Assignment 3
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Question

1. Download the 1000 URIs from assignment #2. "curl", "wget", or "lynx" are all good candidate programs to use. We want just the raw HTML, not the images, stylesheets, etc. from the command line:

```
% curl http://www.cnn.com/ > www.cnn.com
```

% wget -0 www.cnn.com http://www.cnn.com/

% lynx -source http://www.cnn.com/ > www.cnn.com

"www.cnn.com" is just an example output file name, keep in mind that the shell will not like some of the characters that can occur in URIs (e.g., "?", "&"). You might want to hash the URIs, like:

% echo -n "http://www.cs.odu.edu/show_features.shtml?72" | md5
41d5f125d13b4bb554e6e31b6b591eeb

("md5sum" on some machines; note the "-n" in echo -- this removes the trailing newline.)

Now use a tool to remove (most) of the HTML markup. "lynx" will do a fair job:

% lynx -dump -force_html www.cnn.com > www.cnn.com.processed
Use another (better) tool if you know of one. Keep both files
for each URI (i.e., raw HTML and processed).

Answer

I had extracted all URIs from the second assignment in the same JSON format. I have then used the command

```
curl -s -L "URI" >./rawurls/filename
```

to generate the raw html content into a directory. I had also used the command below to generate processed URIs

```
lynx -dump -force_html "URI" >./processedurls/ filename
```

I used the os library to execute shell commands from the python file. I knew that I had to unique generate all 2000 URIs combined which could have either been done by using the md5 hashing technique you have mentioned in the question . Just to improve the readability of the file names I decided to use a counter and count to 1000 and append that to a string each time for all 1000 URIs. I have used this approach for both the raw URIs and processed URIs.

Code Listing

```
import re
import os
import json
if __name__="__main__":
        f2name='raw.txt'
        f3name='processed.txt'
        count=0
        count1=0
        file1=open('links.json','r')# file which contains 1000
        for line in file1.readlines():
                count = count + 1
                newfile=str(count)+f2name #concatenates counter
                    value to a string
                one_line = json.loads(line)
                link = one_line['link']
                cmd="curl_-s_-L_"+ link+"_>./rawurls/"+ newfile
                    # shell script to print raw html content of
                    each uri
                os.system(cmd)
        for line in file1.readlines():
                count1 = count1 + 1
                newfile1=str(count1)+f3name #concatenates
                    counter value to a string
                one_line1 = json.loads(line)
                link1 = one_line1['link']
                cmd1="lynx_-dump_-force_html_"+ link1+"_>./
                    processedurls/"+ newfile1 # shell script to
```

```
<!--[if IE 8]>
                      <html class="no-js lt-ie9"> <![endif]-->
<!--[if gt IE 8]><!--> <html class="no-js"> <!--<![endif]-->
               <meta charset="utf-8" />
        <meta http-equiv="X-UA-Compatible" content="IE=edge" /><script type="text/javascript">
        <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, maximum-scale=1.0, target-densityDp</pre>
        <script src="//cdn.optimizely.com/js/76980741.js"></script>
                <script>yar _sf_startpt=(new Date()).getTime()</script>
        <title>Watch Johnny Depp Star in Funny or Die's Donald Trump Biopic | Rolling Stone/t
        <link rel="stylesheet" href="/assets/css/main.css">
                <script src="/assets/lib/modernizr-2.6.2.min.js"></script>
        <script src="http://c.amazon-adsystem.com/aax2/amzn_ads.js"></script>
<script>
        amznads.getAds('3050');
   } catch(e) { /*ignore*/}
</script>
<script type="text/javascript">
   var googletag = googletag || {};
    googletag.cmd = googletag.cmd || [];
    (function() {
       var gads = document.createElement("script");
        gads.async = true;
        gads.type = "text/javascript";
        var useSSL = "https:" == document.location.protocol;
       gads.src = (useSSL ? "https:" : "http:") + "//www.googletagservices.com/tag/js/gpt.js"
       var node =document.getElementsByTagName("script")[0];
        node.parentNode.insertBefore(gads, node);
    1)():
</script>
<script>
   amznads.setTargetingForGPTAsync('amznslots');
} catch(e) { /*ignore*/}
</script>
                                    <meta name="description" content="Funny or Die have turned</pre>
                                        <meta name="news keywords" content="Johnny Depp, donal
```

Figure 1: Images showing the raw html content generated for a URI

```
#[1]publisher
  IFRAME: [2]//www.googletagmanager.com/ns.html?id=GTM-6PGSH
   [3]Rolling Stone
    * [4]Follow @RollingStone
    * [5]Subscribe
    * [6]Coverwall
  [7]Rolling Stone
     * [8]music
              Q Latest Music
                Baauer
             Baauer Is Shaking Off the Blessing and Curse of Meme Stardom
               By Andy Beta
              😞 [9]
Eagles of Death Metal Bring Rock, Healing at Triumphant Paris Return
                13 hours ago [10]
Grammys 2016: King Kendrick Lamar Steals the Show
               1 day ago [11]
Taylor Swift vs. Kanye West: A Beef History
               1 day ago [12] More Music News »
              Q Interviews
                [13] Jenny Lewis [14]
Jenny Lewis on 'Rabbit Fur Coat' at 10, How Conor Oberst Changed Her Life
                "I've been rehearsing these songs, and they...
                [15]More Interviews »
              g Reviews
                 Kanye West; The Life of Pablo; Album Review
Kanye West
The Life of Pablo
                Wiz Khalifa
Wiz Khalifa
```

Figure 2: Response without html tags, stylesheets etc

Question

2. Choose a query term (e.g., "shadow") that is not a stop word (see week 5 slides) and not HTML markup from step 1 (e.g., "http") that matches at least 10 documents (hint: use "grep" on the processed files). If the term is present in more than 10 documents, choose any 10 from your list. (If you do not end up with a list of 10 URIs, you've done something wrong).

As per the example in the week 5 slides, compute TFIDF values for the term in each of the 10 documents and create a table with the TF, IDF, and TFIDF values, as well as the corresponding URIs. The URIs will be ranked in decreasing order by TFIDF values. For example:

Table 1. 10 Hits for the term "shadow", ranked by TFIDF.

```
TFIDF TF IDF URI
-----
0.150 0.014 10.680 http://foo.com/
0.044 0.008 5.510 http://bar.com/
```

You can use Google or Bing for the DF estimation. To count the number of words in the processed document (i.e., the deonminator for TF), you can use "wc":

```
% wc -w www.cnn.com.processed 2370 www.cnn.com.processed
```

It won't be completely accurate, but it will be probably be consistently inaccurate across all files. You can use more accurate methods if you'd like.

Don't forget the log base 2 for IDF, and mind your significant digits!

Answer

I had started off by trying to use grep command from the shell. I had figured out that grep could be used to find files with a keyword. I used keyword crime on the processed files. I used the following command to get all similar words matching keyword crime.

```
grep -lr "crime" directoryname
```

I got a few matching files from where I have randomly selected ten URIs.

```
'grep -c ' +'crime ' filename.
```

I used the command we w to get the list of all words from a URI. I had then taken a ratio for the occurred words to total words which gave me TF.

For IDF I used the search results from Bing. Bing has a corpus value of 17 billion and queried word crime has 18 million search results. The ratio of the logarithm

Log(corpus value/doc term) gives the IDF. The product of TF,IDF gives TFIDF. I had measured the values for TFIDF .My next task was to arrange the tfidf values in descending order. More TF-IDF value indicates more occurrence in that URI or less count of total words.

Code Listing

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
\# -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
import os
import commands
import math
import re
import json
import string
file=open('ten_files.txt','r')
file1=open('links.json', 'r').readlines()
count=0
count1=0
total=1700000000#corpus value for bing approx. 17 billion
doc_term=18000000#bing results for the queried word "crime""
idf_big=total/doc_term
print 'TF.....URIS'
for line in file.readlines():
        count = count + 1
        all=string.maketrans('',',')
        nodigs=all.translate(all, string.digits)
```

```
found=line.translate(all, nodigs)
foundint=int (found)
occurence='grep_-c_' +'crime_'+ line.strip()
words = 'wc_-w_-'+line.strip()
occur_doc=commands.getoutput(occurence)
words\_doc = commands.\ getoutput\ (\ words\ )
words_total= words_doc.split(', ')[0]
tf=round(float(occur_doc)/float(words_total),5)
idf = round(math.log(idf_big)/math.log(2),5)
t f i d f = round(t f * i d f, 5)
b=line.rstrip("processed.txt")
for line1 in file1:
         \mathbf{try}:
                  count1 = count1 + 1
                  one_line1 = json.loads(line1)
                  link1 = one_line1['link']
                  if (count1==foundint):
                          print tf, '...', idf, '...', tfidf, '...
                               ', link1
                          count1=0
                          break
                  else:
                          continue
         except:
                 pass
```

Selected random ten files matching keyword

```
413 processed.txt
302 processed.txt
95 processed.txt
110 processed.txt
135 processed.txt
147 processed.txt
147 processed.txt
182 processed.txt
183 processed.txt
208 processed.txt
```

TF,IDF,TF-IDF

```
TF
         IDF
                     TFIDF
                                     URIS
0.00295
           9.88264
                       0.02915
                                   http://www.tvguide.com/news/
    exclusive-criminal-minds-sneak-peek-jj-theory/?ftag=
    twtrsoshares
0.00227
           9.88264
                       0.02243
                                   http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk
    -news/julian-assanges-alleged-rape-victim-7318264#ICID=
    sharebar_{-}twitter
           9.88264
0.00213
                       0.02105
                                   http://www.occuworld.org/news
    /2997720
0.00186
           9.88264
                       0.01838
                                   http://news.thaipbs.or.th/
    content / 250076
0.00185
           9.88264
                       0.01828
                                   http://www.cp24.com/news/
    officer-confronts-robbery-suspects-as-they-exit-gas-station-
    in-vaughan -1.2772521
0.00164
           9.88264
                                   http://www.liverpoolecho.co.uk/
                       0.01621
    news/liverpool-news/blind-liverpool-city-centre-busker
    -10872530
0.00141
           9.88264
                       0.01393
                                   http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/
    thunder-bay/first-nations-ptsd-thunder-bay-1.3441787?cmp=rss
0.00134
           9.88264
                       0.01324
                                   http://www.heraldsun.com.au/
    news/victoria/letthemstay-protesters-on-eastern-freeway/news-
    story/3c97d64decd630493a0707c07afc192f
0.00081
           9.88264
                       0.008
                                 http://www.abc.net.au/news
    /2016-02-11/\text{same-sex-parents-sa-win-right-for-both-on-birth-}
    certificate/7157912
0.00075
           9.88264
                       0.00741
                                   http://www.fox23.com/news/
    acting-tulsa-sheriff-proposes-idea-to-make-money-\textbf{from}-inmate-
    cell-phone-calls/47960035
```

Question

3. Now rank the same 10 URIs from question #2, but this time by their PageRank. Use any of the free PR estimaters on the web, such as:

```
http://www.prchecker.info/check_page_rank.php
http://www.seocentro.com/tools/search-engines/pagerank.html
http://www.checkpagerank.net/
```

If you use these tools, you'll have to do so by hand (they have anti-bot captchas), but there is only 10. Normalize the values they give you to be from 0 to 1.0. Use the same tool on all 10 (again, consistency is more important than accuracy).

Create a table similar to Table 1:

Table 2. 10 hits for the term "shadow", ranked by PageRank.

PageRank URI

0.9 http://bar.com/
0.5 http://foo.com/

Briefly compare and contrast the rankings produced in questions 2 and 3.

Answer

I had used one of the web service http://www.seocentro.com/tools/searchengines/pagerank.html on all the ten URIs I was using for my previous problem.

I had generated the page ranks for each URI and then sorted the URIs based on the page rank.

We can compare the page rank with the TF-IDF value even though it makes very little sense. Higher TF-IDF values had good page rank on an average. Higher page rank shows more traffic, keyword density, page authority etc.I had used the shortened URIs because the complete URIs did not have less or no page rank at all.

Comparing Page Rank, TF-IDF of URIs

TF-IDF	URIs	PAGE RANK
0.008	http://www.abc.net.au	0.8
0.01393	http://www.cbc.ca	0.8
0.02915	http://www.tvguide.com	0.7
0.02243	http://www.mirror.co.uk	0.7
0.01828	http://www.cp24.com	0.7
0.01324	http://www.heraldsun.com.au	0.7
0.01621	http://www.liverpoolecho.co.u	ık 0.5
0.02105	http://www.occuworld.org	0.3
0.01838	http://news.thaipbs.or.th	0.3
0.00741	http://www.fox23.com/news	0.2

Question

4. Compute the Kendall Tau_b score for both lists (use "b" because there will likely be tie values in the rankings). Report both the Tau value and the "p" value.

See:

http://stackoverflow.com/questions/2557863/measures-of-association-in-r-kendalls-tau-http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kendall_tau_rank_correlation_coefficient#Tau-b http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Correlation_and_dependence

Answer

Kendall's Tau gives the relation between TF-IDF and page rank. Tau Value closer to 1 denotes high correlation. Tau value 0 denotes no correlation .My TF-IDF and page rank vectors have given me a tau value of 0.906747. z=3.4603, p-value of 0.0002698.My results show that there is a lot of correlation between TF-IDF and Page Rank vectors.

```
R Console
                                                                     alternative hypothesis: true tau is greater than 0
sample estimates:
     tau
0.9067647
Warning message:
In cor.test.default(tfidf, pagerank, method = "kendall", alternative = "greater$
 Cannot compute exact p-value with ties
> tfidf<- c(0.00741,0.008,0.01324,0.01393,0.01621,0.01828,0.01838,0.02105,0.022$
> pagerank<-c(0.2,0.3,0.3,0.5,0.7,0.7,0.7,0.7,0.8,0.8)
> cor.test(tfidf, pagerank, method = "kendall", alternative = "greater")
       Kendall's rank correlation tau
data: tfidf and pagerank
z = 3.4603, p-value = 0.0002698
alternative hypothesis: true tau is greater than 0
sample estimates:
     tau
0.9067647
```

Figure 3: The output of the R console which gives Tau value

Program to find Tau value

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