

REPORT: Log files dataset analysis

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1. Introduction:

Report includes statistics of dataset which contains multiple log files from Egnyte Cloud Server. Each row of dataset is one performed action.

All calculations were made using Python and following modules and libraries:

- json – used for encoding JSON objects
- matplotlib – used for plotting
- os – used for interfacing with folders and files
- pandas – used for handling data, making calculations and statistics
- tarfile – used for unpacking archive

Report also contains results of basic dataset tests and conclusions.

2. Statistics

Basic information about dataset is shown below.

```
Simple row of file (transposed)
eventBody.action          ADD_FOLDER
eventBody.actionSource    PLC
eventBody.spaceUsed       0
eventBody.targetCreationTime  NaT
eventBody.targetFileChecksum  None
eventBody.targetPostedTime   NaN
eventBody.targetStorageType  None
eventBody.userId           3.29128e+10
eventHeader.eventCategory  FILE_SYSTEM_EVENT
eventHeader.eventId        df92188b-9857-42a7-8dd4-b2e3640e45da
eventHeader.timeStamp      2015-04-08 07:01:59.062000
eventHeader.userAgent      Egnyte/8.0.1 (PLC; 102946; en_ZZ; Mac; 13.4.0;...
eventHeader.workgroupID    1867ee32-2f10-43f9-a6a1-446f3fb433cf
```

Row of dataset (transposed for more clear view) is showing parameters and simple values.

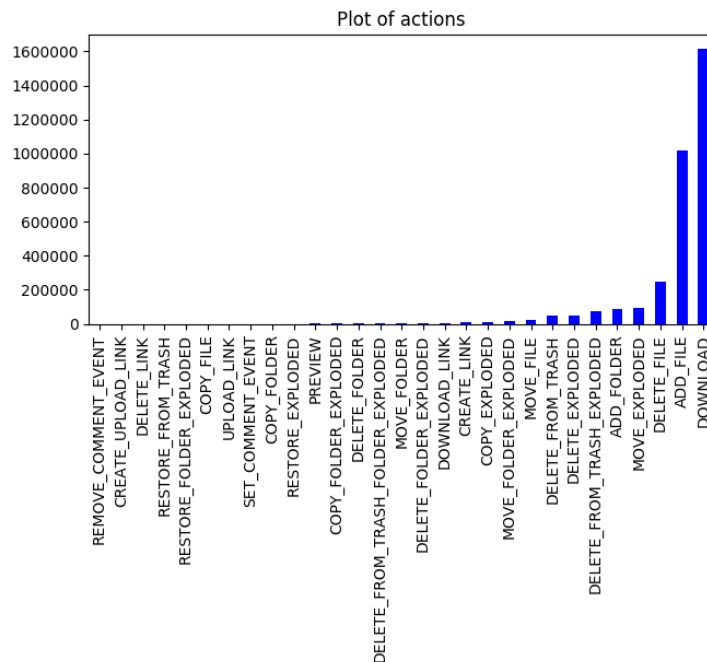
```
Dataset general info
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 3317591 entries, 0 to 3317590
Data columns (total 13 columns):
eventBody.action          object
eventBody.actionSource    object
eventBody.spaceUsed       float64
eventBody.targetCreationTime  datetime64[ns]
eventBody.targetFileChecksum  object
eventBody.targetPostedTime   float64
eventBody.targetStorageType  object
eventBody.userId           float64
eventHeader.eventCategory  object
eventHeader.eventId        object
eventHeader.timeStamp      datetime64[ns]
eventHeader.userAgent      object
eventHeader.workgroupID    object
dtypes: datetime64[ns](2), float64(3), object(8)
memory usage: 329.0+ MB
```

Dataset general info

a. Statistics of actions performed by Egnyte Cloud Server.

Actions: data and plot

REMOVE_COMMENT_EVENT	1
CREATE_UPLOAD_LINK	15
DELETE_LINK	19
RESTORE_FROM_TRASH	21
RESTORE_FOLDER_EXPLODED	65
COPY_FILE	174
UPLOAD_LINK	192
SET_COMMENT_EVENT	224
COPY_FOLDER	248
RESTORE_EXPLODED	546
PREVIEW	718
COPY_FOLDER_EXPLODED	1535
DELETE_FOLDER	2451
DELETE_FROM_TRASH_FOLDER_EXPLODED	2833
MOVE_FOLDER	4575
DELETE_FOLDER_EXPLODED	6057
DOWNLOAD_LINK	6916
CREATE_LINK	8411
COPY_EXPLODED	9445
MOVE_FOLDER_EXPLODED	13784
MOVE_FILE	24006
DELETE_FROM_TRASH	47188
DELETE_EXPLODED	47763
DELETE_FROM_TRASH_EXPLODED	73764
ADD_FOLDER	87890
MOVE_EXPLODED	94438
DELETE_FILE	250362
ADD_FILE	1018044
DOWNLOAD	1615906



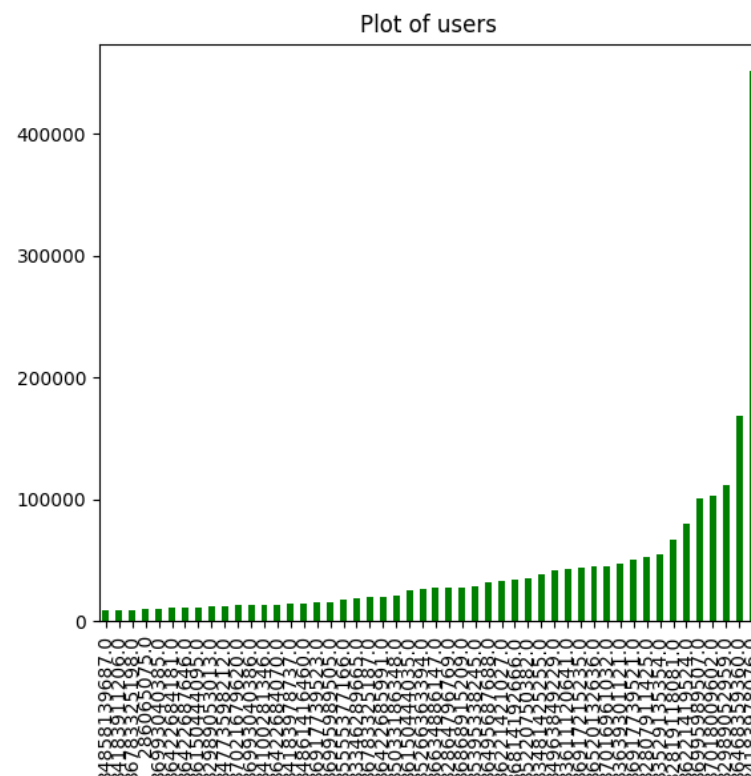
Conclusion: **DOWNLOAD** action is the most popular action with big superiority, which is not surprising. Adding and deleting files are also very common. On the other hand copying files and folders is rare.

b. Statistics of most active users in Egnyte Cloud Server.

TOP 50 most active users: data and plot

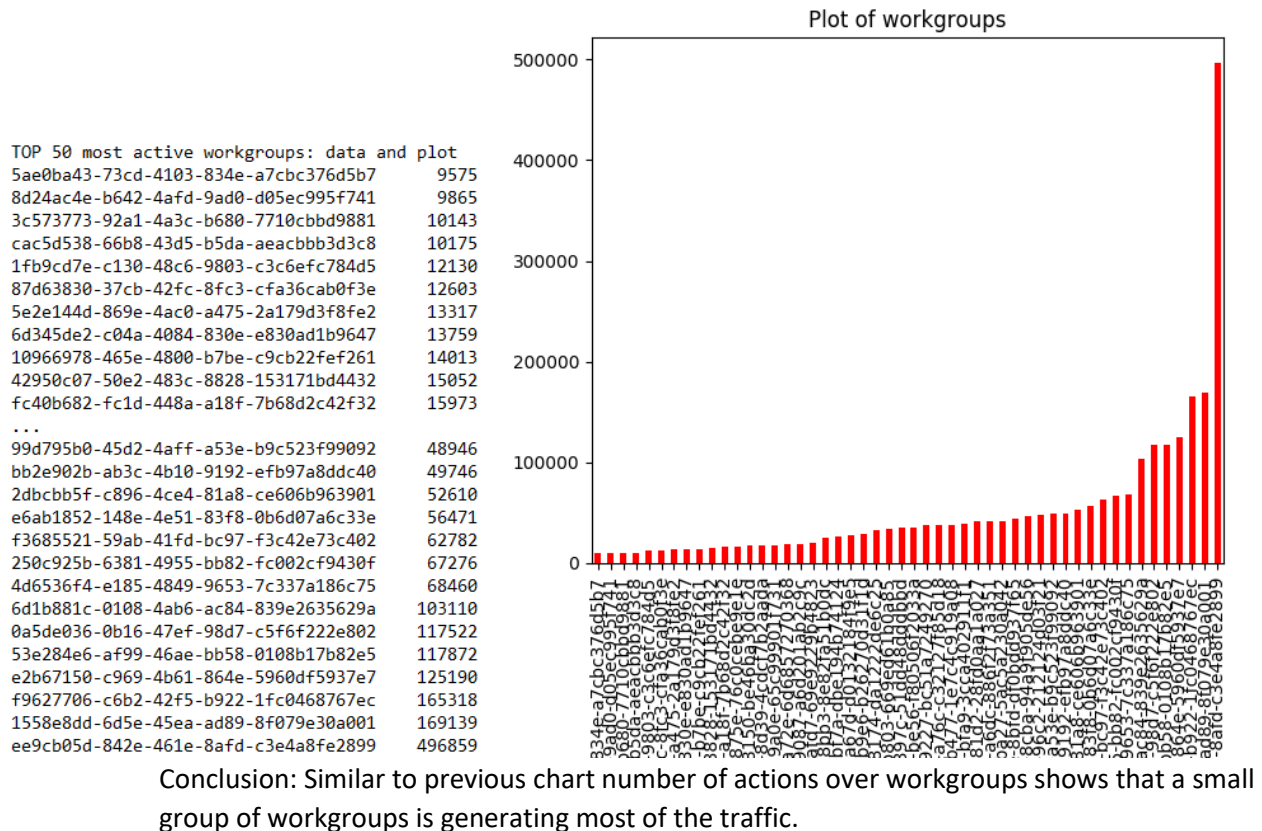
3.485814e+10	9509
3.418391e+10	9559
3.678333e+10	9690
2.860651e+08	10342
3.699304e+10	10848
3.642268e+10	10937
3.642269e+10	11099
3.615044e+10	11356
3.298905e+10	12091
...	
3.361112e+10	43257
3.691722e+10	44149
3.652013e+10	45705
3.701696e+10	45714
3.363930e+10	47445
3.691774e+10	50961
3.280791e+10	52481
3.352914e+10	54915
3.281912e+10	67276
3.622142e+10	80490
3.699599e+10	101099
3.701801e+10	103109
3.298905e+10	112317
3.646836e+10	169086
3.418398e+10	451071

Name: eventBody.userId, dtype: int64

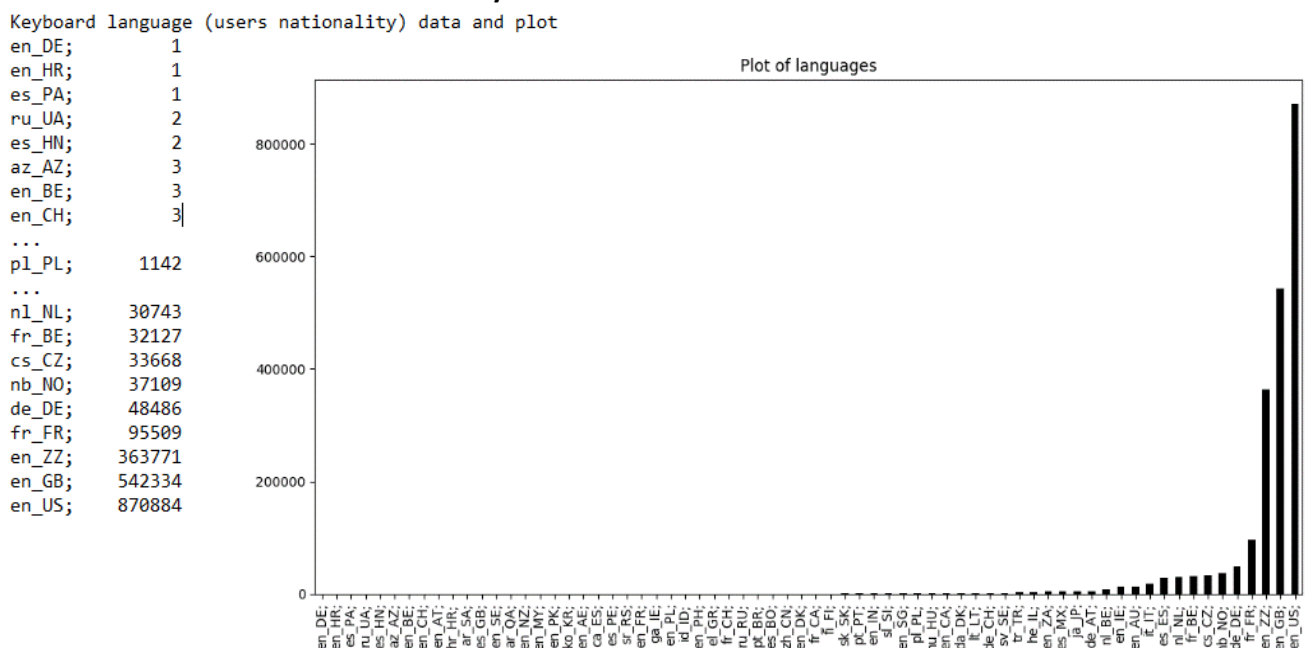


Conclusion: Overall number of actions over users id shows that a small group of users is generating most of the traffic.

c. Statistics of most active workgroups in Egnyte Cloud Server.



d. Statistics of user keyboard



Thanks to the *userAgent* parameter it is possible to extract data what keyboard languages are used by users. That allows to evaluate which languages the users speak. As a chart shows the most popular is English used in US and GB. Other main languages are: French, German and Norwegian.

3. Dataset tests

The script is capable of verifying the data in terms of completeness and duplicates.

As tests show there are a lot of missing data in parameters:

```
Checking for missing data (NaN and None)
Missing values per row:
eventBody.action                0
eventBody.actionSource          0
eventBody.spaceUsed             0
eventBody.targetCreationTime    2049395
eventBody.targetFileChecksum    1849946
eventBody.targetPostedTime     2049395
eventBody.targetStorageType     257665
eventBody.userId                0
eventHeader.eventCategory       0
eventHeader.eventId             0
eventHeader.timeStamp           0
eventHeader.userAgent           676718
eventHeader.workgroupID        0
```

Looking for duplicates finished with empty result, so all records are unique.

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Checking for duplicates
There are no duplicates
```

4. Conclusion

Dataset consists of 3317591 logs which can bring useful information about usage, most popular actions, users and groups. Time aspects can also be analyzed thanks to time stamps. Each log is unique but some of them have missing values probably because of the type of action or the type of client application.

5. Bibliography

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- Python documentation: <https://docs.python.org/3/>
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- *Python dla każdego*, Michale Dawson, Helion 2010, Gliwice