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Lecture Tutorial Practical

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Smart Computing

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Introduction to DevOps

Wireless Communications

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• Deep Learning

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Computer Vision

B.E. (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY)

SEMESTER-VII

Time-2.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m.

Day& Date	SUBJECT (2019 Course)	SUBJECT CODE
Tuesday 19/08/2025	Information and Storage Retrieval	414441
Wednesday 20/08/2025	Software Project Management	414442
Thursday 21/08/2025	Deep Learning	414443
	(ELECTIVE-III) Mobile Computing	414444A
Friday	(ELECTIVE-III) High Performance Computing	414444B
22/08/2025	(ELECTIVE-III) Multimedia Technology	414444C
	(ELECTIVE-III) Smart Computing	414444D
	(ELECTIVE-IV)Bioinformatics	414445A
Saturday	(ELECTIVE-IV) Introduction to DevOps	414445B
23/08/2025	(ELECTIVE-IV) Computer Vision	414445C
	(ELECTIVE-IV) Wireless Communications	414445D

	COURSE CONTENTS				
Unit I	Introduction to Information Retrieval	(06 hrs)			
Basic Concepts of IR, Data Retrieval & Information Retrieval, Text mining and IR relation, IR system block					
diagram, Automatic Text Analysis: Luhn's ideas, Conflation Algorithm, Indexing and Index Term					
Weighting, Probabilistic Indexing,	Automatic Classification. Measures of Association	on, Different Matching			
Coefficients, Cluster Hypothesis, Clustering Techniques: Rocchio's Algorithm, Single pass algorithm,					
Single Link algorithm.					
Mapping of Course Outcomes	Mapping of Course Outcomes				
for Unit I	CO1				

Unit II	Indexing and Searching Techniques	(06 hrs)
Indexing: Inverted file, Suffix trees	& suffix arrays, Signature Files, Scatter storage	or hash addressing.
Searching Techniques: Boolean Se	earch, sequential search, Serial search, cluster-	based retrieval, Query
languages, Types of queries, Patter	rns matching, structural queries.	
IR Models: Basic concepts, Boolean	n Model, Vector Model, Probabilistic Model.	
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Unit I – Introduction to Information Retrieval (06 hrs) 1.Basic Concepts of IR 1. Data Retrieval & Information Retrieval

- 2. Relation between Text Mining and IR
- 3. IR system block diagram

2. Automatic Text Analysis

- 1. Luhn's ideas
 - 2. Conflation Algorithm
 - 3. Indexing and Index Term Weighting
 - 4. Probabilistic Indexing
 - 5. Automatic Classification
- 3.Measures of Association
 - 1. Different Matching Coefficients 2. Cluster Hypothesis
- 4. Clustering Techniques
- - 1. Rocchio's Algorithm
 - 2. Single Pass Algorithm 3. Single Link Algorithm

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Explain Rocchio's algorithm in brief.

1.Basic Concepts of IR

Data Retrieval & Information Retrieval

Differentiate between data retrieval & information retrieval.

Explain information retrieval process with the help of block diagram.

IR system block diagram

Relation between Text Mining and IR

1. Data Retrieval & Information Retrieval

1. Data Retrieval (DR)

- •Definition: Data retrieval ka matlab hai exact, structured data nikalna from a database ya kisi storage system, jahan tum already format aur structure jaante ho.
- •Nature: Pre-defined queries ke basis pe exact match nikalta hai.
- Source: Structured data (tables, rows, columns).
- •Accuracy: Exact and deterministic result jo maanga, wahi milega.

Example (Real Life):

•Bank database me tum ek query run karte ho:

"Mujhe customer ID 12345 ka balance dikhao." Database tumhe bilkul wahi balance amount return karega — na zyada, na kam.

•Jaise **Phone contact list** me kisi ka naam search karna — "Rohan Sharma" likha, to bas wahi entry milegi

- 2. Information Retrieval (IR)
- •Definition: Information retrieval ka matlab hai unstructured ya semistructured data me se relevant information nikalna, mostly text, audio, video, etc.
- •Nature: Keyword-based search, ranking, relevance perfect match zaroori nahi.
- •Source: Unstructured data (documents, web pages, images).
- •Accuracy: Approximate / best match results based on relevance score.

Example (Real Life):

•Google pe search karte ho:

"Best restaurants near me"

Tumne exact data nahi diya, but search engine tumhare query ke context samajh ke multiple restaurants ki list dega, sorted by relevance.

•Jaise **YouTube search** — tum "C programming" likhte ho, to exact file name match nahi, par related aur relevant videos dikhega.

Data type	Structured	onstructured / Semi- structured
Match type	Exact match	Relevant / best match
Source	Database, tables	Documents, web, media
Example	Bank account balance query	Google search / YouTube search

Information Retrieval (IR)

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Relevance-based

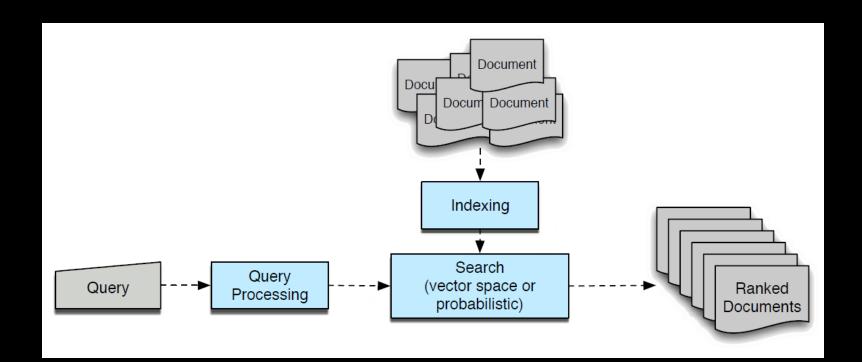
Data Retrieval (DR)

100% exact

Feature

Accuracy

Information Retrieval Process



Step-by-step:

1.User Query

- 1. User apna search request deta hai (keywords, sentence, ya question).
- 2. Example: "Best coffee shops in Delhi".

2. Query Processing

- 1. System query ko clean, tokenize, aur optimize karta hai taaki search better ho.
 - 2. Example: Stop words remove karna ("in", "the", etc.).

3. Searching in Index

- 1. Documents ka ek **index** already bana hota hai (like a book index).
- 2. System relevant documents ko quickly locate karta hai.

4. Matching & Ranking

- 1. Search engine match karta hai documents ke content ko query se.
 - 2. Relevant results ko rank karta hai based on importance/relevance.

5.Results Display

1. Top ranked results user ko show kiye jaate hain.

Example (Real Life):

Tum Google pe search karte ho: "cheap hotels in Goa"

Index me se relevant hotel pages find karta hai

•Ranking ke saath tumhe top results show karta hai

•Google tumhara query process karta hai

1.Automatic Text Analysis1. Luhn's ideas

Conflation Algorithm

Why is index term weighting used?

- 3. Indexing and Index Term Weighting
- . Probabilistic Indexing
- . Automatic Classification

a) Explain the process to generate document representative of a document with proper example using conflation algorithm. [7]

1. Luhn's Ideas

- •Concept: Hans Peter Luhn ne text summarization aur keyword extraction ke liye statistical approach di.
- •Kaise kaam karta hai: High-frequency words ko important maana jata hai aur document ka summary ya indexing un words pe based hoti hai.
- •Example: Agar tumhare paas ek article hai "Climate Change and Global Warming", aur "climate" aur "temperature" words bahut baar aate hain, to system unko key terms maanega.

2.Conflation Algorithm:

Conflation ka matlab hai different word forms ko ek single root ya stem form me lana, taaki indexing aur searching me uniformity rahe.

- •Ye process word stemming ya lemmatization ke naam se bhi jana jata hai.
- •Iska main goa<u>l hai:</u>
 - Synonyms ya morphological variations ko ek base form me convert karna.
 - Search results ka coverage improve karna.

Process to Generate Document Representative using Conflation Algorithm

1.Document Collection

•System ke paas ek ya multiple documents hote hain jinka indexing karna hai.

2. Tokenization

- •Text ko chhote units (words/tokens) me break kiya jata hai.
- •Example: "The connections were established" → ["The", "connections", "were", "established"]

3.Stop-word Removal

•Common words (like "the", "is", "were") jo search me useful nahi hote, remove kiye jate hain.

4.Conflation / Stemming

- •Remaining words ko unke root form me convert kiya jata hai.
- •Example: connections \rightarrow connect, established \rightarrow establish

5.Indexing

- •Root words ka index banaya jata hai with frequency count.
- •Example: connect: 5, establish: 3

6.Document Representative Generation

•Final set of root words with their importance (TF-IDF weighting) ban jata hai jo document ka summary representation hota hai.

Example Original Document:

"Connections between computers are established using networking cables."

Steps: 1.Tokenization → ["Connections", "between", "computers", "are", "established", "using", "networking", "cables"] 2.Stop-word Removal → ["Connections", "computers", "established", "networking", "cables"] 3.Conflation (Stemming) → ["connect", "computer", "establish", "network", "cable"] 4.Frequency Counting →
 connect: 1 computer: 1 establish: 1 network: 1 cable: 1 5.This set becomes the document representative.

3. Indexing and Index Term Weighting

Why is Index Term Weighting Used?

Definition:

Index term weighting ka matlab hai har term (keyword) ko ek **importance score** dena, taaki pata chale kaunsa term document ke liye kitna relevant hai.

Reasons for Using Index Term Weighting:

1.Identify Important Terms

- 1. Sab words equal important nahi hote. Weighting se pata lagta hai kaunse words search ke liye useful hain.
- 2. Example: "machine learning" ka weight high hoga, "the" ka weight low hoga.

2.Improve Search Accuracy

- 1. High-weight terms ko zyada preference di jati hai, taaki search results relevant aayein.
- 2. Example: Agar query "Al in healthcare" hai, to "healthcare" ka weight zyada hone se health-related documents pehle aayenge.

3.Handle Common Words

1. Stop words ya bahut common words (like "is", "and") ka weight kam hota hai, taaki wo results ko distort na kare.

4.Rank Documents

- 1. TF-IDF jaise methods se weight calculate karke documents ko rank kiya jata hai.
- 2. High-weight terms wale documents top results me aate hain.

Example:

Document:

"Machine learning is a part of artificial intelligence."

Weights (example values):

machine: 0.8 learning: 0.8 artificial: 0.7 intelligence: 0.7 is: 0.1 a: 0.1 part: 0.3

of: 0.1

Yaha "machine" aur "learning" ka weight high hai, isliye search engine in terms ko zyada importance dega.

Explain conflation algorithm in detail with its advantages & disadvantages.

Advantages

miss nahi hote.

- **1. Improves search coverage** Different word forms (connect, connected, connection) ko ek root form me laane se relevant documents
- **2. Reduces index size** Word variations merge ho jaati hain, isliye indexing me kam space lagta hai.
- **3. Faster retrieval** Kam unique terms hone se search engine ko query match karne me kam time lagta hai.
- **4. Simplifies matching** Query aur document ke beech matching easy ho jati hai, even if words ke forms alag hain.

Disadvantages

- **1. Over-stemming issue** Kabhi kabhi unrelated words bhi same root me aa jaate hain, jisse irrelevant results milte hain.
- **2. Loss of meaning** Word ka exact sense ya grammatical form kho sakta hai (e.g., "organ" aur "organization" dono "organ" ban jate hain).
- **3. Synonyms not handled** Algorithm synonyms ko same nahi maanta unless extra semantic processing ho.
- **4. Language dependency** Har language ke liye alag stemming rules banane padte hain.

4. Probabilistic Indexing

- •Concept: Probability ka use karke decide kiya jata hai ki koi document query ke liye kitna relevant hai.
- •Example: Agar query hai "renewable energy" aur ek document me 80% chance hai ki wo relevant hoga, to wo top results me aayega.

5. Automatic Classification

- •Concept: Documents ko automatically categories me daalna, machine learning models ka use karke.
- •Example: News articles ko categories me divide karna "Sports", "Politics", "Technology" without manual tagging.

1.Measures of Association

coefficients with suitable examples.

- **Different Matching Coefficients**
 - Cluster Hypothesis

Explain single pass clustering algorithm with a suitable example. What are the different measures of association? Explain any three matching b)

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Measures of Association

Definition:

Measures of Association ka use documents ya terms ke beech similarity (kitne related hain) ya dissimilarity (kitne alag hain) measure karne ke liye hota hai.

Ye **Information Retrieval** me documents ko group karne, search results rank karne aur clustering me use hota hai.

Types:

1.Different Matching Coefficients – Numerical values jo batate hain do sets (terms/documents) kitne similar hain.

2.Cluster Hypothesis – Agar do documents ek relevant document ke similar hain, toh woh apas me bhi similar honge.

Three Matching Coefficients (Examples ke saath)

1. Jaccard Coefficient

Formula:

$$J(A,B) = \frac{|A \cap B|}{|A \cup B|}$$

Example:

Document1 terms = {apple, mango, orange}

Document2 terms = {apple, banana, mango}

$$J = \frac{2}{4} = 0.5$$

(Common terms = apple, mango \rightarrow 2 terms; Total unique terms = 4)

2. Cosine Similarity

Formula:

$$CosSim(A,B) = rac{A \cdot B}{||A|| imes ||B||}$$

 $CosSim = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2}} = 0.5$

Example:

$$A = (1,1,0,0)$$

$$A = (1, 1, 0, 0)$$
$$B = (1, 0, 1, 0)$$

(Measures angle between vectors)

3. Dice Coefficient

Example:

Document1 = {apple, mango, orange}

Document2 = {apple, banana, mango}

 $Dice(A,B) = \frac{2|A \cap B|}{|A| + |B|}$

 $Dice = rac{2 imes2}{3+3} = rac{4}{6}pprox 0.67$

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Range

Example Value

Formula

Coefficient

2. Cluster Hypothesis

- •Meaning: Agar ek document relevant hai, toh uske nearby cluster me maujood documents bhi likely relevant honge.
- •Purpose: Documents ko clusters me group karke retrieval performance improve karna.
- •Working:
 - Similar documents ko group karo (clustering).
 - Agar ek group me ek document relevant mila, toh us group ke baaki documents ko bhi recommend karo.

Example:

Tum ek movie recommendation system use kar rahe ho. Tumhe "Inception" pasand aayi (cluster = sci-fi thrillers), toh system tumhe "Interstellar" aur "The Matrix" bhi suggest karega jo same cluster me hain.

1.Clustering Techniques

- 1. Rocchio's Algorithm
- 2. Single Pass Algorithm
- 3. Single Link Algorithm

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Explain single pass clustering algorithm with a suitable example.

Explain Rocchio's algorithm in brief.

1. Rocchio's Algorithm

Explain Rocchio's algorithm in brief.

Rocchio's Algorithm (Brief)

Definition

Rocchio's algorithm ek **relevance feedback** method hai jo **Vector Space Model** me query ko modify karta hai.

Iska aim hai query vector ko relevant documents ke closer aur irrelevant documents se away shift karna.

Formula

$$Q_{new} = lpha Q_{original} + rac{eta}{|D_r|} \sum_{d \in D_r} d \; - \; rac{\gamma}{|D_{nr}|} \sum_{d \in D_{nr}} d$$

- Q_original = initial query vector
- D_r = relevant documents ka set
- D_nr = non-relevant documents ka set
- α , β , γ = tuning constants (importance weight)

Steps

- 1.Initial query ka vector banao.
- 2.Relevant docs ke centroid calculate karo.
- 3. Irrelevant docs ke centroid calculate karo.
- 4.New query vector calculate karo using above formula.
- 5.New query vector calculate karo using above formula.

 5.New query se search fir se run karo for better results.

Example

- Initial Query: "Machine Learning" → Q = (0.5, 0.4, 0.1)
- Relevant Docs:

$$D1 = (0.6, 0.5, 0.1)$$

$$D2 = (0.7, 0.4, 0.2)$$

Non-Relevant Docs:

$$D3 = (0.1, 0.3, 0.6)$$

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$$\alpha = 1$$
, $\beta = 0.75$, $\gamma = 0.15$

Calculation:

- 1. Centroid of relevant docs = (0.65, 0.45, 0.15)
- 2. Centroid of non-relevant docs = (0.1, 0.3, 0.6)
- 3.

$$egin{aligned} Q_{new} &= (0.5, 0.4, 0.1) + 0.75 imes (0.65, 0.45, 0.15) - 0.15 imes (0.1, 0.3, 0.6) \ Q_{new} &= (0.9875, 0.7375, 0.1725) \end{aligned}$$

Result: New query vector is more biased toward relevant terms.

Advantages

- Improves retrieval accuracy with feedback.
 - Adapts query to user needs.
 - Works well in vector space model.

Disadvantages

- Needs user feedback (relevant/irrelevant marking).
- Extra computation.
- Not suitable if feedback data is small.

Explain single pass clustering algorithm with a suitable example.

Single Pass Clustering Algorithm

Definition

Single Pass Clustering ek incremental clustering technique hai jisme har document ko sequentially (ek ek karke) dekha jata hai aur decide kiya jata hai ki woh existing cluster me add hoga ya naya cluster banayega.

Isme data ek hi baar process hota hai (single pass), isliye fast hota hai.

Steps / Working:

1.Start: Pehla document lo, ek naya cluster banao.

2.For each next document:

- 1. Document ka similarity sab existing clusters ke centroid se calculate karo.
- 2. Agar similarity ≥ threshold → document ko us cluster me daal do.
- 3. Agar similarity < threshold for all clusters \rightarrow naya cluster banao.
- 3. Repeat jab tak saare documents process na ho jaye.
- 4.End: Sab clusters ready.

Example

Documents:

- D1 = {apple, mango, banana}
 - D2 = {apple, mango}
 - D3 = {car, bus, train} $D4 = \{bus, truck\}$
- Threshold = 0.5 (similarity)

Process:

- 1. D1 → Cluster 1 bana.
- 2. D2 \rightarrow Similarity with C1 high (0.8) \rightarrow C1 me add.
- 3. D3 \rightarrow Similarity with C1 low (0.0) \rightarrow Cluster 2 bana.
 - **4.** D4 \rightarrow Similarity with C2 high (0.6) \rightarrow C2 me add.

 - Final Clusters:
 - C1 = {D1, D2}
 - $C2 = \{D3, D4\}$

Fast	Sirf ek baar data pass hota hai	
Simple	Easy to implement	
Incremental	Naye data ko turant add kar sakte ho	
Disadvantage	Explanation	
Order Dependent	Documents ka order badalne se result change ho sakta hai	
Not Optimal	Best cluster guarantee nahi deta	
Threshold Sensitive	Threshold galat set hua to poor clustering hogi	

Explanation

Advantage

Single Link Clustering Algorithm

Definition

Single Link Clustering ek hierarchical agglomerative clustering method hai jisme dono clusters ke sabse nearest points ke distance ko use karke merge kiya jata hai.

Isme "link" ka matlab hai minimum distance between two clusters.

Steps

- 1. Har data point ko ek separate cluster maan lo.
- 2. Sabhi clusters ke beech ka minimum pairwise distance nikal lo.
- 3.Do clusters jinka minimum distance sabse kam hai, unko merge kar do.
- 4.Distance matrix update karo:
 - 1. New cluster ka distance kisi bhi cluster se = minimum distance of any point in new cluster with that cluster.
- 5.Step 2–4 repeat karo jab tak ek single cluster na ban jaye (ya desired number of clusters mil jaye).

Distance Formula (Single Link)

$$d(C_i,C_j) = \min\{d(x,y) \mid x \in C_i, y \in C_j\}$$

Example					
Data points: A, B, C, D Distance matrix:					
	Α	В	С	D	
Α	0	2	6	10	
В	2	0	5	9	
С	6	5	0	4	
D	10	9	4	0	

Step-by-step:

- 1. Nearest pair: A-B (distance = 2) → Merge into Cluster {A,B}.
 - New distances:
 - $\{A,B\}$ to C = min(6, 5) = 5• $\{A,B\}$ to D = min(10, 9) = 9

 - C to D = 4

- New distances:

- 3. Nearest pair: C-D (distance = 4) → Merge into {C,D}.

• $\{A,B\}$ to $\{C,D\}$ = min(5, 9, 6, 4) = 4

Merge → Final cluster {A,B,C,D}.

Advantages

- Works well for non-spherical shapes of clusters.
- Captures chaining effect (good for continuous patterns).

Disadvantages

- Sensitive to noise & outliers (chaining effect may merge unrelated points).
- May produce long, thin clusters.

Speed	Very fast (O(n))	Slower (O(n²))
Memory	Low	Higher
Flexibility	Needs pre-defined threshold	No threshold needed
Output	Final clusters directly	Dendrogram + possible

Large streaming datasets

Incremental, non-hierarchical

Single Pass Algorithm

Feature

Best For

Clustering Type

Single Link Algorithm

different cluster levels

Small to medium datasets

needing hierarchical analysis

Hierarchical (agglomerative)

4. Situations Where Suitable

• Single Pass:

Large-scale real-time customer data grouping in e-commerce (e.g., grouping products by user behavior instantly).

• Single Link:

Biological taxonomy (e.g., grouping species based on genetic similarity), where hierarchy and gradual merging are important.

5. Example Scenarios

- Single Pass Example:
 - An online retail system groups users into segments (e.g., "frequent buyer", "window shopper") as new transactions arrive, without reprocessing old data.
- Single Link Example:

Clustering different cities based on shortest road distances between them to build a connected travel map.

a) Analyse the concept behind the single pass algorithm and the single link algorithm for clustering. Compare and contrast these two techniques, highlighting their advantages, disadvantages, and situations where each approach would be more suitable. Provide a scenario for each algorithm to illustrate their application.

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Precision	Measures how many of the predicted positive results are actually correct.	$Precision = \frac{True\ Positives\ (TP)}{True\ Positives\ (TP) + False\ Positives\ (FP)}$	"Of all items the system labeled as relevant, how many were truly relevant?"
Recall	Measures how many of the actual positive results the system correctly predicted.	$Recall = \frac{True Positives (TP)}{True Positives (TP) + False Negatives (FN)}$	"Of all truly relevant items, how many did the system find?"

Meaning

Formula

Metric

Definition