Extracting Code Snippets From Online Sources

Team: 08 (Bhomik Kankaria and Vishal Misra) Release 2 Documentation

Work Done for Release 2

- Modified the eclipse plugin to handle natural language queries.
- Used another open source project- nlp2code and integrated it with FaCoy.
- Gave user options to cycle through available code based on his preference.
- Improved the UI.
- Given shortcuts to provoke extension quickly.

Features for next release

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For next release we have decided to work with evaluation metrics which will help the developer to find his required snippet much easier way and which suits his preference.

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We will also explore the possibility of code cloning within given input and retrieved input by showing a similarity score between codes using some Techniques.

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We can also try this to make an web app from which they can retrieve the results Using API calls.

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Avoiding outdated code snippets in results.

Requirements →

- Functional Requirements:

- The tool should work for multiple languages.
- Evaluation metrics.
- Code Clones for given input and retrieved input snippet

- Non-Functional Requirements:

Tool should be fast in giving outputs in the form of code snippets.

- Tool should work with least number of functional dependencies.
- Nice and simple UI

Use Cases

- 1. API usage
- 2. Algorithms
- 3. Searching similar codes snippets
- 4. Code Cloning similarity finder