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## A SURVEY OF ANNOTATION TOOLS

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**ABSTRACT**: This paper aims at providing a survey of the state of art of the annotation tools. We categorize and evaluate some of the existing annotation tools. These tools vary in their architecture, information extraction methods, initial ontology, the level of automation, performance and other features, such as storage management. Research in this area is very active and constant progress is being made, but there is still some way to go before semantic annotation tools will be able to address all human needs.