

AnalysisParalysis

Why can't I find words that I "know" I indexed?

First, analyze your analyzer. AnalysisDemo code in this <http://today.java.net/pub/a/today/2003/07/30/LuceneIntro.html> article provides insight into the tokens generated from analyzers, and the subsequent terms in the index.

If [QueryParser](#) is in the equation, use the `.toString` method of the generated Query instance to see what it did to the entered expression.

Generally the combination of understanding the analyzer and the results of [QueryParser](#) tell the entire story.

Try using Luke to browse your index: <http://www.getopt.org/luke/>