

Next RITE task:

RITE-VAL

Recognizing Inference in Text and Validation

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RITE-VAL

Applications

IR QA

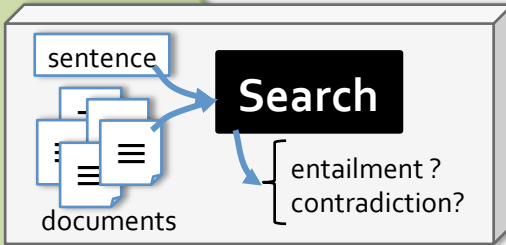
Other NTCIR tasks

QA Lab

Application oriented

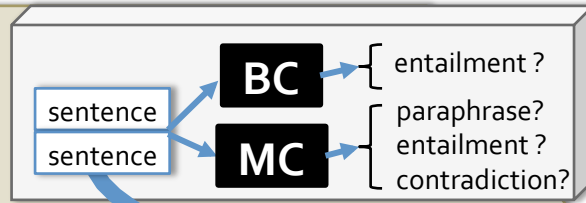
Fact Validation

Multiple sentence-level inference



Pyramid of entailment recognition technology

Sentence-level inference



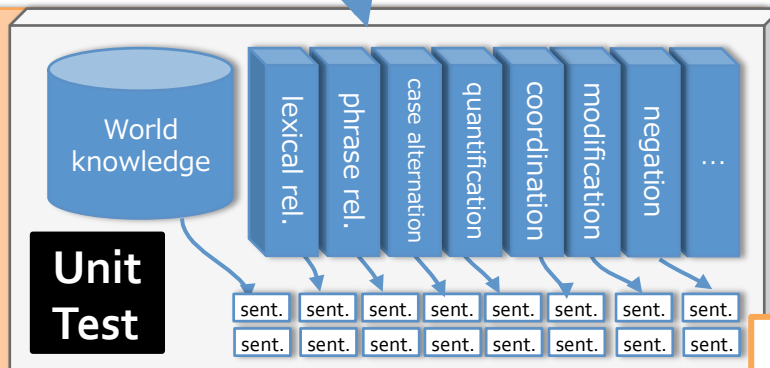
RITE1

RITE2

RITE-VAL

System Validation

Linguistic phenomena-level inference



Foundation oriented

Fact Validation in RITE-VAL



a set of documents

The Kamakura Shogunate was considered to have begun in 1192, but the current leading theory is that it was effectively formed in 1185.

There is a sentence (sentences) that entails $t_2 \Rightarrow$ **FACT**

Search

t_2 : *The Kamakura Shogunate began in Japan in the 12th century.*

Is the statement represented in the sentence fact?

Fact Validation in RITE-VAL

- **Motivation**

- There were few participants in the Exam Search subtask (has not yet been explored enough)
- Applications: Detecting false rumors, QA, etc.

- **Language Scope**

- Japanese, Traditional/Simplified Chinese and English

- **Task definition (provisional)**

- t2s and a set of documents are given
- Systems are required to validate whether the statements described in t2s are fact, counter-fact or unknown by searching a set of documents

- **Evaluation**

- Accuracy on semantic labels (fact, counter-fact, unknown)

UnitTest in RITE-VAL

t_1 : In the Meiji Constitution, legal clear distinction between the Imperial Family and Japan had been allowed. ↓ **Category: modifier**

t_2 : In the Meiji Constitution, distinction between the Imperial Family and Japan had been allowed.

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t_2 : In the Meiji Constitution, distinction between the Emperor and Japan had been allowed

- **Motivation**

- Evaluate how systems can handle linguistic phenomena that affects entailment relations
- The UnitTest data used in RITE-2 was not enough (less than 1000 examples)
- Encourages participants to improve RITE systems

- **Language scope**

- Japanese, Simplified Chinese and Traditional Chinese

Summary

- **RITE-VAL**

- Recognizing Inference in TExt for Validation

- **Main tasks**

- Fact Validation

- ❖ Recognize whether a statement represented in a sentence is fact, counter-fact or unknown

- UnitTest

- ❖ Develop large-scale data set to encourage participants to improve RITE systems

- **Thank you!**