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Solutions to Exercise 6: Word Vectors

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1. Consider the sentence

"two flowers grew tall on two tall towers"

a. Write the co-occurrence matrix X for this sentence, using a 4-word context window (i.e. two context words on either side of the central word)

	flowers	grew	on	tall	towers	two
flowers	0	1	0	1	0	1
grew	1	0	1	1	0	1
on	0	1	0	2	0	1
tall	1	1	2	0	1	2
towers	0	0	0	1	0	1
two	1	1	1	2	1	0

b. Use torch.svd() to compute the singular value decompositon of this matrix $X = USV^T$

```
import torch
M = torch.Tensor(
[[0,1,0,1,0,1],
[1,0,1,1,0,1],
[0,1,0,2,0,1],
[1,1,2,0,1,2],
[0,0,0,1,0,1],
[1,1,1,2,1,0]);
U, S, V = torch.svd(M)
torch.set printoptions(precision=2)
print(U)
print(S)
print(V)
                                       0.41,
tensor([[-0.30, 0.24, 0.38, -0.36,
        [-0.37, -0.11, -0.03, 0.80, 0.47,
        [-0.41, 0.53, 0.29, -0.12, 0.08, -0.67],
        [-0.56, -0.74, 0.16, -0.27, -0.13, -0.14],
        [-0.22, 0.19, 0.37, 0.36, -0.75, 0.29], [-0.50, 0.25, -0.78, -0.13, -0.17, 0.17]]
tensor([4.83, 2.53, 1.70, 1.10, 0.40, 0.11])
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tensor([[-0.30, -0.24, -0.38, 0.36, 0.41, 0.64], [-0.37, 0.11, 0.03, -0.80, 0.47, 0.04], [-0.41, -0.53, -0.29, 0.12, 0.08, -0.67], [-0.56, 0.74, -0.16, 0.27, -0.13, -0.14], [-0.22, -0.19, -0.37, -0.36, -0.75, 0.29], [-0.50, -0.25, 0.78, 0.13, -0.17, 0.17]])
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(Note: replacing U and V with -U and -V would preserve $X = USV^{T}$)

c. Extract a word representation from the first two columns of U and use matplotlib to plot the words on a 2-dimensional graph.

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import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

Lex = ['flowers','grew','on','tall','towers','two']

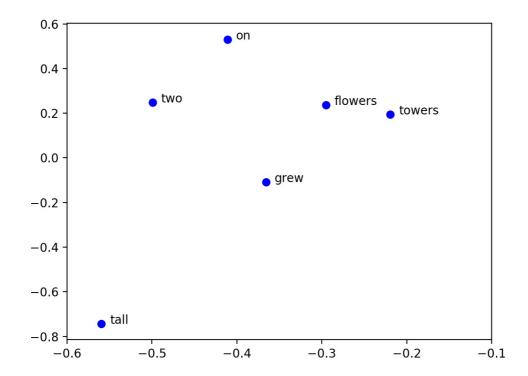
plt.scatter(U[:,0],U[:,1],c='B')

plt.xlim([-0.6,-0.1])

for a in range(U.size()[0]):
    plt.text(0.01+U[a,0],U[a,1],Lex[a])

plt.savefig('vectors.png')

plt.show()
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(Note: the image may be rotated, depending on the sign of U)