

End of Class

Introduction to Information Retrieval

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What we did

- The history of web search
 - Goto, Google, Yahoo, Bing
 - Web Search page layout
- The incentives and ad model in IR
 - Who uses search?
 - What is it for?
 - How is it funded?
- Scaling
 - WEB IR vs Class IR



What we did

- Ranking
- The web as a corpus
- The web as a graph
- The size of the web
- Web search user behavior
- Query variation
- SEO



What we did

- Crawling algorithm and architecture
 - Mercator
- Index construction
- Term-Document matrices
- Term-Document representation
- Latent Semantic Indexing
- MapReduce architecture
- Evaluation
- Recent advances in IR



What we did

- Went through the IR text book
- Read 7 papers
- Assignments
 - Text processing
 - Crawling
 - Posting lists *2
 - Hadoop
 - Query execution
- 4 quizzes



What we did

- The end (of lecture)

