

$$\text{sim}(q, d) := \frac{q}{\|q\|} \cdot \frac{d}{a\|d\| + (1-a)\text{piv}},$$

$0 < a < 1$; *piv* determined empirically*

$$\approx \frac{q}{\|q\|} \cdot \frac{d}{au_d + (1-a)\text{piv}},$$

u_d is # unique terms in d