CS 5604 Assignment 1
Due: Tue. Feb. 19.

In this assignment, you will implement two simple information retrieval systems using Boolean and Vector models, respectively. You may use a full text indexing method with some stopwords such as in, for, as ..... removed. A simple stemming algorithm should be applied to merge words such as stops and stopped, apple and apples, .... For the vector model, you may use the following the weighting scheme discussed in the text book.

I will provide the data for you to test your systems. Turn in the assignment with your program and a one or two page report with a description of your systems and results. You may be asked to give me a demo of your program.

I will discuss the assignment in more detail in class.