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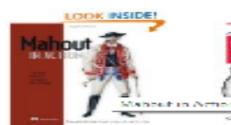
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Recommendation Techniques

Collaborative Filtering



User profile & logs



Community logs

Recommendation Engine



Recommendation List

Recommend items from **similar** user's tastes.

Recommendation Techniques

Content Based Filtering



User profile & logs

Title	C	ategory	genre	

Item features

Recommendation Engine



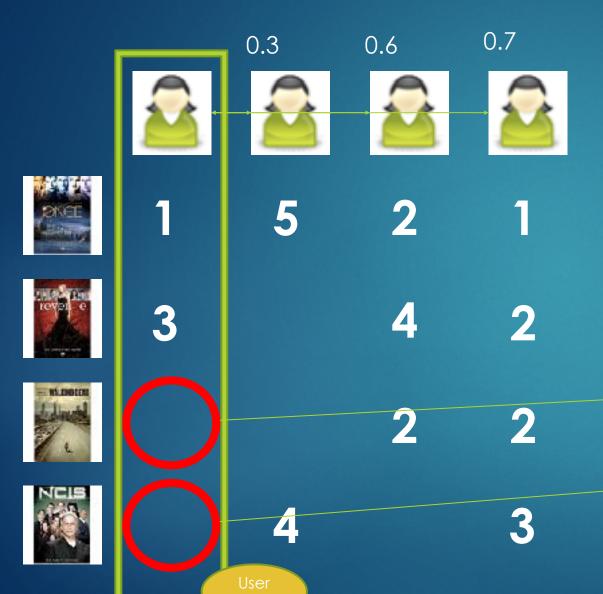
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Recommend items from user's past preferences.

Collaborative Filtering

- How to get User-Item rating matrix?
 - explicit user logs are available in Netflix site
 - implicit user logs are needed to be converted
- How to predict "How much does the user like the item?"
 - Rating x similarity
- How to calculate similarity among users?
 - Cosine, Pearson, Adjusted Cosine similarity

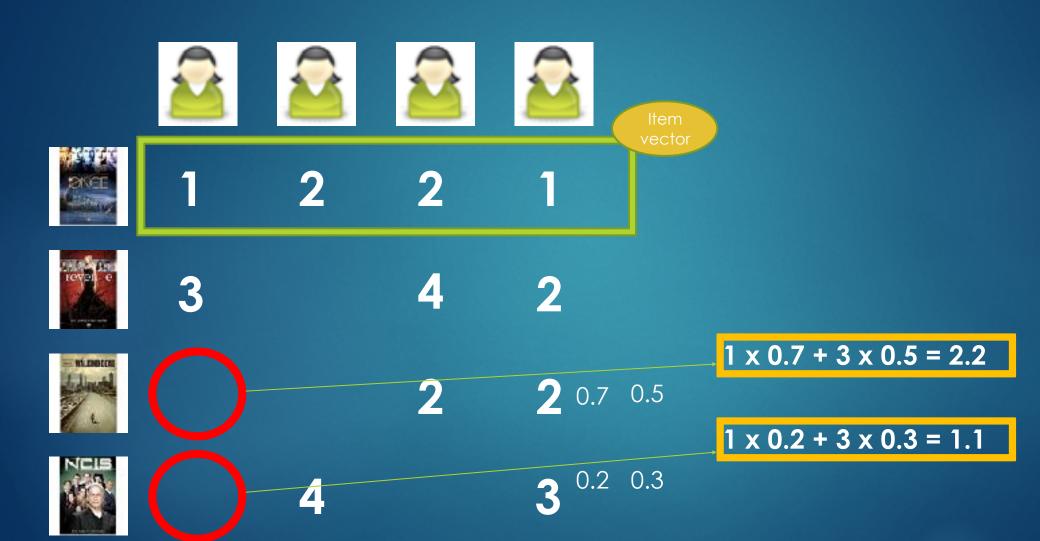
User based CF



$$2 \times 0.7 + 2 \times 0.6 + 0 \times 0.3 = 2.6$$

$$3 \times 0.7 + 0 \times 0.6 + 4 \times 0.3 = 3.3$$

Item based CF



Collaborative Filtering Issue

- Cold Start problem
- User-Rating Sparsity problem