

# One Hot Encoding: Limitations

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  - Vector for a word (*does not depend on vocabulary size*)
  - Captures the context around the word

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bus - [ 0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,1,0,0,0,0,0,0 ] One Hot Encoded Vector

-0.01	0.02	1.1	-0.3	0.11	-0.02
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} Similar Vectors

Thank You

