

## Homework #5 Word Sense Disambiguation

Due Nov. 18, 2016 at 4:00pm

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function SIMPLIFIED LESK(word, sentence) returns best sense of word

best-sense ← most frequent sense for word
max-overlap ← 0
context ← set of words in sentence
for each sense in senses of word do
  signature ← set of words in the gloss and examples of sense
  overlap ← COMPUTEOVERLAP(signature, context)
  if overlap > max-overlap then
    max-overlap ← overlap
    best-sense ← sense
end
return(best-sense)
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Using WordNet as the dictionary, implement the SIMPLIFIED LESK algorithm for Word Sense Disambiguation for all the nouns in WordNet.

What to submit:

1. Source code file.
2. A report with 3 examples of words in short sentences.
  - 2 positive results
  - 1 negative result