

# Assignment: Building Recommendation System.

## Goal Overview

At Pratilipi, we refer to a story as a "pratilipi." You are tasked with building a predictive model to forecast which pratilipis (stories) a user is likely to read in the future, based on historical reading behavior data.

This will help to recommend relevant stories to users based on their past reading habits.

## Objective

1. Predict Future Reading Behavior: Build a model to predict at least 5 pratilipis that each user will read in the future.
2. TrainTest Split: Use the first 75% of the dataset for training and evaluate the model on the remaining 25% of the data.
3. Deliverables:
  - Codebase: well written python code, with a README file explaining how to run the code and any dependencies.
  - Documentation: A detailed explanation of the Data Analysis, Training Process, Chosen Model.

## Dataset Description

You will work with two datasets, which contain user interactions with pratilipis and meta information about the pratilipis:

### 1. User\_interaction.csv - [Drive Link](#)

This file contains data about user interactions with pratilipis.

Column	Description
user_id	The unique identifier of the user.
pratilipi_id	The unique identifier of the pratilipi (story).
read_percentage	The percentage of the pratilipi that the user has read (between 0 and 100).
updated_at	The timestamp when the interaction occurred.

Example

user_id	pratilipi_id	read_percentage	updated_at
1	101	70	2024-01-01 12:00:00
2	123	50	2024-01-01 12:43:00
3	532	100	2024-02-01 12:00:00

## 2. Meta\_data.csv - [Drive Link](#)

This file contains meta information about pratilipis.

Column	Description
author_id	The unique identifier of the author of the pratilipi.
pratilipi_id	The unique identifier of the pratilipi.
category_name	The category to which the pratilipi belongs (e.g., Romance, Mystery). A single pratilipi can have multiple categories.
reading_time	The reading time in seconds for the pratilipi. (assuming 200 words takes 1 min to read)
updated_at	The timestamp when the meta data was last updated.
published_at	The timestamp when the pratilipi was first published.

Example:

author_id	pratilipi_id	category_name	reading_time	updated_at	published_at
1	133	Romance	20	2023-01-01 10:00:00	2022-01-01 12:00:00
2	525	Suspense	443	2024-01-02 0:00:00	2023-01-10 12:00:00
42	52522	Thriller	5315	2024-01-01 1:00:00	2024-01-01 12:00:00

Good luck with the assignment! Feel free to reach out if you need any further clarifications or guidance.