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INDUCING INTERPRETABLE WORD SENSES FOR WSD AND ENRICHMENT OF LEXICAL RESOURCES

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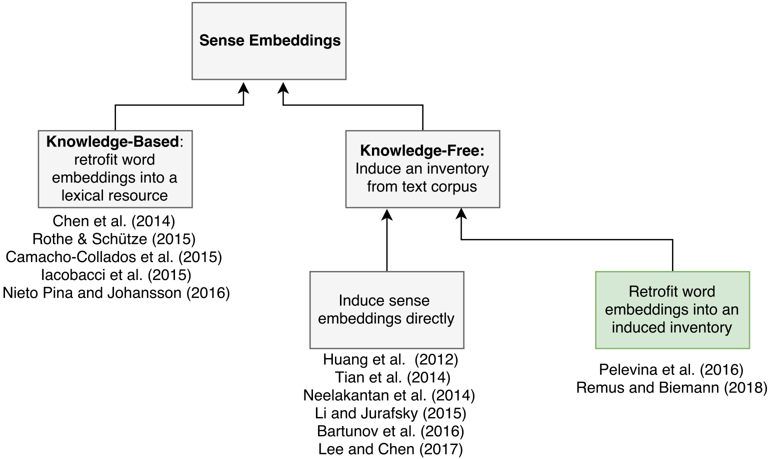
Inducing word sense representations

Related work



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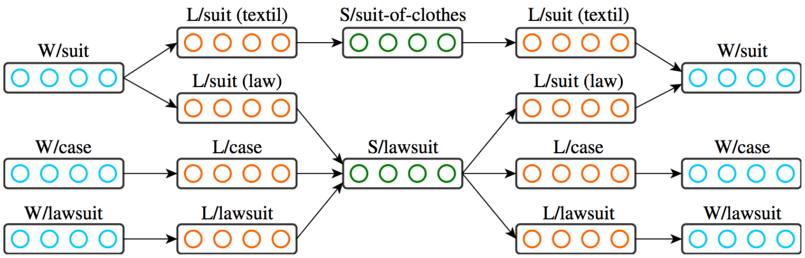

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- **See also**: [Neelakantan et al., 2014] and [Li and Jurafsky, 2015]

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- Linking induced word senses to lexical resources:
  - improves **performance of WSD**;
  - can be used to **enrich lexical resources** with new senses.

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- **More details**: `http://russe.nlpub.org/2018/wsi`
- You can participate by **31.01.2018**.

Thank you!

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