

LBSC 796 /INFM 718R: Homework 2 Answers

Part 1: Boolean Retrieval

1. Term frequency matrix

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
cornell	1	0	0	0
for	0	1	0	0
implementation	1	0	1	0
information	0	1	1	1
introduction	0	0	0	1
manual	0	1	0	0
modern	0	0	0	1
of	1	0	1	0
retrieval	0	1	1	1
smart	1	1	1	0
system	1	1	1	0
the	2	1	1	0
to	0	0	0	1
user's	0	1	0	0

2. New matrix

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
cornell	1	0	0	0
for	0	1	0	0
implementation	1	0	1	0
information	0	1	1	1
introduction	0	0	0	1
manual	0	1	0	0
modern	0	0	0	1
of	1	0	1	0
retrieval	0	1	1	1
smart	1	1	1	0
system	1	1	1	0
the	1	1	1	0
to	0	0	0	1
user's	0	1	0	0

3. Docs having "information" and "retrieval"

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
information	0	1	1	1
retrieval	0	1	1	1
Information AND retrieval	0	1	1	1

Answer: Doc 2, Doc 3, and Doc 4.

4.

A. (smart AND implementation) OR (introduction AND retrieval)

step 1: (smart AND implementation)

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
smart	1	1	1	0
implementation	1	0	1	0
smart AND implementation	1	0	1	0

step 2: (introduction AND retrieval)

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
introduction	0	0	0	1
retrieval	0	1	1	1
introduction AND retrieval	0	0	0	1

step 3: (smart AND implementation) OR (introduction AND retrieval)

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
smart AND implementation	1	0	1	0
introduction AND retrieval	0	0	0	1
(smart AND implementation) OR (introduction AND retrieval)	1	0	1	1

Answer: Doc 1, Doc 3 and Doc 4.

B. (Cornell OR SMART) AND (Implementation)

step 1: (Cornell OR SMART)

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
cornell	1	0	0	0
smart	1	1	1	0
cornell OR smart	1	1	1	0

step 2: (Cornell OR SMART) AND (Implementation)

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
cornell OR smart	1	1	1	0
implementation	1	0	1	0
(cornell OR smart) AND (implementation)	1	0	1	0

Answer: Doc1 and Doc3.

C. (information NOT retrieval)

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
information	0	1	1	1
retrieval	0	1	1	1
information NOT retrieval	0	0	0	0

Answer: None.

5. Perform the same computation for the query: (information XOR system)

Term	Doc 1	Doc 2	Doc 3	Doc 4
information	0	1	1	1
system	1	1	1	0
information XOR system	1	0	0	1

Answer: Doc 1 and Doc 4.

Part 2: Vector Space Retrieval

1. Build the w matrix

	TF				IDF				W_{ij}		
	1	2	3		1	2	3		1	2	3
t1			5	$\log(3/1)=0.477$							2.385
t2	4	1	3	$\log(3/3)=0.000$							
t3	5		4	$\log(3/2)=0.176$	0.880				0.880		0.704
t4	6	3	3	$\log(3/3)=0.000$							
t5		1		$\log(3/1)=0.477$						0.477	
t6	3		7	$\log(3/2)=0.176$	0.528				0.528		1.232
t7		6	1	$\log(3/2)=0.176$						1.056	0.176
t8	2			$\log(3/1)=0.477$	0.954				0.954		

2. Build the w' matrix

	W_{ij}				W'_{ij}		
	1	2	3		1	2	3
t1			2.385				0.858
t2							
t3	0.880		0.704		0.628		0.253
t4				→			
t5		0.477				0.412	
t6	0.528		1.232		0.377		0.443
t7		1.056	0.176			0.911	0.063
t8	0.954				0.681		
length	1.402	1.159	2.781				

3. Compute rank order using vector space method for UNWEIGHTED query t2 t7

		W'_{ij}			
		query	1	2	3
t1					0.858
t2	1				
t3			0.628		0.253
t4					
t5				0.412	
t6			0.377		0.443
t7	1			0.911	0.063
t8			0.681		
Similarity score			0	0.911	0.063

Rank order: Doc 2, Doc 3, Doc 1

4. Compute rank order for WEIGHTED query t2(7) t7

		W'_{ij}			
		query	1	2	3
t1					0.858
t2	7				
t3			0.628		0.253
t4					
t5				0.412	
t6			0.377		0.443
t7	1			0.911	0.063
t8			0.681		
Similarity score			0	0.911	0.063

Rank order: Doc 2, Doc 3, Doc 1

5. Doc 4 in the class example is missing here; the change has an overall impact on the IDF values, which leads to differences in W_{ij} , W'_{ij} , and hence document similarity scores.