# Intelligent Classification and Automatic Annotation of Violations based on Neural Network Language Model

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Abstract—To solve the problem of lack on automatic classification and annotation of a large number of violation cases in power supply enterprises, a Neural Network Language Model (NNLM) based on word vector is proposed in this paper. This model adopts word vector to represent text features, extracts essential features of text information by using neural network. Simulation studies are carried out on data collected from South China Grid to evaluate the performance of NNLM, the result of which is compared with Naive Bayes Classifier (NBC) and Logistic Regression (LR). The experimental results show that the classification accuracy of the NNLM is as high as 99%, which is much higher than classification accuracy of the NBC and LR. The NNLM effectively improves the accuracy rate of classification and the efficiency of annotation.

Index Terms—classification, annotation, NNLM, violation

### I. INTRODUCTION

Although the self-healing ability of power system is getting stronger and stronger at present, the stability and reliability of power system are getting higher and higher, the production safety accidents can not be completely avoided. All kinds of safety supervision data, such as safety accidents, on-site violation records, inspection and audit problems, are the first-hand data of safety production and the guiding basis of safety production. It is of great practical significance to study the historical safety data of power supply enterprises comprehensively, which can not only reduce the accident probability but also improve the level of safety production.

Historical safety data is a typical multi-source heterogeneous data, the first problem to be solved is to standardize and format the data. In the process of data standardization, the classification and annotation of a large amount of historical safety data are very important. Traditional text classification methods are mainly divided into knowledge engineering classification and machine learning classification.

The knowledge engineering classification is to classify the text manually according to the defined rules [1]. The way of analyzing data manually has many disadvantages: work efficiency is too low, and data format is not standard; the ability of manual processing is limited, and the analysis of safety data is not comprehensive and sufficient; the level of automation and intelligence is low, the safety measures based on human experience are lack of reliability.

Nowadays, the most common used classification method is based on machine learning. Support Vector Machines (SVM), NBC and LR are all commonly used machine methods. NBC [2] is a classical machine learning classification method based on probability calculation. Unfortunately, its performance is poor because it can't handle text data well [3]. SVM puts long text as a research object. When processing short text, the performance of SVM is poor, because the features of short text are few and the data is irregular [4]. LR is a classification method based on linear regression theory [5], [6]. Due to the shortcomings of maximum likelihood method, when the dataset dimension is high, the estimation results may

be unstable [7].

The emergence of big data and artificial intelligence technology has brought new development opportunities for the safety supervision of electric power industry [8]. The deep learning technology of artificial intelligence has achieved good results in text classification and has gradually replaced the traditional machine learning methods [9]. Deep learning can automatically extract features from a large number of data and describe the target more precisely [10]. A Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) is proposed for the classification and prediction of microblog public opinion in [11], the experimental results show that it is more accurate than the traditional machine learning algorithm. Unfortunately, the size of CNN filter is fixed, it is difficult to model long series data and the adjustment of filter size parameter is a complex work [12]. However, Recurrent Neural Network (RNN) [13] can extract feature information with variable length.

The model proposed in this paper consists of jieba cutter, word2vector model and a RNN model. The proposed model uses jieba cutter to cut each violation into words. In this step, some stopwords are removed and only representative keywords are selected as learning samples. Then the word2vector model is used to transform keywords into eigenvectors. The eigenvectors of all keywords in a violation form a characteristic matrix. The characteristic matrix representing every violation is put into the RNN model for training, after sufficient training, a deep belief network with the ability of classifying violation categories will be obtained. To evaluate the performance of NNLM, a comparative experiment with NBC and LR models was carried out.

### II. METHODOLOGY BACKGROUND

### A. Jieba word cutter

Jieba cutter is a probability language model cutter, which can find the best segmentation scheme in all segmentation schemes. The steps of Jieba word cutter are divided into the following three steps. Firstly, based on prefix dictionary, an efficient word graph scanning is implemented to generate a Directed Acyclic Graph (DAG) of all possible words in a sentence. Secondly, dynamic programming is used to find the maximum probability path and the maximum segmentation combination based on word frequency. Finally, for words that are not in the dictionary, Hidden Markov Model (HMM) [14] and and Viterbi algorithm [15] is adopted to cut words.

### B. Word2vector

Word2vector is a Natural Language Processing (NLP) [16] model, which transforms a word into a eigenvector. For example, there is a sentence, "cats like to eat fish". If we use vectors to represent every word in this sentence, the first thing we think of is to use one hot code, as shown in Fig. 1. Every vector is orthogonal to each other, that is, there is no relationship between every word. In the sentence above, there are five different words, so the dimension of the vector is 5. However, there are many different words in an article. In this way, the dimension of the vector will be very high and

it ignores the relationship between words. For instance, "cats" and "fish" are both animals, they are not unrelated.

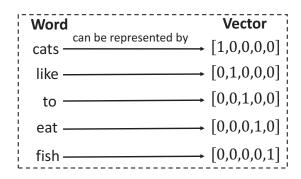


Fig. 1. Word vector diagram.

In order to reduce the vector dimension and express the correlation between words, word2vector uses Continuous Bag-of-Word Model (CBOW) [17] and Skip-Gram [18] to implement word embedding. In this way, the correlation between similar words can be expressed and the dimensions of vectors are greatly reduced.

### C. Long Short-Term Memory

Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) [19] is an excellent variant model of RNN and has better performance than traditional RNN. Compared with the general neural network, RNN can process the data of variable sequence. For example, the meaning of a word will vary according to the previous content, RNN can solve this kind of problem very well. While traditional RNN has the problem of gradient disappearance, LSTM solves this problem well. LSTM can memorize valuable information and give up redundant memory, so as to reduce the difficulty of learning. Compared with traditional RNN, input gate  $i_t$ , forget gate  $f_t$ , output gate  $o_t$  and internal memory unit are added to the neurons of LSTM.

As shown in Fig. 2, the first step is to check the previous hidden vector  $h_{t-1}$  and input value  $x_t$ , and decide whether the information should be discard. The next step is to decide how much new information should be added into the cell state. According to the decision of the above two steps, the cell state  $c_t$  is updated. The  $i_t$ ,  $f_t$  and  $c_t$  can be expressed as

$$i_t = \sigma (W_{xi}x_t + W_{hi}h_{t-1} + W_{ci}c_{t-1} + b_i)$$
 (1)

$$f_t = \sigma (W_{xf}x_t + W_{hf}h_{t-1} + W_{cf}c_{t-1} + b_f)$$
 (2)

$$c_t = f_t c_{t-1} + i_t \tanh(W_{xc} x_t + W_{hc} h_{t-1} + b_c)$$
 (3)

The output value is determined by the cell state. The cell state is processed by tanh function (to get a value between - 1 and 1) and multiplied by the output of  $\sigma$  gate.

$$o_t = \sigma (W_{xo}x_t + W_{ho}h_{t-1} + W_{co}c_t + b_o)$$
 (4)

$$h_t = o_t \tanh(c_t) \tag{5}$$

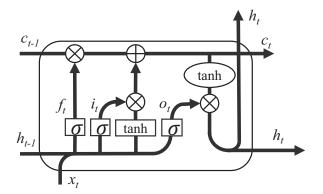


Fig. 2. The structure of an LSTM unit.

TABLE I
MEANING OF VARIABLE IN FORMULA

Variable	Meaning									
σ	the sigmoid function									
$b_{\mathrm{i}}$	the bias for input gate									
$b_{ m f}$	the bias for forget gate									
$b_{\mathrm{o}}$	the bias for output gate									
$b_{\rm c}$	the bias for memory cell									
$b_{ m y}$	the bias for output									
$W_{\mathrm{xc}}$	the weight between input and memory cell									
$W_{\rm hc}$	the weight between hidden vector and memory cell									
$W_{\rm hy}$	the weight between hidden layer and output									
$W_{\mathrm{xi}}$	the weight between input and input gate									
$W_{\mathrm{xf}}$	the weight between input and forget gate									
$W_{\rm xo}$	the weight between input and output gate									
$W_{ m hi}$	the weight between hidden vector and input gate									
$W_{ m hf}$	the weight between hidden vector and forget gate									
$W_{ m ho}$	the weight between hidden vector and output gate									
$W_{\rm ci}$	the weight between memory cell and input gate									
$W_{\rm cf}$	the weight between memory cell and forget gate									
$W_{\rm co}$	the weight between memory cell and output gate									

Finally the output  $y_t$  is calculated by

$$y_t = W_{\rm hy} h_t + b_{\rm v} \tag{6}$$

All variables appearing in the above formulas are illustrated in Table I.

### III. NEURAL NETWORK LANGUAGE MODEL

### A. Stopwords Filter

Because the violation records obtained from power supply enterprises contain some functional words and symbols, such as determiners, prepositions, punctuation marks and mathematical symbols, the first problem to be solved is to remove these stopwords to save storage space and improve search efficiency.

In this paper, jieba cutter is used as filter to preprocess violation records, which filters out stopwords and extracts representative keywords in the violation records. The process of filtering words is shown in Fig. 3, for example, "one staff didn't wear the helmet" is cut into six words, "one" and "the" are judged as stopwords and filtered out by filter, "staff", "didn't", "wear" and "helmet" are judged as keywords and preserved to represent this violation.

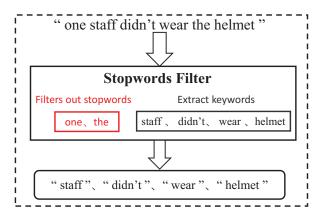


Fig. 3. Stopwords Filter.

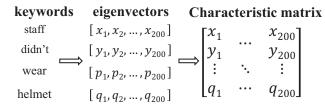


Fig. 4. Characteristic matrix generation.

### B. Characteristic matrix generation

Through the Jieba filter, the keywords representing every violation are obtained, but the data to be sent to the neural network for learning must be in numerical form rather than in text form. Word2vector is adopted to convert keywords into eigenvectors in this paper, the dimension of eigenvectors is set to 200. Each keyword is represented by a eigenvector, and all eigenvectors in each violation form a characteristic matrix to represent the violation. As illustrated in Fig. 4, the Characteristic matrix in Fig. 4 can represent "one staff didn't wear the helmet ".

### C. The Proposed Model

In this paper, a model for classifying and annotating violations is proposed, the schematic diagram of which is given in Fig. 5. The implementation of the model is divided into the following steps:

- 1) Use Jieba cutter to preprocess the original violation records, remove the stopwords and extract the keywords that can represent the violation.
- 2) Transform the keywords obtained in the first step into eigenvectors by using word2vector.
- 3) Convert the eigenvectors of all keywords in each violation record into a characteristic matrix, and make the corresponding label of each violation record.
- 4) Put the characteristic matrixes and the corresponding labels of the violation records into the LSTM neural network for training.
- 5) Classify the testdata and analyze the loss rate and classification accuracy.

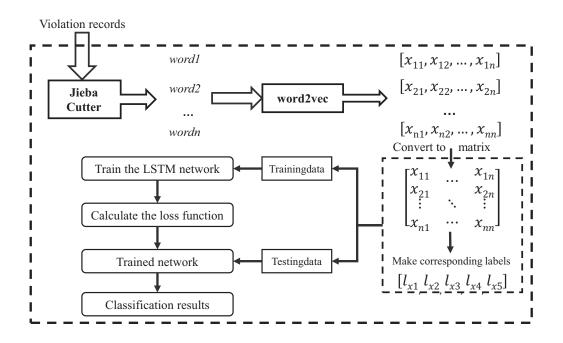


Fig. 5. The proposed model.

### IV. SIMULATION STUDIES

### A. Data Description

The data of the experiment is collected from South China Grid. As shown in Fig. 6, it includes five categories: management, behavior, two-ticket, tools and environment, 1660 samples in total. The data virtually includes all types of violations in the current power grid. If there are new types of violations in the power grid, the classification network will train and learn the new types of violations, so as to ensure the reliability and accuracy of the classification network. Management violation refers to operation and behavior in violation of grid management regulations. Behavior violation refers to the personal behavior in violation of grid safety regulations, such as being improperly dressed or operating without authorization. Two tickets refer to work ticket and operation ticket, two-ticket violation refers to the behavior of working without tickets or working in violation of tickets. Tools violation refers to the behavior of using or placing tools irregularly. Environment violation refers to that the working environment of workers does not meet the requirements of safety regulations. Each category gives an example in Table II. From each category, 80% of the samples are randomly selected as training data, which are used to build the classifier model, and the remaining 20% of the data are used to verify the accuracy of the classifier.

### B. Performance Evaluation

Four evaluation criteria, precision (Pre), recall (Rec), F1-score (F1) [20] and Missing Alarm (MA) are selected to evaluate the experimental results. In this paper, four classification results are defined.

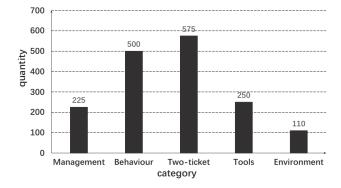


Fig. 6. Category and quantity of data.

TABLE II
EXAMPLES OF EACH CATEGORY OF VIOLATION

Category	Example of each category							
Management	Management No safety agreement with contractor							
Behavior	One staff didnt wear the helmet							
Two-ticket	Use of non-standard operation ticket							
Tools	The knife gate is seriously rusted							
Environment	There is no fence at the work site							

 $T_P$ : the classification is correct.

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{F}_{\mathrm{P}}}\xspace$  : violations that do not belong to this category are classified as this category.

 $F_{\rm N}$ : Violations of this category are classified as other categories.

 $T_{\rm N}$ : Violations that do not belong to this category are classified as other categories.

Four evaluation criteria are defined as

TABLE III
ACCURACY ANALYSIS OF CLASSIFICATION RESULTS

Violation	NBC				LR				NNLM			
category	Pre	Rec	F1	MA	Pre	Rec	F1	MA	Pre	Rec	F1	MA
Management	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.100	0.778	0.700	0.737	0.300	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000
Behavior	0.727	0.800	0.762	0.200	0.778	0.700	0.737	0.300	0.990	0.990	0.990	0.010
Two-ticket	0.75	0.900	0.818	0.100	0.727	0.800	0.762	0.200	1.000	0.990	0.995	0.010
Tools	0.727	0.800	0.762	0.200	0.818	0.900	0.857	0.100	0.990	1.000	0.995	0.000
Environment	1.000	0.600	0.750	0.400	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.100	1.000	1.000	1.000	0.000

Note: Bold values indicate the result corresponding to the highest accuracy in each case.

$$Pre = \frac{T_P}{T_P + F_P} \tag{7}$$

$$Rre = \frac{T_P}{T_P + F_N} \tag{8}$$

$$F1 = \frac{2Pre \cdot Rre}{Pre + Rre}$$
 (9)

$$MA = \frac{F_N}{T_P + F_N} \tag{10}$$

where Pre reflects the overall performance of the classifier, the higher the pre is, the higher the accuracy of classifier is. Rec measures the ability of classifier to recognize positive samples. F1 is a weighted harmonic average of Rec and Pre, the higher F1 is, the better the performance of classifier is. MA reflects how many positive cases have been missed, the smaller Ma is, the better the performance of classifier is.

### C. Comparison of three classification models

Naive Bayes model originates from classical mathematical theory, it performs well on small-scale data and can handle multiple classification tasks. Its algorithm is also relatively simple, commonly used in small-scale text classification. NBC assumes that the attributes of each variable are independent of each other, which is often not true in practical application. When the attribute correlation is small, NBC has good performance. However, when the number of attributes is relatively large or the correlation between attributes is large, the classification effect is not good. NBC model needs to know the prior probability, which depends on the hypothesis. Therefore, in some cases, its classification effect will not be ideal due to the improper hypothesis.

LR is a traditional machine learning model, which is widely used because of its simplicity and efficiency. It can also solve the problem of overfitting by regularization of parameters. However, it is easy to under fit in the training process, resulting in low accuracy. Moreover, it is essentially a linear classifier, so it can't deal with the nonlinear correlation between features well. And it lacks the ability to deal with a large number of multi class features and variables. As a result, when the sample size is large, LR classification performance is poor.

LSTM is an excellent variant model of RNN and has better performance than traditional RNN. Traditional RNN can only memorize part of the sequence, so its performance

in long sequence is far inferior to that in short sequence, which results in the decrease of accuracy once the sequence is too long. LSTM solves this problem by adding three control units, namely input gate, output gate and forgetting gate. The information will be remembered if it is in accordance with the rules; if not, it will be forgotten. In this way, the long-sequence dependence problem in networks can be solved. LSTM can also solve the gradient disappearance problem resulting from the process of gradient backpropagation, which is superior to the traditional RNN model. Moreover, the length of the text is usually variable, LSTM can extract feature information with variable length, which can improve the accuracy of classification.

### D. Comparative Experiment

In order to make the comparative experiment convincing, NBC and LR are used to test the same data. The classification results of three models are detailed in Figs. 7, 8, 9 and 10. As shown in figures, the proposed model has the highest Pre, REC and F1 and the smallest MA, which indicates that the proposed model has the highest classification accuracy among three models in all categories.

To make a more comprehensive comparative study, numerical results of the three models for all categories have been summarised in Table III. As can be seen from Table III, the average Pre, Rec and F1 of NNLM (99.6%, 99.6% and 99.6%) are much higher than NBC (82.1%, 80% and 79.8%) and LR (80%, 80% and 79.9%), and the MA of NNLM (0.4%) is much smaller than NBC (20%) and LR (20%), which means that the proposed model performs much better than NBC and LR.

### V. CONCLUSION

This paper proposed an intelligent classifier based on LSTM and NLP technology. Jieba cutter and word2vector model are used to transform the violation records in text form into the characteristic matrices in numerical form that can be recognized and processed by computer. LSTM is adopted to implement intelligent classification and automatic annotation of violation records. As an excellent variety of RNN, LSTM can extract feature information with variable length. Besides, compared with the traditional RNN, LSTM solve the problem of gradients disappearing or exploding by adding three gates to neurons. Comparative experiments with NBC and LR have been carried out on the same data from several power

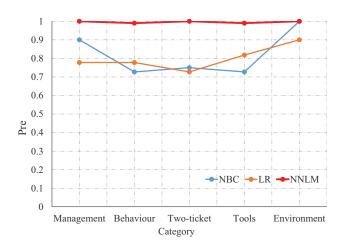


Fig. 7. The pres of three models.

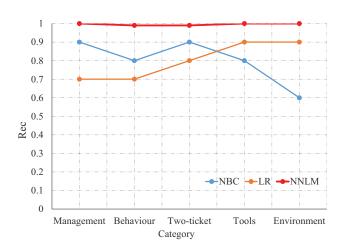


Fig. 8. The Recs of three models.

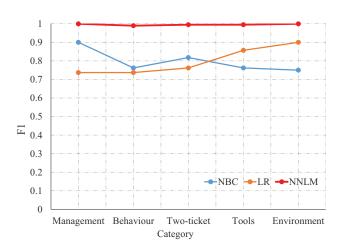


Fig. 9. The F1s of three models.

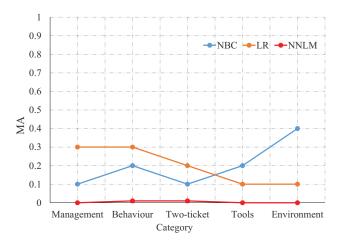


Fig. 10. The MAs of three models.

supply enterprises located in South China. The results have demonstrated that NNLM has much higher accuracy and much lower missing alarm rate than NBC and LR model. What's more, classification network will keep learning and training with the update of violation database. If there are new types of violations in the power grid, the classification network will train and learn the new types of violations, so as to ensure the reliability and accuracy of the classification network.

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