

# Natural Language Processing Overview

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## 1 ConvNet for text

[Zhang and LeCun, 2015] employ a ConvNet for text. They solve the tasks of sentiment analysis, ontology classification and text categorization.

## 2 Encoding characters for neural networks

[Zhang and LeCun, 2015] employ a ConvNet for text and use an alphabet of characters of size  $m$  ( $m = 70$ ), after which they one-hot encode chars. Chars not in the alphabet are zero-encoded. Characters are quantized in backward order.

## 3 Question answering

[Xiong et al., 2016]

## References

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