# Connections Project

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# Cogan's suggestion:

Regarding the connections problem:

- A particular word can be expanded into sets of other words. These could be
  - semantic (perhaps, in the notion of hypernymy/hyponymy) -- this could come from WordNet
  - context (perhaps, in the notion of scenes "read" vs "read" or "ma (slang)" vs "ma (last name)") -- this could come from Wikidata

Perhaps we can identify possibly connections by intersecting the clouds that result from this. Happy to see what you think about!

-Cogan

## Find groups of four items that share something in common.

- Select four items and tap 'Submit' to check if your guess is correct.
- · Find the groups without making 4 mistakes!

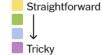
#### Category Examples

- · FISH: Bass, Flounder, Salmon, Trout
- · FIRE \_\_\_: Ant, Drill, Island, Opal

Categories will always be more specific than "5-LETTER WORDS," "NAMES" or "VERBS."

Each puzzle has exactly one solution. Watch out for words that seem to belong to multiple categories!

Each group is assigned a color, which will be revealed as you solve:



# **Definitions:**

Hypernymy	A word with a broad meaning that more specific words fall under; a <u>superordinate</u> . For example, <i>color</i> is a hypernym of <i>red</i> .
Hyponymy	A word of more specific meaning than a general or <u>superordinate</u> term applicable to it. For example, <u>spoon</u> is a hyponym of <u>cutlery</u> .
WordNet	https://wordnet.princeton.edu/ http://wordnetweb.princeton.edu/perl/webwn https://wordnet.princeton.edu/frequently-asked-questions
Wikidata	https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:Main Page

### **Python**

 <u>Natural Language Toolkit</u> has taken over the development of **pywordnet**. There is now a Python package, nltk\_lite.wordnet, which incorporates pywordnet and which supports WordNet 2.1. It is included in NLTK Lite.

From < https://wordnet.princeton.edu/related-projects#Python>

https://stackoverflow.com/questions/35117028/synonyms-join-with-a-string-of-words-in-python

https://www.holisticseo.digital/python-

# GENERAL STEPS

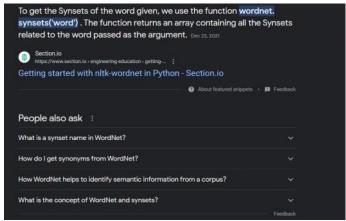
- 1. Take 16 English words as an input
- 2. Expand each individual word into a set of synonyms
- 3. Compare the sets of synonyms?
- 4. Determine the words that connect most closely

Tackle Wikidata tomorrow

seo/nltk/wordnet

get the Synsets of the word given, we use the function wordnet.

nsets('word') . The function returns an array containing all the Synsets



. Lemmatization links similar meaning words as one word, making tools such as chatbots and search engine queries more effective and accurate.

From <a href="https://www.google.com/search?q=what+does+the+lemmas+fuunction+do&rlz=1C1UEAD">https://www.google.com/search?q=what+does+the+lemmas+fuunction+do&gs lcrp=EgZiaHJvbWUyBggAEEUYOTJJCAEQIRgKGKABMgkIAhAhGAOYOAEyCQDECEYChigATIHCAQQIRirAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAiHCAQQIRIrAIHCAQQIRIrAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIRAIHCAQQIRIR

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#import Wordnet and the Natural Language Toolkit
from nltk.corpus import wordnet
#Create empty list add synonyms to
synonyms = [
#loop through all the words in the synset and bring them down to the basic
level(lemma), add each synonym to list
for syn in wordnet.synsets(""):
    for i in syn.lemmas():
       synonyms.append(i.name())
print(set(synonyms))
   #import Wordnet and the Natural Language Toolkit
   from nltk.corpus import wordnet
   inp = input("What is the words you want synonyms for? ")
inps = inp.split(' ')
   #Create empty list add synonyms to
   synonyms = [
   #loop through all the words in the synset and bring them down to the basic
   level(lemma), add each synonym to list
   for h in inps:
       for syn in wordnet.synsets(h):
           for i in syn.lemmas()
                synonyms.append(i.name())
   print(set(synonyms))
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