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**HUMANISTYKA CYFROWA DLA PRZYSZŁOŚCI**

- a. digital literature
- b. digital sources of literature
- c. digital applications for text and document analysis
- d. digital methods in (semi-)automatic translation
- e. digital text editing
- f. automatic taxonomies



# Digital text analysis

The area of digital analysis of literary (artistic) texts includes:

- determining the filiation of texts;
- examining the authorship of texts;
- creating numerical taxonomies of texts.

In addition, automatic overtone analysis (sentiment analysis) can be conducted in such texts.

Text filiation is a technique known since at least the 19th century.

Its object is to link multiple sources of a text into a network of relationships.

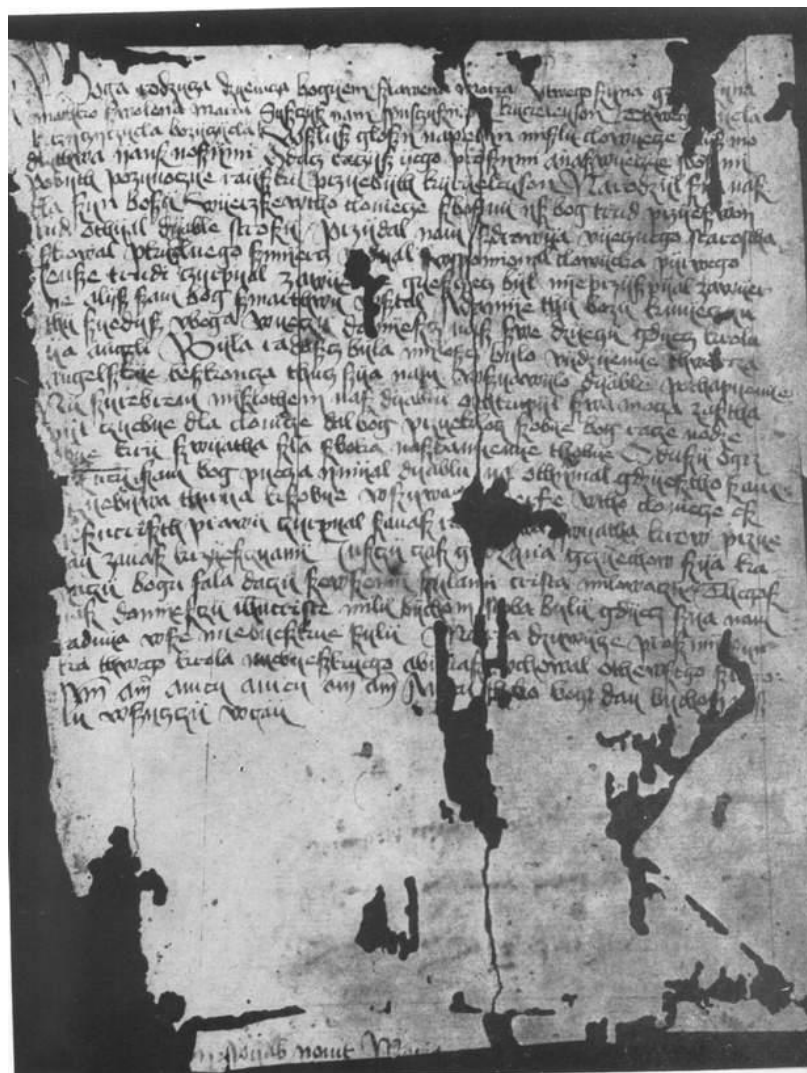
This mostly applies to texts from bygone eras, which did not leave a sufficient number of records because oral communication was dominant.

It is about scattered fragments of records of a work of oral literature, which contain its earlier versions, "leading" to the final version of the work.

Manuscript of the  
Bogurodzica from Codex  
C 423.

The song as we know it  
today consists of three  
parts, created at different  
times.

Filiation consists in  
indicating their  
relationship.



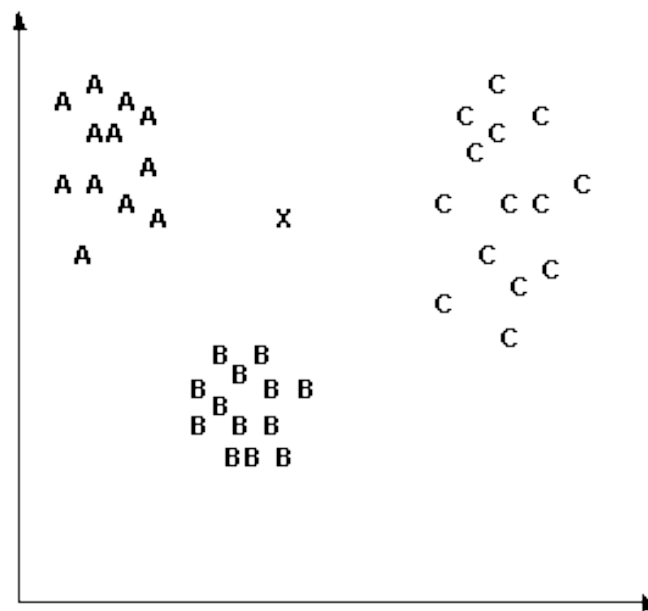
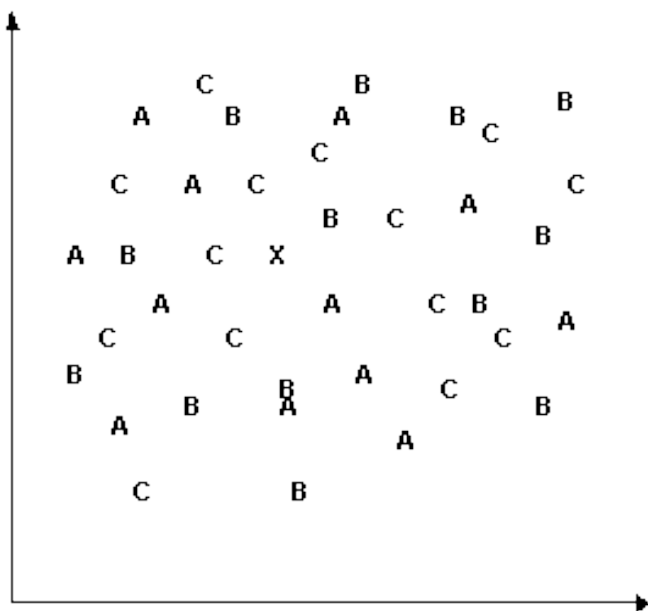
# Authorship studies and digital taxonomies

The purpose of digital authorship research is to determine who is the author of an unsigned text in a situation where there are several contenders.

Based on a table of features, the similarity of the texts is determined and their distances are reduced to two dimensions.

Imagine the texts of 3 authors (A, B, C), who may have written text X.

Relationships of texts A, B, C and X can look like this:

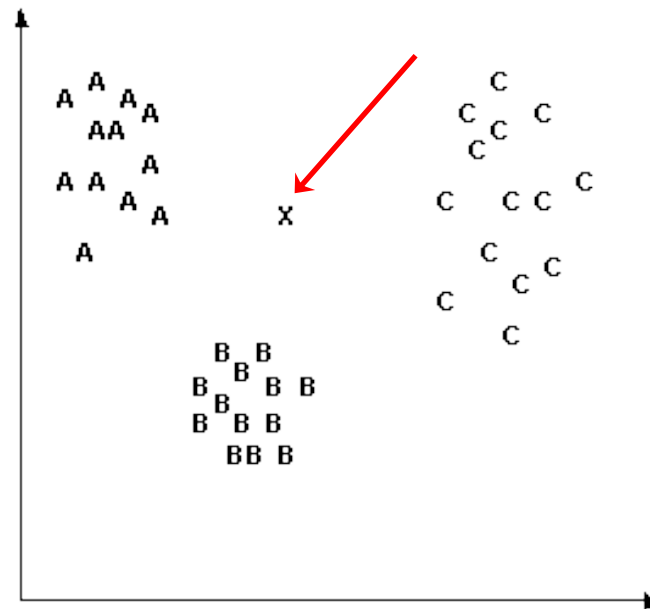
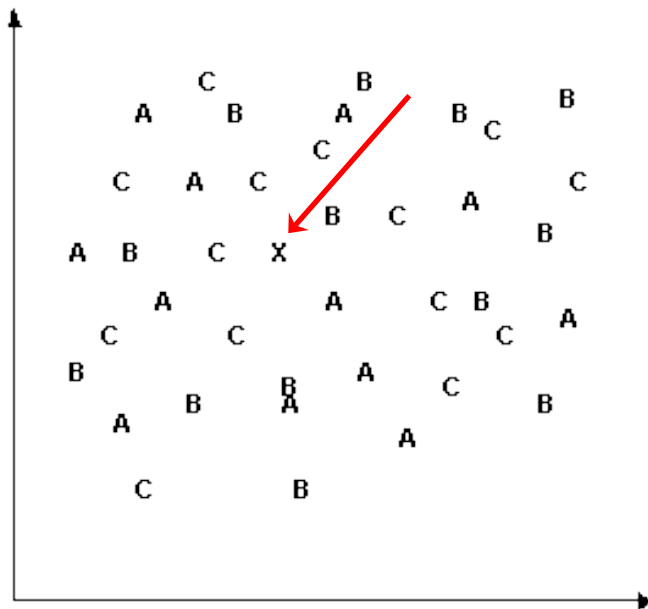




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The graph on the left shows a complete lack of similarity between subjects A, B, C, and the place of text X does not allow to suggest its author.

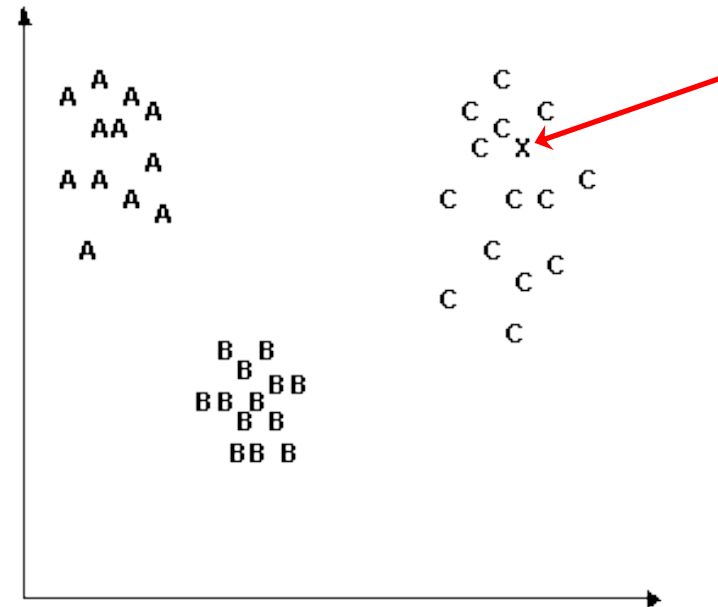
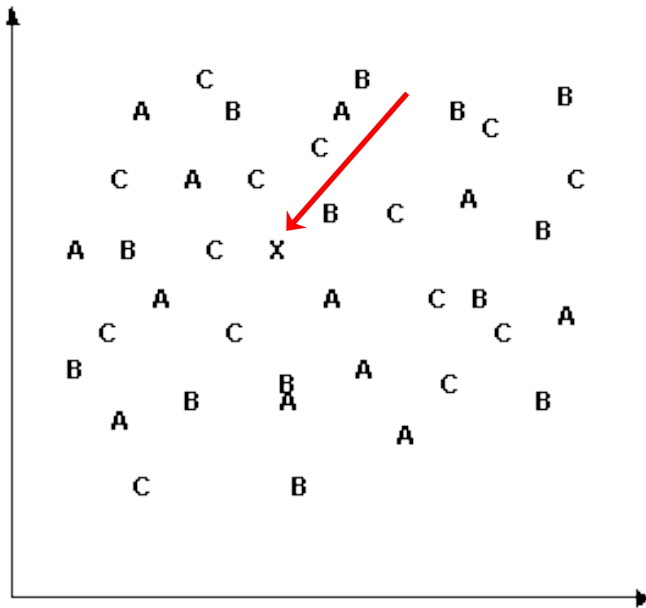
The graph on the right shows the identity of authors A, B, C and the lack of similarity of X to any of them.



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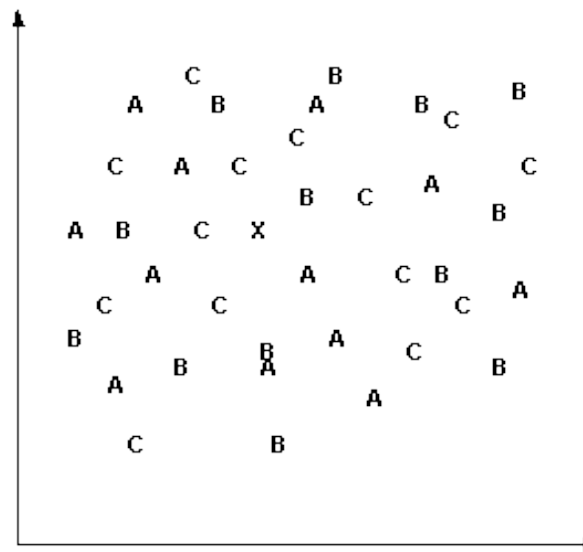
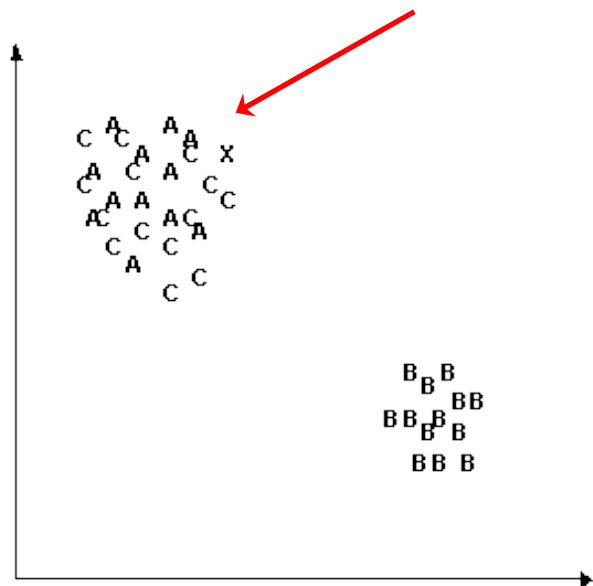
Here the graph on the right shows the similarity of text X to author C.



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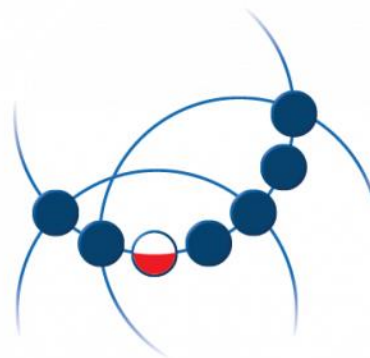
In this case, the graph on the left shows that probably the authors A. and C and X are probably the same person. And the graph on the right shows that the selection of texts is random.



Analysis of real texts can be carried out today with online tools. Such an offer is provided by the CLARIN consortium.



**CLARIN**  
Common Language Resources and  
Technology Infrastructure



This screenshot shows open and free tools for text analysis.

## Texts similarity analysis

Used tools ▾

Instructions ▾



Choose files you want to analyse - ZIP package, URL address, or files from dSpace / nextCloud repository. Corpus is a package of files with different texts



Afterwards choose "Analyse" button and wait for algorithm to render result. The heavier the rendered files, the more loading time (progress bar will be displayed)



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The taxonomy can be conducted with the WebSty module. This module uses multivariate modeling methods.

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### Basic options

NUMBER OF GROUPS ⓘ

2

SPLITTING OF INPUT FILES ⓘ

20000

### Initial settings

METHOD OF ANALYSIS ⓘ

Authorship ▾

REUSAGE OF GENERATED FEATURES

/resources/fextor/5autorow/kaa

FEATURE VECTOR ORIGIN

ID from last analysis ▾

The strength of the WebSty system is its rich infographics. This means that the results can be presented in many forms.

Result



INTERACTIVE TREE



HEATMAP



MULTIDIMENSIONAL SCALING



MULTIDIMENSIONAL SCALING IN 3D



SCHEMABALL



CIRCLE



XSLX FILE



IMPORTANCE OF FEATURES



LINK TO RESULTS



The initial phase of the study of literary texts is to recognize and mark with metatags the parts of speech.

The table on the right shows the statistics of the parts of speech recognized in the sample text (NKJP notation).

tag	all	zeromski	reymont	prus	sienkiewicz	orzeshkowa
interp	395648	53880	97699	57811	110184	76074
ign	133075	34689	5546	2269	10031	80540
qub	119562	15230	27940	14679	39922	21791
conj	101390	12151	23885	11143	33300	20911
adv:pos	40938	5703	11048	3607	11892	8688
adv	38894	5866	7635	4393	12318	8682
subst:sg:nom:m1	34937	4713	7942	5539	12303	4440
praet:sg:m1:perf	34801	4750	8338	4944	12000	4769
subst:sg:gen:f	30894	5210	6221	4140	8581	6742
comp	30601	2993	6894	3759	12719	4236
subst:sg:nom:f	29148	3874	6372	4282	8702	5918
praet:sg:m1:imperf	28842	5070	8000	3105	8544	4123
prep:acc	26873	3722	6536	3572	8545	4498
prep:gen	26053	3969	5288	3193	8262	5341
prep:loc:nwok	25617	4824	5447	2480	7646	5220
subst:sg:acc:f	25181	3637	5654	3516	7606	4768
fin:sg:ter:imperf	24484	2953	4796	4261	8848	3626
prep:loc	23782	3566	5433	2718	7377	4688
prep:gen:nwok	20350	3539	4183	2231	6054	4343
prep:inst:nwok	19655	2601	4842	1949	5492	4771
subst:sg:gen:m3	19524	3802	3803	2505	5112	4302
subst:sg:acc:m3	18526	3099	4621	2580	5049	3177
subst:sg:acc:n	17068	2598	3934	2143	5260	3133
praet:sg:f:perf	16886	1830	3913	2475	3960	4708
inf:imperf	16851	2031	3474	1898	6157	3291
praet:sg:f:imperf	16786	2382	4604	1600	3503	4697
adj:sg:nom:f:pos	15806	2343	3465	1786	4479	3733
subst:sg:nom:n	14921	2435	3002	1643	4692	3149
subst:sg:gen:n	14837	2477	3221	1472	4311	3356
adj:sg:nom:m1:pos	14423	2069	3084	2057	4950	2263
subst:sg:loc:f	13787	2404	2901	1596	4047	2839
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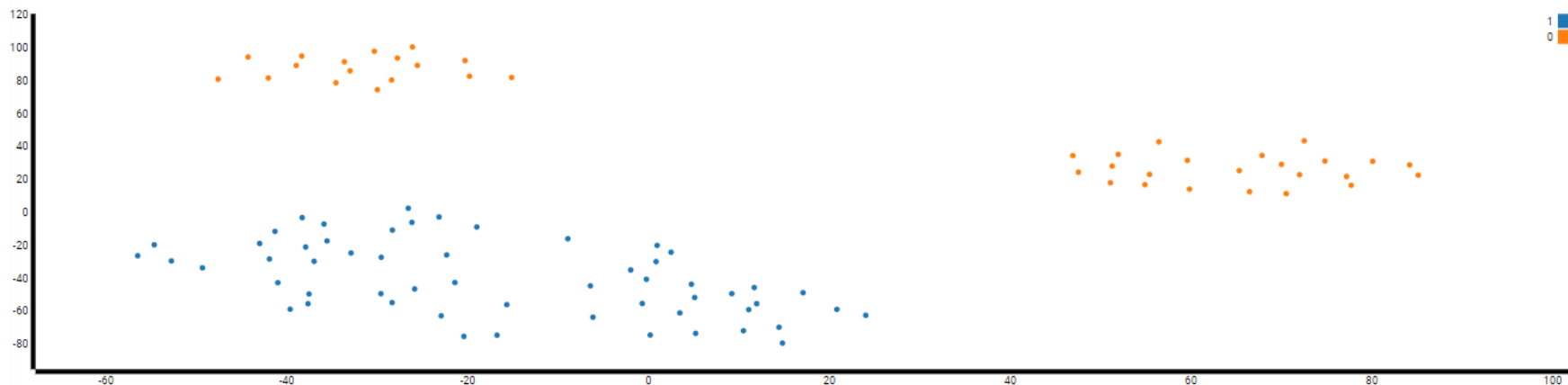
The strength of the WebSty system is its rich infographics. This means that results can be presented in multiple forms. Below is an example of multidimensional scaling to the form of a dot plot.

## Skalowanie wielowymiarowe

METODA SKALOWANIA

PERPLEXITY

Przelicz

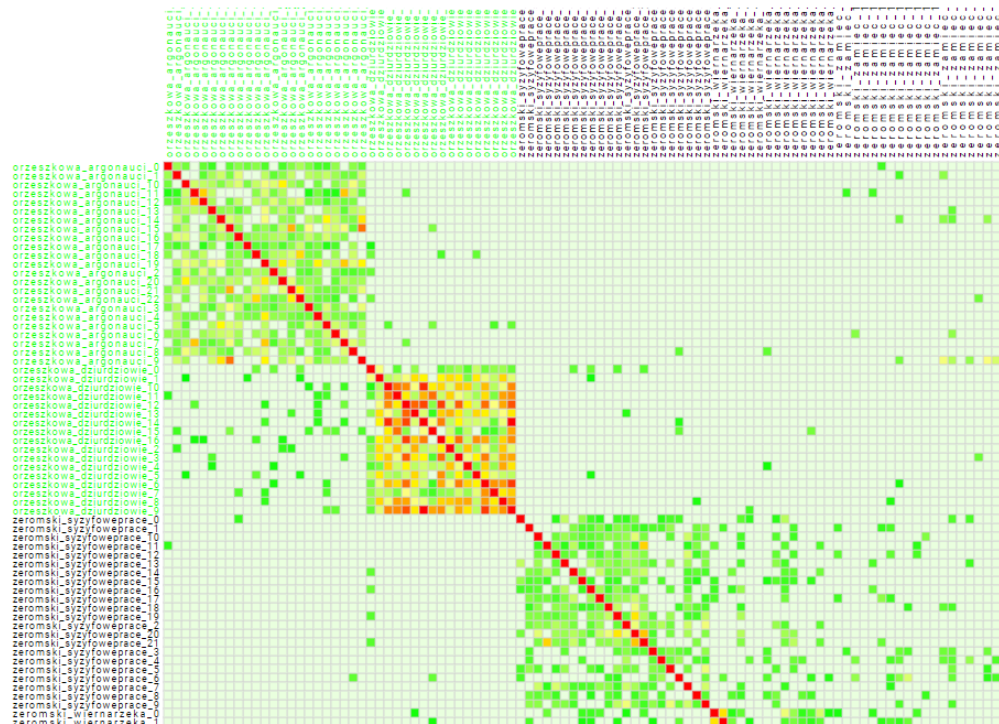
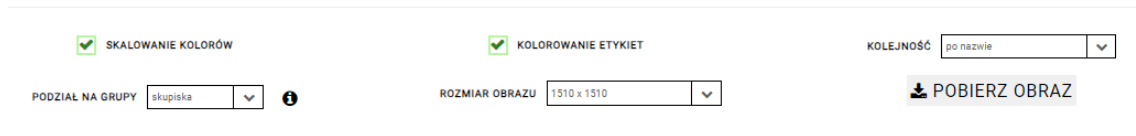




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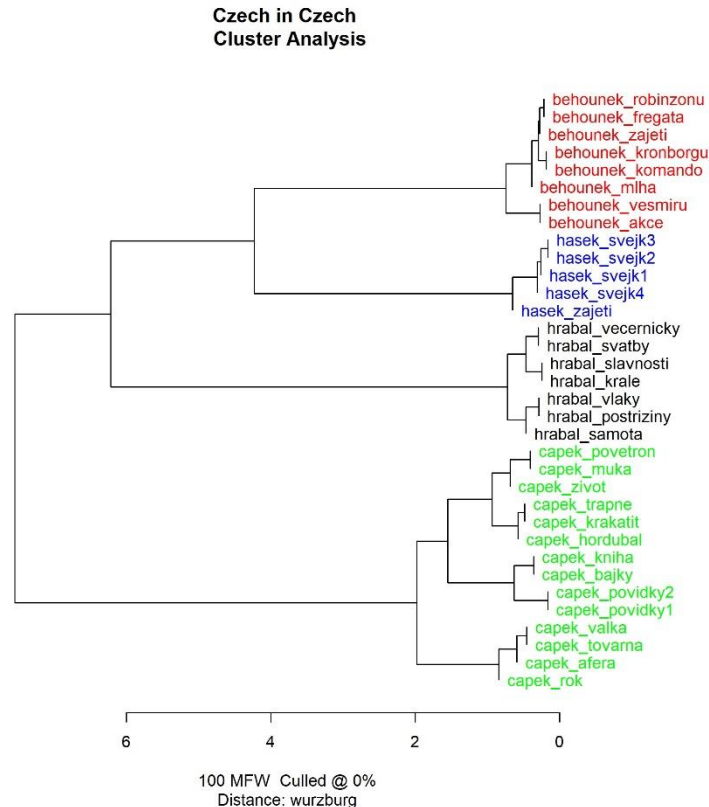
Relationships captured as a dendrogram or scatterplot can also be shown in the form of a heat map. A heat map is a matrix of correlations that resembles a thermal image. The darker the color, the greater the correlation.

Mapa ciepła

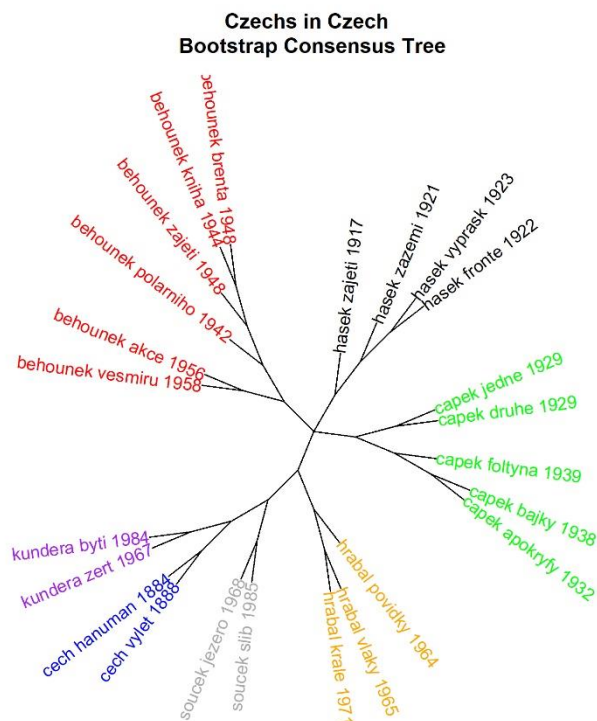


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The infographic shows the text relationships of novels by Czech authors in the form of a radar chart.

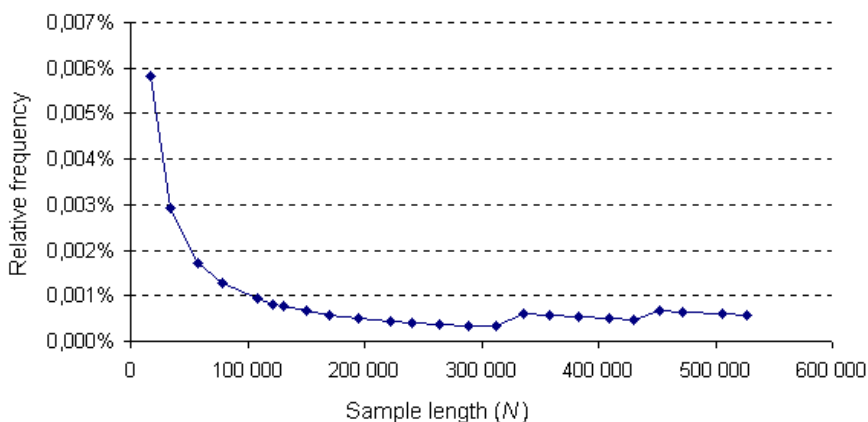


Vocabulary analysis to discover authorship can be risky if the samples studied are of different lengths.

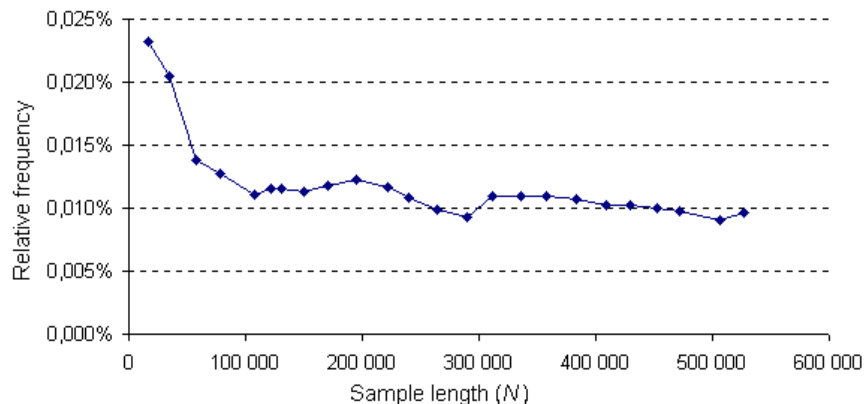
The graphs show how the relative frequency of lexemes 'luty' (February) and 'praca' (work) changes as the length of the text increases.

This means that texts with significantly different lengths should not be compared.

leksem 'luty'



leksem 'praca'



It is also possible to build thematic maps of texts, containing topics, or clusters of topic words, semantically and distributively related to each other.

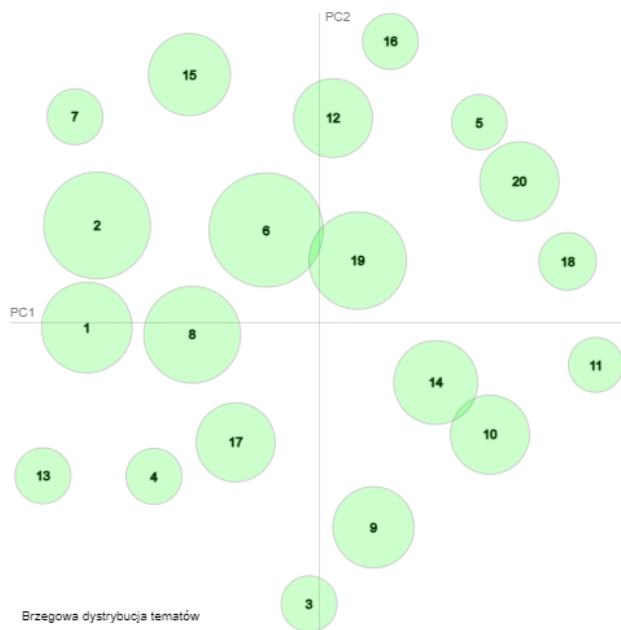
## Dwuwymiarowa mapa odległości tematów

Wybrany temat:  Poprzedni temat Następny temat Wyczyść tematy

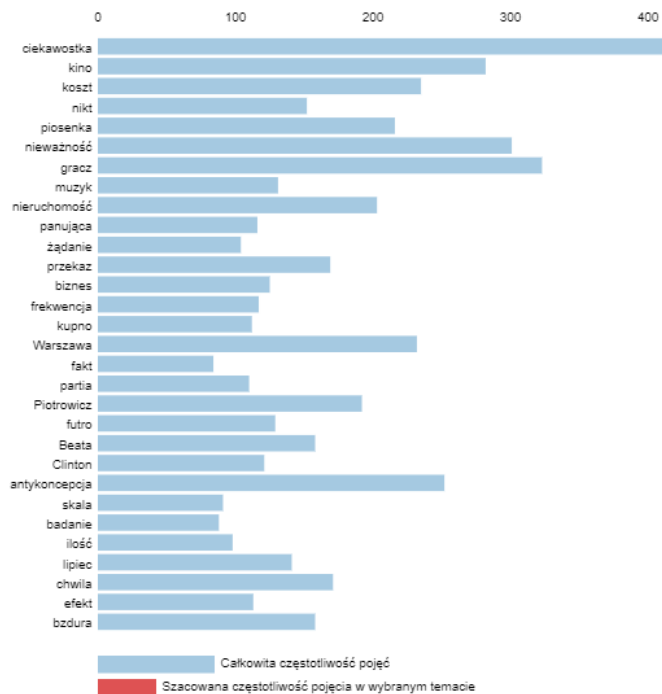
Przesuń suwak, aby

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Mapa odległości (skalowanie wielowymiarowe)



30 najistotniejszych tematów

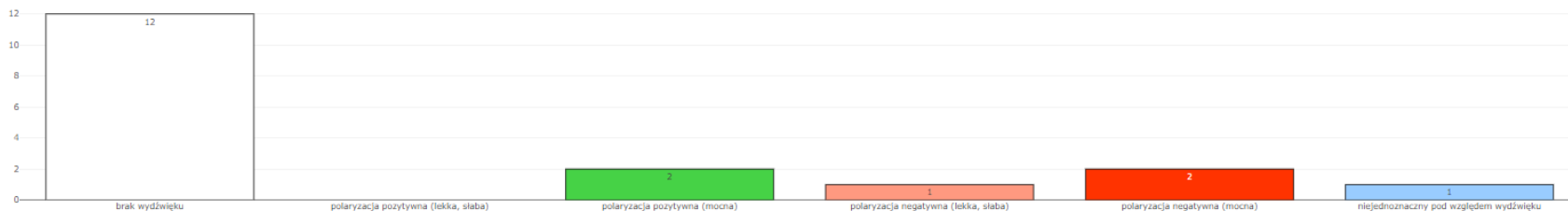


The emotional resonance of a text is a simplified "emotional picture" of the text, based on vocabulary analysis. The assignment of emotional value to individual words is done automatically based on bases created from studies of human reactions to text.

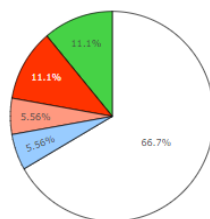


The infographic below shows the distribution of emotive expressions.

Histogram wydźwięku emocjonalnego



Rozkład wydźwięku emocjonalnego



- brak wydźwięku
- polaryzacja pozytywna (mocna)
- polaryzacja negatywna (mocna)
- polaryzacja negatywna (lekka, słaba)
- niejednoznaczny pod względem wydźwięku

Rozkład wyrażen emotywnych może być mniej lub bardziej szczegółowy. Główne kategorie to wydzźwięk pozytywny / neutralny / negatywny. Oprócz tego rozpoznawane są szczegółowe rodzaje emocji.

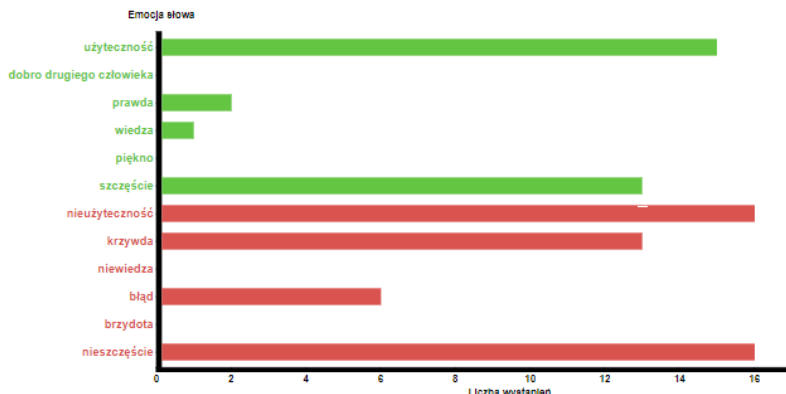
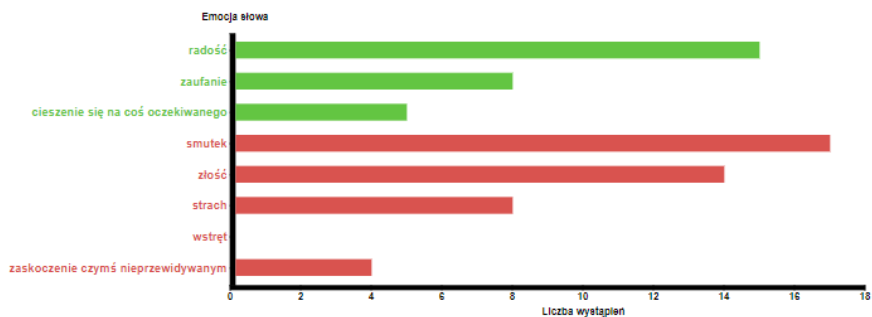
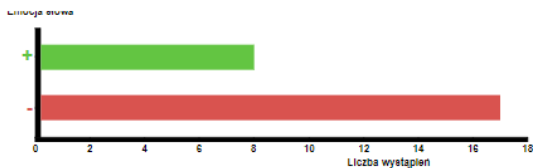
Wynik

XML

Wykresy

Tekst

Pobierz



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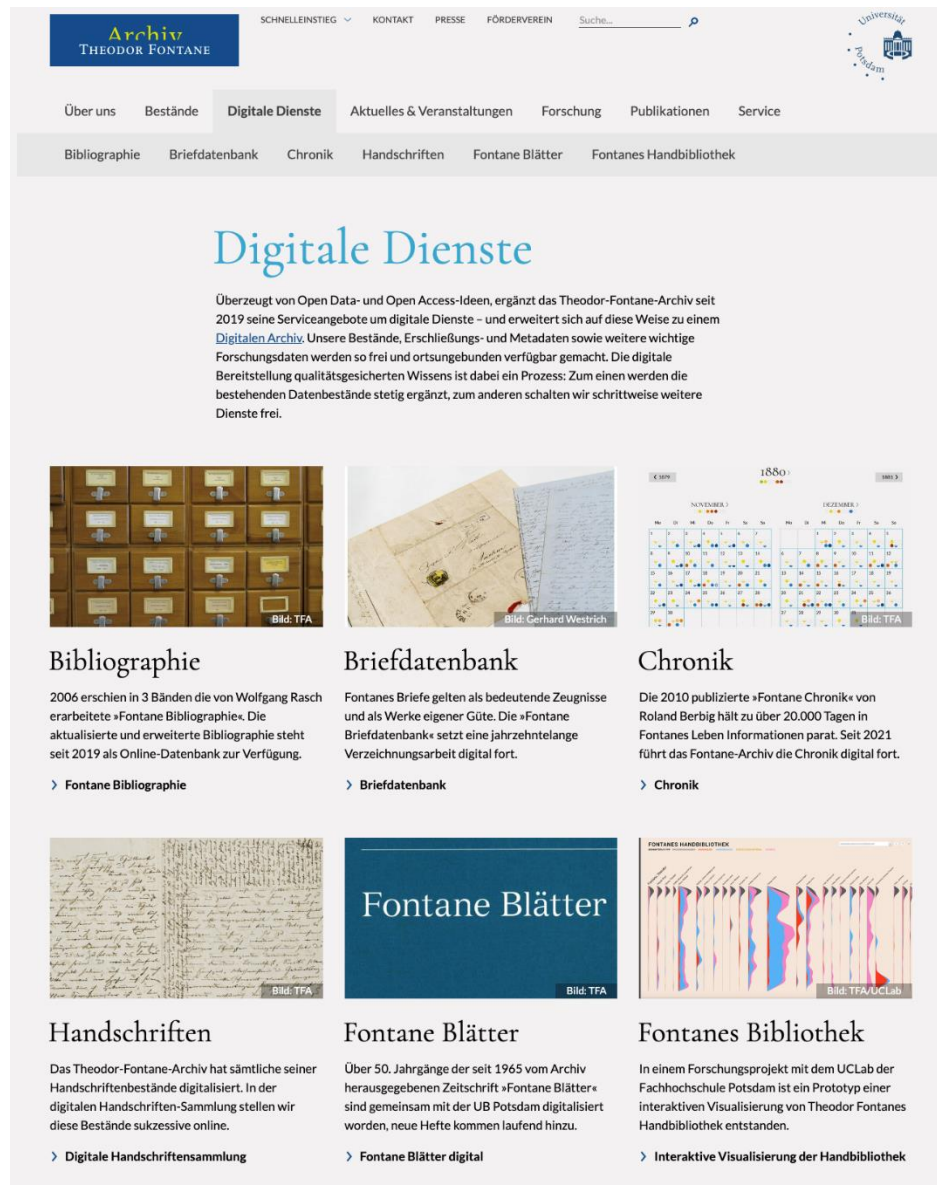
Especially suitable for this are dated collections that can be placed on a timeline.

Corpora of letters are ideally suited for this purpose.

Digital literary studies operates on infrastructures.

Such an infrastructure can be a thematic institution that dedicates its efforts to the analysis of a particular researcher.


The infographic shows the offerings of the Theodor Fontane Institute.



The screenshot shows the website of the Theodor Fontane Institute. The header includes the logo 'Archiv THEODOR FONTANE' and navigation links: SCHNELLESTIEG, KONTAKT, PRESSE, FÖRDERVEREIN, and a search bar. A secondary navigation bar lists: Über uns, Bestände, Digitale Dienste, Aktuelles & Veranstaltungen, Forschung, Publikationen, Service. A third bar lists: Bibliographie, Briefdatenbank, Chronik, Handschriften, Fontane Blätter, Fontanes Handbibliothek.

## Digitale Dienste


Überzeugt von Open Data- und Open Access-Ideen, ergänzt das Theodor-Fontane-Archiv seit 2019 seine Serviceangebote um digitale Dienste – und erweitert sich auf diese Weise zu einem [Digitalen Archiv](#). Unsere Bestände, Erschließungs- und Metadaten sowie weitere wichtige Forschungsdaten werden so frei und ortsungebunden verfügbar gemacht. Die digitale Bereitstellung qualitätsgesicherten Wissens ist dabei ein Prozess: Zum einen werden die bestehenden Datenbestände stetig ergänzt, zum anderen schalten wir schrittweise weitere Dienste frei.



**Bibliographie**

2006 erschien in 3 Bänden die von Wolfgang Rasch erarbeitete »Fontane Bibliographie«. Die aktualisierte und erweiterte Bibliographie steht seit 2019 als Online-Datenbank zur Verfügung.


[› Fontane Bibliographie](#)



**Briefdatenbank**

Fontanes Briefe gelten als bedeutende Zeugnisse und als Werke eigener Güte. Die »Fontane Briefdatenbank« setzt eine jahrzehntelange Verzeichnungsarbeit digital fort.


[› Briefdatenbank](#)



**Chronik**

Die 2010 publizierte »Fontane Chronik« von Roland Berbig hält zu über 20.000 Tagen in Fontanes Leben Informationen parat. Seit 2021 führt das Fontane-Archiv die Chronik digital fort.


[› Chronik](#)



**Handschriften**

Das Theodor-Fontane-Archiv hat sämtliche seiner Handschriftenbestände digitalisiert. In der digitalen Handschriften-Sammlung stellen wir diese Bestände sukzessive online.


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**Fontane Blätter**

Über 50. Jahrgänge der seit 1965 vom Archiv herausgegebenen Zeitschrift »Fontane Blätter« sind gemeinsam mit der UB Potsdam digitalisiert worden, neue Hefte kommen laufend hinzu.

[› Fontane Blätter digital](#)



**Fontanes Bibliothek**

In einem Forschungsprojekt mit dem UCLab der Fachhochschule Potsdam ist ein Prototyp einer interaktiven Visualisierung von Theodor Fontanes Handbibliothek entstanden.

[› Interaktive Visualisierung der Handbibliothek](#)

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The graphic shows a portal with Jan Dantyszek's correspondence. Today it is the best portal of its kind in Poland.



The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the digital edition portal for Jan Dantyszek's correspondence. The browser's address bar shows "Not Secure -- dantiscus.al.uw.edu.pl". The page features a dark header with the title "Korpus Tekstów i Korespondencji Jana Dantyszka" and a background image of old letters. Below the header, there is a navigation menu with buttons for "Korespondencja", "Teksty łacińskie", "Teksty Niemieckie", and "Źródła". The main content area displays the title "INTERNETOWA PUBLIKACJA KORPUSU TEKSTÓW I KORESPONDENCJI JANA DANTYSZKA (1485-1548)" and "INFORMACJA O PROJEKCIE". The authors listed are Anna Skolimowska and Magdalena Turka, with Katarzyna Jasińskiej-Zdun as a collaborator. The transcribers and coders are also listed. The footer contains copyright information for the AL UW and a disclaimer about the use of the digital edition.

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The graphic shows a portal with the correspondence of Nicholas Serafin. Texts include annotation of author's corrections, and are linked to the map.



The screenshot shows a web browser displaying a digital edition of a letter. The browser address bar shows the URL: `teipublisher.com/exist/apps/serafin/letters/serafin01.xml`. The page header features the logo "MS KORESPONDENCJA MIKOŁAJA SERAFINA" and navigation links: "Start", "Wstęp", "Pobierz", "Wprowadź zapytanie", "Język Pol:", and "Zaloguj".

The main content area displays the title: "Jan Parawicini do Mikołaja Serafina, **Przemysł**, [16 kwietnia 1437]". Below the title, there is a highlighted section: "Iohannes de Parawasinis seruitor vester in omnibus".

The text of the letter is presented in two columns. The left column contains the Latin text: "Eciam sciatis, quia a medio Quadrag[?] esime [...] non habemus usque et nun [?] c, sed dicatis [?] domino de s[...] habemus nisi essent hospites." Below the text are two numbered footnotes:

- 1 skreślone v i początek innej litery ↵
- 2 W Sandomierzu funkcjonował od co najmniej XIV w. skład soli pochodzącej z żup krakowskich, a potem także z żup ruskich, służącej do

The right column contains a section titled "Places" with the following text: "Baszowa nieistniejąca dziś wieś w pobliżu Jasionicy, posiadająca okno solne, 12 km na zach. od Drohobycza, wraz z Jasionicą stanowiła część żupy przemyskiej (Bukowski, *Objęcie w dzierzawę*, s. 111). Jasionica od XVI w. Jasionica Solna (dzisiaj Jasenyc'a Sił'na w

On the right side of the page, there is a map showing the location of Przemysł and surrounding areas, including Jarosław, Lubaczów, Rzeszów, Sanok, and Sambir. The map includes a search bar and navigation controls.

At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with navigation links: "◀ POPRZEDNI" and "NASTĘPNY ▶", and the text: "Anna Skolimowska, Tomasz Płóciennik, Waldemar Bukowski (ed.) / Magdalena Turska, Anna Krzysik (dig. ed.) / v1.0.0".