

Assignment 2(b)

Q1: Find names in the name corpus that are ambiguous for male and female gender?

Q2: Investigate the holonym-meronym relations for some nouns. Remember that there are three kinds of holonym-meronym relation, so you need to use `member_meronyms()` , `part_meronyms()` , `substance_meronyms()` , `member_holonyms()` , `part_holonyms()` , and `substance_holonyms()` .

Q3: Define a conditional frequency distribution over the Names Corpus that allows you to see which initial letters are more frequent for males versus females?

Q4: Define a function `supergloss(s)` that takes a synset `s` as its argument and returns a string consisting of the concatenation of the definition of `s` , and the definitions of all the hypernyms?

Q5: The polysemy of a word is the number of senses it has. Using WordNet, we can determine that the noun `dog` has seven senses with `len(wn.synsets('dog', 'n'))` . Compute the average polysemy of nouns, verbs, adjectives, and adverbs according to WordNet.