Information Retrieval WS 2023/2024

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## Programming Assignment 2

## a. The inverted index looks like:

Dictionary	Postings			
a	2			
always	6			
be	3	1	- 0	
berlin	4	5	6	
exciting	6	i k	- 44	
girl	2			
in	4			
is	1	2	4	6
not	3			
or	3			
she	2	4		
sunny	1	2	5	
to	3			
today	1	4		

## **b.** To print a posting list of all the terms indexed above, we:

- i. Created two directories for index and data. Index directory will have indexes and the data directory has 6 documents containing the given sentences.
- ii. customAnalyzer with StandardTokenizerFactory and LowerCaseFilterFactory to analyse the documents.
- iii. An instance of indexWriter for indexing and added each document in the index with "contents" field.
- iv. After indexing, search for each token using IndexSearcher and queryParser.
- v. After finding the documents containing given term:
  - a. Total term frequency and document frequency is taken from in-built functions ireader.totalTermFreq(term) and ireader.docFreq(term).
  - b. To get frequency in the document and position, fetch the TermVector of the given term.
  - c. Using postings() function and pointers, collect all the positions and their respective frequencies.
  - d. Printed the postings list for 'sunny' and 'to'.

## Output:

Documents that contain 'sunny' and 'exciting':

0

Postings list for 'sunny', 'to': [to:2:1]-->[2:2:[0,13]]

[sunny:3:3]-->[4:1:[0]]->[0:1:[9]]->[1:1:[9]]