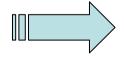
Analysis of Language Resources

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From Variables to Variants

- We propose here...
- A quantitative model, which uses lexical occurrence and co-occurrence data to analyze the similarity and the dissimilarity among a set of parallel text collections and to presume lateral or mutual dependence in their relationship.
- A set of web-based software tools that will facilitate latent context detection and the precise matching of variant texts. (Miyake et al., 2002~2004)



4-VAR System

 t_i : text

1 variable for words instances

variables W_i : word

2 variance for lexical data

t₂ variance W₃

3 variant for text creation

 t_3 w_1 w_3

4 *var*iation for latent applicability

variation Meaning

From the researches made in Akama Laboratory

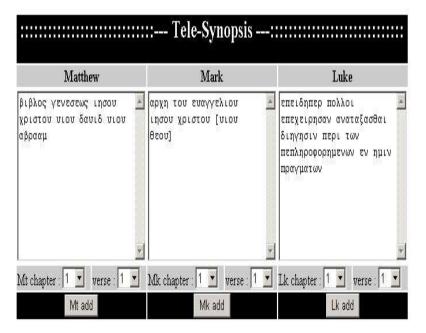
- Biblical Research:
- The Frame Problem in Text Analysis
- Development of NLP based Synoptic Software for Text Analysis
 - (With Miyake, Nakagawa and Makoshi)
- French Grammar:
- Probabilistic Language Processing in the Form of a Decision Tree → Next time
 - (With, Shimizu and Shimizu)

NLP Web Application for Lexical Data

Examples of the computational humanities technology
--Taken from the **Biblical research**

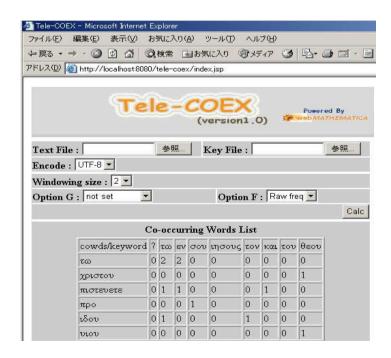
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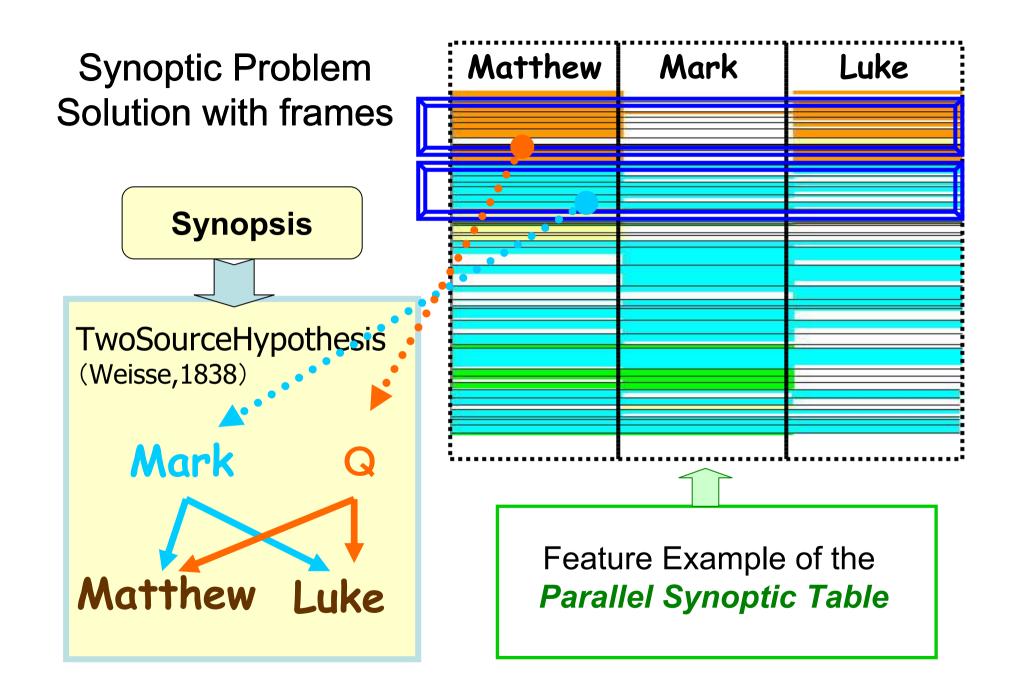
Tele-Synopsis



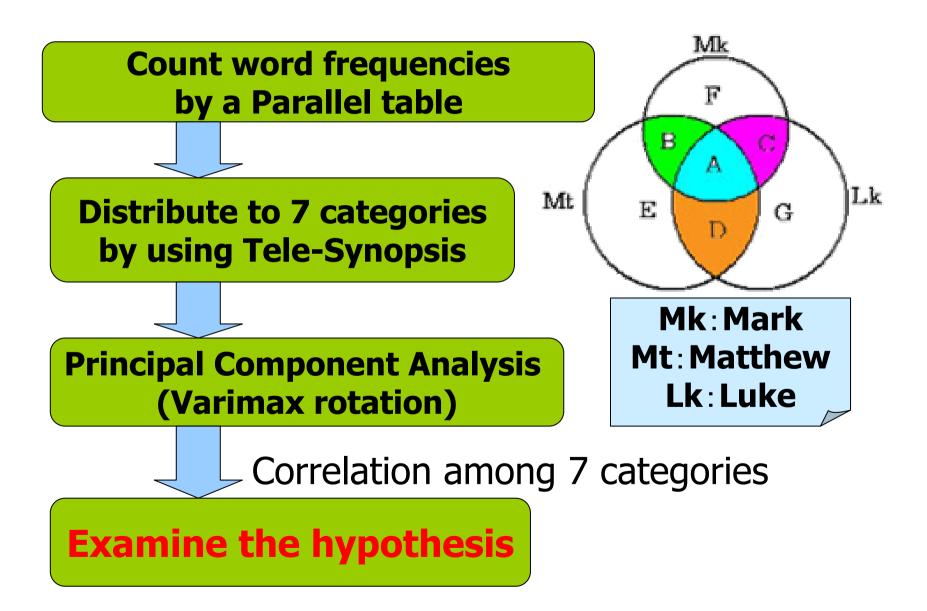
For lexical co-occurrence

Tele-COEX

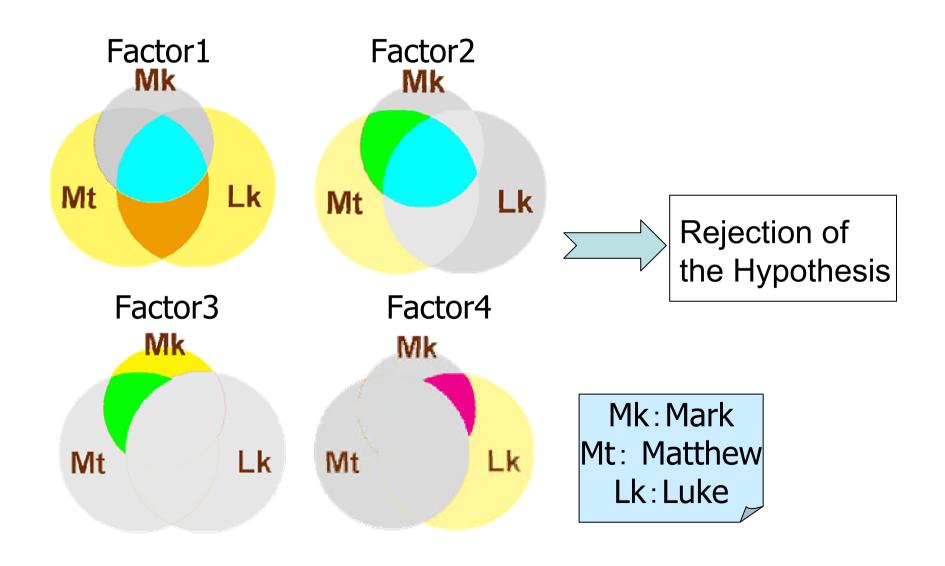




Quantitative Analysis

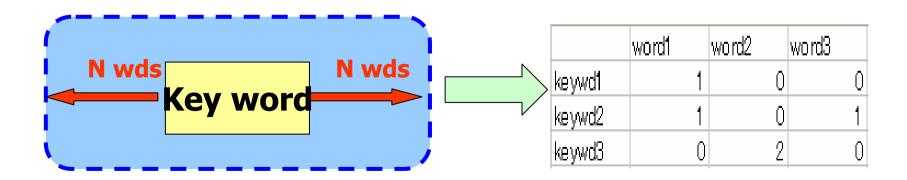


Factor Pattern

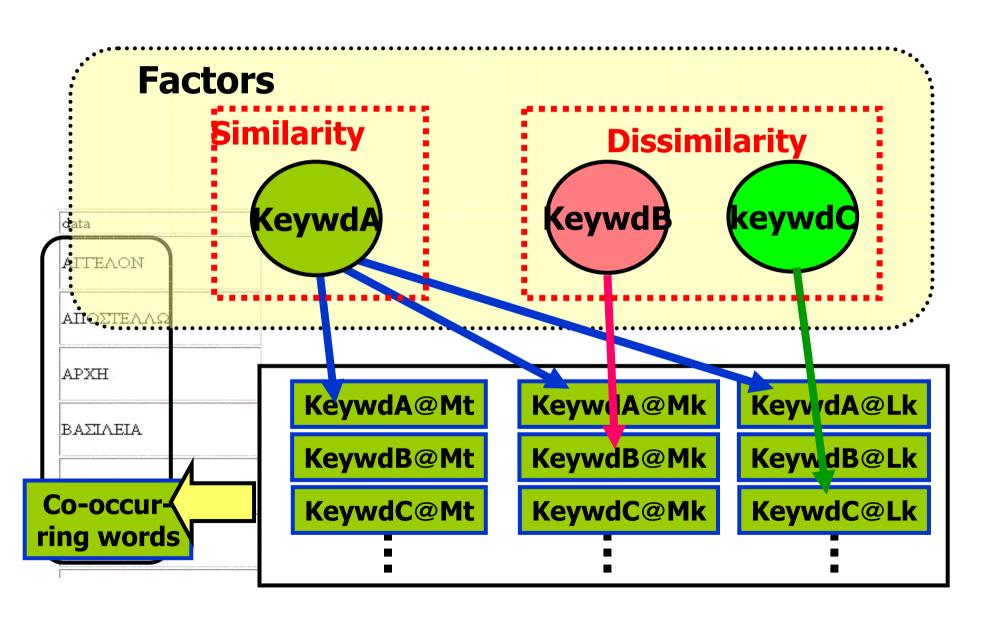


Windowing Method

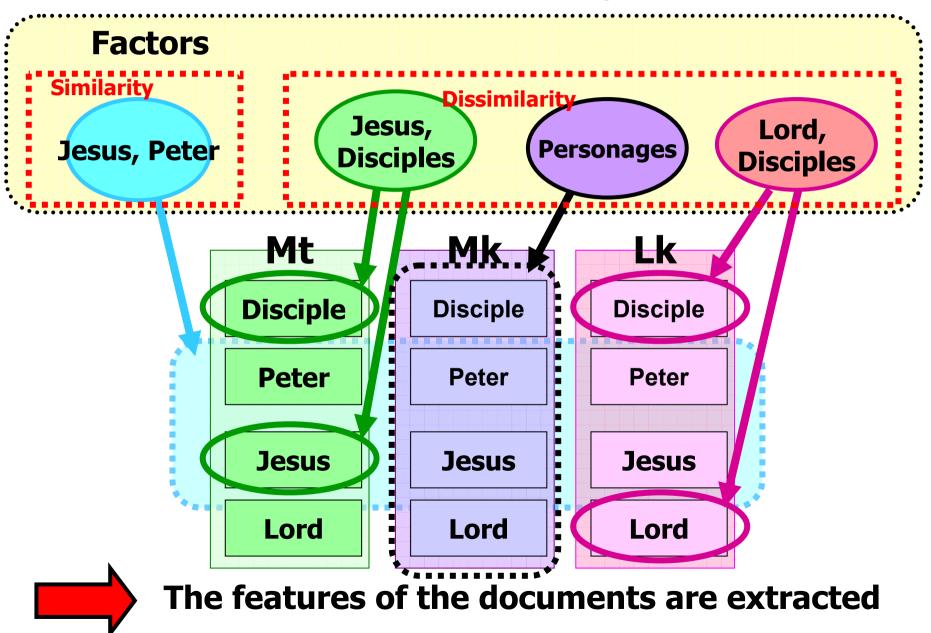
• While sliding through every variant text, the window in size *n* of Tele-COEX stops to get the information about the neighbor words inside the window when it encounters with the instance of the keyword.



Factor Analysis of Windowing Data



Result of Analysis



Summary

- Quantitative analysis with computational Synopsis
 - Comparing the results with Synopsis
- Genealogical analysis
 - Text variants; Notes of Saussure's Course, for example...
- NLP based text framing software
 - Powerful tool to break parallel text for genealogical analysis
- Knowledge frames
 - the synoptic problem with the frames