

Information Retrieval Fall 2016 Section B

Quiz 1 (Total Marks = 10)

Roll No: _____ **Name** _____

Q1) What will be stemmed version of following words using Porter stemmer (2 marks)

- a) walking
- b) ring
- c) political
- d) advisable

Q2) What are advantages and disadvantages of having more skips in skip lists for postings? (2 marks)

Q3) If a collection is so large that all the unique terms (dictionary) cannot fit into memory of your machine then can you use term-ids instead of terms in your index ? Why ? (2 marks)

Q4) What changes need to be made in index in order to answer phrase queries ? Explain both methods.
(2 marks)

Q5) How can you verify if a collection of text follows Zipf's law? (2 marks)