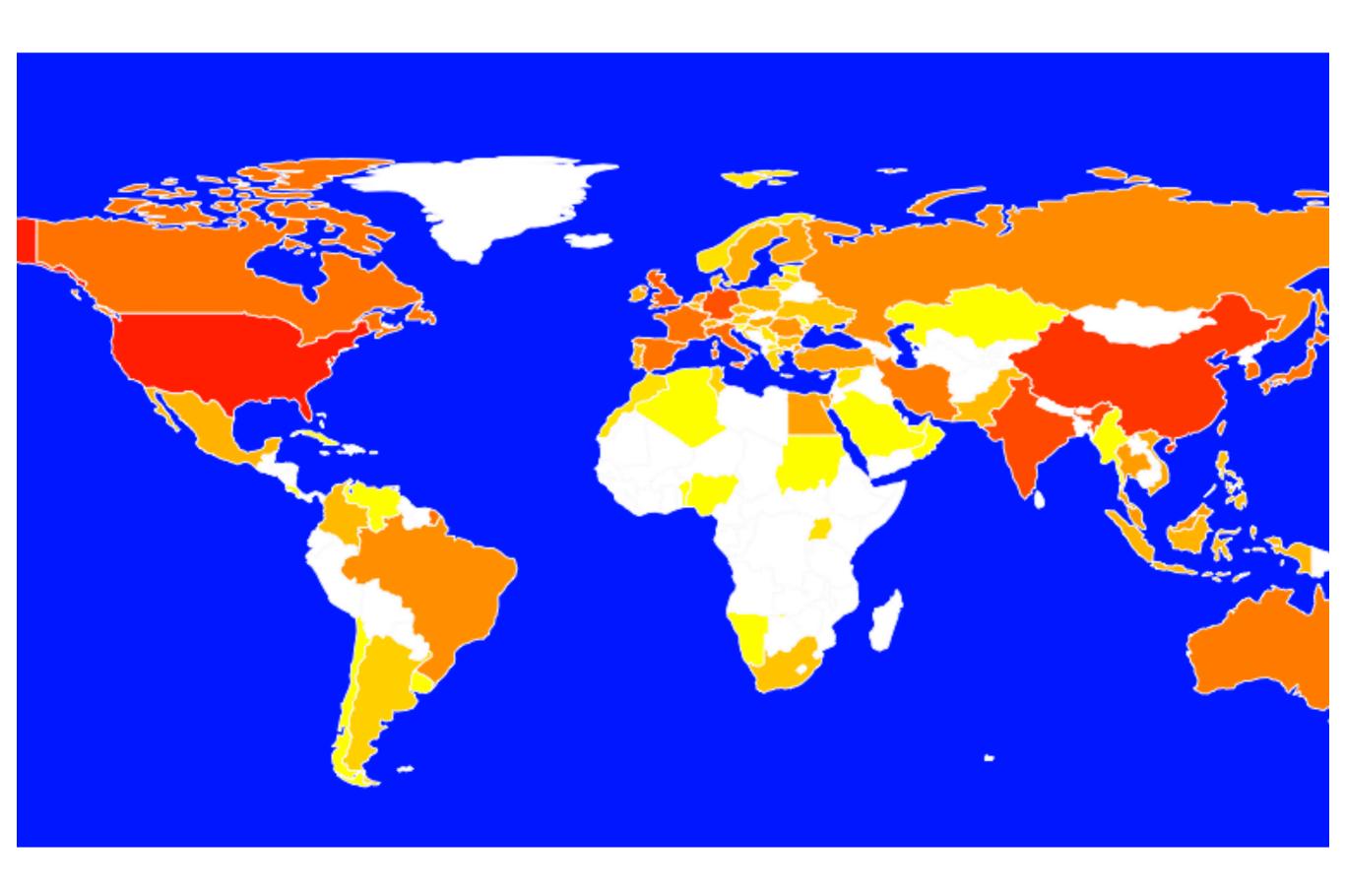
FrameNets in "Other" Languages

A Quick Introduction

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ICSI FrameNet Users by Country

FrameNets in Other Languages

Name	Institution	Leading figure
Spanish FN	UA Barcelona	Carlos Subirats
SALSA	Saarland U	Manfred Pinkal
Japanese FN*	Keio U, Tokyo U	Kyoko Ohara
Chinese FN	Shanxi U, Taiyuan	Liu Kaiying, Li Ru
Swedish FN*	U Gothenburg	Lars Borin
FN Brasil	UF de Juiz de Fora	Tiago Torrent
French FN*	multiple	Marie Candito
Hebrew FN	Ben Gurion U	Michael Elhaddad
Korean FN	KAIST	Key-Sun Choi
Arabic FN	UAE U	Andrew Gargett

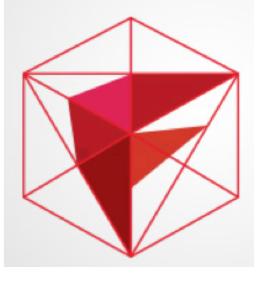
Spanish FrameNet

(Subirats 2009)

- Created a new balanced corpus, mainly New World Spanish, and their own POS tagger, large tagset
- Manual annotation, frame by frame lexicographic annotation, following Berkeley closely,
- Generally English frames were OK, some differences e.g. verbs of motion (verb framed vs. satellite framed)

http://sfn.uab.es

FrameNet Brasil



- Pls: Maria Margarida Martins Salomão and Tiago Timponi Torrent (Salomão et al. 2013)
- At Universidade Federal de Juiz de Fora, Minas Gerais, Brazil
- Projects:
 - Building FrameNet for Brazilian Portuguese
 - Copa (2014) website for Soccer World Cup with frames/LU in EN, ES & BrPT
 - m.knob (2016) FN mobile app & website for Summer Olympics
 - Creating construction for Brazilian Portuguese

http://www.ufjf.br/framenetbr-eng/

LU counts by project

Num	Chinese FN	3,947	
		251	
	FN Brasil (BPT) FN Brasil (Copa) Japanese FN	1,125	
	Japanese FN	e, d ₃ ,392	
	SALSA (DE)	1,826	Cite
	Spanish FN	1,269	
	Swedish FN	33,183	
	ICSI FN	13,235	

Counts by POS

Nur	Spanish	Swedish	Japanese	English
N	10678 21	24,736	2,043 908 908 89 221	5,348
V	856	6 /5,398	908	5,080
Adj	99	3,229	1ab 133	2,320
Adv	16	201	89	7 201
Other	26	216	221	420
Tot LUs	1,269	33,780	3,394	13,189
Anno.s	10k	13k?	73k	`200K

Variations in approaches

- Lexicographic vs. corpus-based annotation
- General coverage vs. specialized domain
- Manual vs. automatic
 - Projection from English lexicon
 - Projection from English annotation with translation
 - ASRL in English, in target lang.
- Relation to existing lexical resources

Manual Annotation

- Spanish FN: created own balanced corpus, mainly New World Spanish, own NLP tools, annotation tools adapted from ICSI FN to Spanish, frame-byframe lexicographic annotation.
- SALSA (Burchart et al. 2006): Used existing parsed corpus, contracted for new annotation tool based on parse trees. Created many partial frames as needed.

Other FN Building Methods

- Projection from English FN
 - (S. Padó 2007 Ph.D. thesis, Padó and Lapata 2009) Cross-lingual annotation projection
 - Swedish (R. Johansson & Nugues 2005)
- Starting from a corpus
 - SALSA, Korean FN
- Based on existing lexical resource
 - Swedish FN (Borin et al. 2010), Korean FN
- For special domains
 - Kictionary (Schmidt 2008), World cup