

# Word embeddings



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## Summary

- Distributional hypothesis:
  - “words that are used and occur in the same contexts tend to purport similar meanings” (Harris 1954)
  - “a word is characterized by the company it keeps” (Firth 1957)
- Distributional semantics:
  - Word Space models: vectors for representing words
    - Latent Semantic Analysis (LSA),
    - Singular Value Decomposition (SVD), random indexing,
    - Word embeddings
  - One word is a position in a n-dimensional *space*.
    - Similarity (cosine similarity, etc.)

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## Tools

- word2vec (Google)
  - <https://code.google.com/archive/p/word2vec/>
- GloVe (Stanford)
  - <https://nlp.stanford.edu/projects/glove/>
- FastText (Facebook)
  - <https://github.com/facebookresearch/fastText>
  - <https://embeddings.sketchengine.co.uk>
- Language projections (UPV/EHU):
  - <https://github.com/artetxem/vecmap>

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- S-Space
  - <https://github.com/fozziethebeat/S-Space/>
- Semantic Vectors
  - <https://github.com/semanticvectors/semanticvectors/>
- Gensim
  - <http://radimrehurek.com/gensim/index.html>
- DISCO:
  - <http://www.linguatools.de/disco/disco-builder.html>
- Indra:
  - <https://github.com/Lambda-3/Indra>

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