

tf.contrib.layers.embedding_lookup_unique

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embedding_lookup_unique(  
    params,  
    ids,  
    name=None  
)
```

Defined in [tensorflow/contrib/layers/python/layers/embedding_ops.py](#).

Version of embedding_lookup that avoids duplicate lookups.

This can save communication in the case of repeated ids. Same interface as embedding_lookup. Except it supports multi-dimensional **ids** which allows to not reshape input/output to fit gather.

Args:

- **params**: A list of tensors with the same shape and type, or a **PartitionedVariable**. Shape **[index, d1, d2, ...]**.
- **ids**: A one-dimensional **Tensor** with type **int32** or **int64** containing the ids to be looked up in **params**. Shape **[ids1, ids2, ...]**.
- **name**: A name for this operation (optional).

Returns:

A **Tensor** with the same type as the tensors in **params** and dimension of **[ids1, ids2, d1, d2, ...]**.

Raises:

- **ValueError**: If **params** is empty.

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