Case Study: Web Scrapping

Background

- 1. Provided to you is set of instructions for web scraping and data pre-processing.
- 2. Git hub repository for version control, code submission and pertaining resources.

Resources

1. Click here to access GIT repository.

Key Deliverables

- 1. Scrape Wikipedia's Billboard pages from 1992 to 2022. There are some hints provided in the Jupyter notebook for optimization and incorporating best practices.
- 2. Parse the HTML retrieved via response call to extract ranking, song, and artist information.
- 3. Construct a Data Frame from parsed data and convert columns to their correct data types if needed.
- 4. Store this Data Frame in csv or pickle format so that you can use it for tasks ahead. Push this data to a Google Drive
- 5. Perform Exploratory Data Analysis and answer the following questions:
 - a. What has been the trajectory of various genres in the popular zeitgeist?
 - b. What are the 30 most popular genres?
 - c. How has the popularity of these 30 genres changed with time?
 - d. Create a subframe of the ranking and year for each genre.
 - e. Use Group by () function to group by year to create a Data Frame that contains the rankings of every song from that genre each year.
 - f. Who are the highest quality singers?
 - g. Who are the most occurring artists in Billboard's Top 100 list?
 - h. Count the number of times a singer appears in the top 100 over a certain period. Consider an artist appearing twice in a year as two appearances.
 - i. Plot a bar chart of the artists who have occurred at least more than 15 times in the given time frame.
 - j. What is the age at which singers achieve their top ranking?
 - k. Plot a histogram of the age at which artists reach their top ranking.
 - I. At what year since inception do bands reach their top rankings?
 - m. Plot a histogram of the years since inception at which bands reach their top ranking.
- 6. Connect this data, without making it public, to PowerBI or Tableau and create a basic report using visualization to answer the questions asked above.

Please share your output in a google drive and provide the editor level access to the designated folder.