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Bag of Words

Dictionary:

He likes machine learning. He did a course on machine learning. Now he does job in the area of machine learning and he likes it.

He - 4

likes - 2

machine - 3

learning - 3

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→ Decide a static dictionary.

→ Every document will be represented using the dimension of the dictionary.

Read about tf.idf ^{HW}

→ Cosine Distance works well here.

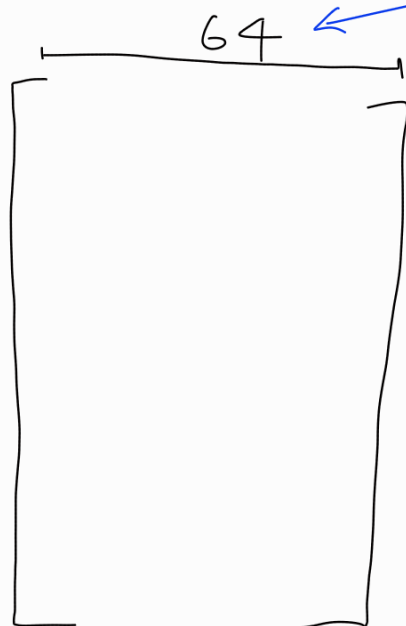
Visual Bag of Words

→ Similar kind of representation for images.

→ Consider 10,000 images

Break each image into 100 patches of 8×8 size each. Similar patches clustered together using K-means.

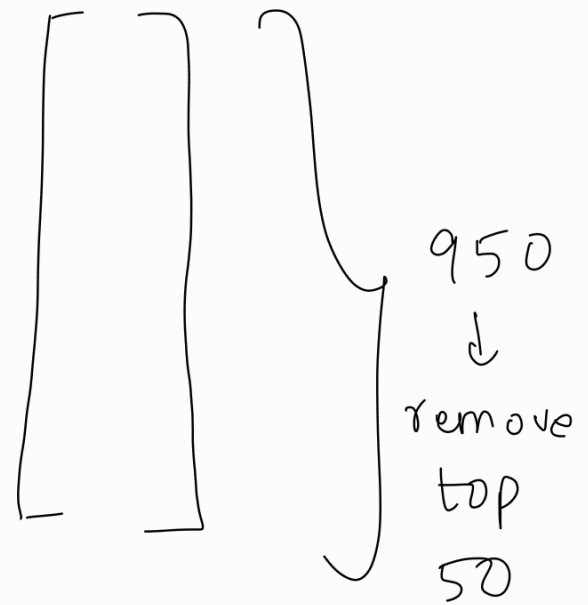
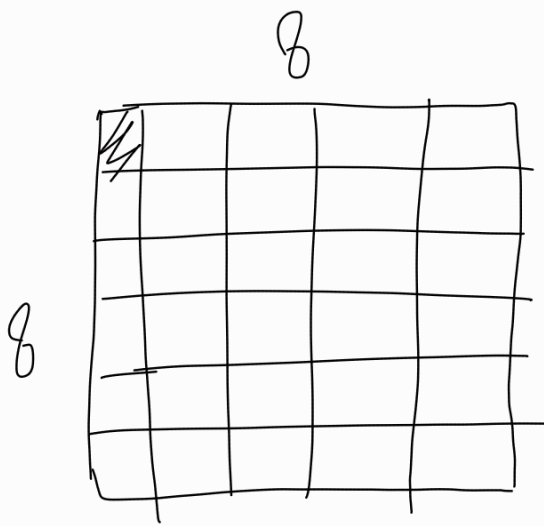
1000 clusters



Each row is a centroid of a cluster

1000

The clusters which are very large very likely represent the equivalent of stop words. We throw away the top 50 clusters.



- Find distance of each patch of an image from all the centroids and increment the closest centroid.
- Now this is the representation of the image.