

## tf.contrib.seq2seq.embedding\_rnn\_seq2seq

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embedding_rnn_seq2seq(  
    encoder_inputs,  
    decoder_inputs,  
    cell,  
    num_encoder_symbols,  
    num_decoder_symbols,  
    embedding_size,  
    output_projection=None,  
    feed_previous=False,  
    dtype=None,  
    scope=None  
)
```

Defined in [tensorflow/contrib/seq2seq/python/ops/seq2seq.py](https://github.com/tensorflow/tensorflow/blob/master/tensorflow/contrib/seq2seq/python/ops/seq2seq.py).

Embedding RNN sequence-to-sequence model.

This model first embeds `encoder_inputs` by a newly created embedding (of shape `[num_encoder_symbols x input_size]`). Then it runs an RNN to encode embedded `encoder_inputs` into a state vector. Next, it embeds `decoder_inputs` by another newly created embedding (of shape `[num_decoder_symbols x input_size]`). Then it runs RNN decoder, initialized with the last encoder state, on embedded `decoder_inputs`.

### Args:

- `encoder_inputs`: A list of 1D int32 Tensors of shape `[batch_size]`.
- `decoder_inputs`: A list of 1D int32 Tensors of shape `[batch_size]`.
- `cell`: `tf.nn.rnn_cell.RNNCell` defining the cell function and size.
- `num_encoder_symbols`: Integer; number of symbols on the encoder side.
- `num_decoder_symbols`: Integer; number of symbols on the decoder side.
- `embedding_size`: Integer, the length of the embedding vector for each symbol.
- `output_projection`: None or a pair (W, B) of output projection weights and biases; W has shape `[output_size x num_decoder_symbols]` and B has shape `[num_decoder_symbols]`; if provided and `feed_previous=True`, each fed previous output will first be multiplied by W and added B.
- `feed_previous`: Boolean or scalar Boolean Tensor; if True, only the first of `decoder_inputs` will be used (the "GO" symbol), and all other decoder inputs will be taken from previous outputs (as in `embedding_rnn_decoder`). If False, `decoder_inputs` are used as given (the standard decoder case).
- `dtype`: The dtype of the initial state for both the encoder and encoder rnn cells (default: `tf.float32`).
- `scope`: `VariableScope` for the created subgraph; defaults to "embedding\_rnn\_seq2seq"

### Returns:

A tuple of the form (outputs, state), where: `outputs`: A list of the same length as `decoder_inputs` of 2D Tensors. The output is of shape `[batch_size x cell.output_size]` when `output_projection` is not None (and represents the dense representation of predicted tokens). It is of shape `[batch_size x num_decoder_symbols]` when `output_projection` is None. `state`: The state of each decoder cell in each time-step. This is a list with length `len(decoder_inputs)` – one item for each time-step. It is a 2D

Tensor of shape [batch\_size x cell.state\_size].

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