# AutoRec: Autoencoders Meet Collaborative Filtering

# Collaborative Deep Learning for Recommender Systems

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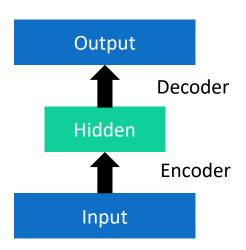
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## Background

#### Autoencoder



**Unsupervised** approach for learning a lower-dimensional feature representation from unlabeled training data

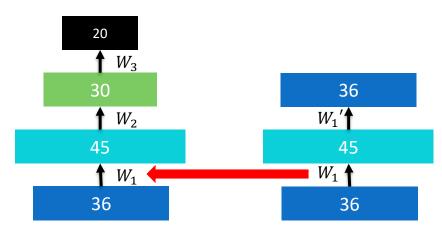
Input and output have **same** dimensions
Hidden layer has **smaller** dimensions
-> capture dense, meaningful factors (dimensionality reduction)

Train such that features can be used to **reconstruct** original data

## **Background**

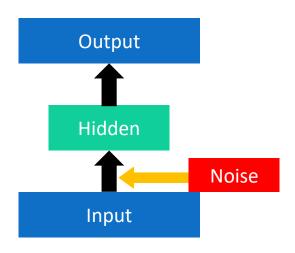
## Stacked / Denoising Autoencoder

#### Stacked Autoencoder



- Autoencoder with multiple hidden layers
- learn weights sequentially using Autoencoder
- use for initializing weights

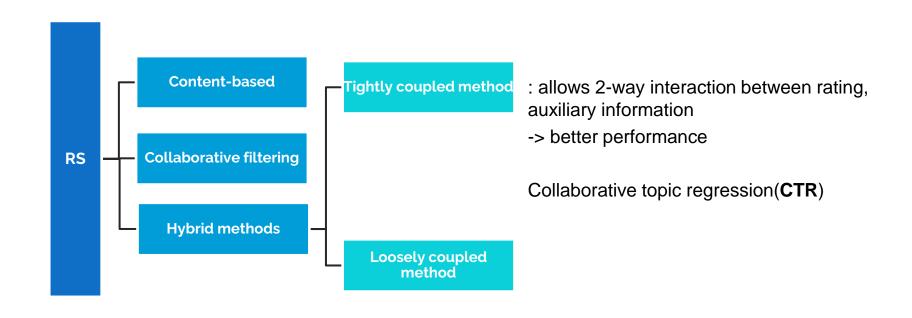
#### **Denoising Autoencoder**



- add noise to input data
- minimize error between clear data and corrupted data

## **Background**

## Recommender Systems



## Introduction

## Deep Learning with Collaborative Filtering

#### Collaborative Filtering

CTR: interaction between content and ratings performance degrades when auxiliary information is sparse

#### Deep Learning models

strength: learning features automatically

weakness: learning similarity and implicit relationship between items

Integrate deep learning with CF

## Introduction

#### **About Model**

#### **AutoRec**

apply Autoencoder framework to collaborative filtering method

#### **CDL**

probabilistic collaborative filtering method based on SDAE

Jointly performs representation learning and collaborative filtering

## Introduction

#### Contributions

#### AutoRec

representational & computational advantages, performance improvement

#### **CDL**

Extract effective feature representations & capture similarity, implicit relationship simultaneously

A new probabilistic model for deep learning

1st hierarchical Bayesian model: bridge the gap between RS and state-of-the-art deep learning models

Significantly advance the state of the art

#### AutoRec

#### Goal

design item-based autoencoder to predict missing ratings

Solve 
$$\min_{\theta} \sum_{r \in S} ||r - h(r; \theta)||_2^2$$
 where  $h(r; \theta) = f(W \cdot g(Vr + \mu) + b)$ 

#### **Notation**

```
m users, n ratings R \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}: user-item rating matrix \mathbf{r}^{(u)} = (R_{u1}, \cdots, R_{un}) \in \mathbb{R}^n: user vector \mathbf{r}^{(i)} = (R_{1i}, \cdots, R_{mi}) \in \mathbb{R}^m: item vector \mathbf{W} \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times k}, \mathbf{V} \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times d}: transformations of encoder, decoder \mathbf{\mu} \in \mathbb{R}^k, \mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^d: biases of encoder, decoder f(\cdot), g(\cdot): activation functions k: dimension of single hidden layer
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#### AutoRec

For all items, networks share parameters

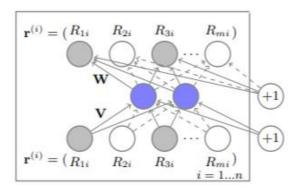
#### Training

- 1. Update parameters only for observed inputs
- 2. Regularize parameters to prevent overfitting

Objective: 
$$\min_{\theta} \sum_{i=1}^{n} || \mathbf{r}^{(i)} - h(\mathbf{r}^{(i)}; \theta) ||_{0}^{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2} \cdot (|| \mathbf{W} ||_{F}^{2} + || \mathbf{V} ||_{F}^{2})$$

I-AutoRec requires 2mk + m + k parameters

predicted rating for user u and item i: 
$$\widehat{R_{ui}} = (h(\mathbf{r}^{(i)}; \widehat{\theta}))_u$$



## Comparison

AutoRec	RBM-CF
discriminative model (Autoencoder based)	probabilistic model (RBM based)
minimize RMSE directly	estimate parameters by MLE
gradient-based backpropagation	contrastive divergence
Fewer parameters	More parameters
Embed users <b>or</b> items	Embed <b>both</b> users and items
Nonlinear latent representations are possible	Only linear latent representations

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#### CDL

#### **Problem Definition**

Given observed ratings and content information, predict missing ratings

#### **Notation**

I users, J items, vocabulary size of S

*L*: number of layers

 $\mathbf{R} = [R_{ij}]_{I \times I}$ : rating matrix

 $X_c$ : content information (size: J×S),  $X_0$ : noise-corrupted matrix (size: J×S)

 $X_l$ : output of layer l of SDAE (size:  $J \times K_1$ )

 $\boldsymbol{W}_{l}, \boldsymbol{b}_{l}$ : weight matrix, bias vector of layer l

W<sup>+</sup>: collection of all layers of weight matrices, biases

### **Stacked Denoising Autoencoders**

Given corrupted data  $X_0$ , predict clear input  $X_c$ 

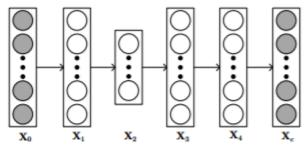


Figure 2: A 2-layer SDAE with L=4.

#### Solve optimization problem

$$\min_{\{\mathbf{W}_l\},\{\mathbf{b}_l\}} \|\mathbf{X}_c - \mathbf{X}_L\|_F^2 + \lambda \sum_l \|\mathbf{W}_l\|_F^2$$

where  $\lambda$ : regularization parameter,  $||\cdot||_F$ : Frobenius norm

### Generalized Bayesian SDAE

Assume  $X_0$  and  $X_c$  are observed

#### **Procedures**

1. For each layer *l* of SDAE,

$$W_{l,*n} \sim N(\mathbf{0}, \lambda_{\omega}^{-1} I_{K_l})$$

$$\boldsymbol{b}_l \sim N(\boldsymbol{0}, \lambda_{\omega}^{-1} \boldsymbol{I}_{K_l})$$

$$X_{l,j*} \sim N(\sigma(X_{l-1,j*}W_l + b_l), \lambda_s^{-1}I_{K_l})$$

2. For each item j,  $X_{c,j*} \sim N(X_{L,j*}, \lambda_n^{-1} I_J)$ 

If  $\lambda_s \to \infty$ , model degenerates to SDAE

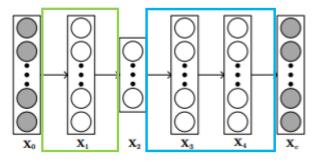


Figure 2: A 2-layer SDAE with L=4.

: first L/2 layers act as encoder

: last L/2 layers act as decoder

Maximize posterior probability <->
Minimize reconstruction error with weight decay

## Collaborative Deep Learning

#### **Procedures**

1. For each layer l of SDAE,

$$\boldsymbol{W}_{l,*n} \sim N(\boldsymbol{0}, \lambda_{\omega}^{-1} \boldsymbol{I}_{K_l})$$

$$\boldsymbol{b}_l \sim N(\boldsymbol{0}, \lambda_{\omega}^{-1} \boldsymbol{I}_{K_l})$$

$$X_{l,j*} \sim N(\sigma(X_{l-1,j*}W_l + \boldsymbol{b}_l), \lambda_s^{-1}I_{K_l})$$

- 2. For each item j,  $X_{c,j*} \sim N(X_{L,j*}, \lambda_n^{-1}I_J)$
- 3. Generate latent vector for item j:

$$\epsilon_j \sim N(\mathbf{0}, \lambda_v^{-1} \mathbf{I}_K) (\epsilon_j)$$
: offset vector)

$$\boldsymbol{v}_j = \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_j + \boldsymbol{X}_{\frac{L}{2},j*}^T$$

4. Generate latent vector for user i:

$$\boldsymbol{u}_i \sim N(\boldsymbol{0}, \lambda_u^{-1} \boldsymbol{I}_K)$$

5. Generate rating for user-item pair (i,j):

$$\boldsymbol{R}_{ij} \sim N(\boldsymbol{u}_i^T \boldsymbol{v}_j, \boldsymbol{C}_{ij}^{-1})$$

-> Using Bayesian SDAE as a component

**Notation** 

$$C_{ij} = \begin{cases} a, & R_{ij} = 1 \\ b, & R_{ij} = 0 \end{cases}$$

 $\lambda_w$ ,  $\lambda_n$ ,  $\lambda_u$ ,  $\lambda_s$ ,  $\lambda_v$ : hyperparameters which control **variances** 

 $X_{L/2}$ : bridge between ratings and content information

For computational efficiency, take  $\lambda_s \rightarrow \infty$ 

#### MAP estimates

Maximize joint log-likelihood of  $U, V, \{X_l\}, X_c, W^+, R$ 

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L} &= -\frac{\lambda_{u}}{2} \sum_{i} \|\mathbf{u}_{i}\|_{2}^{2} - \frac{\lambda_{w}}{2} \sum_{l} (\|\mathbf{W}_{l}\|_{F}^{2} + \|\mathbf{b}_{l}\|_{2}^{2}) \\ &- \frac{\lambda_{v}}{2} \sum_{j} \|\mathbf{v}_{j} - \mathbf{X}_{\frac{L}{2},j*}^{T}\|_{2}^{2} - \frac{\lambda_{n}}{2} \sum_{j} \|\mathbf{X}_{L,j*} - \mathbf{X}_{c,j*}\|_{2}^{2} \\ &- \frac{\lambda_{s}}{2} \sum_{l} \sum_{j} \|\sigma(\mathbf{X}_{l-1,j*}\mathbf{W}_{l} + \mathbf{b}_{l}) - \mathbf{X}_{l,j*}\|_{2}^{2} \\ &- \sum_{i,j} \frac{\mathbf{C}_{ij}}{2} (\mathbf{R}_{ij} - \mathbf{u}_{i}^{T} \mathbf{v}_{j})^{2}. \end{split}$$

If 
$$\lambda_s \to \infty$$
,

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{\lambda_{u}}{2} \sum_{i} \|\mathbf{u}_{i}\|_{2}^{2} - \frac{\lambda_{w}}{2} \sum_{l} (\|\mathbf{W}_{l}\|_{F}^{2} + \|\mathbf{b}_{l}\|_{2}^{2})$$

$$-\frac{\lambda_{v}}{2} \sum_{j} \|\mathbf{v}_{j} - f_{e}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+})^{T}\|_{2}^{2}$$

$$-\frac{\lambda_{n}}{2} \sum_{j} \|f_{r}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+}) - \mathbf{X}_{c,j*}\|_{2}^{2}$$

$$-\sum_{j} \frac{\mathbf{C}_{ij}}{2} (\mathbf{R}_{ij} - \mathbf{u}_{i}^{T} \mathbf{v}_{j})^{2},$$

$$(4)$$

#### **Notation**

 $f_e(\cdot, W^+)$ : computes encoding of item

 $f_r(\cdot, \mathbf{W}^+)$ :  $f_e$ + reconstructed content vector of item

#### Explanation

1: regularization for u,  $W^+$ 

2: optimize v

3: minimize reconstruction error

4: error of predicted ratings

#### MAP estimates & Prediction

#### **Update rules**

$$\mathbf{u}_{i} \leftarrow (\mathbf{V}\mathbf{C}_{i}\mathbf{V}^{T} + \lambda_{u}\mathbf{I}_{K})^{-1}\mathbf{V}\mathbf{C}_{i}\mathbf{R}_{i}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{j} \leftarrow (\mathbf{U}\mathbf{C}_{j}\mathbf{U}^{T} + \lambda_{v}\mathbf{I}_{K})^{-1}(\mathbf{U}\mathbf{C}_{j}\mathbf{R}_{j} + \lambda_{v}f_{e}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+})^{T})$$

Learning weights, biases using back-propagation

#### Gradients of likelihood

$$\nabla \mathbf{w}_{l} \mathcal{L} = -\lambda_{w} \mathbf{W}_{l}$$

$$-\lambda_{v} \sum_{j} \nabla \mathbf{w}_{l} f_{e}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+})^{T} (f_{e}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+})^{T} - \mathbf{v}_{j})$$

$$-\lambda_{n} \sum_{j} \nabla \mathbf{w}_{l} f_{r}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+}) (f_{r}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+}) - \mathbf{X}_{c,j*})$$

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{b}_{v}} \mathcal{L} = -\lambda_{w} \mathbf{b}_{l}$$

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$$-\lambda_{n} \sum_{j} \nabla_{\mathbf{b}_{l}} f_{r}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+}) (f_{r}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+}) - \mathbf{X}_{c,j*}).$$

#### Prediction

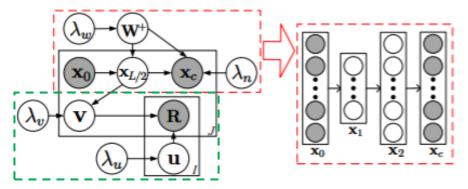
D: observed test data

$$E[\mathbf{R}_{ij}|D] \approx E[\mathbf{u}_i|D]^T (E[f_e(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^+)^T|D] + E[\epsilon_j|D])$$

Approximation of predicted rating:

$$\mathbf{R}_{ij}^* \approx (\mathbf{u}_j^*)^T (f_e(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+*})^T + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_j^*) = (\mathbf{u}_i^*)^T \mathbf{v}_j^*.$$

## **Graphical Model**

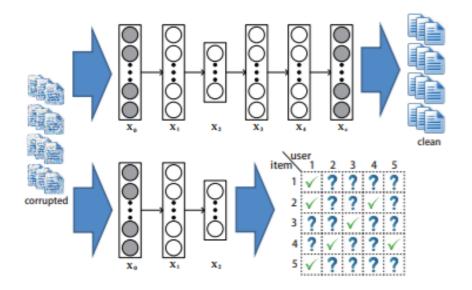


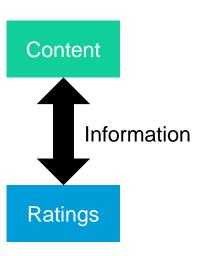
Feature learning component (SDAE)

Collaborative filtering component (CTR)

Learn latent representations using **both** components

## Degenerated CDL





Representation learning <-> Recommendation

CDL

#### AutoRec

#### **Experiment Setup**

- Baselines: RBM-CF, BiasedMF, LLORMA
- Use Movielens (1M, 10M), Netflix datasets
- default rating of 3 for test users/items without training observations
- 90%-10% train-test sets, hold out 10% of train data for validation
- Repeat 5 times, report average RMSE
- 95% C.I. for RMSE can't exceed 0.003
- Regularization strength(λ) ranges 0.001 to 1000
- Latent dimension(*k*) ranges 10 to 500

AutoRec

#### Results

	ML-1M	ML-10M
U-RBM	0.881	0.823
I-RBM	0.854	0.825
U-AutoRec	0.874	0.867
I-AutoRec	0.831	0.782
	(a)	

$f(\cdot)$	$g(\cdot)$	RMSE
Identity	Identity	0.872
Sigmoid	Identity	0.852
Identity	Sigmoid	0.831
Sigmoid	Sigmoid	0.836
	(b)	

Q1. Which is better, item- or user-based autoencoding with RBMS or AutoRec?

avg(ratings per item) > avg(ratings per user) -> **low variance** of ratings I-AutoRec performs best

Q2. How does AutoRec performance vary with linear and nonlinear activation functions?

$$h(\mathbf{r};\theta) = f(\mathbf{W} \cdot g(\mathbf{V}\mathbf{r} + \boldsymbol{\mu}) + \boldsymbol{b})$$

**Nonlinearity** in the **hidden** layer  $(g(\cdot))$  is critical  $f(\cdot)$ : identity,  $g(\cdot)$ : sigmoid shows best performance -> used for all other experiments

#### Results

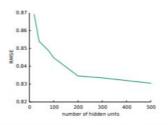


Figure 2: RMSE of I-AutoRec on Movielens 1M as the number of hidden units k varies.

	ML-1M	ML-10M	Netflix
BiasedMF	0.845	0.803	0.844
I-RBM	0.854	0.825	-
U-RBM	0.881	0.823	0.845
LLORMA	0.833	0.782	0.834
I-AutoRec	0.831	0.782	0.823

Q3. How does performance of AutoRec vary with the number of hidden unit?

Performance increases with more hidden units Use k = 500 for all other experiments

Q4. How does AutoRec perform against all baselines?

AutoRec performs best in most experiments

Q5. Do deep extensions of AutoRec help?

Using 3 hidden layers, RMSE reduces from 0.831 to 0.827 **potential** for further improvement

#### **Datasets**

CiteULike

allows users to create their own collections of articles

citeulike-t is relatively sparse than citeulike-a

#### **Netflix**

- movie rating dataset

Choose top S discriminative words by tf-idf values (S: 8000, 20000, 20000)

Datasets	users	items	ratings
citeulike-a	5551	16980	204987
citeulike-t	7947	25975	134860
Netflix	407261	9228	15348808

### Experiment setup

Randomly select P items associated with each user P=1: sparse, P=10: dense

#### **Evaluation metrics**

$$recall@M = \frac{\text{number of items that the user likes among the top M}}{\text{total number of items that the user likes}}$$

$$\mathbf{mAP} = \frac{\sum_{q=1}^{Q} AveP(q)}{Q} \left( AveP = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{n} P(k) \times rel(k)}{number\ of\ relevant\ documents} \right)$$

#### **Baselines**

**CMF** 

**SVDFeature** 

DeepMusic

**CTR** 

#### **Model Settings**

Masking noise level: 0.3

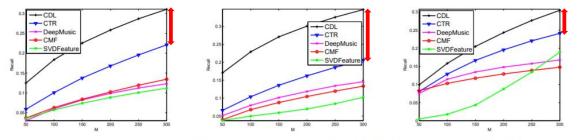
Dropout rate: 0.1 (when L > 2)

$$a = 1, b = 0.01$$

$$K_L = 200$$

$$K = 50$$

## **Quantitative Comparison**



Comparing CDL with CTR, results show **significant** performance boost for all experiments

Figure 4: Performance comparison of CDL, CTR, DeepMusic, CMF, and SVDFeature based on recall@M for datasets citeulike-a, citeulike-t, and Netflix in the sparse setting. A 2-layer CDL is used.

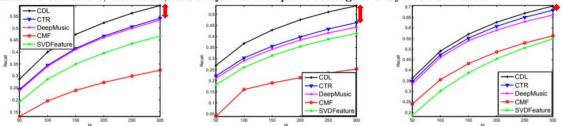


Figure 5: Performance comparison of CDL, CTR, DeepMusic, CMF, and SVDFeature based on recall@M for datasets citeulike-a, citeulike-t, and Netflix in the dense setting. A 2-layer CDL is used.

## **Quantitative Comparison**

Table 1: mAP for three datasets

	citeulike-a	citeulike-t	Netflix
CDL	0.0514	0.0453	0.0312
CTR	0.0236	0.0175	0.0223
DeepMusic	0.0159	0.0118	0.0167
CMF	0.0164	0.0104	0.0158
SVDFeature	0.0152	0.0103	0.0187

mAP in sparse settings

Table 2: Recall@300 in the sparse setting (%)

#layers	1	2	3
citeulike-a	27.89	31.06	30.70
citeulike-t	32.58	34.67	35.48
Netflix	29.20	30.50	31.01

Table 3: Recall@300 in the dense setting (%)

#layers	1	2	3
citeulike-a	58.35	59.43	59.31
citeulike-t	52.68	53.81	54.48
Netflix	69.26	70.40	70.42

CDL shows best performance, especially effective for sparse datasets

Deeper model performs better (beware of overfitting issues)

## **Quantitative Comparison**

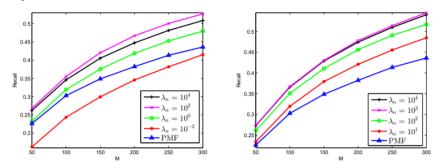


Figure 6: Performance of CDL based on recall@M for different values of  $\lambda_n$  on *citeulike-t*. The left plot is for L=2 and the right one is for L=6.

Extreme values of  $\lambda_n$  degrade performance

 $\lambda_n$  is extremely large : model degenerates to SDAE, CTR -> no interaction

 $\lambda_n$  is extremely small : decoder vanishes -> encoder easily overfits the latent item vectors

## **Qualitative Comparison**

Table 4: Interpretability of the latent structures learned

	user I (CDL)	in user's lib
	<ol> <li>search, image, query, images, queries, tagging, index, tags, searching, tag</li> </ol>	
top 3 topics	<ol><li>social, online, internet, communities, sharing, networking, facebook, friends, ties, participation</li></ol>	
	<ol><li>collaborative, optimization, filtering, recommendation, contextual, planning, items, preferences</li></ol>	
	1. The structure of collaborative tagging Systems	yes
	2. Usage patterns of collaborative tagging systems	yes
	3. Folksonomy as a complex network	no
	4. HT06, tagging paper, taxonomy, Flickr, academic article, to read	yes
10 111	5. Why do tagging systems work	yes
top 10 articles	6. Information retrieval in folksonomies: search and ranking	no
	7. tagging, communities, vocabulary, evolution	yes
	8. The complex dynamics of collaborative tagging	yes
	9. Improved annotation of the blogosphere via autotagging and hierarchical clustering	no
	10. Collaborative tagging as a tripartite network	yes
	user I (CTR)	in user's lib
	1. social, online, internet, communities, sharing, networking, facebook, friends, ties, participation	in user s no
top 3 topics	2. search, image, query, images, queries, tagging, index, tags, searching, tag	
top a topics	2. search, image, query, images, queries, tagging, index, tags, searching, tag 3. feedback, event, transformation, wikipedia, indicators, vitamin, log, indirect, taxonomy	
	1. HT06, tagging paper, taxonomy, Flickr, academic article, to read	yes
	2. Structure and evolution of online social networks	no
	<ol> <li>Group formation in large social networks: membership, growth, and evolution</li> </ol>	no
	4. Measurement and analysis of online social networks	no
top 10 articles	5. A face(book) in the crowd: social searching vs. social browsing	no
	6. The strength of weak ties	no
	7. Flickr tag recommendation based on collective knowledge	no
	8. The computer-mediated communication network	no
	<ol><li>Social capital, self-esteem, and use of online social network sites: A longitudinal analysis</li></ol>	no
	<ol> <li>Increasing participation in online communities: A framework for human-computer interaction</li> </ol>	no
	user II (CDL)	in user's lib
	1. flow, cloud, codes, matter, boundary, lattice, particles, galaxies, fluid, galaxy	
top 3 topics	<ol><li>mobile, membrane, wireless, sensor, mobility, lipid, traffic, infrastructure, monitoring, ad</li></ol>	
	3. hybrid, orientation, stress, fluctuations, load, temperature, centrality, mechanical, two-dimensional, heat	
	1. Modeling the flow of dense suspensions of deformable particles in three dimensions	yes
	2. Simplified particulate model for coarse-grained hemodynamics simulations	yes
	3. Lattice Boltzmann simulations of blood flow: non-newtonian rheology and clotting processes	yes
	4. A genome-wide association study for celiac disease identifies risk variants	yes
	5. Efficient and accurate simulations of deformable particles	yes
top 10 articles	6. A multiscale model of thrombus development	yes
	7. Multiphase hemodynamic simulation of pulsatile flow in a coronary artery	yes
	8. Lattice Boltzmann modeling of thrombosis in giant aneurysms	yes
	9. A lattice Boltzmann simulation of clotting in stented aneursysms	yes
	10. Predicting dynamics and rheology of blood flow	yes
	user II (CTR)	in user's lib
	1. flow, cloud, codes, matter, boundary, lattice, particles, galaxies, fluid, galaxy	III date a ne
top 3 topics	2. transition, equations, dynamical, discrete, equation, dimensions, chaos, transitions, living, trust	
op a copies	3. mobile, membrane, wireless, sensor, mobility, lipid, traffic, infrastructure, monitoring, ad	
	1. Multiphase hemodynamic simulation of pulsatile flow in a coronary artery	1000
	2. The metallicity evolution of star-forming galaxies from redshift 0 to 3	yes
	3. Formation versus destruction: the evolution of the star cluster population in galaxy mergers	no
		100
	4. Clearing the gas from globular clusters	no
top 10 articles	5. Macroscopic effects of the spectral structure in turbulent flows	no
	6. The WiggleZ dark energy survey	no
	7. Lattice-Boltzmann simulation of blood flow in digitized vessel networks	no
	8. Global properties of 'ordinary' early-type galaxies	no
		no yes

Precision Comparison (P=1, sparse)

	CDL	CTR
User I	70%	10%
User II	100%	30%

CDL captures the key points of articles, user preferences more accurately (User I)

CDL can model the co-occurrence and relations of words better (User II)

CDL

## **Qualitative Comparison**

Table 5: Example user with recommended movies Movies in the training set: Moonstruck, True Romance, Johnny English, American Beauty, The User III Princess Bride, Top Gun, Double Platinum, Rising Sun, Dead Poets Society, Waiting for Guffman # training samples Swordfish Pulp Fiction Best in Snow A Fish Called Wanda A Clockwork Orange Chocolat Terminator 2 Being John Malkovich Good Will Hunting Monty Python and the Holy Grail A Clockwork Orange Raising Arizona Sling Blade Being John Malkovich Top 10 recommended Sling Blade movies by CTR Bridget Jones's Diary Swordfish Raising Arizona Raising Arizona A Fish Called Wanda The Graduate A Streetcar Named Desire Saving Grace Swordfish The Untouchables The Graduate Tootsie The Full Monty Monster's Ball Saving Private Rvan # training samples Pulp Fiction Good Will Hunting The Big Lebowski Best in Show Pulp Fiction The Usual Suspect The Big Lebowski A Few Good Men Kill Bill Top 10 recommended Raising Arizona Momento Monty Python and the Holy Grail movies by CDL The Big Chill The Big Lebowski Pulp Fiction Tootsie One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest | The Matrix Chocolat Sense and Sensibility As Good as It Gets Sling Blade Goodfellas The Usual Suspect Swinger The Matrix CaddyShack

Precision Comparison (P=10, dense)

	CDL	CTR
2 samples	30%	20%
4 samples	50%	20%
10 samples	90%	50%

CDL provides more accurate recommendation

### Complexity Analysis

#### **Notations**

 $u_i$ : latent user vector

 $v_i$ : latent item vector

K: dimension of learned representation

I, J: number of users, items

S: size of vocabulary

 $K_1$ : dimension of output in the 1<sup>st</sup> layer

complexity of updating  $u_i$ :  $O(K^2J + K^3)$ complexity of updating  $v_j$ :  $O(K^2I + K^3 + SK_1)$ complexity of updating all weights, biases:  $O(ISK_1)$ 

complexity of complete epoch:

$$O(K^2I^2 + K^2J^2 + K^3 + JSK_1)$$

#### **Update rules**

$$\mathbf{u}_{i} \leftarrow (\mathbf{V}\mathbf{C}_{i}\mathbf{V}^{T} + \lambda_{u}\mathbf{I}_{K})^{-1}\mathbf{V}\mathbf{C}_{i}\mathbf{R}_{i}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{j} \leftarrow (\mathbf{U}\mathbf{C}_{j}\mathbf{U}^{T} + \lambda_{v}\mathbf{I}_{K})^{-1}(\mathbf{U}\mathbf{C}_{j}\mathbf{R}_{j} + \lambda_{v}f_{e}(\mathbf{X}_{0,j*}, \mathbf{W}^{+})^{T})$$

## **Conclusions**

#### AutoRec

- apply Autoencoder for collaborative filtering
- efficient, effective model
- Nonlinear latent representations are available

#### CDL

- 1st hierarchical Bayesian model
- Bridge the gap between RS and state-of-the-art deep learning models
- Scalable model
- State-of-the-art performance by jointly performing representation learning and collaborative filtering

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## **THANK YOU**