

Appendix: Multi-label Categorization of Accounts of Sexism using a Neural Framework

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1 Evaluation Metrics

The standard metrics used in single-label multi-class classification are inapplicable for our multi-label classification problem. We adopt established example (instance) based metrics, namely F1 (F_I) and accuracy (Acc_I), and label-based metrics, namely F1 macro (F_{macro}) and F1 micro (F_{micro}), defined as follows.

$$Acc_I = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{|\mathbf{y}_i^+ \cap \hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+|}{|\mathbf{y}_i^+ \cup \hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+|}; F_I = \frac{2P_I R_I}{P_I + R_I} \quad (1)$$

where

$$P_{inst} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{|\mathbf{y}_i^+ \cap \hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+|}{|\hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+|}; R_{inst} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{|\mathbf{y}_i^+ \cap \hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+|}{|\mathbf{y}_i^+|}$$

$$F_{macro} = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{j=1}^L F(TP_j, FP_j, FN_j) \quad (2)$$

$$F_{micro} = F \left(\sum_{j=1}^L TP_j, \sum_{j=1}^L FP_j, \sum_{j=1}^L FN_j \right) \quad (3)$$

where

$$TP_j = |\{x_i \mid l_j \in (\mathbf{y}_i^+ \cap \hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+), 1 \leq i \leq n\}|, \quad (4)$$

$$FP_j = |\{x_i \mid l_j \in (\hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+ - \mathbf{y}_i^+), 1 \leq i \leq n\}|, \quad (5)$$

$$FN_j = |\{x_i \mid l_j \in (\mathbf{y}_i^+ - \hat{\mathbf{y}}_i^+), 1 \leq i \leq n\}|, \quad (6)$$

$$F(TP^*, FP^*, FN^*) = \frac{2TP^*}{2TP^* + FN^* + FP^*} \quad (7)$$