# Thesis Plans

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# 1 Title Ideas

### 2 Sections

#### 2.1 Introduction

Introduce the problem we are trying to solve. What actually is the goal

### 2.2 Background

### 2.2.1 Entropy Basics

Basics and History, essentially a literature review on entropy as a topic.

#### 2.2.2 A introduction to Natural Language Processing

Tokenizing, Def: BOW, Token Sequence, Time of Speaking A small literature review on the work of tokenizing and different techniques.

#### 2.2.3 Process Entropy and Natural Language

An introduction to the idea of language as a non-markovian process. A description of the core maths that underlies process entropy in stationary ergodic processes. Def: Stationary, Ergodic, Markvoian.

#### 2.3 Information Measures and Distances

Predictability and Self-information KL Divergence

JS Distance Mutual information?

### 2.4 Chapter 1

#### 2.4.1 Data

Twitter?
Describe Text and Provide Analysis
Allsides explained and evaluated with reliability.

#### 2.4.2 Basic Works

Initial clustering of data and TFIDF LDA? Exploration of why this doesn't work.

### 2.4.3 Entropy on this text

Full entropy (not time based) Plots of distributions, groupings by bias signal to noise ratio

# 2.5 Chapter 2

### 2.5.1 A background on networks

A background on networks directed graphs undirected graphs networks vs graphs dense graphs centrality measures

#### 2.5.2 Directed Networks

Create a directed network, look for clustering and report metrics more to come