NLP Pre-Transformers

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Working with text

- Working with Neural Networks requires inputs in numerical representation
 - Character based representation (e.g., ascii code)
 - Word based encoding (each word a different representation)
 - Dictionary with all possible words; representation is based on the position on this dictionary

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from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.text import Tokenizer
sentences = ['Messi is the best player in the world', 'Barcelona
is the best team in the world']
tokenizer = Tokenizer(num_words=100)
tokenizer.fit_on_texts(sentences)
print(tokenizer.word_index)
{'the': 1, 'is': 2, 'best': 3, 'in': 4, 'world': 5, 'messi': 6,
'player': 7, 'barcelona': 8, 'team': 9}
```

Working with text

- Alternative representation: One Hot Encoding
 - Vector of the dictionary length, with all components to 0 except 1
- Assuming the following dictionary

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{'the': 1, 'is': 2, 'best': 3, 'in': 4, 'world': 5, 'messi':
6, 'player': 7, 'barcelona': 8, 'team': 9}
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- The word Messi would be represented by the vector [000001000]
- The word player by [00000100]
- The word the by [10000000]

Text to Sequences

- A sequence (i.e., a sentence) is simply a list of (ordered) tokens
- Previous idea could be used for representing sentences

{'the': 1, 'is': 2, 'best': 3, 'in': 4, 'world': 5, 'messi': 6, 'player': 7, 'barcelona': 8, 'team': 9}

• The sentence 'Messi is the best player in the world' can be represented as the array

[6, 2, 1, 3, 7, 4, 1, 5]

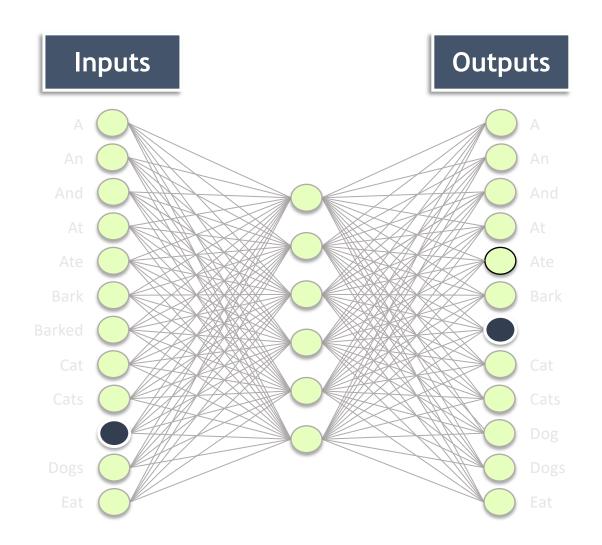
 And the sentence 'Barcelona is the best team in the world' can be represented as the array

[8, 2, 1, 3, 9, 4, 1, 5]

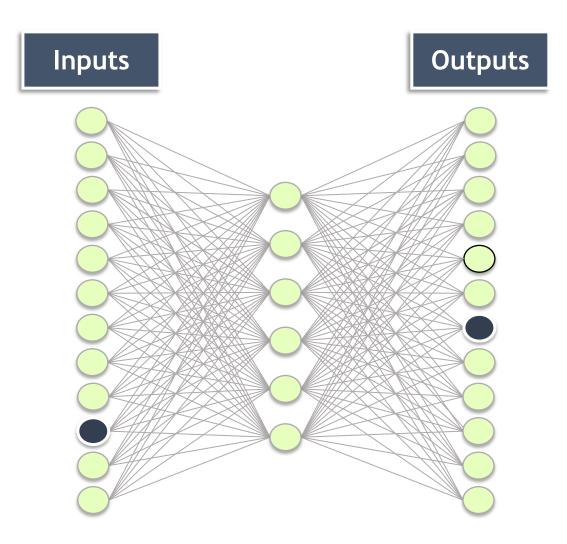
tokenizer.texts_to_sequences([str])

Text to Sequences

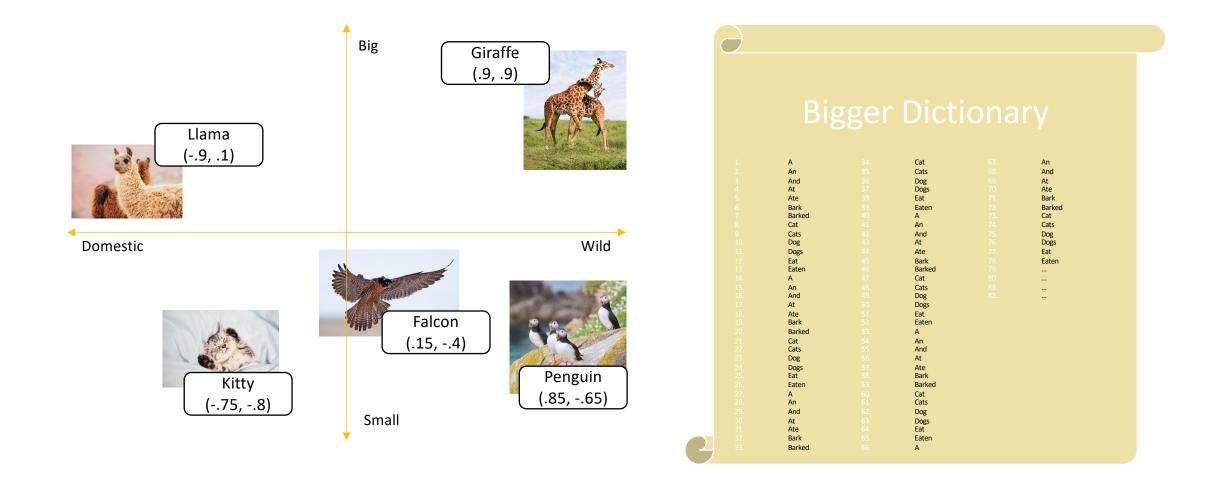
- Alternatively, if the One Hot Encoding has been chosen, given the dictionary
 {'the': 1, 'is': 2, 'best': 3, 'in': 4, 'world': 5, 'messi': 6,
 'player': 7, 'barcelona': 8, 'team': 9}
- The sentence 'Messi is the best player in the world' can be represented as the matrix

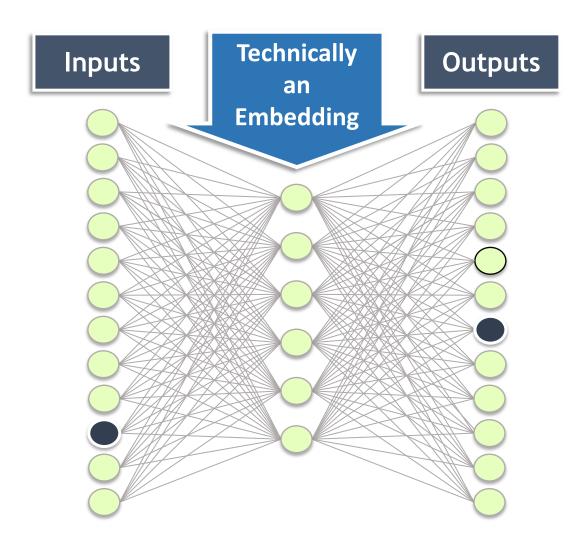


	Dictionary						
		А		Cat			
		An		Cats			
		And		Dog			
		At		Dogs			
		Ate		Eat			
		Bark					
		Barked					
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	A An And At Ate Bark Barked		Cats Cats Dog Dogs Eat	





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	Dictionary						
		A An And At		Cat Cats Dog Dogs			
		Ate Bark Barked		Eat			
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Learning From Text

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 - Today there is an amazing blue ...
- What do you think of next?

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- If you read the partial sentence:
 - Today there is an amazing blue ...
- What do you think of next?
 - Today there is an amazing blue sky.

Learning from Text

- If you read the partial sentence:
 - She was born in Munich, therefore at school the primary language was
- In contrast to the previous example, the word that influences what we need to predict now is not the previous was, but was way beyond in the text
 - Do RNN still help in this case?

