# Package 'wordvector'

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Convert formula to named character vector

## Description

Convert a formula to a named character vector in analogy tasks.

## Usage

```
analogy(formula)
```

## **Arguments**

formula

a formula object that defines the relationship between words using + or - operators.

## Value

a named character vector to be passed to similarity().

## See Also

```
similarity()
```

## **Examples**

```
analogy(~ berlin - germany + france)
analogy(~ quick - quickly + slowly)
```

```
as.matrix.textmodel_wordvector 
 Extract word vectors
```

## **Description**

Extract word vectors from a textmodel\_wordvector or textmodel\_docvector object.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'textmodel_wordvector'
as.matrix(x, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
x a textmodel_wordvector or textmodel_docvector object.
... not used
```

## Value

a matrix that contain the word vectors in rows

```
data_corpus_news2014 Yahoo News summaries from 2014
```

## Description

A corpus object containing 2,000 news summaries collected from Yahoo News via RSS feeds in 2014. The title and description of the summaries are concatenated.

## Usage

```
data_corpus_news2014
```

#### **Format**

An object of class corpus (inherits from character) of length 20000.

#### **Source**

```
https://www.yahoo.com/news/
```

#### References

Watanabe, K. (2018). Newsmap: A semi-supervised approach to geographical news classification. Digital Journalism, 6(3), 294–309. https://doi.org/10.1080/21670811.2017.1293487

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similarity

Compute similarity between word vectors

#### **Description**

Compute cosine similarity between word vectors for selected words.

#### Usage

```
similarity(x, words, mode = c("words", "values"))
```

#### **Arguments**

x a textmodel\_wordvector object.

words words for which similarity is computed.

mode specify the type of resulting object.

#### Value

a matrix of cosine similarity scores when mode = "values" or of words sorted in descending order by the similarity scores when mode = "words". When words is a named numeric vector, word vectors are weighted and summed before computing similarity scores.

## See Also

```
analogy()
```

textmodel\_doc2vec

Create distributed representation of documents

## **Description**

Create distributed representation of documents as weighted word vectors.

#### Usage

```
textmodel_doc2vec(x, model = NULL, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
x a quanteda::tokens object.
```

model a textmodel\_wordvector object.

... passed to [word2vec] when model = NULL.

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#### Value

Returns a textmodel\_docvector object with elements inherited from model or passed via . . . plus:

values a matrix for document vectors.

the command used to execute the function.

textmodel\_lsa

Latent Semantic Analysis model

## **Description**

Train a Latent Semantic Analysis model (Deerwester et al., 1990) on a quanteda::tokens object.

## Usage

```
textmodel_lsa(
    x,
    dim = 50,
    min_count = 5L,
    engine = c("RSpectra", "irlba", "rsvd"),
    weight = "count",
    verbose = FALSE,
    ...
)
```

#### **Arguments**

x a quanteda::tokens object.
dim the size of the word vectors.

min\_count the minimum frequency of the words. Words less frequent than this in x are

removed before training.

engine select the engine perform SVD to generate word vectors.

weight weighting scheme passed to quanteda::dfm\_weight().

verbose if TRUE, print the progress of training.

... additional arguments.

## Value

Returns a textmodel\_wordvector object with the following elements:

values a matrix for word vectors values.

weights a matrix for word vectors weights.

frequency the frequency of words in x.

engine the SVD engine used.

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weight weighting scheme. concatenator the concatenator in x.
```

call the command used to execute the function.
version the version of the wordvector package.

#### References

Deerwester, S. C., Dumais, S. T., Landauer, T. K., Furnas, G. W., & Harshman, R. A. (1990). Indexing by latent semantic analysis. JASIS, 41(6), 391–407.

### **Examples**

textmodel\_word2vec

Word2vec model

#### **Description**

Train a Word2vec model (Mikolov et al., 2023) in different architectures on a quanteda::tokens object.

## Usage

```
textmodel_word2vec(
    x,
    dim = 50,
    type = c("cbow", "skip-gram"),
    min_count = 5L,
    window = ifelse(type == "cbow", 5L, 10L),
```

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iter = 10L,
alpha = 0.05,
use_ns = TRUE,
ns_size = 5L,
sample = 0.001,
normalize = TRUE,
verbose = FALSE,
...
)
```

#### **Arguments**

x a quanteda::tokens object.

dim the size of the word vectors.

type the architecture of the model; either "cbow" (continuous back of words) or "skip-

gram".

min\_count the minimum frequency of the words. Words less frequent than this in x are

removed before training.

window the size of the word window. Words within this window are considered to be the

context of a target word.

iter the number of iterations in model training.

alpha the initial learning rate.

use\_ns if TRUE, negative sampling is used. Otherwise, hierarchical softmax is used.

ns\_size the size of negative samples. Only used when use\_ns = TRUE.

sample the rate of sampling of words based on their frequency. Sampling is disabled

when sample = 1.0

normalize if TRUE, normalize the vectors in values and weights.

verbose if TRUE, print the progress of training.

... additional arguments.

## **Details**

User can changed the number of processors used for the parallel computing via options (wordvector\_threads).

#### Value

Returns a textmodel\_wordvector object with the following elements:

values a matrix for word vector values.

weights a matrix for word vector weights.

dim the size of the word vectors.

type the architecture of the model.

frequency the frequency of words in x.

window the size of the word window.

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iter the number of iterations in model training.

alpha the initial learning rate.

use\_ns the use of negative sampling.
ns\_size the size of negative samples.

concatenator the concatenator in x.

call the command used to execute the function.

version the version of the wordvector package.

#### References

Mikolov, T., Sutskever, I., Chen, K., Corrado, G., & Dean, J. (2013). Distributed Representations of Words and Phrases and their Compositionality. https://arxiv.org/abs/1310.4546.

#### **Examples**

weights

[experimental] Extract word vector weights

## **Description**

[experimental] Extract word vector weights

## Usage

```
weights(x, mode = c("words", "values"))
```

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## Arguments

x a textmodel\_wordvector object.
mode specify the type of resulting object.

## Value

a matrix of word vector weights when mode = "value" or of words sorted in descending order by the weights when mode = "word".

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