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this movie was great! would watch again

the movie was gross and overwrought, but I liked it

this movie was not really very enjoyable

- ▶ Bag-of-words doesn't seem sufficient (discourse structure, negation)
- There are some ways around this: extract bigram feature for "not X" for all X following the not



Pang et al. (2002)

	Features	# of	frequency or	NB	\mathbf{ME}	SVM
		features	presence?			
(1)	unigrams	16165	freq.	78.7	N/A	72.8
(2)	unigrams	"	pres.	81.0	80.4	82.9
(3)	unigrams+bigrams	32330	pres.	80.6	80.8	82.7
(4)	$\operatorname{bigrams}$	16165	pres.	77.3	77.4	77.1
(5)	unigrams+POS	16695	pres.	81.5	80.4	81.9
(6)	adjectives	2633	pres.	77.0	77.7	75.1
(7)	top 2633 unigrams	2633	pres.	80.3	81.0	81.4
(8)	unigrams+position	22430	pres.	81.0	80.1	81.6

▶ Simple feature sets can do pretty well!



Wang and Manning (2012)

▶ 10 years later — revisited Naive Bayes vs. other methods

Method	RT-s	MPQA
MNB-uni	77.9	85.3
MNB-bi	79.0	86.3
SVM-uni	76.2	86.1
SVM-bi	77.7	<u>86.7</u>
NBSVM-uni	78.1	85.3
NBSVM-bi	<u>79.4</u>	86.3
RAE	76.8	85.7
RAE-pretrain	77.7	86.4
Voting-w/Rev.	63.1	81.7
Rule	62.9	81.8
BoF-noDic.	75.7	81.8
BoF-w/Rev.	76.4	84.1
Tree-CRF	77.3	86.1

Kim (2014) CNNs 81.5 89.5

Naive Bayes is doing well!

Ng and Jordan (2001) — NB can be better for small data

Before neural nets had taken off — results weren't that great