

Q1: Which of these feature weighting techniques is best to give lower weights to words that occurs very frequency in all documents? (Give one line reason) [2 points]

- I. Binary occurrence
- II. Term Frequency
- III. Term count
- IV. TF-IDF

Q2: What is the underlying assumption in Vector space model? (Answer in 1 to 2 lines) [2 points]

Q3: Consider the following contingency table and retrieval status value (RSV) formula. * [2 points]

documents		relevant	nonrelevant	total
term present	$x_t = 1$	s	$df_t - s$	df_t
term absent	$x_t = 0$	$S - s$	$(N - df_t) - (S - s)$	$N - df_t$
total		S	$N - S$	N

$$RSV_d = \sum_{t \in q} \left[c_t \times \frac{(k_1 + 1)tf_{td}}{k_1((1 - b) + b(L_d/L_{ave})) + tf_{td}} \times \frac{(k_3 + 1)tf_{tq}}{k_3 + tf_{tq}} \right]$$

Where c_t is

$$c_t = K(N, df_t, S, s) = \log \frac{s/(S - s)}{(df_t - s)/((N - df_t) - (S - s))}.$$

Change the above formula if we assume that all the document containing term t are relevant.

* df_t = document frequency of term t i.e. the number of document in which t occurs
 tf_{td} : Term Frequency of t in document d

L_d : length of document d

L_{ave} = Average length of document
 tf_{tq} : Term Frequency of term t in query q