

11-693 Software Methods for Biotechnology

Homework 3 report

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Task 1

1.1. Architecture of system

1.1.1. Type system

- (1) Document type include four types: relevanceValue, queryID, text, tokenList. RelevanceValue indicates the rel number in each sentence, this value represent the type of this sentence. QueryID stores the number of query. Text records the sentences. TokenList stores the processed tokens.
- (2) Token type include two types: text, frequency. Text stores each processed tokens. Frequency records how many times the tokens appear in this sentence.

1.1.2. Collection reader

Collection reader already provides in the archetype. In collection reader, all questions and documents will be read line by line and put into cases.

1.1.3. Analysis Engine

In analysis engine, sentences retrieved in collection reader will be separated into pieces of information and store in type system. These type system will be put back into cases.

1.1.4. CAS Consumer

In Cas Consumer, all questions will be store in a list and all document will be store in a map which the value will be a list stored the documents of one query. After all sentences are processed, all documents will be compared to its question and cosine similarity will be updated. Then, by using a comparator, the documents for the same question will be sorted. Also, MRR value will be calculated according the rank of the relevant documents. Finally, final report will be printed in the formation of given sample.

1.2. Final Performance

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/java (2014年4月24日 14:25:10)
cosine=0.2791 rank=2 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, burying in volcanic ash the Roman city of Pompeii.
cosine=0.2858 rank=2 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan--one of the greatest basketball player of all time--made what was expected to be his last trip to play in Atlanta last March, an NBA record 62,046 fans turned out to see him and the Bulls.
cosine=0.2357 rank=3 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.2315 rank=2 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a game against the New York Knicks.
cosine=0.0000 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about the Yellow River, which they often call "sorrow of China".
cosine=0.5547 rank=2 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.0891 rank=3 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska that became, in 1965, the first state to be admitted to the Union.
cosine=0.1833 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson inexplicably bit Holyfield's ear.
cosine=0.5804 rank=2 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
cosine=0.5000 rank=1 qid=10 rel=1 Menchu won the Nobel peace prize in 1992.
cosine=0.1768 rank=4 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County.
cosine=0.3162 rank=3 qid=12 rel=1 Named the "Mendocino Tree," the 600- to 800-year-old redwood stands 367 1/2 feet tall.
cosine=0.1195 rank=3 qid=13 rel=1 Oregon's Crater Lake tops it at 1,932 feet at its greatest depth.
cosine=0.4216 rank=2 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richie was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.0788 rank=3 qid=15 rel=1 A new look at NASA satellite data revealed that Earth set a new record for coldest temperature in space.
cosine=0.2828 rank=3 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.1508 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-normal temperatures in March.
cosine=0.2265 rank=2 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif., in 1948, the systematized drive-in hamburger chain grew to 1,000 outlets.
cosine=0.1268 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hindenburg burned and crashed near Lake Michigan.
cosine=0.3078 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election year, Pennsylvania is the only state to have a mandatory voting law.
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.4375
Total time taken: 1.425
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Task 2

2.1. Error analysis

In the 20 questions examples, there are three main reasons that cause failure of recognizing the correct document: tokens mismatch, too much irrelevant information, Different expression.

2.1.1. Tokens mismatch

This error may be caused by the difference in tenses/possessives/cases or punctuations attached between tokens in questions and correct documents.

Examples:

E1: qid=2 rel=99 What has been the largest crowd to ever come see Michael Jordan
cosine=0.2858 rank=2 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan--one of the greatest basketball player of all time--made what was expected to be his last trip to play in Atlanta last March, an NBA record 62,046 fans turned out to see him and the Bulls.

In this question, the token "Jordan--one" cannot be correctly recognized as Jordan.

E2: qid=5 rel=99 What river is called China's Sorrow?
cosine=0.0000 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about the Yellow River, which they often call "sorrow of China"

In this question, several tokens failed to be correctly recognized due to cases different(e.g. "River," ⇔ "river") possessives different (e.g. "China" ⇔ "China's") or tenses different(e.g. "call" ⇔ "called").

2.1.2. Too much irrelevant information

Correct document contained answer may also contains irrelevant information. These irrelevant information will impair the cosine similarity of the correct answer. Also, this may be caused by wrong documents not provide any answer to the question but use words sharing strong similarity

with the question.

Examples:

qid=1 rel=99 Give us the name of the volcano that destroyed the ancient city of Pompeii
cosine=0.3046 rank=2 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, burying
in volcanic ash the Roman city of Pompeii; an estimated 20,000 people died.

In this question, the correct document not only gives the correct answer (the name of the volcano)
but also other irrelevant information (e.g. the time of eruption, casualty).

2.1.3. Different expression

Correct document provides correct answer that may not use the exact words in questions, or
correct answer does not mentioned in the question.

Example:

qid=12 rel=99 What is the height of the tallest redwood?
cosine=0.3727 rank=4 qid=12 rel=1 Named the "Mendocino Tree," the 600- to 800-year-old
redwood stands 367 1/2 feet tall.

In this example, the query ask the height of the tallest redwood. Though the correct document
gives the 367 1/2 feet answer, the document does not include the word “height” that exact match
the question.

2.1.4. Main error type for each documents

		Questions
Tokens mismatch	punctuations attached	q2, q4, q6, q8, q20
	different tenses/possessives/cases	q3, q5, q7, q9, q11, q14, q16, q20
Too much irrelevant information		q1, q5, q7, q8, q17, q18, q19
Different expression		q12, q13, q15

2.2. Error handling

2.2.1. Tokens mismatch

For punctuations attached, I try to replace all punctuations with a blank.

In question 2, 4, 6, 8, 20:

Before replacement:

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/java (2014年10月21日 下午8:26:02)
cosine=0.2858 rank=2 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan--one of the greatest basketball player of all time--made what was expected to be his last ti
cosine=0.2315 rank=2 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a game against the New York Knicks.
cosine=0.5547 rank=2 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.1833 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson inexplicably bit his opponent's right ear.
cosine=0.3078 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election year, Pennsylvania is living up to its name.
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.5000
Total time taken: 2.447
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After replacement:

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<terminated> vectorspace retrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/java (2014年10月)
cosine=0.3172 rank=1 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan--one of the greatest basketball player of all time--made what was
cosine=0.3086 rank=1 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a game against the N
cosine=0.6013 rank=1 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.2750 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson inexplicably bit hi
cosine=0.4104 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election year, Pennsylvania is
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.8000
Total time taken: 1.721
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Conclusion:

Most results have great improvement, cosine similarity has raised.

For tenses/possessives/cases difference, I first replace all uppercase letter with lowercase letter, then use Stanford stemmer to unified tenses and possessives.

In question 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 14, 16, 20:

Before modification:

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cosine=0.2357 rank=3 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.0000 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often call "sorr
cosine=0.0891 rank=3 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska that beca
cosine=0.5804 rank=2 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
cosine=0.1768 rank=4 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County
cosine=0.4216 rank=2 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.2828 rank=3 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.3078 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election year, Penr
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.3854
Total time taken: 2.32
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After modification:

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<terminated> vectorspace retrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/java (2014年10月)
cosine=0.4714 rank=1 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.0990 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often call "sorr
cosine=0.0891 rank=4 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska that bec
cosine=0.5804 rank=2 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
cosine=0.3536 rank=2 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County
cosine=0.4216 rank=3 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.4243 rank=1 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.3078 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election year, Per
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.5521
Total time taken: 2.153
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Conclusion:

Most results have improvement. However, since these documents may also affected by attached punctuations, some question may have a less effective of negative result. I will test to use both type modification.

For both kinds mismatch:

In question q2, q3, q4, q5, q6,q7, q8, q9,q11,q14,q16,q20

Before modification:

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/
cosine=0.2858 rank=2 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan—one of the greatest basketball player of all tin
cosine=0.2357 rank=3 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.2315 rank=2 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a
cosine=0.0000 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often c
cosine=0.5547 rank=2 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.0891 rank=3 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska tl
cosine=0.1833 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyso
cosine=0.5804 rank=2 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
cosine=0.1768 rank=4 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County
cosine=0.4216 rank=2 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.2828 rank=3 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.3078 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election y
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.4236
Total time taken: 1.92
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After modification:

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/jav
cosine=0.4282 rank=1 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan—one of the greatest basketball player of all time--i
cosine=0.4714 rank=1 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.3858 rank=1 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a gar
cosine=0.2970 rank=2 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often call "
cosine=0.6682 rank=1 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.2535 rank=2 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska that
cosine=0.3667 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson i
cosine=0.6529 rank=1 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
cosine=0.5303 rank=1 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County
cosine=0.5270 rank=1 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.4243 rank=1 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.4104 rank=1 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election year,
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.8750
Total time taken: 2.748
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Conclusion:

After combining both kinds of modification, the result has a significant improvement. Most relevant documents are retrieved as first rank. Token mismatch related errors are resolved by these methods.

2.2.2. Too much irrelevant information

To solve the irrelevant information, I try to remove words with no exact meaning (stopwords) before compute the cosine similarity.

In question q1,q5, q7, q8, q17, q18, q19

Before modification:

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/j:
cosine=0.2791 rank=2 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, burying in volcanic
cosine=0.0000 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often call
cosine=0.0891 rank=3 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska tha
cosine=0.1833 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson i
cosine=0.1508 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-normal tempe
cosine=0.2265 rank=2 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif., in 1948, the
cosine=0.1268 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hindenburg bu
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.4048
Total time taken: 1.69
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After token modification:


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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/java
cosine=0.2927 rank=2 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, burying in volcanic ash
cosine=0.2970 rank=2 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often call "so
cosine=0.2535 rank=2 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska that be
cosine=0.3667 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson inex
cosine=0.3475 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-normal temperatu
cosine=0.2752 rank=2 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif., in 1948, the syst
cosine=0.2758 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hindenburg burne
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.4524
Total time taken: 1.562
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After stopwords removing:

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cosine=0.1667 rank=3 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, burying in volcanic
cosine=0.5000 rank=2 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often cal
cosine=0.5000 rank=1 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska th
cosine=0.4781 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson
cosine=0.2041 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-normal temp
cosine=0.1132 rank=3 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif., in 1948, the
cosine=0.1543 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hindenburg b
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.4762
Total time taken: 2.074
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Conclusion:

For these questions, removing stopwords have a slightly bonus for performance. However, this modification also have negative influence for some cases. Moreover, for total 20 queries, implement removing stopwords actually lower the performance.

The low improvement may result by three reasons:

- (1) Question for each query are rather short, and removing stopwords make it harder to match the correct answer.
- (2) Removing stop words does not remove all irrelevant information in correct document.
- (3) Removing stop words have no effects on the wrong documents sharing strong similarity with the queries.

2.2.3. Different expression

This kind of errors has the greatest difficulty to resolve. To find the link between words in question and document may solve this problem. In the example, "367 1/2 feet tall" actually refer to "height" and this two words should be considered as same word. However, this linkage should consider about all kinds of condition in question (e.g. years, height, and place). For the time limitation, I have not implement any algorithm yet.

2.2.4. Final Performance

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/java (2014年10月22
cosine=0.4282 rank=1 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan—one of the greatest basketball player of all time—made what was exp
cosine=0.4714 rank=1 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.3858 rank=1 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a game against the New
cosine=0.2970 rank=2 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often call "sorrow of China"
cosine=0.6682 rank=1 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.6682 rank=1 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.2535 rank=2 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska that became, in 1959, ou
cosine=0.3667 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson inexplicably bit his op
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cosine=0.6529 rank=1 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
cosine=0.8750 rank=1 qid=10 rel=1 Menchu won the Nobel peace prize in 1992.
cosine=0.5303 rank=1 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County
cosine=0.3627 rank=4 qid=12 rel=1 Named the "Mendocino Tree," the 600- to 800-year-old redwood stands 367 1/2 feet tall.
cosine=0.2309 rank=3 qid=13 rel=1 Oregon's Crater Lake tops it at 1,932 feet at its greatest depth.
cosine=0.5270 rank=1 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.1455 rank=3 qid=15 rel=1 A new look at NASA satellite data revealed that Earth set a new record for coldest tempera
cosine=0.4243 rank=1 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.3475 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-normal temperatures in major grov
cosine=0.2752 rank=2 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif., in 1948, the systematized approa
cosine=0.2758 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hindenburg burned and crashed in
cosine=0.4104 rank=1 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election year, Pennsylvania is livin
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.7311
Total time taken: 1.905
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2.3. Similarity measurement

To test if there are any other similarity measurement algorithms have better performance on this task, I implement Jaccard similarity coefficient and Tversky similarity coefficient algorithm.

2.3.1. Jaccard similarity coefficient

Jaccard similarity is defined as the size of the intersection divided by the size of the union of the sample sets:

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

Before token improvement:

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/
cosine=0.0938 rank=3 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, burying in volcani
cosine=0.0870 rank=3 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan—one of the greatest basketball player of all tim
cosine=0.1333 rank=3 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.1250 rank=2 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a g
cosine=0.0000 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often ca
cosine=0.3158 rank=2 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.0417 rank=3 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska th
cosine=0.0909 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tyson
cosine=0.2353 rank=2 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
cosine=0.3333 rank=1 qid=10 rel=1 Menchu won the Nobel peace prize in 1992.
cosine=0.0909 rank=4 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County
cosine=0.1000 rank=4 qid=12 rel=1 Named the "Mendocino Tree," the 600- to 800-year-old redwood st
cosine=0.0625 rank=3 qid=13 rel=1 Oregon's Crater Lake tops it at 1,932 feet at its greatest depth.
cosine=0.3077 rank=1 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.0370 rank=3 qid=15 rel=1 A new look at NASA satellite data revealed that Earth set a new recor
cosine=0.1538 rank=3 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.0714 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-normal temp
cosine=0.0244 rank=2 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif., in 1948, the
cosine=0.0500 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hindenburg b
cosine=0.1429 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election ye:
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.4417
Total time taken: 2.095
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After token improvement:

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<terminated> vectorspace retrieval [java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclipse/jre/bin/
cosine=0.1522 rank=2 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan—one of the greatest basketball player of all tim
cosine=0.3077 rank=1 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.
cosine=0.2273 rank=2 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 points in a
cosine=0.1667 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which they often c
cosine=0.4444 rank=2 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mile barrier.
cosine=0.1364 rank=1 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska th
cosine=0.1364 rank=1 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty of Alaska th
cosine=0.2000 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28, 1997, Tysor
cosine=0.3125 rank=1 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the Moon.
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cosine=0.7778 rank=1 qid=10 rel=1 Menchu won the Nobel peace prize in 1992.
cosine=0.3333 rank=1 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County
cosine=0.1364 rank=4 qid=12 rel=1 Named the "Mendocino Tree," the 600- to 800-year-old redwood si
cosine=0.1250 rank=3 qid=13 rel=1 Oregon's Crater Lake tops it at 1,932 feet at its greatest depth.
cosine=0.4167 rank=1 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Commodores.
cosine=0.0769 rank=3 qid=15 rel=1 A new look at NASA satellite data revealed that Earth set a new reco
cosine=0.2500 rank=1 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.
cosine=0.1852 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-normal temp
cosine=0.0488 rank=3 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif., in 1948, th
cosine=0.1000 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hindenburg l
cosine=0.2000 rank=1 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable election ye
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.6705
Total time taken: 2.439
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Conclusion:

By using Jaccard similarity coefficient to rank the documents. The performance using unrefined token is slightly improving, but the performance of using refined token is dropping. However, the performance changing is not significant, and the reason of this changing may be the limited samples.

2.3.2. Tversky similarity coefficient

Tversky similarity coefficient is defined as

$$S(X, Y) = \frac{|X \cap Y|}{|X \cap Y| + \alpha |X - Y| + \beta |Y - X|},$$

Where alpha and beta is a number between 0 and 1, and the sum of alpha and beta equal to 1.

Test result is under $\alpha = 0.8$ and $\beta = 0.2$ and X stands for query set and Y stands for document set.

Before token improvement:

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/ec  
cosine=0.1948 rank=3 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, bu  
cosine=0.2326 rank=2 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan—one of the greatest basketball p  
cosine=0.2273 rank=3 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.  
cosine=0.2941 rank=2 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 10  
cosine=0.0000 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, whic  
cosine=0.4478 rank=2 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute  
cosine=0.1087 rank=3 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking bea  
cosine=0.2222 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June  
cosine=0.4444 rank=2 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of  
cosine=0.5000 rank=1 qid=10 rel=1 Menchu won the Nobel peace prize in 1992.  
cosine=0.2083 rank=4 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County  
cosine=0.2174 rank=4 qid=12 rel=1 Named the "Mendocino Tree," the 600- to 800-year-o  
cosine=0.1563 rank=3 qid=13 rel=1 Oregon's Crater Lake tops it at 1,932 feet at its grea  
cosine=0.4878 rank=1 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for C  
cosine=0.1020 rank=3 qid=15 rel=1 A new look at NASA satellite data revealed that Earth  
cosine=0.3333 rank=3 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.  
cosine=0.1852 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above  
cosine=0.0833 rank=2 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Ca  
cosine=0.1282 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible  
cosine=0.3846 rank=2 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredicta  
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.4500  
Total time taken: 1.45
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After token improvement:

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<terminated> VectorSpaceRetrieval [Java Application] /home/krypton/luna/eclip:  
cosine=0.2667 rank=2 qid=1 rel=1 In A.D. 79, long-dormant Mount Vesuvius erupted, buryir  
cosine=0.4698 rank=1 qid=2 rel=1 When Michael Jordan—one of the greatest basketball play  
cosine=0.4494 rank=1 qid=3 rel=1 Alaska was purchased from Russia in year 1867.  
cosine=0.5495 rank=1 qid=4 rel=1 On March 2, 1962, Wilt Chamberlain scored a record 100 p  
cosine=0.4348 rank=3 qid=5 rel=1 People of China have mixed feelings about River, which tl  
cosine=0.5797 rank=2 qid=6 rel=1 Roger Bannister was the first to break the four-minute mi  
cosine=0.3704 rank=1 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty  
cosine=0.3704 rank=1 qid=7 rel=1 And that's not even to mention the breathtaking beauty  
cosine=0.5000 rank=2 qid=8 rel=1 Fighting for Holyfield's WBA heavyweight title on June 28,  
cosine=0.5882 rank=1 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the  
cosine=0.5882 rank=1 qid=9 rel=1 Luna 2 was the first spacecraft to reach the surface of the  
cosine=0.8750 rank=1 qid=10 rel=1 Menchu won the Nobel peace prize in 1992.  
cosine=0.6818 rank=1 qid=11 rel=1 Devils Tower can be found in Crook County  
cosine=0.3371 rank=4 qid=12 rel=1 Named the "Mendocino Tree," the 600- to 800-year-old r  
cosine=0.3448 rank=3 qid=13 rel=1 Oregon's Crater Lake tops it at 1,932 feet at its greatest c  
cosine=0.6173 rank=1 qid=14 rel=1 Lionel Richiewas was lead singer and songwriter for Cor  
cosine=0.2381 rank=3 qid=15 rel=1 A new look at NASA satellite data revealed that Earth set  
cosine=0.5455 rank=1 qid=16 rel=1 Bob Marley died in 1981 from cancer at age 36.  
cosine=0.4808 rank=3 qid=17 rel=1 Corn futures found support from forecasts for above-no  
cosine=0.2198 rank=3 qid=18 rel=1 From a single hamburger stand in San Bernardino, Calif.  
cosine=0.2857 rank=3 qid=19 rel=1 On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German dirigible Hir  
cosine=0.6250 rank=1 qid=20 rel=1 They call it the Keystone State, and in this unpredictable  
(MRR) Mean Reciprocal Rank ::0.7159  
Total time taken: 2.202
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Conclusion:

Both performances using unrefined and refined token have no significant changing. The reason for improvement or may result from not enough samples.