

**Information Retrieval (CS60092)**  
**Computer Science and Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur**

**Class Test 1**

**Time:** 1 hour

**Full Marks:** 20

*Attempt all questions.*  
*Use of calculator is allowed.*

- Q. 1> a.** Find the Jaccard coefficients of *bord* with *aboard*, *border*, *lord* and *morbid*. (2)
- b.** Assuming that the components of document vectors are computed using the tf-idf weighting scheme, find the vectors corresponding to  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  (coming from the same document collection, with 2000 documents). Also find the cosine similarity between these two vectors. (3)

term	tf ( $d_1$ )	tf ( $d_2$ )	df <sub>t</sub>
<i>car</i>	10	30	520
<i>auto</i>	15	12	618
<i>insurance</i>	5	8	430
<i>best</i>	25	10	790

- Q. 2> a.** A collection has 500,000 documents, 250 tokens per documents, four characters per token and 200,000,000 postings. A posting is defined as a doc-id in the postings list, excluding any other information.
- Find the length of a doc-id.
  - Find the size of the collection in MBs.
  - Find the size of the uncompressed posting file. (0.5 x 3 = 1.5)
- b.** Let us assume that gap encoding using variable byte codes is being used. Let the postings list for some term consist of the doc-ids 824, 829, 1234. How should this postings list be represented using the above encoding scheme? (3.5)

- Q. 3>** Consider a document collection that contains the following documents:

$d_1$ : tick goes the clock goes tick tick tick

$d_2$ : tick tock big time

$d_3$ : clock tower

$d_4$ : big tower of clock

Let a query be “clock tick”. Compute the tf-idf scores of each document with respect to this query and provide the resultant document ranking. (5)

- Q. 4>** Let the top ten documents returned by a search engine for three queries be graded for relevance as:

$q_1$ : 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0

$q_2$ : 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0

$q_3$ : 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0

where 0 implies non-relevant and 1 implies relevant. The numbers of relevant documents for the three queries are 15, 20 and 25 respectively. Find the MAP for this result set. (5)