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## 0.0.1 Lab9. Building Bigram Tagger

In this lab, you will build a bigram tagger and test it out. We will use the Brown Corpus and its native tagset.

#### 0.0.2 EXERCISE-1

```
[1]: import nltk
     from nltk.tokenize import sent_tokenize, word_tokenize
     nltk.download('punkt')
     nltk.download('averaged_perceptron_tagger')
    [nltk_data] Downloading package punkt to
    [nltk_data]
                     C:\Users\Mahalakshmi\AppData\Roaming\nltk_data...
    [nltk_data]
                  Package punkt is already up-to-date!
    [nltk_data] Downloading package averaged_perceptron_tagger to
    [nltk_data]
                     C:\Users\Mahalakshmi\AppData\Roaming\nltk_data...
    [nltk_data]
                  Package averaged_perceptron_tagger is already up-to-
    [nltk_data]
                       date!
[1]: True
[2]: text = word_tokenize("And now for something completely different")
     nltk.pos_tag(text)
[2]: [('And', 'CC'),
      ('now', 'RB'),
      ('for', 'IN'),
      ('something', 'NN'),
      ('completely', 'RB'),
      ('different', 'JJ')]
```

#### 0.0.3 EXERCISE-2

Type the following lines and load Brown corpus into the list tagsen.

```
[4]: from nltk.corpus import brown tagsen = brown.tagged_sents()
```

```
[6]: len(tagsen)
```

### [6]: 57340

## 0.0.4 STEP 1: Prepare data sets

There are a total of 57,340 POS-tagged sentences in the Brown Corpus. Among them, assign the first 50,000 to your list of training sentences. Then, assign the remaining sentences to your list of testing sentences. The first of your testing sentences should look like this:

```
[5]: br_train=tagsen[0:50000]
br_test=tagsen[50000:]
br_test[0]
```

```
[5]: [('I', 'PPSS'),
      ('was', 'BEDZ'),
      ('loaded', 'VBN'),
      ('with', 'IN'),
      ('suds', 'NNS'),
      ('when', 'WRB'),
      ('I', 'PPSS'),
      ('ran', 'VBD'),
      ('away', 'RB'),
      (',', ','),
      ('and', 'CC'),
      ('I', 'PPSS'),
      ("haven't", 'HV*'),
      ('had', 'HVN'),
      ('a', 'AT'),
      ('chance', 'NN'),
      ('to', 'TO'),
      ('wash', 'VB'),
      ('it', 'PPO'),
      ('off', 'RP'),
      ('.', '.')]
```

## 0.0.5 STEP 2: Build a bigram tagger

Following the steps shown in this chapter, build a bigram tagger with two back-off models. The first one on the stack should be a default tagger that assigns 'NN' by default.

```
[8]: bt0 = nltk.DefaultTagger('NN')
bt1 = nltk.UnigramTagger(br_train, backoff=bt0)
bt2 = nltk.BigramTagger(br_train, backoff=bt1)
```

### 0.0.6 STEP 3: Evaluate

Evaluate your bigram tagger on the test sentences. You should be getting the accuracy score of 0.911. If not, something went wrong: go back and re-build your tagger.

```
[9]: bt2.evaluate(br_test)
```

[9]: 0.9111006662708622

## **0.0.7** STEP 4: Explore

Now, explore your tagger to answer the questions below. #### 1. How big are your training data and testing data? Answer in terms of the number of total words in them.

```
[12]: total_train=[len(1) for 1 in br_train] sum(total_train)
```

[12]: 1039920

```
[13]: total_test=[len(1) for 1 in br_test] sum(total_test)
```

[13]: 121272

2. What is the performance of each of the two back-off taggers? How much improvement did you get: (1) going from the default tagger to the unigram tagger, and (2) going from the unigram tagger to the bigram tagger?

```
[14]: bt1.evaluate(br_test)
```

[14]: 0.8897849462365591

```
[15]: bt2.evaluate(br_test)
```

[15]: 0.9111006662708622

3. Recall that 'cold' is ambiguous between JJ 'adjective' and NN 'singular noun'. Let's explore the word in the training data. The problem with the training data, through, is that it is a list of tagged sentences, and it's difficult to get to the tagged words which are one level below:

```
[16]: br_train[0]
```

```
('primary', 'NN'),
       ('election', 'NN'),
       ('produced', 'VBD'),
       ('``', '``'),
       ('no', 'AT'),
       ('evidence', 'NN'),
       ("''", "''"),
       ('that', 'CS'),
       ('any', 'DTI'),
       ('irregularities', 'NNS'),
       ('took', 'VBD'),
       ('place', 'NN'),
       ('.', '.')]
[17]: br_train[1277]
[17]: [('``', '``'),
       ('I', 'PPSS'),
       ('told', 'VBD'),
       ('him', 'PPO'),
       ('who', 'WPS'),
       ('I', 'PPSS'),
       ('was', 'BEDZ'),
       ('and', 'CC'),
       ('he', 'PPS'),
       ('was', 'BEDZ'),
       ('quite', 'QL'),
       ('cold', 'JJ'),
       ('.', '.')]
[18]: br_train[1277][11]
[18]: ('cold', 'JJ')
     4. To be able to compile tagged-word-level statistics, we will need a flat list of tagged
     words, without them being organized into sentences. How to do this? You can use
     multi-loop list comprehension to construct it:
[19]: br_train_f = [(word, tag) for sent in br_train for (word, tag) in sent]
[20]: br train f[:40]
[20]: [('The', 'AT'),
       ('Fulton', 'NP-TL'),
       ('County', 'NN-TL'),
       ('Grand', 'JJ-TL'),
       ('Jury', 'NN-TL'),
       ('said', 'VBD'),
```

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('an', 'AT'),
       ('investigation', 'NN'),
       ('of', 'IN'),
       ("Atlanta's", 'NP$'),
       ('recent', 'JJ'),
       ('primary', 'NN'),
       ('election', 'NN'),
       ('produced', 'VBD'),
       ('``', '``'),
       ('no', 'AT'),
       ('evidence', 'NN'),
       ("''", "''"),
       ('that', 'CS'),
       ('any', 'DTI'),
       ('irregularities', 'NNS'),
       ('took', 'VBD'),
       ('place', 'NN'),
       ('.', '.'),
       ('The', 'AT'),
       ('jury', 'NN'),
       ('further', 'RBR'),
       ('said', 'VBD'),
       ('in', 'IN'),
       ('term-end', 'NN'),
       ('presentments', 'NNS'),
       ('that', 'CS'),
       ('the', 'AT'),
       ('City', 'NN-TL'),
       ('Executive', 'JJ-TL'),
       ('Committee', 'NN-TL'),
       (',', ','),
       ('which', 'WDT'),
       ('had', 'HVD')]
[21]: br_train_f [13]
[21]: ('election', 'NN')
```

5. Now, exploring this list of (word, POS) pairs from the training data, answer the questions below.

```
a. Which is the more likely tag for 'cold' overall?
```

('Friday', 'NR'),

```
[24]: fr_dis = nltk.FreqDist(br_train_f)
con_fd = nltk.ConditionalFreqDist(br_train_f)
```

```
[25]: con_fd['cold'].most_common()
```

```
[25]: [('JJ', 110), ('NN', 8), ('RB', 2)]
```

b. When the POS tag of the preceding word (call it POSn-1) is AT, what is the likelihood of 'cold' being a noun? How about it being an adjective?

```
[26]: br_train_2gr = list(nltk.ngrams(br_train_f,2))
      br_train_cold=[a[1] for (a, b) in br_train_2gr if b[0] == 'cold']
      frqdist = nltk.FreqDist(br_train_cold)
      [tag for (tag, _) in frqdist.most_common()]
[26]: ['AT',
       'IN',
       'CC',
       'QL',
       'BEDZ',
       'JJ',
       ١,١,
       'DT',
       'PP$',
       'RP',
       ''',
       'NN',
       'VBN',
       'VBD',
       'CS',
       'BEZ',
       'DOZ',
       'RB',
       'PPSS',
       'BE',
       'VB',
       'VBZ',
       'NP$',
       'BEDZ*',
       '--'.
       'DTI',
       'WRB',
       'BED']
```

c. When POSn-1 is JJ, what is the likelihood of 'cold' being a noun? How about it being an adjective?

```
[27]: br_pos = [(w2+"/"+t2, t1) for ((w1,t1),(w2,t2)) in br_train_2gr]
br_pos_confrqdis = nltk.ConditionalFreqDist(br_pos)
br_pos
```

```
('Jury/NN-TL', 'JJ-TL'),
('said/VBD', 'NN-TL'),
('Friday/NR', 'VBD'),
('an/AT', 'NR'),
('investigation/NN', 'AT'),
('of/IN', 'NN'),
("Atlanta's/NP$", 'IN'),
('recent/JJ', 'NP$'),
('primary/NN', 'JJ'),
('election/NN', 'NN'),
('produced/VBD', 'NN'),
('``/``', 'VBD'),
('no/AT', '``'),
('evidence/NN', 'AT'),
("''/''", 'NN'),
('that/CS', "''"),
('any/DTI', 'CS'),
('irregularities/NNS', 'DTI'),
('took/VBD', 'NNS'),
('place/NN', 'VBD'),
('./.', 'NN'),
('The/AT', '.'),
('jury/NN', 'AT'),
('further/RBR', 'NN'),
('said/VBD', 'RBR'),
('in/IN', 'VBD'),
('term-end/NN', 'IN'),
('presentments/NNS', 'NN'),
('that/CS', 'NNS'),
('the/AT', 'CS'),
('City/NN-TL', 'AT'),
('Executive/JJ-TL', 'NN-TL'),
('Committee/NN-TL', 'JJ-TL'),
(',/,', 'NN-TL'),
('which/WDT', ','),
('had/HVD', 'WDT'),
('over-all/JJ', 'HVD'),
('charge/NN', 'JJ'),
('of/IN', 'NN'),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
('election/NN', 'AT'),
(',/,', 'NN'),
('``/``', ','),
('deserves/VBZ', '``'),
('the/AT', 'VBZ'),
('praise/NN', 'AT'),
('and/CC', 'NN'),
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('thanks/NNS', 'CC'),
('of/IN', 'NNS'),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
('City/NN-TL', 'AT'),
('of/IN-TL', 'NN-TL'),
('Atlanta/NP-TL', 'IN-TL'),
("''/'", 'NP-TL'),
('for/IN', "''"),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
('manner/NN', 'AT'),
('in/IN', 'NN'),
('which/WDT', 'IN'),
('the/AT', 'WDT'),
('election/NN', 'AT'),
('was/BEDZ', 'NN'),
('conducted/VBN', 'BEDZ'),
('./.', 'VBN'),
('The/AT', '.'),
('September-October/NP', 'AT'),
('term/NN', 'NP'),
('jury/NN', 'NN'),
('had/HVD', 'NN'),
('been/BEN', 'HVD'),
('charged/VBN', 'BEN'),
('by/IN', 'VBN'),
('Fulton/NP-TL', 'IN'),
('Superior/JJ-TL', 'NP-TL'),
('Court/NN-TL', 'JJ-TL'),
('Judge/NN-TL', 'NN-TL'),
('Durwood/NP', 'NN-TL'),
('Pye/NP', 'NP'),
('to/TO', 'NP'),
('investigate/VB', 'TO'),
('reports/NNS', 'VB'),
('of/IN', 'NNS'),
('possible/JJ', 'IN'),
('``/``', 'JJ'),
('irregularities/NNS', '``'),
("''/''", 'NNS'),
('in/IN', "''"),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
('hard-fought/JJ', 'AT'),
('primary/NN', 'JJ'),
('which/WDT', 'NN'),
('was/BEDZ', 'WDT'),
('won/VBN', 'BEDZ'),
('by/IN', 'VBN'),
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('Mayor-nominate/NN-TL', 'IN'),
('Ivan/NP', 'NN-TL'),
('Allen/NP', 'NP'),
('Jr./NP', 'NP'),
('./.', 'NP'),
('``/``', '.'),
('Only/RB', '``'),
('a/AT', 'RB'),
('relative/JJ', 'AT'),
('handful/NN', 'JJ'),
('of/IN', 'NN'),
('such/JJ', 'IN'),
('reports/NNS', 'JJ'),
('was/BEDZ', 'NNS'),
('received/VBN', 'BEDZ'),
("''/'", 'VBN'),
(',/,', "''"),
('the/AT', ','),
('jury/NN', 'AT'),
('said/VBD', 'NN'),
(',/,', 'VBD'),
('``/``', ','),
('considering/IN', '``'),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
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('interest/NN', 'JJ'),
('in/IN', 'NN'),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
('election/NN', 'AT'),
(',/,', 'NN'),
('the/AT', ','),
('number/NN', 'AT'),
('of/IN', 'NN'),
('voters/NNS', 'IN'),
('and/CC', 'NNS'),
('the/AT', 'CC'),
('size/NN', 'AT'),
('of/IN', 'NN'),
('this/DT', 'IN'),
('city/NN', 'DT'),
("''/''", 'NN'),
('./.', "''"),
('The/AT', '.'),
('jury/NN', 'AT'),
('said/VBD', 'NN'),
('it/PPS', 'VBD'),
('did/DOD', 'PPS'),
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('find/VB', 'DOD'),
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('of/IN', 'AP'),
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('registration/NN', 'NP$'),
('and/CC', 'NN'),
('election/NN', 'CC'),
('laws/NNS', 'NN'),
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('are/BER', '``'),
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('It/PPS', '.'),
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('legislators/NNS', 'NP'),
('act/VB', 'NNS'),
('``/``', 'VB'),
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('have/HV', 'TO'),
('these/DTS', 'HV'),
('laws/NNS', 'DTS'),
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('revised/VBN', 'CC'),
('to/IN', 'VBN'),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
('end/NN', 'AT'),
('of/IN', 'NN'),
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('and/CC', 'VBG'),
('improving/VBG', 'CC'),
('them/PPO', 'VBG'),
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('The/AT', '.'),
('grand/JJ', 'AT'),
('jury/NN', 'JJ'),
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('them/PPO', 'IN'),
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('Atlanta/NP', 'AT'),
('and/CC', 'NP'),
('Fulton/NP-TL', 'CC'),
('County/NN-TL', 'NP-TL'),
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('departments/NNS', 'VBG'),
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('it/PPS', 'WDT'),
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('and/CC', 'VBN'),
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('of/IN', 'NN'),
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('the/AT', 'IN'),
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('County/NN-TL', 'NP-TL'),
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('assistance/NN', 'JJ'),
('program/NN', 'NN'),
("''/''", 'NN'),
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('jury/NN', 'AT'),
('said/VBD', 'NN'),
(',/,', 'VBD'),
('but/CC', ','),
('the/AT', 'CC'),
('State/NN-TL', 'AT'),
('Welfare/NN-TL', 'NN-TL'),
('Department/NN-TL', 'NN-TL'),
('``/``', 'NN-TL'),
('has/HVZ', '``'),
('seen/VBN', 'HVZ'),
('fit/JJ', 'VBN'),
('to/TO', 'JJ'),
('distribute/VB', 'TO'),
('these/DTS', 'VB'),
('funds/NNS', 'DTS'),
('through/IN', 'NNS'),
('the/AT', 'IN'),
('welfare/NN', 'AT'),
('departments/NNS', 'NN'),
('of/IN', 'NNS'),
('all/ABN', 'IN'),
('the/AT', 'ABN'),
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('County/NN-TL', 'NP-TL'),
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('./.', 'NN'),
('The/AT', '.'),
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('said/VBD', 'NNS'),
('they/PPSS', 'VBD'),
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('``/``', 'VB'),
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('of/IN', 'NN'),
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('counties/NNS', 'JJ'),
("''/''", 'NNS'),
('./.', "''"),
('Nevertheless/RB', '.'),
(',/,', 'RB'),
('``/``', ','),
('we/PPSS', '``'),
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('in/IN', 'CS'),
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(',/,', "''"),
('the/AT', ','),
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('burden/NN', 'JJ'),
("''/''", 'NN'),
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('Fulton/NP', 'IN'),
('taxpayers/NNS', 'NP'),
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       ...]
     d. Can you find any POSn-1 that favors NN over JJ for the following word 'cold'?
[28]: br_pos_confrqdis['cold/NN'].most_common()
[28]: [('AT', 4), ('JJ', 2), (',', 1), ('DT', 1)]
[29]: br_pos_confrqdis['cold/JJ'].most_common()
[29]: [('AT', 38),
       ('IN', 14),
       ('CC', 8),
       ('QL', 7),
       ('BEDZ', 7),
       ('JJ', 4),
       ('DT', 3),
       (',', 3),
       ('PP$', 3),
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       ('NN', 2),
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       ('BE', 1),
       ('VB', 1),
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       ('NP$', 1),
       ('BEDZ*', 1),
       ('--', 1),
       ('RP', 1),
       ('DTI', 1),
       ('WRB', 1),
       ('BED', 1)]
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('encouragement/NN', 'JJ'),

6. Based on what you found, how is your bigram tagger expected to tag 'cold' in the following sentences?

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[30]: bi_tagger = nltk.BigramTagger(br_train)
     a. I was very cold.
[31]: txt = word_tokenize("I was very cold.")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt)
[31]: [('I', 'PPSS'), ('was', 'BEDZ'), ('very', 'QL'), ('cold', 'JJ'), ('.', '.')]
     b. I had a cold.
[32]: txt1 = word tokenize("I had cold.")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt1)
[32]: [('I', 'PPSS'), ('had', 'HVD'), ('cold', None), ('.', None)]
     c. I had a severe cold.
[33]: txt2 = word_tokenize("I had a severe cold.")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt2)
[33]: [('I', 'PPSS'),
       ('had', 'HVD'),
       ('a', 'AT'),
       ('severe', 'JJ'),
       ('cold', 'JJ'),
       ('.', '.')]
     d. January was a cold month.
[34]: txt3 = word_tokenize("January was a cold month")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt3)
[34]: [('January', None),
       ('was', None),
       ('a', None),
       ('cold', None),
       ('month', None)]
     8. Have the tagger tag the following sentences, all of which contain the word 'so':
     a. I failed to do so.
[36]: txt4 = word_tokenize("I failed to do so")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt4)
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[36]: [('I', 'PPSS'), ('failed', 'VBD'), ('to', 'TO'), ('do', 'DO'), ('so', 'RB')]

b. I was happy, but so was my enemy.

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[37]: txt5 = word_tokenize("I was happy,but so was my enemy")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt5)
[37]: [('I', 'PPSS'),
       ('was', 'BEDZ'),
       ('happy', 'JJ'),
       (',', ','),
       ('but', 'CC'),
       ('so', 'RB'),
       ('was', 'BEDZ'),
       ('my', 'PP$'),
       ('enemy', 'NN')]
     c. So, how was the exam?
[38]: txt6 = word_tokenize("So, how was the exam?")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt6)
[38]: [('So', 'RB'),
       (',', ','),
       ('how', 'WRB'),
       ('was', 'BEDZ'),
       ('the', 'AT'),
       ('exam', None),
       ('?', None)]
     d. The students came in early so they can get good seats.
[39]: txt7 = word_tokenize("The students came in early so they can get good seats")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt7)
[39]: [('The', 'AT'),
       ('students', 'NNS'),
       ('came', 'VBD'),
       ('in', 'IN'),
       ('early', 'JJ'),
       ('so', 'CS'),
       ('they', 'PPSS'),
       ('can', 'MD'),
       ('get', 'VB'),
       ('good', 'JJ'),
       ('seats', 'NNS')]
     e. She failed the exam, so she must take it again.
[40]: txt8 = word_tokenize("She failed the exam, so she must take it again")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt8)
[40]: [('She', 'PPS'),
       ('failed', 'VBD'),
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('the', 'AT'),
       ('exam', None),
       (',', None),
       ('so', None),
       ('she', None),
       ('must', None),
       ('take', None),
       ('it', None),
       ('again', None)]
     f. That was so incredible.
[41]: txt9 = word_tokenize("That was so incredible")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt9)
[41]: [('That', 'DT'), ('was', 'BEDZ'), ('so', 'QL'), ('incredible', 'JJ')]
     g. Wow, so incredible.
[42]: txt10 = word_tokenize("Wow, so incredible")
      bi_tagger.tag(txt10)
[42]: [('Wow', None), (',', None), ('so', None), ('incredible', None)]
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