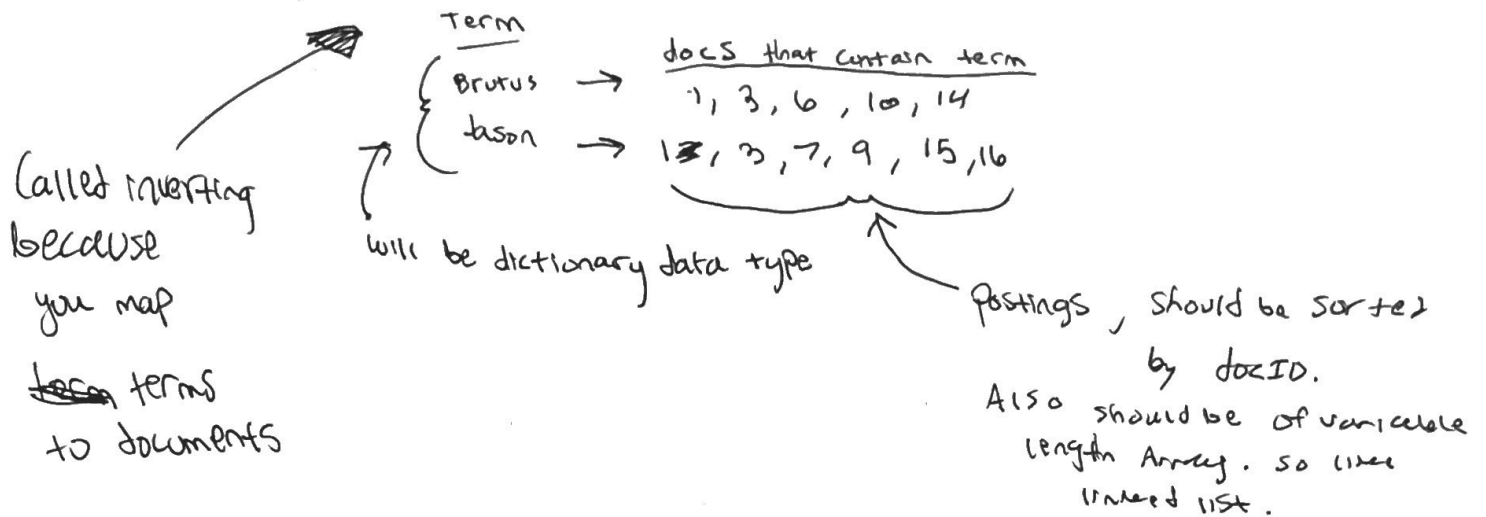


# Indexing:

- Inverted Index: For each term ~~t~~, we must store a list of all documents that contain t.

- Identify each doc by docID



• Inverted index steps

1) Collect documents to be indexed

2) Tokenize documents.

• go through each document and assign each term with the doc it's in.

doc1	doc2	tokens	
Jason goes to store	Keatsy goes home	Jason - 1	Melroy - 2
		goes - 1	goes - 2
		to - 1	here - 2
		store - 1	

3) modify tokens to make things like "Friends" to "friend"

4) sort Alphabetically by term.

5) Index the term listings.

• multiple term entries in a single document are merged

• Split into dictionary and postings as shown at top of page.

• Doc freq. information is added.

## INDEXING :

### - Positional indexes :

- In the postings of inverted index, store positions in which the tokens appear.

<term, # of docs containing term,

doc #, position 1, position 2, etc ,

doc #1, position 1, position 2, etc,

?

- Zipf's law : frequency of any word is inversely proportional to its Rank in the frequency table.

~~A~~ Basically words like I, you, an appear a lot in documents, but words like "mology" appear less so they are ranked higher.

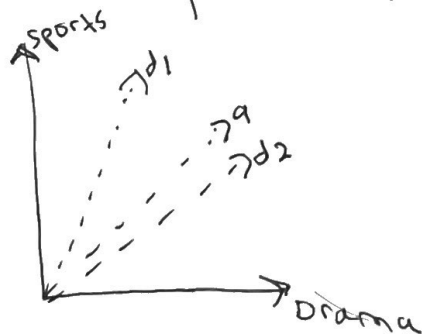
# RANKING:

→ vector space model:

## Boolean retrieval vs Ranked Retrieval

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- good for expert users with persice understanding of collection.</li><li>- easily comb through lots of documents</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- most users incapable of writing boolean queries.</li><li>- most users don't want to wate through loads of results.</li><li>- boolean retrieval produces too few or too many results</li></ul> |
|---|---|

- Represent document and query by concept vectors.
  - Each vector is one-dimension.
- measure similarity between query vector and document vector.



- $x, y$  are concept vectors, which are independent of the documents.
- vectors have a weight of each concept and query has weight to define importance of concept.
- Two ways to define weights
  - TF: Count of a term  $t$  in doc  $d$ .
    - weigh a term more if it occurs more in a document.
  - IDF: Assign a higher weight to rare terms.
  - TF-IDF vector: Cross product of TF and IDF
- Compute Cosine similarity on TF-IDF vectors.

## RANKING:

BM25 - Goal is to be sensitive to term frequency and document length while not adding too many parameters

- Normalize ~~document~~<sup>tf</sup> length using ~~document~~ document length
- 2 parameters
  - term frequency scaling for document
  - ~~document length normalization~~
  - term freq. scaling for query
- BM25 is better than VSM because of the document length normalization.

## CLASSIFICATION:

3 ways to classify

- manually → consistent when problem size and team is small.  
cannot be scaled to a large dataset
- Hand-coded rule-based classifiers
- supervised learning
  - ↳ Classify document  $d$  to a class  $C$ .
  - Classes are predefined.
  - a training set of  $D$  documents is used with label in  $C$ .
  - Naive Bayes,  $k$ -nearest neighbors
  - All need a hand-classified training data set.
- Evaluation

Classification Accuracy -  $r/n$

$n$  = # test docs

$r$  = # of test docs correctly classified

recall,  
F1,

# CLASSIFICATION :

ROCCIO - Create centroids which is an average vector of all documents that belong to a class.

→  
worse than  
Naive Bayes

~~Compare~~ Attempt to classify a document to the most related Centroid.

KNN - define K the number of documents to consider when classifying a document.

→  
No training  
necessary.

scales well to  
large # of classes.

more accurate  
than Rocchio, Naive Bayes

## Variance vs Bias -

bias - Simplifying assumptions made by the model

Variance - amount that the estimate of the target function will change given different training data.

KNN high variance, low bias

Rocchio/NB low variance, high bias

Naive Bayes - Assign Probabilities to each class that the document in question belongs to that class.

→  
good dependable  
baseline for  
text classification

Probability for a class = 
$$\frac{(\text{\# times term appears in class's docs})}{\text{total \# words in class's docs}}$$

total # words in  
Class's docs

→  
sometimes apply laplace  
smoothing "add 1"