

The OldDog Docker Image for OSIRRC at SIGIR 2019

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Overview

Document representation in a column store relational database

Premise:

- Express ranking function as SQL queries
- Easy comparison of different ranking functions



The column store relational database

Represent the data in a column store database

I put on my shoes after I put on my socks.

termid	term	df	termid	docid	count
1	put	2	1	1	2
2	shoes	1	2	1	1
3	after	1	3	1	1
4	socks	1	4	1	1

Table: *dict*

Table: *terms*

collection_id	id	len
doc1	1	5

Table: *docs*



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  GROUP BY docid HAVING COUNT(distinct termid) = 3)
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SELECT scores.collection_id , score
FROM (SELECT collection_id , SUM(subscore) AS score
  FROM subscores
  GROUP BY collection_id ) AS scores
JOIN docs ON scores.collection_id =docs.collection_id
ORDER BY score DESC;
```



Results

Effectiveness scores

	Robust04		Core18	
	MAP	P@30	MAP	P@30
<i>Conjunctive</i> BM25	0.1736	0.2526	0.1802	0.3167
<i>Disjunctive</i> BM25	0.2434	0.2985	0.2381	0.3313



Conclusion

- Effectiveness scores difference between conjunctive and disjunctive is more than expected
 - Robust MAP: 0.070 | -28.64%
 - Robust P@30: 0.046 | -15.04%
 - Core18 MAP: 0.058 | -24.32%
 - Core18 P@30: 0.015 | -4.41%
- The jig framework helps 'version control'
 - Topic missing

