

# Package ‘googlenlp’

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**Type** Package

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**Description** Interact with Google's Cloud Natural Language API <<https://cloud.google.com/natural-language/>> (v1) via R. The API has four main features, all of which are available through this R package: syntax analysis and part-of-speech tagging, entity analysis, sentiment analysis, and language identification.

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analyze_entities	<i>analyze_entities</i>
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## Description

Send a request, and retrieve the entities and language responses. This function retrieves the results from the `analyzeEntities` method.

## Usage

```
analyze_entities(text_body, flatten = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

<code>text_body</code>	The text string to send to the API.
<code>flatten</code>	If TRUE (default), then the results of each method are flattened and converted to a data frame.

## Value

A list containing two elements: entities and language.

If `flatten` is TRUE, then the entities element is converted to a data frame.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
sample_entities <- analyze_entities(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
their new Android phones.",
flatten = TRUE)

sample_entities$entities
sample_entities$language

## End(Not run)
```

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analyze_sentiment	<i>analyze_sentiment</i>
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### Description

Send a request, and retrieve the documentSentiment and language responses. This function retrieves the results from the [analyzeSentiment](#) method.

### Usage

```
analyze_sentiment(text_body, flatten = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

text_body	The text string to send to the API.
flatten	If TRUE (default), then the results of each method are flattened and converted to a data frame.

### Value

A list containing two elements: documentSentiment and language.

If flatten is TRUE, then the documentSentiment element is converted to a data frame.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
sample_sentiment <- analyze_sentiment(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
their new Android phones.",
flatten = TRUE)

sample_sentiment$documentSentiment
sample_sentiment$language

## End(Not run)
```

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analyze_syntax	<i>analyze_syntax</i>
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### Description

Send a request, and retrieve the sentences, tokens, and language responses. This function retrieves the results from the [analyzeSyntax](#) method.

**Usage**

```
analyze_syntax(text_body, flatten = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

text_body	The text string to send to the API.
flatten	If TRUE (default), then the results of each method are flattened and converted to a data frame.

**Value**

A list containing three elements: sentences, tokens, and language.

If `flatten` is TRUE, then the sentences and tokens elements are each converted to data frames.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
sample_syntax <- analyze_syntax(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
their new Android phones.",
flatten = TRUE)

sample_syntax$sentences
sample_syntax$tokens
sample_syntax$language

## End(Not run)
```

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annotate_text
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annotate_text
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**Description**

Send a request, and retrieve the sentences, tokens, entities, documentSentiment, and language responses. This function calls the `annotateText` method, which performs the `analyzeSyntax`, `analyzeEntities`, and `analyzeSentiment` methods all within one API call.

**Usage**

```
annotate_text(text_body, flatten = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

text_body	The text string to send to the API.
flatten	If TRUE (default), then the results of each method are flattened and converted to a data frame.

**Value**

A list containing five elements: sentences, tokens, entities, documentSentiment, and language.

If flatten is TRUE, then the sentences, tokens, entities, and documentSentiment elements are each converted to data frames.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
sample_annotate <- annotate_text(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
                                           the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
                                           Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
                                           their new Android phones.",
                                flatten = TRUE)

sample_annotate$sentences
sample_annotate$tokens
sample_annotate$entities
sample_annotate$documentSentiment
sample_annotate$language

## End(Not run)
```

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configure_googlenlp	<i>Configure your computer or a server to connect to the Google Cloud Natural Language API via R functions</i>
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**Description**

Creates variables in your .Renviron file for use by other googlenlp functions. This will edit your .Renviron file only if you call this function directly. If you prefer not to change your .Renviron file, use the set\_api\_key function instead.

**Usage**

```
configure_googlenlp()
```

**Value**

None

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
configure_googlenlp()

## End(Not run)
```

flatten\_entities      *Flatten entities*

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**Description**

Convert the JSON/list entities response into a flattened data frame.

**Usage**

```
flatten_entities(entities_list)
```

**Arguments**

entities\_list    The entities component of the API response.

**Value**

A flattened data frame.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
sample_post <- gcnlp_post(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
                                     the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
                                     Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
                                     their new Android phones.",
                           extract_syntax = TRUE,
                           extract_entities = TRUE,
                           extract_document_sentiment = TRUE)

flatten_entities(entities_list = sample_post$content$entities)

## End(Not run)
```

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flatten\_sentences      *Flatten sentences*

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**Description**

Convert the JSON/list sentences response into a flattened data frame.

**Usage**

```
flatten_sentences(sentences_list)
```

**Arguments**

sentences\_list The sentences component of the API response.

**Value**

A flattened data frame.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
sample_post <- gcnlp_post(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
                                     the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
                                     Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
                                     their new Android phones.",
                           extract_syntax = TRUE,
                           extract_entities = TRUE,
                           extract_document_sentiment = TRUE)

flatten_sentences(sentences_list = sample_post$content$sentences)

## End(Not run)
```

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flatten_sentiment	<i>Flatten sentiment</i>
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**Description**

Convert the JSON/list sentiment response into a flattened data frame.

**Usage**

```
flatten_sentiment(sentiment_list)
```

**Arguments**

sentiment\_list The sentiment component of the API response.

**Value**

A flattened data frame.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
sample_post <- gcnlp_post(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
                                     the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
                                     Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
                                     their new Android phones.",
                           extract_syntax = TRUE,
                           extract_entities = TRUE,
                           extract_document_sentiment = TRUE)

flatten_sentiment(sentiment_list = sample_post$content$sentiment)

## End(Not run)
```

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flatten_tokens	<i>Flatten tokens</i>
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**Description**

Convert the JSON/list tokens response into a flattened data frame.

**Usage**

```
flatten_tokens(tokens_list)
```

**Arguments**

tokens\_list     The tokens component of the API response.

**Value**

A flattened data frame.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
sample_post <- gcnlp_post(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
                                     the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
                                     Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
                                     their new Android phones.",
                           extract_syntax = TRUE,
                           extract_entities = TRUE,
                           extract_document_sentiment = TRUE)

flatten_tokens(tokens_list = sample_post$content$tokens)

## End(Not run)
```



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gcnlp_key	<i>Retrieve API key</i>
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**Description**

Retrieve API key

**Usage**

```
gcnlp_key()
```

**Value**

Your API key

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
gcnlp_key()  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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gcnlp_post	<i>Send a POST request to the Google Cloud Natural Language API</i>
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**Description**

Send a POST request to the Google Cloud Natural Language API and retrieve the results.

**Usage**

```
gcnlp_post(text_body, extract_syntax = TRUE, extract_entities = TRUE,  
           extract_document_sentiment = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

text_body	The text string to send to the API.
extract_syntax	Behavior for the analyzeSyntax method. Defaults to TRUE. See <a href="#">the API documentation</a> for more information.
extract_entities	Behavior for the analyzeEntities method. Defaults to TRUE. See <a href="#">the API documentation</a> for more information.
extract_document_sentiment	Behavior for the analyzeSentiment method. Defaults to TRUE. See <a href="#">the API documentation</a> for more information.

**Value**

A list containing two elements: [1] content includes the parsed response, and contains the sentences, tokens, entities, documentSentiment, language results specified in the request. [2] raw\_response contains the raw response from the API.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
gcnlp_post(text_body = "Google, headquartered in Mountain View, unveiled
                    the new Android phone at the Consumer Electronic Show.
                    Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love
                    their new Android phones.",
           extract_syntax = TRUE,
           extract_entities = TRUE,
           extract_document_sentiment = TRUE)

## End(Not run)
```

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get\_config\_file

*Fetch session-specific gcnlp default values*

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**Description**

get\_config\_file() gets the value of config\_file

**Usage**

```
get_config_file()
```

**Value**

The path to the user's config\_file

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
get_config_file()

## End(Not run)
```

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set_api_key	<i>Manually set access credentials</i>
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**Description**

Manually define an API key. Only use this function if you haven't run `configure_googlenlp()`

**Usage**

```
set_api_key(api_key)
```

**Arguments**

api\_key      Your API key, from <https://console.cloud.google.com/apis/credentials>

**Value**

None

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
set_api_key("YOUR_API_KEY")  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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