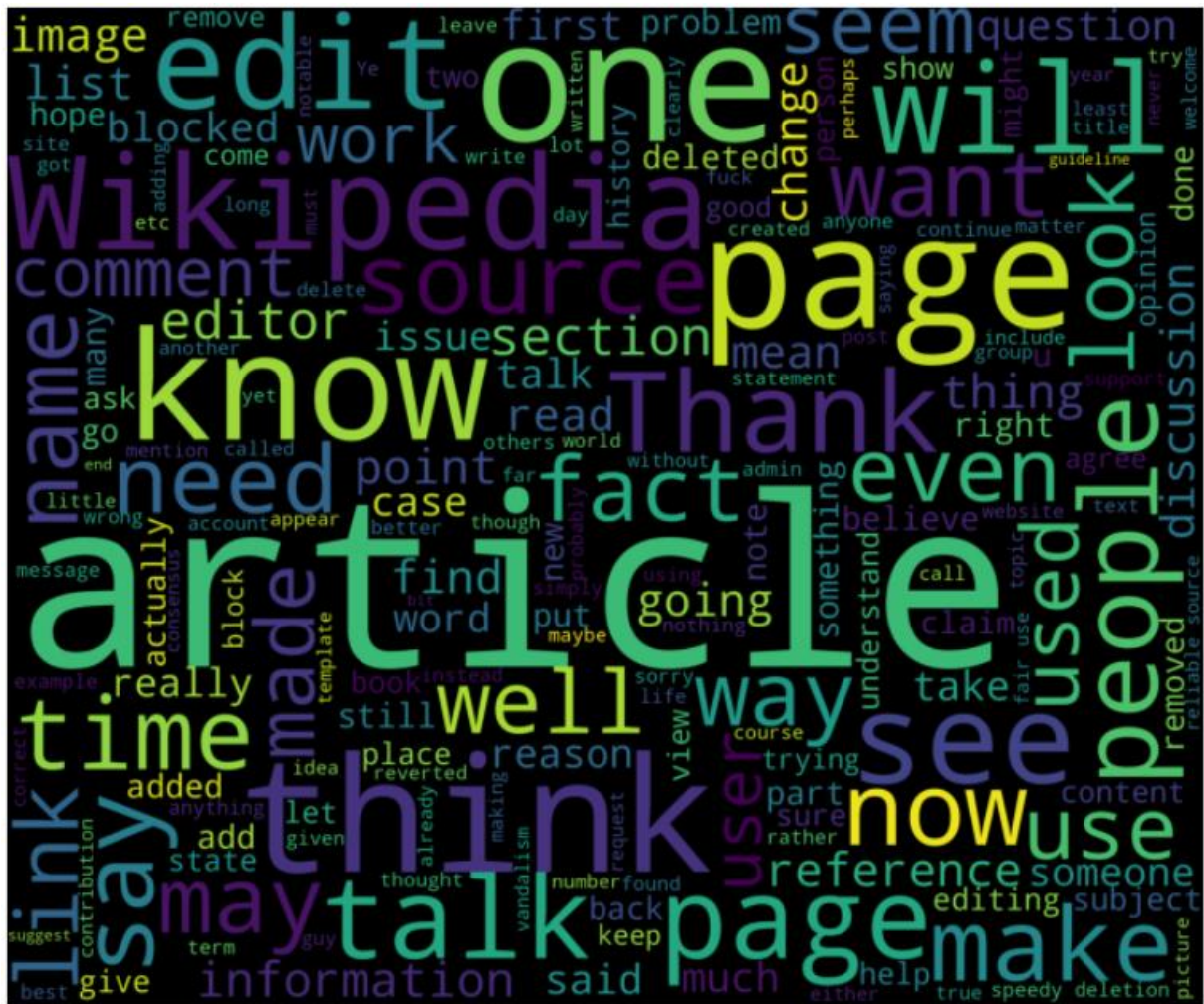
## 6 EDA

Code snippet for plotting Wordcloud

```
#ANALYZING THE MOST COMMON WORD IN OUR TRAIN DATASET USING WORDCLOUD
X = []
for items in train_csv['comment_text']:
    X.append(text_preprocessing(items))
commonWord = ' '.join(X)
from wordcloud import WordCloud, STOPWORDS
wordcloud = WordCloud(stopwords=STOPWORDS,
                      background_color='black',
                      width=3000,
                      height=2500
                      ).generate(commonWord)

# Plot the wordcloud
plt.figure(1,figsize=(12, 12))
plt.imshow(wordcloud)
plt.axis('off')
plt.show()
```

Word cloud plot for showing frequency of bad words in the comment.



## 7 Data Pre-processing

Instantiate tokenizer, model using "bert-base-uncased" for preprocessing. The abbreviations like "wouldn't" and "shouldn't" in the comment have been extended to provide more information. All of the comment in the dataset are iterated through using lambda expressions and regex.



```

from torch.utils.data import TensorDataset, DataLoader, RandomSampler, SequentialSampler

# Convert other data types to torch.Tensor
train_labels = torch.tensor(y_train)
val_labels = torch.tensor(y_val)

# For fine-tuning BERT, the authors recommend a batch size of 16 or 32.
batch_size = 32

# Create the DataLoader for our training set
train_data = TensorDataset(train_inputs, train_masks, train_labels)
train_sampler = RandomSampler(train_data)
train_dataloader = DataLoader(train_data, sampler=train_sampler, batch_size=batch_size)

# Create the DataLoader for our validation set
val_data = TensorDataset(val_inputs, val_masks, val_labels)
val_sampler = SequentialSampler(val_data)
val_dataloader = DataLoader(val_data, sampler=val_sampler, batch_size=batch_size)

```

## 8 Model Implementation

Check the input file and run the `toxic_comment_classification_teacher_model` file before running the baseline model (Bert-Base). One new file will be created after training and testing on this model.

We need that created file since we will use it as an input file to run our student model.

For validation and test samples of data, we used BERT, MobileBert, Logistic Regression, Random Forest, Decision Tree, and the XG-Boost Model. Both models have comparable implementation procedures. The measures taken for Bert are summarized in the section below.



```

# Create the BertClassifier class
class BertClassifier(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, freeze_bert=False):
        super(BertClassifier, self).__init__()
        # Specify hidden size of BERT, hidden size of our classifier, and number of labels
        D_in, H, D_out = 768, 50, 2

        # Instantiate BERT model
        self.bert = BertModel.from_pretrained('bert-base-uncased')
        # Instantiate an one-layer feed-forward classifier
        self.classifier = nn.Sequential(
            nn.Linear(D_in, H),
            nn.ReLU(),
            nn.Linear(H, D_out)
        )

        # Freeze the BERT model
        if freeze_bert:
            for param in self.bert.parameters():
                param.requires_grad = False

    def forward(self, input_ids, attention_mask):
        # Feed input to BERT
        outputs = self.bert(input_ids=input_ids,
                            attention_mask=attention_mask)
        # Extract the last hidden state of the token `[CLS]` for classification task
        last_hidden_state_cls = outputs[0][:, 0, :]
        # Feed input to classifier to compute logits
        logits = self.classifier(last_hidden_state_cls)

        return logits

```

CPU times: user 3 µs, sys: 0 ns, total: 3 µs  
Wall time: 5.96 µs

Initialize optimizer and length of training steps:

```

from transformers import AdamW, get_linear_schedule_with_warmup

def initialize_model(epochs=4):
    """Initialize the Bert Classifier, the optimizer and the learning rate scheduler.
    """
    # Instantiate Bert Classifier
    bert_classifier = BertClassifier(freeze_bert=False)

    # Tell PyTorch to run the model on GPU
    bert_classifier.to(device)

    # Create the optimizer
    optimizer = AdamW(bert_classifier.parameters(),
                      lr=5e-5, # Default learning rate
                      eps=1e-8 # Default epsilon value
                      )

    # Total number of training steps
    total_steps = len(train_data_loader) * epochs

    # Set up the learning rate scheduler
    scheduler = get_linear_schedule_with_warmup(optimizer,
                                                num_warmup_steps=0, # Default value
                                                num_training_steps=total_steps)

    return bert_classifier, optimizer, scheduler

```

## Training and Validation steps:

```
def train(model, train_dataloader, val_dataloader=None, epochs=4, evaluation=False):
    valid_loss_min = np.Inf
    checkpoint_path = "/kaggle/working/checkpoint.pth"
    best_model_path = "/kaggle/working/best_model.pth"
    """Train the BertClassifier model.
    """

    # Start training loop
    print("Start training...\n")
    for epoch_i in range(epochs):
        # =====
        #           Training
        # =====
        # Print the header of the result table
        print(f"{'Epoch':^7} | {'Batch':^7} | {'Train Loss':^12} | {'Val Loss':^10} | {'Val Acc':^9} | {'Elapsed':^9}")
        print("-"*70)

        # Measure the elapsed time of each epoch
        t0_epoch, t0_batch = time.time(), time.time()

        # Reset tracking variables at the beginning of each epoch
        total_loss, batch_loss, batch_counts = 0, 0, 0

        # Put the model into the training mode
        model.train()

        # For each batch of training data...
        for step, batch in enumerate(train_dataloader):
            batch_counts += 1
            # Load batch to GPU
            b_input_ids, b_attn_mask, b_labels = tuple(t.to(device) for t in batch)
```

```

# Zero out any previously calculated gradients
model.zero_grad()

# Perform a forward pass. This will return logits.
logits = model(b_input_ids, b_attn_mask)

# Compute loss and accumulate the loss values
loss = loss_fn(logits, b_labels)
batch_loss += loss.item()
total_loss += loss.item()

# Perform a backward pass to calculate gradients
loss.backward()

# Clip the norm of the gradients to 1.0 to prevent "exploding gradients"
torch.nn.utils.clip_grad_norm_(model.parameters(), 1.0)

# Update parameters and the learning rate
optimizer.step()
scheduler.step()

# Print the loss values and time elapsed for every 20 batches
if (step % 20 == 0 and step != 0) or (step == len(train_dataloader) - 1):
    # Calculate time elapsed for 20 batches
    time_elapsed = time.time() - t0_batch

    # Print training results
    print(f'{epoch_i + 1:^7} | {step:^7} | {batch_loss / batch_counts:^12.6f} | {'-':^10} | {'-':^9} | {time_elapsed:^9.2f}')

    # Reset batch tracking variables
    batch_loss, batch_counts = 0, 0
    t0_batch = time.time()

# Calculate the average loss over the entire training data
avg_train_loss = total_loss / len(train_dataloader)

print("-"*70)
# =====
# Evaluation
# =====
if evaluation == True:
    # After the completion of each training epoch, measure the model's performance on our validation set.
    val_loss, val_accuracy = evaluate(model, val_dataloader)

    # Print performance over the entire training data
    time_elapsed = time.time() - t0_epoch

    print(f'{epoch_i + 1:^7} | {'-':^7} | {avg_train_loss:^12.6f} | {val_loss:^10.6f} | {val_accuracy:^9.2f} | {time_elapsed:^9.2f}')
    print("-"*70)
print("\n")
# create checkpoint variable and add important data
checkpoint = {
    'epoch': epoch_i + 1,
    'valid_loss_min': val_loss,
    'state_dict': model.state_dict(),
    'optimizer': optimizer.state_dict()
}

# save checkpoint
save_ckp(checkpoint, False, checkpoint_path, best_model_path)
if val_loss <= valid_loss_min:
    print('Validation loss decreased {:.6f} --> {:.6f}). Saving model ...'.format(valid_loss_min, val_loss))
    # save checkpoint as best model
    save_ckp(checkpoint, True, checkpoint_path, best_model_path)
    valid_loss_min = val_loss
print("Training complete!")

```

```

def evaluate(model, val_dataloader):
    """After the completion of each training epoch, measure the model's performance
    on our validation set.
    """
    # Put the model into the evaluation mode. The dropout layers are disabled during the test time.
    model.eval()

    # Tracking variables
    val_accuracy = []
    val_loss = []
    precision=[]

    # For each batch in our validation set...
    for batch in val_dataloader:
        # Load batch to GPU
        b_input_ids, b_attn_mask, b_labels = tuple(t.to(device) for t in batch)

        # Compute logits
        with torch.no_grad():
            logits = model(b_input_ids, b_attn_mask)

        # Compute loss
        loss = loss_fn(logits, b_labels)
        val_loss.append(loss.item())

        # Get the predictions
        preds = torch.argmax(logits, dim=1).flatten()

        # Calculate the accuracy rate
        accuracy = (preds == b_labels).cpu().numpy().mean() * 100
        val_accuracy.append(accuracy)

    # Compute the average accuracy and loss over the validation set.
    val_loss = np.mean(val_loss)
    val_accuracy = np.mean(val_accuracy)

    return val_loss, val_accuracy

```

Function for saving and loading the model:

```

def load_ckpt(checkpoint_fpath, model, optimizer):
    """
    checkpoint_path: path to save checkpoint
    model: model that we want to load checkpoint parameters into
    optimizer: optimizer we defined in previous training
    """
    # load check point
    checkpoint = torch.load(checkpoint_fpath)
    # initialize state_dict from checkpoint to model
    model.load_state_dict(checkpoint['state_dict'])
    # initialize optimizer from checkpoint to optimizer
    optimizer.load_state_dict(checkpoint['optimizer'])
    # initialize valid_loss_min from checkpoint to valid_loss_min
    valid_loss_min = checkpoint['valid_loss_min']
    # return model, optimizer, epoch value, min validation loss
    return model, optimizer, checkpoint['epoch'], valid_loss_min.item()

def save_ckpt(state, is_best, checkpoint_path, best_model_path):
    """
    state: checkpoint we want to save
    is_best: is this the best checkpoint; min validation loss
    checkpoint_path: path to save checkpoint
    best_model_path: path to save best model
    """
    f_path = checkpoint_path
    # save checkpoint data to the path given, checkpoint_path
    torch.save(state, f_path)
    # if it is a best model, min validation loss
    if is_best:
        best_fpath = best_model_path
        # copy that checkpoint file to best path given, best_model_path
        shutil.copyfile(f_path, best_fpath)

```

## 8 Predictions

To test the model, the predict function is utilized once the evaluation results are satisfactory. Each model generates a confusion matrix and classification report. Perform a forward pass on the trained BERT model to predict probabilities on the test set.

```

def bert_predict(model, test_dataloader):
    """Perform a forward pass on the trained BERT model to predict probabilities
    on the test set.
    """
    # Put the model into the evaluation mode. The dropout layers are disabled during
    # the test time.
    model.eval()

    all_logits = []

    # For each batch in our test set...
    for batch in test_dataloader:
        # Load batch to GPU
        b_input_ids, b_attn_mask = tuple(t.to(device) for t in batch)[:2]

        # Compute logits
        with torch.no_grad():
            logits = model(b_input_ids, b_attn_mask)
            all_logits.append(logits)

    # Concatenate logits from each batch
    all_logits = torch.cat(all_logits, dim=0)

    # Apply softmax to calculate probabilities
    probs = F.softmax(all_logits, dim=1).cpu().numpy()

    return probs

```

Lastly, plotted ROC-AUC curve

```

from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, roc_curve, auc

def evaluate_roc(probs, y_true):
    """
    - Print AUC and accuracy on the test set
    - Plot ROC
    @params probs (np.array): an array of predicted probabilities with shape (len(y_true), 2)
    @params y_true (np.array): an array of the true values with shape (len(y_true),)
    """
    preds = probs[:, 1]
    fpr, tpr, threshold = roc_curve(y_true, preds)
    roc_auc = auc(fpr, tpr)
    print(f'AUC: {roc_auc:.4f}')

    # Get accuracy over the test set
    y_pred = np.where(preds >= 0.5, 1, 0)
    accuracy = accuracy_score(y_true, y_pred)
    print(f'Accuracy: {accuracy*100:.2f}%')

    # Plot ROC AUC
    plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic')
    plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
    plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
    plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
    plt.xlim([0, 1])
    plt.ylim([0, 1])
    plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
    plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
    plt.show()

```