

ILS-Z 534 Search
Assignment 1
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Task 1:

1. How many documents are there in this corpus?

Answer: **84474**.

2. Why different fields are treated with different kinds of java class? i.e., StringField and TextField are used for different fields in this example, why?

Answer:

StringField are used for content we do not want tokenized. StringField is usually used to store IDs, which in our case is the <DOCNO> tag. We want the DOCNO to be as a whole, not be tokenized and split into terms. On the other hand, TextField is used for content we want to be tokenized. For e.g. <TEXT> tag in our data has huge text which we to tokenize and split into terms and then apply the index. TextField is never used to store IDs.

Reference: Please find generateIndex.java

Task 2:

Observations with different Analyzers.

Analyzer	Tokenization applied?	How many tokens are there for this field?	Stemming applied?	Stop words removed?	How many terms are there in the dictionary?
Keyword Analyzer	No	84474	No	No	84043
Simple Analyzer	Yes	37330144	No	No	169981
Stop Analyzer	Yes	26216475	No	Yes	169948
Standard Analyzer	Yes	26649680	No	Yes	233384

Reference: Please find indexComparision.java