

Modelling Text

GloVe Embeddings

What is GloVe

Main Ideas:

- Word occurrences are primary (available) statistics to unsupervised methods to learn word representations

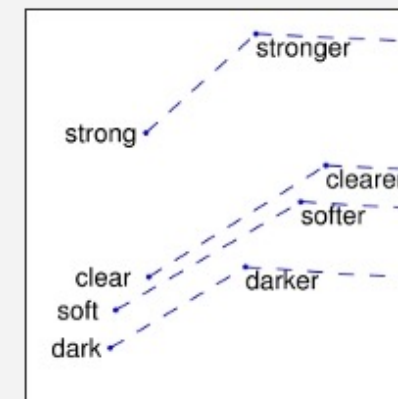
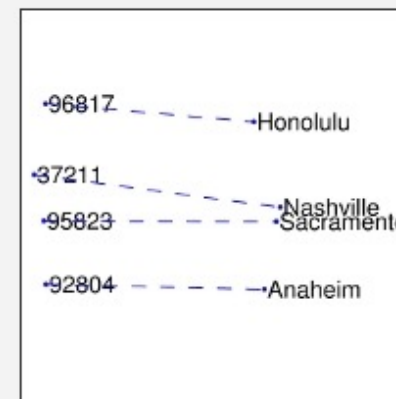
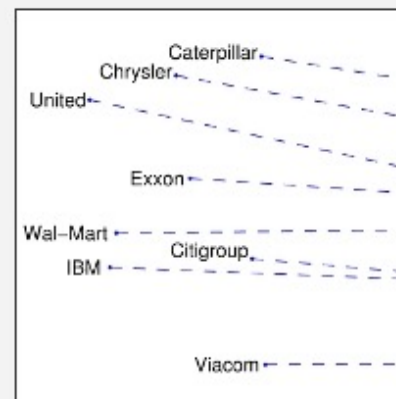
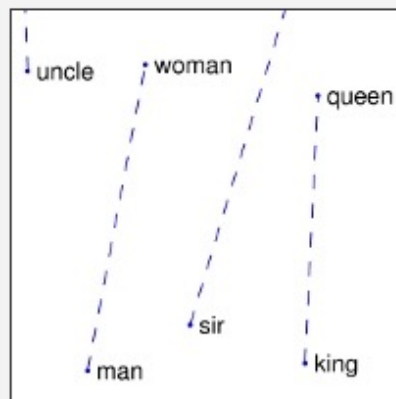
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- ...baby don't hurt me (<https://nlp.stanford.edu/projects/glove/>)

Introduction

GloVe is an unsupervised learning algorithm for obtaining vector representations for words. Training is performed on aggregated global word-word co-occurrence statistics from a corpus, and the resulting representations showcase interesting linear substructures of the word vector space.



GloVe -Basics

- X : “Word-Word co-occurrence counts”
- X_{ij} : “frequency of word j occurring in context of i ”
- $X_i = \sum_k X_{ik}$: “frequency of any word in context of i ”
- $P_{ij} = P(j|i) = \frac{X_{ij}}{X_i}$: “probability that word j appears in the context of word i ”

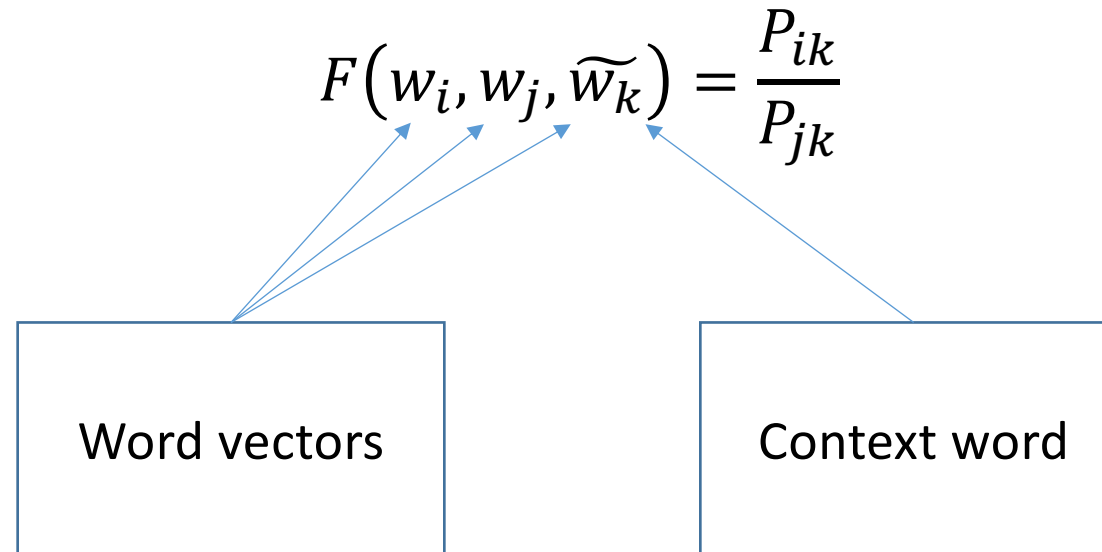
GloVe -Intuition

- We want to learn a model which predicts ratios instead of raw probabilities:

Probability and Ratio	$k = solid$	$k = gas$	$k = water$	$k = fashion$
$P(k ice)$	1.9×10^{-4}	6.6×10^{-5}	3.0×10^{-3}	1.7×10^{-5}
$P(k steam)$	2.2×10^{-5}	7.8×10^{-4}	2.2×10^{-3}	1.8×10^{-5}
$P(k ice)/P(k steam)$	8.9	8.5×10^{-2}	1.36	0.96

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- We could now try all possible functions for F and select the best one!
 - ➔ Search space is huge!
 - ➔ Iteratively integrate intuitive elements

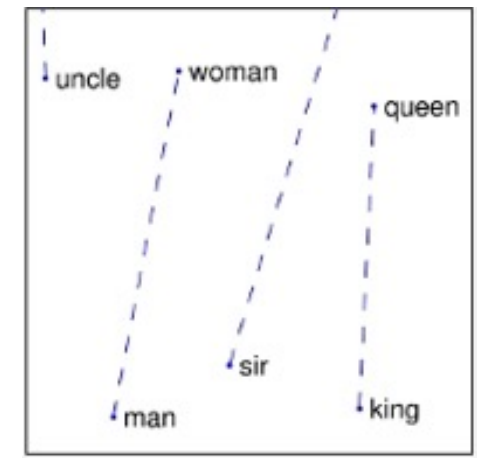
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- Assumption 1:
 - The ratios should reflect similarities in the vector space
- Approach:

$$F(w_i, w_j, \tilde{w}_k) = \frac{P_{ik}}{P_{jk}} \rightarrow F(w_i - w_j, \tilde{w}_k) = \frac{P_{ik}}{P_{jk}}$$



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- Assumption 2:
 - Input are vectors while the output is a scalar

- Approach:
 - Take the dot product of the vectors

$$F(w_i - w_j, \widetilde{w}_k) = \frac{P_{ik}}{P_{jk}} \rightarrow F\left((w_i - w_j)^T \cdot \widetilde{w}_k\right) = \frac{P_{ik}}{P_{jk}}$$

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- Assumption 3:

- Words and their context words should be interchangeable

- Approach:

- F has to be a group homomorphism between $(\mathbb{R}, +)$ and (\mathbb{R}, \cdot) :

→ one solution that worked is as follows:

$$F\left((w_i - w_j)^T \cdot \widetilde{w}_k\right) = \frac{F(w_i^T \widetilde{w}_k)}{F(w_j^T \widetilde{w}_k)} = \frac{P_{ik}}{P_{jk}}$$

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- Group homomorphism:

- A function F is a group homomorphism if:

$$F(x * y) = F(x) \cdot F(y)$$

- Okay so we got:

$$F\left((w_i - w_j)^T \cdot \widetilde{w}_k\right) = F(w_i^T \widetilde{w}_k + (-w_j^T \widetilde{w}_k))$$

➔ We got a homomorphism between “+” and “x” in \mathbb{R}

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- Additionally for group homomorphism it holds:

$$F(x^{-1}) = F(x)^{-1}$$

$$\rightarrow F(-w_j^T \widetilde{w}_k) = \frac{1}{F(w_j^T \widetilde{w}_k)}$$

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- Now find a function which works for:

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→ $F(\dots) = \exp(\dots)$

Optimize with
Gradient Descent
For whole
vocabulary V

$$\exp(w_i^T \widetilde{w}_k) = P_{ik}$$

$$w_i^T \widetilde{w}_k = \log(P_{ik}) = \log(X_{ik}) - \log(X_i)$$

GloVe –Full story

- Optimize this with a Linear regression objective:

$$J = \sum_{i=1}^V \sum_{j=1}^V f(X_{ij})(w_i^T w_j + b_i + b_j - \log(X_{ij}))^2$$

word scaling,
based on α

$\log(X_i)$

Integrated to have
an equal amount of
parameters for
every word

Summary

- Distributional (vector) models of meaning
 - **Sparse** (PPMI-weighted word-word co-occurrence matrices)
 - **Dense:**
 - Word-word SVD 50-2000 dimensions
 - **Skip-grams and CBOW**
 - Brown clusters 5-20 binary dimensions.
 - GloVE: State of the art word embeddings!