# 50.040 Natural Language Processing (Summer 2020) Homework

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In [1]:
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from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/gdrive')
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% pwd
% ls
% cd /content/gdrive/'My Drive'/'HW1'
% ls

gdrive/ sample data/
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/content/gdrive/My Drive/NLP/HW1

data/ Description.pdf homework1.ipynb \_\_MACOSX/

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In [0]:
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```
import numpy as np
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
from gensim.models import Word2Vec
```

# Introduction

Word embeddings are dense vectors that represent words, and capable of capturing semantic and syntactic similarity, relation with other words, etc. We have introduced two approaches in the class to learn word embeddings: **Count-based** and **Prediction-based**. Here we will explore both approaches and learn *co-occurence matrices* word embeddings and *Word2Vec* word embeddings. Note that we use "word embeddings" and "word vectors" interchangeably.

Before we start, you need to <u>download</u> the text8 dataset. Unzip the file and then put it under the "data" folder. The text8 dataset consists of one single line of long text. Please do not change the data unless you are requested to do so.

## Environment:

- Python 3.5 or above
- gensim

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- sklearn
- numpv

# 1. Count-based word embeddings

#### Co-Occurrence

A co-occurrence matrix counts how often things co-occur in some environment. Given some word \$w\_i\$ occurring in the document, we consider the *context window* surrounding \$w\_i\$. Supposing our fixed window size is \$n\$, then this is the \$n\$ preceding and \$n\$ subsequent words in that document, i.e. words \$w\_{i-1} \dots w\_{i-1}\$ and \$w\_{i+1} \dots w\_{i+1}\$. We build a *co-occurrence matrix* \$M\$, which is a symmetric word-by-word matrix in which \$M\_{i}} is the number of times \$w\_i\$ appears inside \$w\_i\$'s window.

## Example: Co-Occurrence with Fixed Window of n=1:

Document 1: "learn and live"

Document 2: "learn not and know not"

*	and	know	learn	live	not
and	0	1	1	1	1
know	1	0	0	0	1
learn	1	0	0	0	1
live	1	0	0	0	0
not	1	1	1	0	0

The rows or columns can be used as word vectors but they are usually too large (linear in the size of the vocabulary). Thus in the next step we need to run "dimensionality reduction" algorithms like PCA, SVD.

#### Construct co-occurence matrix

Before you start, please make sure you have downloaded the dataset "text8" in the introduction.

#### In [0]:

```
def read_corpus(file_path, size=500000):
    '''
    params:
        file_path --- str: path to your data file.
        size --- int or str: the size of the corpus
    return:
        corpus --- list[str]: list of word strings.
    '''
    with open(file_path, 'r') as f:
        text = f.read()
        if size=='all':
            corpus = text.split()
        else:
            corpus = text.split()[:size]
        return corpus
```

#### Let's have a look at the corpus

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corpus = read_corpus(r'data/text8')
print(corpus[0:100])

['anarchism', 'originated', 'as', 'a', 'term', 'of', 'abuse', 'first', 'used', 'against', 'early',
'working', 'class', 'radicals', 'including', 'the', 'diggers', 'of', 'the', 'english',
'revolution', 'and', 'the', 'sans', 'culottes', 'of', 'the', 'french', 'revolution', 'whilst', 'th
e', 'term', 'is', 'still', 'used', 'in', 'a', 'pejorative', 'way', 'to', 'describe', 'any', 'act',
'that', 'used', 'violent', 'means', 'to', 'destroy', 'the', 'organization', 'of', 'society', 'it',
'has', 'also', 'been', 'taken', 'up', 'as', 'a', 'positive', 'label', 'by', 'self', 'defined',
'anarchists', 'the', 'word', 'anarchism', 'is', 'derived', 'from', 'the', 'greek', 'without',
'archons', 'ruler', 'chief', 'king', 'anarchism', 'as', 'a', 'political', 'philosophy', 'is',
'the', 'belief', 'that', 'rulers', 'are', 'unnecessary', 'and', 'should', 'be', 'abolished',
'although', 'there', 'are', 'differing']
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archough, there, are, urrrering ]
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# Question 1 [code]:

Implement the function "distinct\_words" that reads in "corpus" and returns distinct words that appeared in the corpus, the number of distinct words

Then, run the sanity check cell below to check your implementation.

In [0]:

```
def distinct_words(corpus):
    """
    Determine a list of distinct words for the corpus.
    Params:
        corpus --- list[str]: list of words in the corpus
    Return:
        corpus_words --- list[str]: list of distinct words in the corpus; sort this list with
built-in python function "sorted"
        num_corpus_words --- int: number of distinct in the corpus
    """
        corpus_words = None
    num_corpus_words = None
    ### You may need to use "set()" to remove duplicate words.
    ### YOUR CODE HERE (~2 lines)
        corpus_words = sorted(set(corpus))
        num_corpus_words = len(corpus_words)

### END OF YOUR CODE

return corpus_words, num_corpus_words
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# Question 2 [code]:

Implement "compute\_co\_occurrence\_matrix" that reads in "corpus" and "window\_size", and returns a co-occurence matrix and a word-to-index dictionary.

Then, run the sanity check cell to check your implementation

In [0]:

```
from nltk import ngrams
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```
def compute co occurrence matrix(corpus, window size=1):
    Compute co-occurrence matrix for the given corpus and window size (default of 1).
       corpus --- list[str]: list of words
       window size --- int: size of context window
    Return:
       M --- numpy array of shape (num words, num words)):
             Co-occurence matrix of word counts.
             The ordering of the words in the rows/columns should be the same as the ordering of
the words
             given by the distinct words function.
       word2Ind --- dict: dictionary that maps word to index (i.e. row/column number) for matrix
M.
    words, num words = distinct words(corpus)
   M = None
    word2Ind = {}
    ### Each word in a document should be at the center of a window. Words near edges will have
a smaller
    ###
          number of co-occurring words.
    ###
          For example, if we take the sentence "learn and live" with window size of 2,
          "learn" will co-occur with "and", "live".
    ###
    ###
    ### YOUR CODE HERE
   M = np.zeros((num words, num words))
    # grams = ngrams(corpus, window size)
    word2Ind = {word: i for i, word in enumerate(words)}
    # print(word2Ind)
    # for i,word in enumerate(corpus):
          for j in range(max(i-window size,0), min(i+window size, num words)):
           # print(i,j)
           if(word==corpus[j]):
             continue
            # print(word,corpus[i])
            # print(word2Ind[word], word2Ind[corpus[j]])
           M[word2Ind[word], word2Ind[corpus[j]]]+=1
           M[word2Ind[corpus[j]],word2Ind[word]]+=1
    for w,word in enumerate(corpus):
     target index = word2Ind[word]
      for j in range(max(w - window size, 0), w):
          # print(word,corpus[j])
         M[target index][word2Ind[corpus[j]]] += 1
         M[word2Ind[corpus[j]]][target_index] += 1
    # for w,word in enumerate(corpus):
      curr = corpus[w]
         neighbors = corpus[max(0, w-window size) : min(len(corpus), w+window size+1)]
    #
         for n in neighbors:
             M[word2Ind[curr]][word2Ind[n]] += 1
         M[word2Ind[curr]][word2Ind[curr]] -= 1
    ### END OF YOUR CODE
    return M, word2Ind
```

### In [9]:

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# -----
# Run this sanity check
# ------

# Define toy corpus and get co-occurrence matrix
test_corpus = "learn not and know not".split()
M_test, word2Ind_test = compute_co_occurrence_matrix(test_corpus, window_size=1)
# Correct M and word2Ind
M_test_ans = np.array(
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[[0., 1., 0., 1.],
     [1., 0., 0., 1.],
     [0., 0., 0., 1.],
     [1., 1., 1., 0.]])
word2Ind ans = {'and':0, 'know':1, 'learn':2, 'not':3}
# check correct word2Ind
assert (word2Ind ans == word2Ind test), "Your word2Ind is incorrect:\nCorrect: {}\nYours:
{}".format(word2Ind ans, word2Ind test)
# check correct M shape
assert (M test.shape == M test ans.shape), "M matrix has incorrect shape.\nCorrect: {}\nYours: {}"
.format(M_test.shape, M_test_ans.shape)
# Test correct M values
for w1 in word2Ind ans.keys():
   idx1 = word2Ind ans[w1]
    for w2 in word2Ind ans.keys():
       idx2 = word2Ind ans[w2]
        student = M test[idx1, idx2]
       correct = M_test_ans[idx1, idx2]
        if student != correct:
           print("Correct M:")
            print(M test ans)
            print("Your M: ")
            print(M test)
            raise AssertionError("Incorrect count at index ({}, {})=({}, {}) in matrix M. Yours has
{} but should have {}.".format(idx1, idx2, w1, w2, student, correct))
# Print Success
print ("-" * 80)
print("Passed All Tests!")
print ("-" * 80)
```

Passed All Tests!

# Question 3 [code]:

Implement "pca" function below with python package sklearn.decomposition.PCA. For the use of PCA function, please refer to <a href="https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.decomposition.PCA.html">https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.decomposition.PCA.html</a>

Then, run the sanity check cell to check your implementation

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# ------
# Run this sanity check
# only shock that your M reduced has the right dimensions
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Passed All Tests!

# Question 4 [code]:

Implement "plot embeddings" function to visualize the word embeddings on a 2-D plane.

In [0]:

```
def plot_embeddings(X_pca, word2Ind, words):
   Plot in a scatterplot the embeddings of the words specified in the list "words".
       X pca --- numpy array of shape (num words , 2): numpy array of 2-d word embeddings
       word2Ind --- dict: dictionary that maps words to indices
       words --- list[str]: a list of words of which the embeddings we want to visualize
   return:
       None
   ### You may need to use "plt.scatter", "plt.text" and a for loop here
   ### YOUR CODE HERE (~ 7 lines)
   plt.figure()
   plt.figure(figsize=(10,10))
   plt.xticks(fontsize=12)
   plt.yticks(fontsize=14)
   plt.xlabel('Principal Component - 1',fontsize=20)
   plt.ylabel('Principal Component - 2',fontsize=20)
   plt.title("Principal Component Analysis", fontsize=20)
   words index = [word2Ind[word] for word in words]
    # print(words index)
   xi = [X_pca[word_index][0] for word_index in words_index]
   yi = [X pca[word index][1] for word index in words index]
   for i, word in enumerate(words):
       x , y = xi[i] , yi[i]
       plt.scatter(x, y, marker = 'x', color = 'red')
       plt.text(x, y, word, fontsize = 9)
   plt.show()
    ### END OF YOUR CODE
```

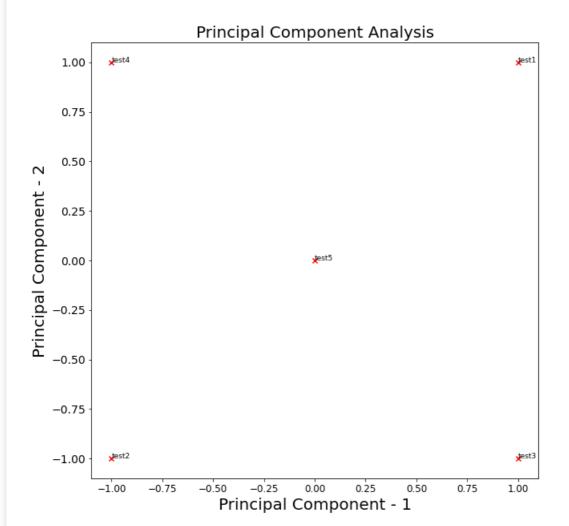
# In [13]:

```
X_test = np.array([[1, 1], [-1, -1], [1, -1], [-1, 1], [0, 0]])
word2Ind_plot_test = {'test1': 0, 'test2': 1, 'test3': 2, 'test4': 3, 'test5': 4}
words = ['test1', 'test2', 'test3', 'test4', 'test5']
plot_embeddings(X_test, word2Ind_plot_test, words)
print ("-" * 80)
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Outputted Plot:

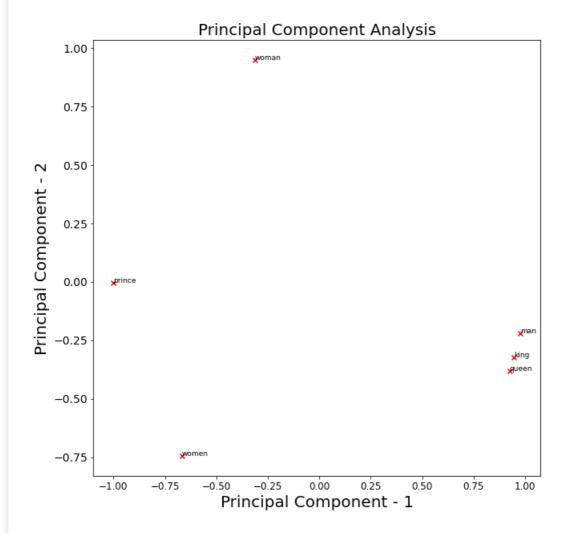
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# \*\*Test Plot Solution\*\*

In [14]:



# 2. Prediction-based word embeddings

# Question 5 [written]:

Given a sentence "I am interested in NLP", what will be the context and target pairs in a CBOW/Skip-gram model if the window size is 1? Write your answer in the cell below

## **Question 5 Answer**

Given a CBOW/Skip-gram model, and window size = 1, the target and context pairs for the sentence are. (Target is in bold):

- (I,am)
- (am,I), (am,interested)
- (interested,am), (interested,in)
- (in,interested), (in,NLP)
- (**NLP**,in)

The only difference in CBOW and Skip-gram is that CBOW uses context words to predict the target word, while Skip-gram uses the target word to predict the context word. However, the pair should be similar for both models.

# Question 6 [code]:

Complete the code in the function create\_word\_batch, which can be used to divide a single sequence of words into batches of words.

For example, the word sequence ["I", "like", "NLP", "So", "does", "he"] can be divided into two batches, ["I", "like", "NLP"], ["So", "does", "he"], each with batch\_size=3 words. It is more efficient to train word embedding on batches of word sequences rather than on a long single sequence.

Then run the sanity check call to check your implementation

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In [0]:

```
def create word_batch(words, batch_size=100):
   Split the words into batches
   params:
       words --- list[str]: a list of words
       batch_size --- int: the number of words in a batch
       batch words: list[list[str]]batches of words, list
    batch words = []
    ### YOUR CODE HERE
    temp = []
    for i, word in enumerate (words):
     if i%batch size==0 and i!=0:
       batch_words.append(temp)
       temp = []
     temp.append(word)
    batch_words.append(temp)
    # print(batch words)
    ### END OF YOUR CODE
    return batch words
```

In [16]:

passed!

# Question 7 [code]:

Use "Word2Vec" function to build a word2vec model. For the use of "Word2Vec" function, please ,refer to <a href="https://radimrehurek.com/gensim/models/word2vec.html">https://radimrehurek.com/gensim/models/word2vec.html</a>. Please use the parameters we have set for you.

It may take a few minutes to train the model.

If you encounter "UserWarning: C extension not loaded, training will be slow", try to uninstall gensim first and then run "pip install gensim==3.6.0"

In [0]:

```
whole_corpus = corpus = read_corpus(r'./data/text8', 'all')
batch_words = create_word_batch(whole_corpus)

size = 100
min_count = 2
window = 3
sg = 1
### YOUR CODE HERE (1 line)
model = Word2Vec(sentences=batch_words, min_count=2,window=3,sg=1)
### END OF YOUR CODE
```

# Question 8 [code]:

Implement "get\_word2Ind" function below.

Then, run the sanity check cell to check your implementation.

#### In [0]:

#### In [19]:

```
# -----
# Run this sanity check to check your implementation
# ------
i2w_test = ['I','love','it']
ans_test = get_word2Ind(i2w_test)

ans = {'I':0, 'love':1, 'it':2}
assert ans == ans_test, 'your output did not match the correct answer.'
print('passed!')
```

passed!

Run the cell below to visualize the word embeddings of the first 300 words in the vocabulary

#### In [20]:

```
word2Ind = get_word2Ind(model.wv.index2word)

vocab = model.wv.vocab
words_to_visualize = list(vocab.keys())[:300]

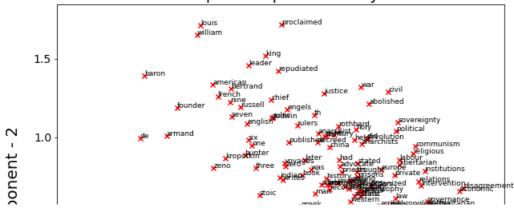
vec_pca = pca(model.wv.vectors, 2)

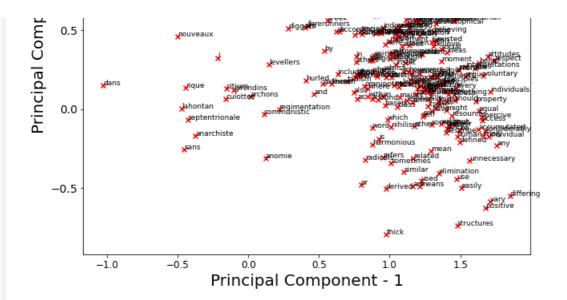
plt.figure(figsize=(15,15))
plot_embeddings(vec_pca, word2Ind, words_to_visualize)
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# **Principal Component Analysis**





## Question 9:

Find the most similar words for the given words "dog", "car", "man". You need to use "model.wv.most similar" function.

#### In [22]:

words = ['dog', 'car', 'man']

```
### YOUR CODE HERE (~ 2 lines)
print('----')
print(words[0])
ret = model.wv.most similar(words[0])
print(ret)
print('----')
print(words[1])
ret = model.wv.most similar(words[1])
print(ret)
print('----')
print(words[2])
ret = model.wv.most similar(words[2])
print(ret)
print('----')
print(words)
ret = model.wv.most similar(words)
print(ret)
### END OF YOUR CODE
dog
[('hound', 0.7469233274459839), ('dogs', 0.7295308709144592), ('elk', 0.7271548509597778),
('bird', 0.7085689306259155), ('donkey', 0.7062799334526062), ('cat', 0.7043198943138123),
('goat', 0.7036310434341431), ('ass', 0.7024255990982056), ('leopard', 0.7015505433082581),
('winged', 0.7003122568130493)]
car
[('cars', 0.7995898723602295), ('motorcycle', 0.7895153760910034), ('driver', 0.767907977104187),
('truck', 0.7624455094337463), ('automobile', 0.7545093894004822), ('vehicle',
0.7343831062316895), ('passenger', 0.7170274257659912), ('racing', 0.7120590209960938),
('airplane', 0.7079082131385803), ('cab', 0.7076858878135681)]
[('woman', 0.7769400477409363), ('stranger', 0.7119983434677124), ('dumb', 0.7050443887710571), ('
girl', 0.6937760710716248), ('lover', 0.6895571947097778), ('person', 0.6862214803695679),
('thief', 0.6855819821357727), ('pygmalion', 0.6812896132469177), ('philia', 0.6770434379577637),
('baldrick', 0.6705169677734375)]
['dog', 'car', 'man']
[('cub', 0.759698748588562), ('dumb', 0.7391194105148315), ('keeshond', 0.7349295020103455),
('pony', 0.7348888516426086), ('girl', 0.7338290810585022), ('totoro', 0.7322820425033569),
('kitten', 0.7308661937713623), ('stranger', 0.7283022403717041), ('blonde', 0.7267429828643799),
('waiter', 0.7245159149169922)]
```

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/usr/local/lib/python3.6/dist-packages/gensim/matutils.py:737: FutureWarning: Conversion of the se cond argument of issubdtype from `int` to `np.signedinteger` is deprecated. In future, it will be treated as `np.int64 == np.dtype(int).type`.

if np.issubdtype(vec.dtype, np.int):
```

#### **Question 9 Answer:**

The top 10 most similar words are printed above for each word, as well as the whole sequence. The first word are the most similar to the target.

Hence, the most similar word for each entry:

- (1) dog -> hound
- (2) car -> cars
- (3) man -> woman

# Question 10 [written]:

Run the code below and explain the results in the empty cell.

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In [23]:
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```
model.wv.most_similar(positive=['london', 'japan'], negative=['england'])

/usr/local/lib/python3.6/dist-packages/gensim/matutils.py:737: FutureWarning: Conversion of the se cond argument of issubdtype from `int` to `np.signedinteger` is deprecated. In future, it will be treated as `np.int64 == np.dtype(int).type`.
   if np.issubdtype(vec.dtype, np.int):
```

#### Out[23]:

```
[('tokyo', 0.7011764645576477),
  ('beijing', 0.6741393804550171),
  ('china', 0.6523181200027466),
  ('hong', 0.6265566349029541),
  ('kuala', 0.6204968094825745),
  ('mumbai', 0.6027482748031616),
  ('guangzhou', 0.5954842567443848),
  ('baku', 0.5950449705123901),
  ('shanghai', 0.5933279991149902),
  ('macau', 0.5920976996421814)]
```

## **Question 10 Answer:**

Firstly, the code execution produces the top 10 most similar words given the positive and negative words. In this case, positive refers to words that contribute positively towards the similarity, and negative words negatively.

This method computes similarity is based on the cosine similarity, as euclidean distance tends to have higher similarity for higher dimensions. This results into higher similarity for words that may have different meanings. Hence, cosine similarity calculates the angle between two word vectors whereby no similarity of 0 is expressed as a 90-degree angle while the total similarity of 1 is at a 0-degree angle. Intuitively, it is the multiplication of two word vectors divided by the magnitude.

Hence as we indicate positive as 'japan' and negative as 'england', a plausible explanation is that we would likely see asian countries/cities/locations as the most similar words as they tend to coexist with very similar context. Therefore, we see asian places/locations such as korea, guangzhou, tokyo and china. Thus, tokyo and beijing are the top 2 most similar words.

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In [0]:
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