

Information Retrieval Latent Semantic Analysis (SNLP tutorial)

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- U = eigenvectors of $A^T A$
- V = eigenvectors of AA^T
- S = roots of corresponding eigenvalues of $A^T A$
- $A = USV^T$

Eigen{vector,value}

Nonzero $v \in \mathbb{R}^n, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$

Eigenvector

$$Av = \lambda v \quad Av = \lambda Iv \quad (A - \lambda I)v = 0 \quad \ker(A - \lambda I)$$

"Directions (v) which A only scales."

Eigenvalue

$$Av = \lambda v$$

"The stretch (λ) of eigenvector v by A ."

Proof sketch

$$A = USV^T, A^T = VSU^T, S \text{ diagonal}$$

$$U^T U = VV^T = I \text{ orthogonal}$$

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Non-negative

$A^T A$ is positive semidefinite $\Rightarrow S_{i,i} \geq 0$

$$\forall x \neq \vec{0} : x^T A^T A x = (Ax)^T (Ax) = \|Ax\|^2 \geq 0$$

LSA Concepts

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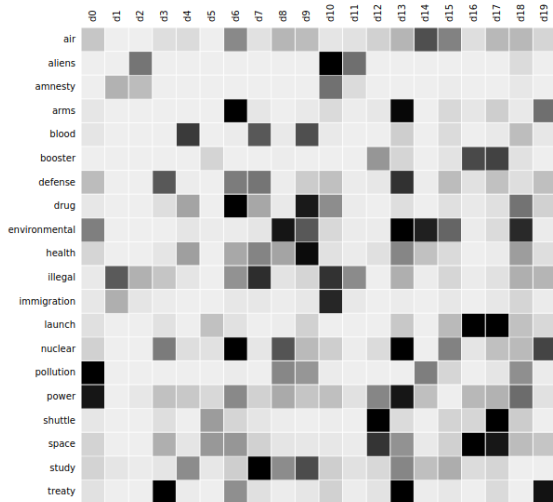


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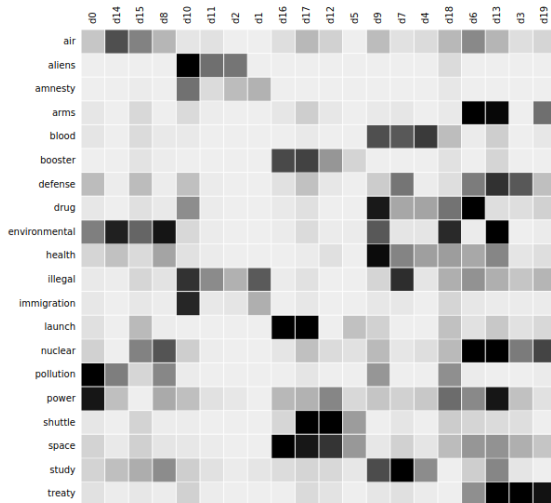


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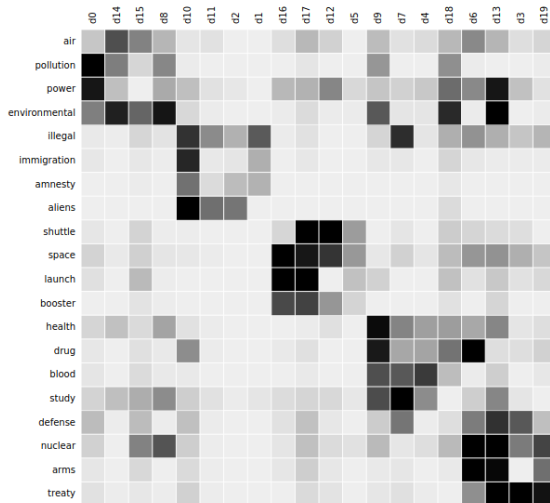


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Resources

- ① Python code:
<https://medium.com/acing-ai/what-is-latent-semantic-analysis-lsa-4d3e2d18417a>
- ② Comprehensive tutorial for LSA+SVD: <https://www.engr.uvic.ca/~seng474/svd.pdf>
- ③ SVD example:
http://web.mit.edu/be.400/www/SVD/Singular_Value_Decomposition.htm
- ④ Computation:
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Singular_value_decomposition#Calculating_the_SVD
- ⑤ Computation: https://www.cs.utexas.edu/users/inderjit/public_papers/HLA_SVD.pdf
- ⑥ Visualization: https://topicmodels.west.uni-koblenz.de/ckling/tmt/svd_ap.html
- ⑦ Computation: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jacobi_eigenvalue_algorithm
- ⑧ Python code: <https://www.analyticsvidhya.com/blog/2018/10/stepwise-guide-topic-modeling-latent-semantic-analysis/>
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