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See through your texts

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COMMAND + C OR CONTROL + C

Open your browser

Go to this URL: <http://voyant-tools.org>

Paste in all of the text from your assignment into the Add Texts box:



Voyant Tools is a web-based reading and analysis environment for digital texts. [Find out more.](#)

Click "Reveal"

Your assignment will refresh to a new page!

Tools List

Top Left: Cirrus—a word cloud generator that displays the most frequently used words in direct relation to the word size. Ex: Words used most often will be larger

Middle Left: Summary—Metadata about the text you've used.

Bottom Left: Words in the Entire Corpus—cataloguing tool that separates each word, and counts how many times it is used. [This is linked to the Top Right Tool: Word Trends.

Middle Column (Top): Corpus reader—used to show you the text (it is searchable) and can show “hot” spots (when you click on a word the blue bars will turn red, where that word is also appearing in the text).

Middle Column(Bottom): Corpus—reads the tokens, types, and density.

Tokens: Total number of words in the document

Types: All unique word types

Density: measures the “word density.” Higher numbers suggest a richer vocabulary and is determined by this equation (# of Tokens / by # of Types)

Top Right: Word Trends—pulls words that are “checked” off by the Words in the Entire Corpus tool, and displays where in the text they occur.

Middle Right: Keywords in Context—displays the keyword with the phrases directly before and after that word.

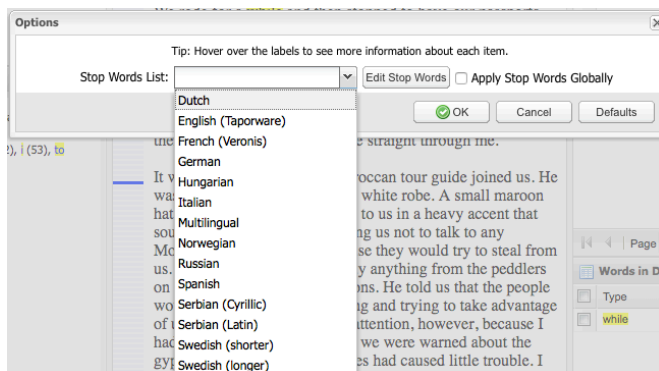
Bottom Right: Words in Documents—an ordered list of term frequencies. Can be helpful with one word selected and shows how “relative” it is within the text.

The Settings Gear



The Settings gear will allow you to choose words to filter out:

Choose English [Taporware] & Apply stop words globally. Finish with “OK”



Save! Export!



I would recommend using a static PNG image if you are going to reference your images within a Word document, but if you would like to embed this into a webpage etc. you can see which of the exporting options works best for you.

