



# Indices

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# Inverted Index

- Search
- Construction
- Compression

# Inverted Index

- In its simplest form, the inverted index of a document collection is basically a data structure that attaches each distinctive term with a list of all documents that contains the term.

$id_1$ : Web mining is useful.

1      2      3      4

$id_2$ : Usage mining applications.

1              2              3

$id_3$ : Web structure mining studies the Web hyperlink structure.

1      2              3      4      5      6      7              8

Applications:  $id_2$

Hyperlink:  $id_3$

Mining:  $id_1, id_2, id_3$

Structure:  $id_3$

Studies:  $id_3$

Usage:  $id_2$

Useful:  $id_1$

Web:  $id_1, id_3$

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Applications:  $\langle id_2, 1, [3] \rangle$

Hyperlink:  $\langle id_3, 1, [7] \rangle$

Mining:  $\langle id_1, 1, [2] \rangle, \langle id_2, 1, [2] \rangle, \langle id_3, 1, [3] \rangle$

Structure:  $\langle id_3, 2, [2, 8] \rangle$

Studies:  $\langle id_3, 1, [4] \rangle$

Usage:  $\langle id_2, 1, [1] \rangle$

Useful:  $\langle id_1, 1, [4] \rangle$

Web:  $\langle id_1, 1, [1] \rangle, \langle id_3, 2, [1, 6] \rangle$

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# Search Using an Inverted Index



# Step 1 – vocabulary search

finds each query term in the vocabulary

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If (Single term in query){
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    goto step3;
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}
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Else{
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```
    goto step2;
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}
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# Step 2 – results merging

- merging of the lists is performed to find their intersection
- use the shortest list as the base
- partial match is possible

# Step 3 – rank score computation

- based on a relevance function (e.g. okapi, cosine)
- score used in the final ranking

# Example

Applications:  $id_2$   
Hyperlink:  $id_3$   
Mining:  $id_1, id_2, id_3$   
Structure:  $id_3$   
Studies:  $id_3$   
Usage:  $id_2$   
Useful:  $id_1$   
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# Index Construction



# Time complexity

- $O(T)$ , where  $T$  is the number of all terms (including duplicates) in the document collection (after pre-processing)



# Index Compression





# Why?

- avoid disk I/O
- the size of an inverted index can be reduced dramatically
- the original index can also be reconstructed
- all the information is represented with positive integers -> integer compression

# Use gaps

- 4, 10, 300, and 305 -> 4, 6, 290 and 5
- Smaller numbers
- Large for rare terms – not a big problem

# All in one

Decimal	Unary	Elias Gamma	Elias Delta	Golomb ( $b = 3$ )	Golomb ( $b = 10$ )	Variable byte
1	1	1	1	1 10	1 001	0000001 0
2	01	0 10	0 100	1 11	1 010	0000010 0
3	001	0 11	0 101	01 0	1 011	0000011 0
4	0001	00 100	0 1100	01 10	1 100	0000100 0
5	00001	00 101	0 1101	01 11	1 101	0000101 0
6	000001	00 110	0 1110	001 0	1 1100	0000110 0
7	0000001	00 111	0 1111	001 10	1 1101	0000111 0
8	00000001	000 1000	00 100000	001 11	1 1110	0001000 0
9	000000001	000 1001	00 100001	0001 0	1 1111	0001001 0
10	0000000001	000 1010	00 100010	0001 10	01 000	0001010 0

# Unary

- For x:

X-1 bits of 0 and one of 1

e.g.

5 -> 00001

7 -> 0000001

# Elias Gamma Coding

- $1 + \lfloor \log_2 x \rfloor$  in unary (i.e.,  $\lfloor \log_2 x \rfloor$  0-bits followed by a 1-bit)
- followed by the binary representation of  $x$  without its most significant bit.
- efficient for small integers but is not suited to large integers
- $1 + \lfloor \log_2 x \rfloor$  is simply the number of bits of  $x$  in binary
- $9 \rightarrow 000\ 1001$

# Elias Delta Coding

- For small int longer than gamma codes (better for larger)
- gamma code representation of  $1 + \lfloor \log_2 x \rfloor$
- followed by the binary representation of  $x$  less the most significant bit
- Dla 9:

$$1 + \lfloor \log_2 9 \rfloor = 4 \rightarrow 00100$$

$$9 \rightarrow 00100\ 001$$

# Golomb Coding

- values relative to a constant  $b$
- several variations of the original Golomb
- E.g.  
 $q = \lfloor x/b \rfloor$

Remainder  $r = x - qb$  ( $b$  possible reminders e.g.  $b=3$ : 0,1,2)

binary representation of a remainder requires  $\lceil \log_2 b \rceil$  or  $\lfloor \log_2 b \rfloor$

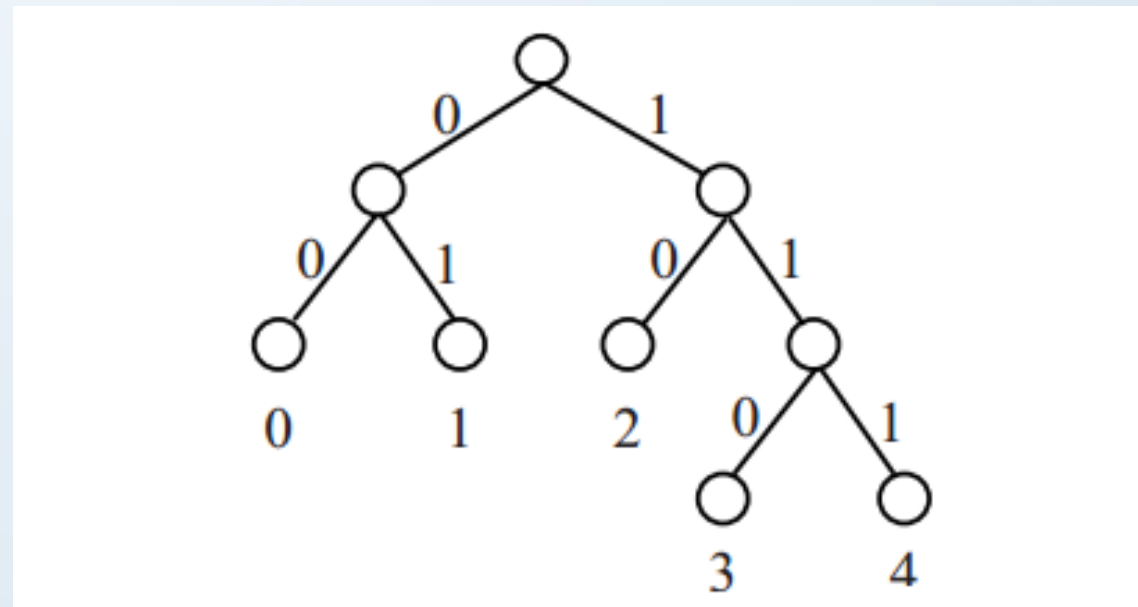
write the first few remainders using  $\lceil \log_2 b \rceil$  rest  $\lfloor \log_2 b \rfloor$

# Example

- $b=3$  and  $x=9$
- $q = \lfloor 9/3 \rfloor = 3$
- $i = \lfloor \log_2 3 \rfloor = 1 \Rightarrow d = 1$  ( $d = 2^{i+1} - b$ )
- $r = 9 - 3 * 3 = 0$
- Result 00010



# The coding tree for $b=5$



# Selection of $b$

- $b \approx 0.69 * \frac{N}{n_t}$
- $N$  – total number of documents
- $n_t$  – number of documents that contain term  $t$

# Variable-Byte Coding

- seven bits in each byte are used to code an integer
- last bit 0 – end, 1 – continue
- E.g. 135 -> 00000011 00001110

# Summary

- Golomb coding better than Elias
- Gamma coding does not work well
- Variable-byte integers are often faster than Variable-bit (higher storage costs)
- compression technique can allow retrieval to be up to twice as fast than without compression
- space requirement averages 20% – 25% of the cost of storing uncompressed integers

# Latent Semantic Indexing



# Reason

- many concepts or objects can be described in multiple ways
- find using synonyms of the words in the user query
- deal with this problem through the identification of statistical associations of terms

# Singular value decomposition (SVD)

- estimate latent structure, and to remove the “noise”
- hidden “concept” space, which associates syntactically different but semantically similar terms and documents

# LSI

- LSI starts with an  $m \times n$  termdocument matrix  $A$
- row = term; column = document
- value e.g. term frequency



# Singular Value Decomposition

- factor matrix  $A$  into three matrices:

$$A = UEV^T$$

$m$  is the number of row in  $A$

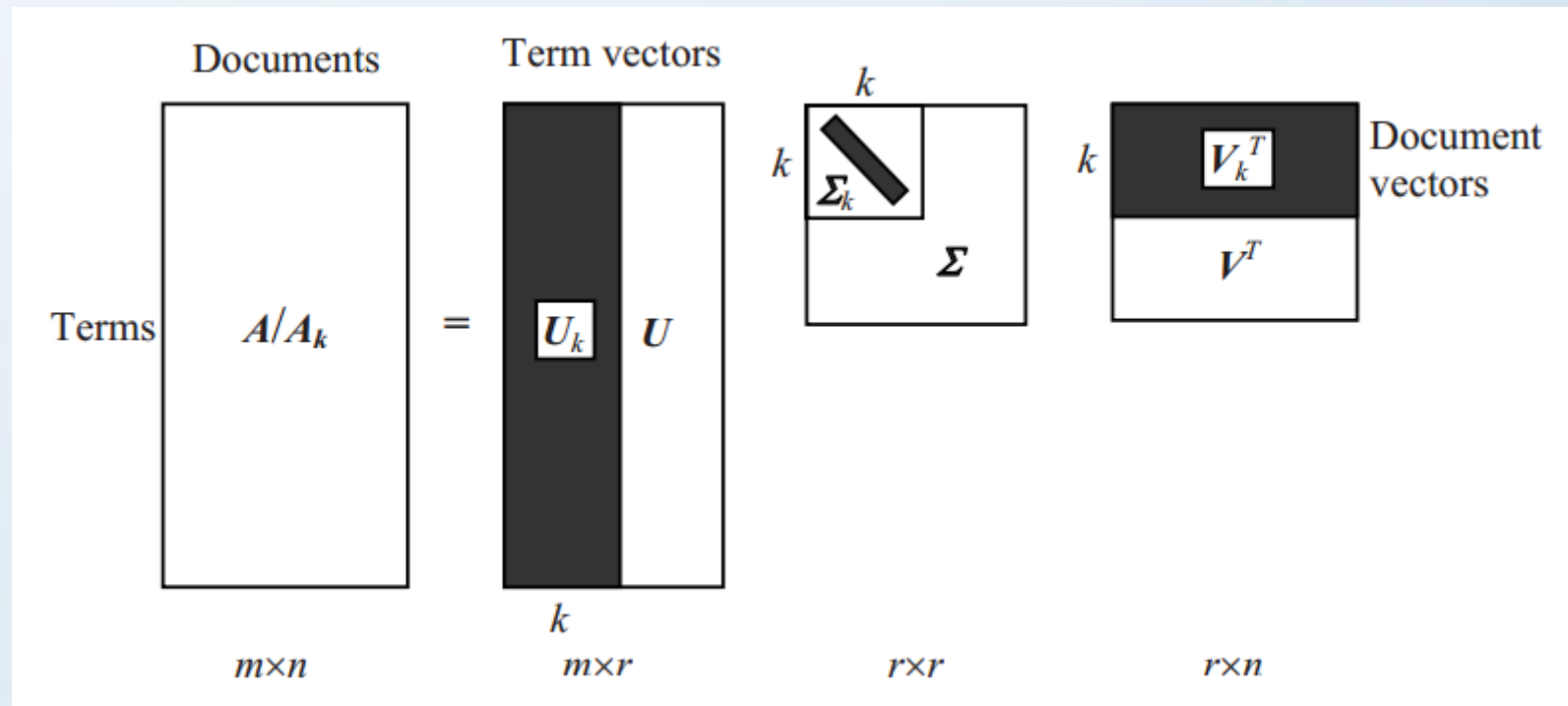
$n$  is the number of columns in  $A$

$r$  is the rank of  $A$ ,  $r \leq \min(m, n)$

# Singular Value Decomposition

- $U$  is a  $m * r$  matrix and its columns, called left singular vectors, are eigenvectors associated with the  $r$  non-zero eigenvalues of  $AA^T$
- $V$  is an  $n * r$  matrix and its columns, called right singular vectors, are eigenvectors associated with the  $r$  non-zero eigenvalues of  $A^T A$
- $E$  is a  $r * r$  diagonal matrix,  $E = \text{diag}(\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_r)$ ,  $\sigma_1 > 0$ .  $\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_r$ , called singular values, are the non-negative square roots of  $r$  non-zero eigenvalues of  $AA^T$  they are arranged in decreasing order, i.e.,  $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_r > 0$
- reduce the size of the matrices

$$A_k = U_k E_k V_k^T$$



# Query and Retrieval

- $q$  - user query (treated as a new document)
- document in the  $k$ -concept space, denoted by  $q_k$
- $q_k = q^T U_k E_k^{-1}$

# Example

- $c_1$ : Human machine interface for Lab ABC computer applications
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# Example

$$A = \begin{matrix} & c_1 & c_2 & c_3 & c_4 & c_5 & m_1 & m_2 & m_3 & m_4 \\ \left( \begin{array}{cccccccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right. & \begin{array}{l} \textit{human} \\ \textit{interface} \\ \textit{computer} \\ \textit{user} \\ \textit{system} \\ \textit{response} \\ \textit{time} \\ \textit{EPS} \\ \textit{survey} \\ \textit{trees} \\ \textit{graph} \\ \textit{minors} \end{array} \end{matrix}$$

# Example

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 0.22 & -0.11 & 0.29 & -0.41 & -0.11 & -0.34 & 0.52 & -0.06 & -0.41 \\ 0.20 & -0.07 & 0.14 & -0.55 & 0.28 & 0.50 & -0.07 & -0.01 & -0.11 \\ 0.24 & 0.04 & -0.16 & -0.59 & -0.11 & -0.25 & -0.30 & 0.06 & 0.49 \\ 0.40 & 0.06 & -0.34 & 0.10 & 0.33 & 0.38 & 0.00 & 0.00 & 0.01 \\ 0.64 & -0.17 & 0.36 & 0.33 & -0.16 & -0.21 & -0.17 & 0.03 & 0.27 \\ 0.27 & 0.11 & -0.43 & 0.07 & 0.08 & -0.17 & 0.28 & -0.02 & -0.05 \\ 0.27 & 0.11 & -0.43 & 0.07 & 0.08 & -0.17 & 0.28 & -0.02 & -0.05 \\ 0.30 & -0.14 & 0.33 & 0.19 & 0.11 & 0.27 & 0.03 & -0.02 & -0.17 \\ 0.21 & 0.27 & -0.18 & -0.03 & -0.54 & 0.08 & -0.47 & -0.04 & -0.58 \\ 0.01 & 0.49 & 0.23 & 0.03 & 0.59 & -0.39 & -0.29 & 0.25 & -0.23 \\ 0.04 & 0.62 & 0.22 & 0.00 & -0.07 & 0.11 & 0.16 & -0.68 & 0.23 \\ 0.03 & 0.45 & 0.14 & -0.01 & -0.30 & 0.28 & 0.34 & 0.68 & 0.18 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Example

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} 3.34 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2.54 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2.35 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.64 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.50 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.31 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.85 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.56 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.36 \end{pmatrix}$$



# Example

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} 0.20 & -0.06 & 0.11 & -0.95 & 0.05 & -0.08 & 0.18 & -0.01 & -0.06 \\ 0.61 & 0.17 & -0.50 & -0.03 & -0.21 & -0.26 & -0.43 & 0.05 & 0.24 \\ 0.46 & -0.13 & 0.21 & 0.04 & 0.38 & 0.72 & -0.24 & 0.01 & 0.02 \\ 0.54 & -0.23 & 0.57 & 0.27 & -0.21 & -0.37 & 0.26 & -0.02 & -0.08 \\ 0.28 & 0.11 & -0.51 & 0.15 & 0.33 & 0.03 & 0.67 & -0.06 & -0.26 \\ 0.00 & 0.19 & 0.10 & 0.02 & 0.39 & -0.30 & -0.34 & 0.45 & -0.62 \\ 0.01 & 0.44 & 0.19 & 0.02 & 0.35 & -0.21 & -0.15 & -0.76 & 0.02 \\ 0.02 & 0.62 & 0.25 & 0.01 & 0.15 & 0.00 & 0.25 & 0.45 & 0.52 \\ 0.08 & 0.53 & 0.08 & -0.03 & -0.60 & 0.36 & 0.04 & -0.07 & -0.45 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Example

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# Example

q - "user interface"

$$\mathbf{q}_k = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} 0.22 & -0.11 \\ 0.20 & -0.07 \\ 0.24 & 0.04 \\ 0.40 & 0.06 \\ 0.64 & -0.17 \\ 0.27 & 0.11 \\ 0.27 & 0.11 \\ 0.30 & -0.14 \\ 0.21 & 0.27 \\ 0.01 & 0.49 \\ 0.04 & 0.62 \\ 0.03 & 0.45 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 3.34 & 0 \\ 0 & 2.54 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = (0.179 \quad -0.004)$$

# Example

$c_1$ : 0.964  
 $c_2$ : 0.957  
 $c_3$ : 0.968  
 $c_4$ : 0.928  
 $c_5$ : 0.922

$m_1$ : -0.022  
 $m_2$ : 0.023  
 $m_3$ : 0.010  
 $m_4$ : 0.127

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# Summary

- The original paper of LSI suggests 50–350 dimensions.
- $k$  needs to be determined based on the specific document collection
- association rules may be able to approximate the results of LSI