## Run Description

The index is built from the combined title and abstract fields of the metadata file. Retrieval is performed by the SPUD model (Cummins et al., A polya urn document language model for improved information retrieval. ACM TOIS 33, 4, Article 21 (2015), p.1-34.), on long queries consisting of the combined Query, Question and Narrative. Document-based retrieval with pseudo-relevance feedback is employed. The method applied in this run is the same as our submission HKPU-SPUD-pPRF in Round 4, with the exception that document-based retrieval is used in this run (HKPU-SPUD-dPRF), while passage-based retrieval is used for the previous HKPU-SPUD-pPRF. The difference between document-based and passage-based retrieval in the current task is expected to be not significant, as the documents mainly consist of short texts containing the title and the abstract.

| Summary Statistics |  |
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| Run ID | HKPU-SPUD-dPRF |
| Topic type | automatic |
| Contributed to judgment sets? | yes |


| Overall measures |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Number of topics | 50 |
| Total number retrieved | 49900 |
| Total relevant | 10910 |
| Total relevant retrieved | 6702 |
| MAP | 0.2973 |
| Mean Bpref | 0.4883 |
| Mean NDCG@20 | 0.6448 |
| Mean RBP $(\mathrm{p}=0.5)$ | $0.7013+0.0007$ |


| Document Level Averages |  |
| :--- | :---: |
|  | Precision |
| At 5 docs | 0.8040 |
| At 10 docs | 0.7540 |
| At 15 docs | 0.7173 |
| At 20 docs | 0.6890 |
| At 30 docs | 0.6440 |
| R-Precision |  |
| Exact |  |



Per-topic difference from median bpref for all Round 4 runs

Per-topic difference from median NDCG@20 for all Round 4 runs

## Round 5 results - Run HKPU-SPUD-dPRF submitted from HKPU




