

## INFORMATION RETRIEVAL – SHORT EXERCISES I – BOOLEAN RETRIEVAL AND NAVIGATIONAL PATTERNS

I. Consider the following documents **D1-D4** using 8 different terms:

**D1** = {breakthrough drug schizophrenia}

**D2** = {new schizophrenia drug}

**D3** = {new approach treatment schizophrenia}

**D4** = {new hope schizophrenia patient}

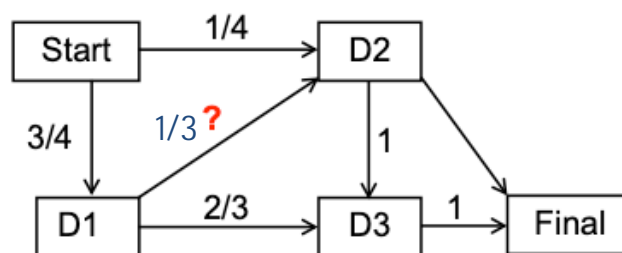
Fill in the term-document incidence matrix for this document collection.

	D1	D2	D3	D4
approach	0	0	1	0
breakthrough	1	0	0	0
drug	1	1	0	0
hope	0	0	0	1
new	0	1	1	1
patient	0	0	0	1
schizophrenia	1	1	1	1
treatment	0	0	1	0

What are the results returned for the below Boolean queries:

- schizophrenia AND drug      Answer:  $1111 \text{ AND } 1100 = 1100$
- new AND NOT(drug OR approach)      Answer:  $0111 \text{ AND NOT}(1100 \text{ OR } 0010) =$   
 $0111 \text{ AND NOT } 1110 = 0111 \text{ AND } 0001 = 0001$

II. Given the following four sessions: {D1 D2 D3}, {D1 D3}, {D1 D3}, {D2 D3}, answer the questions related to using the Markov chain for mining navigational patterns.



What is  $P(D1 \rightarrow D2)$ ?      Answer:  $1 - 2/3 = 1/3$

What is the probability of  $P(Start \rightarrow D1 \rightarrow D3)$ ?      Answer:  $3/4 * 2/3 = 1/2$

What is the probability of  $P(D3|D1)$ ?      Answer:  $2/3 + 1/3 * 1 = 1$

## INFORMATION RETRIEVAL – SHORT EXERCISES II – VECTOR SPACE MODEL AND LATENT SEMANTIC INDEXING

I. Consider a set of terms  $T = \{t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4\}$  and the following collection of two documents:  $D1 = \{t_1 t_2 t_1 t_2 t_3\}$  and  $D2 = \{t_4 t_2 t_2 t_3\}$ . Consider query  $Q = \{t_1 t_4\}$ . Represent D1, D2, and Q using TF (normalized Bag-Of-Words).

TF	$t_1$	$t_2$	$t_3$	$t_4$	max
D1	2/2	2/2	1/2	0	2
D2	0	2/2	1/2	1/2	2
Q	1	0	0	1	1

Compute IDFs for all four terms (note that only D1 and D2 are included in the collection).

	$t_1$	$t_2$	$t_3$	$t_4$	N
IDF	$\log 2$	$\log 1 = 0$	$\log 1 = 0$	$\log 2$	2

II. Consider the below term-document matrix  $C$  for the bag-of-words representation of five documents  $D1-D5$  in the space of six terms  $t_1-t_6$ . Using the SVD factorization method, matrix  $C$  has been decomposed into matrices  $K$ ,  $S$ , and  $D^T$  given below. The rank of  $C$  is 4 ( $4 \leq \min\{6,5\}$ ), so 4 concepts (semantic dimensions) were discovered.

						terms -> concepts				docs -> concepts			

# INFORMATION RETRIEVAL – SHORT EXERCISES III – EVALUATION IN INFORMATION RETRIEVAL AND PAGERANK

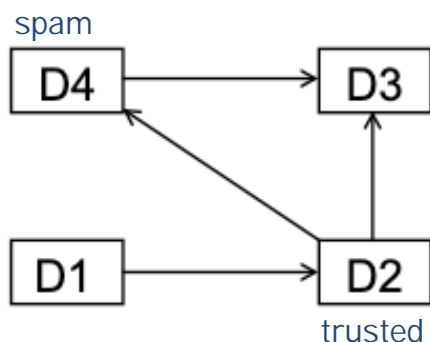
I. Consider an information need for which there are 4 relevant documents in the collection. A system run on this collection returned the top 10 results for which the relevance is judged as follows (R – relevant; N – non-relevant):

R N R N N N N N R R

What is the recall at 6 (R@6)? Answer:  $(1/4) * (1 + 0 + 1 + 0 + 0 + 0) = 2/4 = 1/2$

What is the Mean Average Precision? Answer:  $(1/4) * (P@1 + P@3 + P@9 + P@10) =$   
 $= (1/4) * ((1/1) * 1 + (1/3) * 2 + (1/9) * 3 + (1/10) * 4) = 3/5$

II. Consider the web graph presented below to the left. It involves four pages D1-D4 and four links. Fill in the stochastic matrix M given to the right.



	D1	D2	D3	D4	
0	0	0	0	0	D1
1	0	0	0	0	D2
0	1	0	0	1	D3
0	1	0	0	0	D4

Write the equation for PR(D3) without dumping factor  $q$ ? Answer:  $PR(D3) = 0 * PR(D1) + 1 * PR(D2) + 0 * PR(D3) + 1 * PR(D4)$

Which page has the greatest PageRank (without computing the exact PR values)? Answer: D3

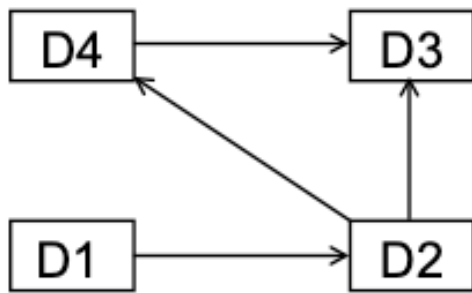
An oracle has evaluated D2 as trusted and D4 as spam. What is the starting vector  $d$  for TrustRank?

Answer:  $d = [0, 1, 0, 0]$

(Of course, apart from  $d = [0, 0, 0, 0]$ )

## INFORMATION RETRIEVAL – SHORT EXERCISES IV – HITS, RELEVANCE FEEDBACK AND SPELLING CORRECTION

I. Consider the web graph presented below to the left. It involves four pages D1-D4 and four links. Fill in the adjacency matrix L given to the right.



0	1	0	0
0	0	1	1
0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0

The principal eigenvector of  $LL^T$  is  $[0, 1.618, 0, 1]$  and the principal eigenvector of  $L^TL$  is  $[0, 0, 1.618, 1]$ .

What is  $h(D_4)$ ? Answer: 1  
(not normalized)

The page with the greatest authority score is: D3 max

II. Compute the Levenshtein distance for "LEGIA" and "LECHIA".

		L	E	C	H	I	A
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
L	1	0	1	2	3	4	5
E	2	1	0	1	2	3	4
G	3	2	1	1	2	3	4
I	4	3	2	2	2	2	3
A	5	4	3	3	3	3	2

## INFORMATION RETRIEVAL – SHORT EXERCISES V – COLLABORATIVE FILTERING AND ADWORDS

I. Given the below user-item rating matrix, predict rating of user U7 for item I4:

	I1	I2	I3	I4	$sim(U7, U \cdot)$	Average
U1	5	4	4	4	0.0	$(5 + 4 + 4) / 3 = 4.3(3)$
U2	5	3	7	3	1.0	5
U3	4	3	2	3	-0.5	3
U4	6	4	5	4	0.5	5
U5	3	4	2	4	-1.0	3
U6	4	3	5	3	1.0	4
U7	4	3	5	?		4

a) Employ user-based CF with  $k=2$  and either simple average or weighted average?

Answer:  $U7(I4) = (3 + 3) / 2 = 3$

b) Employ user-based CF with  $k=2$  and modify U7's average rating by the weighted modification of its nearest neighbors averages:

Answer:  $U7(I4) = 4 + \frac{1.0 * (3 - 4) + 1.0 * (3 - 5)}{1.0 + 1.0} = 4 - 1.5 = 2.5$

c) Which item should be analyzed to predict the rating when using item-based CF with  $k=1$ ? What would be the predicted rating?

Answer: item - I2 and prediction – 3

II. Four advertisers A, B, C, and D with a daily budget of \$2 bid for the following keywords (\$1 each):  
A: w, x; B: x, z; C: x, y; D: y, z. Use a simplified version of BALANCE to select the ads for the following query stream (in the case of a tie use the following order for breaking it  $A > B > C > D$ ):

query stream	x	y	w	z	z	w	y	x
BALANCE	A	C	A	? B	? D	? -	? C	? C

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## INFORMATION RETRIEVAL – SHORT EXERCISES VI – INDEX CONSTRUCTION AND COMPRESSION

I. Consider the following fragment of a term-based positional index in the format:

**term:** doc1: <position1,position2,...>; doc2: <position1,...>; etc.

**Gates:** 1: <3>; 2: <6>; 3: <2,17>; 4: <1>;

**IBM:** 4: <3>; 7: <14>;

**Microsoft:** 1: <1>; 2: <1,21>; 3: <3>; 5: <16,22,51>;

The  $/k$  operator, **word1**  $/k$  **word2** finds occurrences of word1 within k words of word2 (on either side), where **k** is a positive integer argument. Which document(s) satisfy the query “**Gates**  $/2$  **Microsoft**”?

Answer: 1: [3]      3: [2]

1: [1]      3: [3]

II. Build a suffix array for "couscous\$" using the *qsufsort* algorithm.

	i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
h	$x_i$	c	o	u	s	c	o	u	s	\$
	A[i]	9	1	5	2	6	4	8	3	7
	V[A[i]]	1	3	3	5	5	7	7	9	9
1	V[A[i]+h]		5	5	9	9	3	1	7	7
	A[i]	9	1	5	2	6	8	4	3	7
	V[A[i]]	1	3	3	5	5	6	7	9	9
2	V[A[i]+h]		9	9	7	6			3	1
	A[i]	9	1	5	6	2	8	4	7	3
	V[A[i]]	1	3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4	V[A[i]+h]		3	1						
	A[i]	9	5	1	6	2	8	4	7	3

III. Encode 15 in  $\gamma$ . Answer: 0001111

IV. Decode 00111000001 written in the  $\delta$ -code. Answer:  $N+1 = 00111 = 7 \Rightarrow N = 6$   
 Answer:  $2^6 + 1 = 65$