

AI611µ Word Prediction with N-Grams Model using Python

Coding 2: Training a bigram model

This assessment evaluates the following competencies:

- AI201 Train an N-Grams model from a given text corpus (+1)
- AI501 Write an application that solves the word prediction problem with N-Grams models (+2)
- AI103 Preprocess a corpus and compute basic statistics on it (+1)

In this coding assessment, you have to complete an existing Python program that computes the unigram and bigram counts thanks to the nltk Python module ¹. To succeed the assessment, you have to:

- 1. Train a bigram model from a corpus that you have to read from a text file.
- 2. Generate and print the most probable sentence according to the model you trained.
- 3. Explain to the teacher how you designed your code and make a demonstration.

You can assume that the text file will only contain english words and you can ignore punctuation signs, just considering that they are word delimiters, except dots delimitating the sentences.

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 $^{^1{}m The~code~can~be~found~here:}~{
m https://github.com/ukonline/uCourse/blob/master/AI611%C2%B5/code/bigramodel.py}$