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In [ ]: # importing necessary libraries
   import pandas as pd
   import numpy as np
   from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
   import requests
   import re
   from urllib import request
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### In [ ]: # Getting the datasets

!wget https://raw.githubusercontent.com/SarthakV7/Kaggle\_google\_quest\_challenge/master/test.csv
!wget https://raw.githubusercontent.com/SarthakV7/Kaggle\_google\_quest\_challenge/master/train.csv

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In [ ]: # Reading the data
    train = pd.read_csv('train.csv')
    train.head(2)
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answer_u	answer	question_user_page	question_user_name	question_body	question_title	qa_id	
l	There is no consequence for leaving corpses an	https://gaming.stackexchange.com/users/64471	Dylan	I see questions/information online about how t	Will leaving corpses lying around upset my pri	39	0
	I think it is possible with custom fields.\n\n	https://wordpress.stackexchange.com/users/72927	Anu	I am new to Wordpress. i have issue with Featu	Url link to feature image in the portfolio	46	1

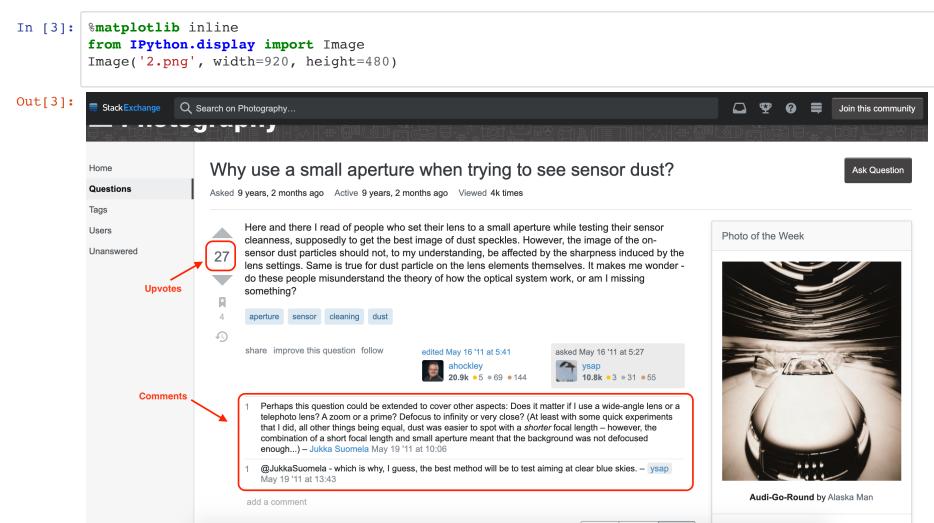
# For scraping data using external links I used 3 features that were provided in the initial datasets. 'url', 'question\_user\_page' and 'answer\_user\_page'.

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# **URL**

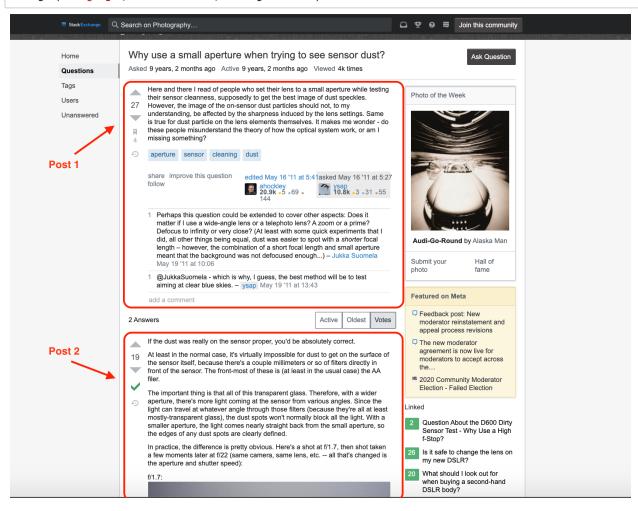
The link provided in this feature takes us directly to the question page on stackoverflow. On that page I found 3 useful features to scrape-

- The upvote count of the best answer (best answer = answer provided in the dataset) as 'upvotes'.
- The comments in the best answer. (named as comments\_0 in the scraped feature dataset).
- The top 3 answers apart from the best answer and their comments. (named as answer\_1, comment\_1, answer\_2, comment\_2, answer\_3, comment 3 in the scraped feature dataset).



## In [6]: Image('3.png', width=620, height=480)

#### Out[6]:



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In [ ]: # Here is the code. Since all of the urls are of stackoverflow, they have the same html hierarchy.
        def get answers(url):
          try:
            get = request.urlopen(url).read()
            src = BeautifulSoup(get, 'html.parser')
            upvotes, posts = [], []
            correct ans, comments = [], []
            new features = []
            post layout = src.find all("div", class = 'post-layout')
            1 = len(post layout)
            for p in post layout[:1]:
              posts.append(p.find all('div', class = 'post-text')[0].text.strip())
              upvotes.append(int(p.find all("div", class = 'js-vote-count grid--cell fc-black-500 fs-title g
        rid fd-column ai-center')[0].get('data-value')))
              correct ans.append(len(p.find all("div", class = 'js-accepted-answer-indicator grid--cell fc-g
        reen-500 ta-center py4')))
              comments.append('\n'.join([i.text.strip() for i in p.find all('span', class = 'comment-copy')]))
            idx = np.argmax(correct ans)
            new features.append(upvotes.pop(idx))
            new features.append(comments.pop(idx))
            del posts[idx]
            if 1 < 3:
              k=1
            else:
              k=3
            for a,b in zip(posts[:k], comments[:k]):
              new features.append(a)
              new features.append(b)
            for a,b in zip(posts[:3-k], comments[:3-k]):
              new features.append('')
              new features.append('')
            return new features
          except:
            return [np.nan] *8 # return np.nan if the code runs into some error like page not found
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In [ ]: # Collecting data
    from tqdm import tqdm
    data = []
    for url in tqdm(train['url']):
        data.append(get_answers(url))

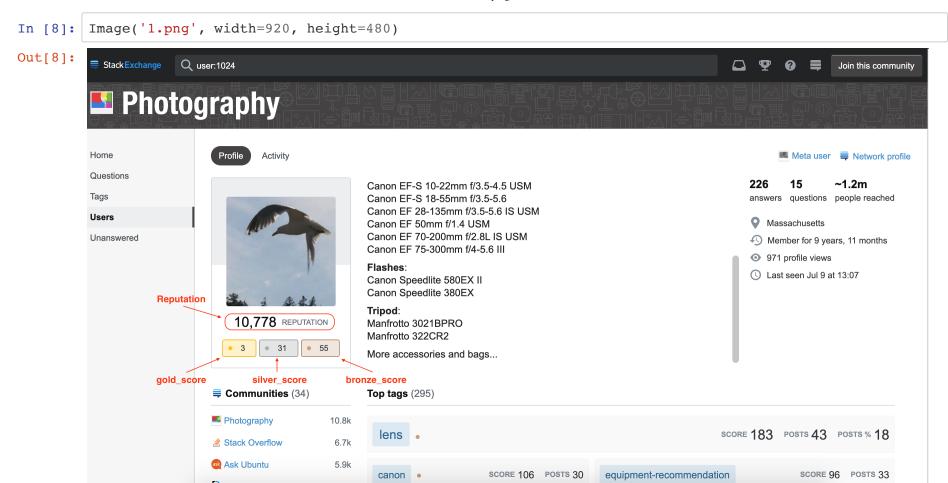
In [ ]: # Saving as dataframe
    columns = ['upvotes', 'comments_0', 'answer_1', 'comment_1', 'answer_2', 'comment_2', 'answer_3', 'comment_3']
    scraped = pd.DataFrame(lens, columns=columns)
    scraped.to_csv(f'scraped_posts.csv', index=False)
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# Question\_user\_page, Answer\_user\_page

The link provided in this feature takes us directly to the user's page on stackoverflow. On that page I found 4 useful features to scrape-

- · Reputation of the user.
- Number of gold points achieved by the user.
- Number of silver points achieved by the user.
- Number of bronze points achieved by the user.

These features are stored as reputation\_q, reputation\_a, gold\_q, gold\_a, silver\_q, silver\_a, bronze\_q, bronze\_a in the dataset (here 'q' corresponds to the data from question user page and 'a' corresponds to the data from answer user page).



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In [ ]: # code for scraping the data. Since all of the urls are of stackoverflow, they have the same html hie
        rarchy.
        train = pd.read csv('train.csv')
        def get user rating(url):
          try:
            get = request.urlopen(url).read()
            src = BeautifulSoup(get, 'html.parser')
            reputation, gold = [], []
            silver, bronze = [], []
            template = src.find all("div", class = 'grid--cell fl-shrink0 ws2 overflow-hidden')[0]
            reputation = int(''.join(template.find all('div', class ='grid--cell fs-title fc-dark')[0].text.s
        trip().split(',')))
            gold = int(''.join(template.find_all('div', class_='grid ai-center s-badge s-badge gold')[0].tex
        t.strip().split(',')))
            silver = int(''.join(template.find all('div', class = 'grid ai-center s-badge s-badge silver')[0]
        .text.strip().split(',')))
            bronze = int(''.join(template.find all('div', class = 'grid ai-center s-badge s-badge bronze')[0]
        .text.strip().split(',')))
            output = [reputation, gold, silver, bronze]
          except:
            output = [np.nan] *4 # return np.nan if the code runs into some error like page not found
          return output
        from tqdm import tqdm
        data = []
        for url in tqdm(train['answer user page']):
          data.append(get user rating(url))
        columns = ['reputation', 'gold', 'silver', 'bronze']
        scraped = pd.DataFrame(lens, columns=columns)
        scraped.to csv(f'scraped score.csv', index=False)
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I collected the data for both train and test datasets.

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