

# 06\_tagging\_history

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## 1 06 — Article Tagging & Reading History

**Steps covered:** 1. Display synthetic users and interest dictionary 2. Tag CNH-PSX articles using keyword matching 3. Tag Pakistan News articles 4. Combine into a single article pool 5. Simulate reading history for each user → save reading\_log.csv

```
[1]: import sys
sys.path.append('../src')

import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from user_profile import SYNTHETIC_USERS, SECTOR_KEYWORDS
from article_tagger import tag_articles, combine_tagged_datasets
from history_simulator import simulate_reading_history, get_reading_log

df_cnhpsx = pd.read_csv('../data/processed/cnhpsx_clean.csv')
df_news = pd.read_csv('../data/processed/pakistan_news_clean.csv')

print('CNH-PSX:', df_cnhpsx.shape)
print('Pakistan News:', df_news.shape)
```

CNH-PSX: (8858, 5)  
Pakistan News: (25912, 5)

### 1.1 Step 1 — Synthetic Users & Interest Dictionary

```
[2]: print('Synthetic Users ')
for user in SYNTHETIC_USERS:
    print(f' {user}')

print('\nInterest Dictionary (10 keywords per sector)')
for sector, keywords in SECTOR_KEYWORDS.items():
    print(f'\n{sector}:')
    for kw in keywords:
        print(f' - {kw}')
```

Synthetic Users

SyntheticUser(id=User\_1, sector=Construction, sub\_focus=cement-heavy,

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clicks=0)
SyntheticUser(id=User_2, sector=Construction, sub_focus=infrastructure-heavy,
clicks=0)
SyntheticUser(id=User_3, sector=Banking, sub_focus=None, clicks=0)
SyntheticUser(id=User_4, sector=Energy, sub_focus=None, clicks=0)

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Interest Dictionary (10 keywords per sector)

Construction:

- luck
- dgkc
- fccl
- maple leaf cement
- cement
- concrete
- construction
- infrastructure
- housing scheme
- psdp
- capacity expansion

Banking:

- mebl
- habib bank
- hbl
- united bank
- ubl
- national bank
- nbp
- state bank
- sbp
- policy rate
- interest rate
- net interest margin
- deposits
- dividend payout

Energy:

- ogdc
- oil and gas development
- ppl
- pakistan petroleum
- pso
- pakistan state oil
- crude oil
- exploration
- refinery
- gas production

- fuel prices
- circular debt

## 1.2 Step 2 — Tag CNH-PSX Articles

```
[3]: # tag using raw headline - more keywords visible before cleaning
df_cnhpsx_tagged = tag_articles(df_cnhpsx, text_col='headline')

print('\nSample tagged articles:')
print(df_cnhpsx_tagged[df_cnhpsx_tagged['primary_tag'] != 'Other'][['headline', ↴
    'primary_tag', 'tags']].head(10))
```

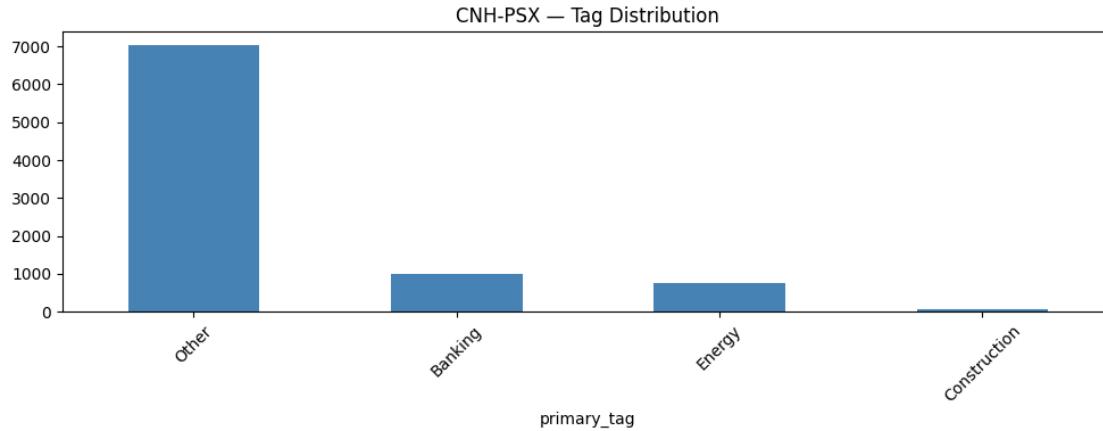
[Tagger] 1826/8858 articles tagged (20.6%)  
 Construction: 51  
 Banking: 1011  
 Energy: 764  
 Other: 7032

Sample tagged articles:

	headline	primary_tag	\
57	['Energy, cement shares help KSE gain 94 points']	Construction	
92	['Buying in cement averts big losses at KSE']	Construction	
269	['KSE further up on buying in cement stocks']	Construction	
284	['PSO sell off delay fuels bearish drive at KSE']	Energy	
285	['Cement, banking, oil scripts push KSE up by 1...']	Construction	
334	['KSE approves HBL listing']	Banking	
377	['KSE above 14,000 points on buying in cement,...']	Construction	
510	['KSE gains 138 points on buying in banking, c...']	Construction	
552	['KSE falls 861 points on interest rate hike']	Banking	
589	['KSE breaks decade low turnover record in abs...']	Banking	
	tags		
57	[Construction]		
92	[Construction]		
269	[Construction]		
284	[Energy]		
285	[Construction]		
334	[Banking]		
377	[Construction]		
510	[Construction]		
552	[Banking]		
589	[Banking]		

```
[4]: # Visualize tag distribution for CNH-PSX
df_cnhpsx_tagged['primary_tag'].value_counts().plot(
    kind='bar', figsize=(10, 4),
    title='CNH-PSX - Tag Distribution',
    color='steelblue')
```

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)
plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



### 1.3 Step 3 — Tag Pakistan News Articles

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[5]: # Tag using full text (heading + excerpt) for better coverage
df_news_tagged = tag_articles(df_news, text_col='text_combined')

print('\nSample tagged articles:')
print(df_news_tagged[df_news_tagged['primary_tag'] != 'Other'][['heading', ↴'primary_tag']].head(10))
```

[Tagger] 325/25912 articles tagged (1.3%)  
 Construction: 134  
 Banking: 133  
 Energy: 58  
 Other: 25587

Sample tagged articles:

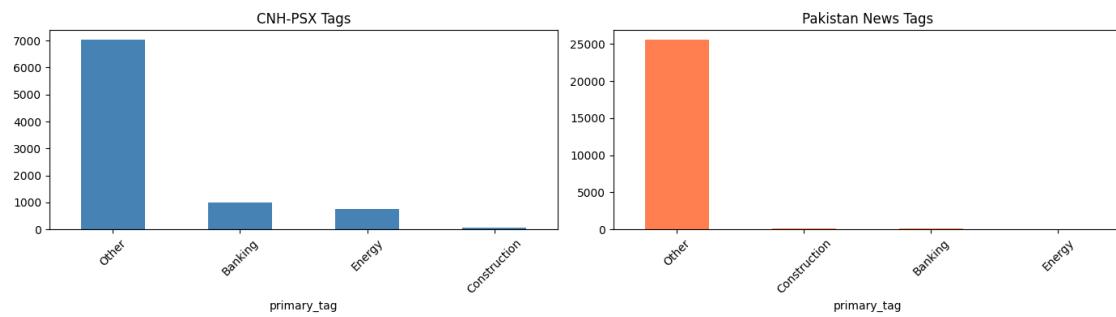
	heading	primary_tag
161	CCP launches probe into 62 housing schemes	Construction
181	30 fishing boats destroyed by sea current in G...	Construction
438	4pc growth target to be missed: SBP	Banking
500	PSO dues, Wapda loans and Tapi on second ECC m...	Energy
611	Gas shortfall set to almost double next year	Energy
958	Housing society approved for PAF martyrs defra...	Construction
996	Huge sinkhole swallows bus, kills nine in China	Construction
1033	Thousands of litres of diesel leaks in Karachi...	Energy
1079	Govt raises Rs274.7bn from T-bill auction	Banking
1321	Ahsan aims to cement spot in Pakistan team	Construction

```
[6]: # Side-by-side comparison
fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(14, 4))

df_cnhpsx_tagged['primary_tag'].value_counts().plot(
    kind='bar', ax=axes[0], title='CNH-PSX Tags', color='steelblue')
axes[0].tick_params(axis='x', rotation=45)

df_news_tagged['primary_tag'].value_counts().head(8).plot(
    kind='bar', ax=axes[1], title='Pakistan News Tags', color='coral')
axes[1].tick_params(axis='x', rotation=45)

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



## 1.4 Step 4 — Combine into Article Pool

```
[7]: df_pool = combine_tagged_datasets(df_cnhpsx_tagged, df_news_tagged)

print('\nPool by source:')
print(df_pool['source'].value_counts())
print('\nPool by tag:')
print(df_pool['primary_tag'].value_counts())
```

[Pool] Combined pool: 34770 articles

primary_tag	count
Other	32619
Banking	1144
Energy	822
Construction	185

Pool by source:

source	count
pakistan_news	25912
cnhpsx	8858

Name: count, dtype: int64

```
Pool by tag:  
primary_tag  
Other          32619  
Banking        1144  
Energy         822  
Construction   185  
Name: count, dtype: int64
```

## 1.5 Step 5 — Simulate Reading History

```
[8]: # 10 clicks per user, 10% noise from other sectors  
users = simulate_reading_history(  
    users=SYNTHETIC_USERS,  
    df_tagged=df_pool,  
    n_clicks=10,  
    noise_ratio=0.1,  
    seed=42  
)
```

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[History] User_1 (Construction / cement-heavy): 9 sector + 1 noise clicks  
[History] User_2 (Construction / infrastructure-heavy): 9 sector + 1 noise  
clicks  
[History] User_3 (Banking / None): 9 sector + 1 noise clicks  
[History] User_4 (Energy / None): 9 sector + 1 noise clicks
```

```
[9]: # export and inspect reading log  
reading_log = get_reading_log(users, df_pool)  
print(reading_log.to_string())  
reading_log.to_csv('../data/processed/reading_log.csv', index=False)  
print('\nSaved to data/processed/reading_log.csv')
```

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user_id      sector article_id  
headline primary_tag  
0   User_1 Construction      13791  
Pakistan Construction  
1   User_1 Construction      10547  
WB-funded plan to improve city's municipal infrastructure launched Construction  
2   User_1 Construction      92  
['Buying in cement averts big losses at KSE'] Construction  
3   User_1 Construction      12703  
Pakistan Construction  
4   User_1 Construction      2210  
['KSE-100 ends flat cement remains upbeat'] Construction  
5   User_1 Construction      32054  
Pakistan Construction  
6   User_1 Construction      2164  
['KSE index up 74 points amid recovery in cement, oil stocks'] Construction  
7   User_1 Construction      29129
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Pakistan Construction

8 User\_1 Construction 4023 ['Qatar says too early to exit OPEC oil cuts as investment still low', 'Pso & Faw Motors China working to modernise Pso fleet to support Cpec infrastructure'] Construction

9 User\_1 Construction 5733  
['Cotton trading surges'] Other

10 User\_2 Construction 24996  
Pakistan Construction

11 User\_2 Construction 18319  
Pakistan Other

12 User\_2 Construction 29376  
Newspaper Construction

13 User\_2 Construction 33497  
Newspaper Construction

14 User\_2 Construction 7162  
['Lucky Cement to award power plant contract next month'] Construction

15 User\_2 Construction 9854  
Huge sinkhole swallows bus, kills nine in China Construction

16 User\_2 Construction 21139  
Pakistan Construction

17 User\_2 Construction 20687  
Pakistan Construction

18 User\_2 Construction 34185  
Newspaper Construction

19 User\_2 Construction 25350  
Business Construction

20 User\_3 Banking 26729  
Newspaper Banking

21 User\_3 Banking 7587  
['NBP announces 20pc bonus, 65pc cash dividend'] Banking

22 User\_3 Banking 8401  
['NBP president, sugar mills body chief appear before NAB'] Banking

23 User\_3 Banking 7599  
['NBP to target agriculture, SMEs'] Banking

24 User\_3 Banking 8739  
['NBP disburses Rs6.8bln youth loans'] Banking

25 User\_3 Banking 8101  
['Major Companies Declare Results HBL earns profit of Rs7.30 billion'] Banking

26 User\_3 Banking 9191  
Polio cases for 2019 still surfacing, tally rises to 128 Other

27 User\_3 Banking 8356  
['HBL profit falls to Rs34.206bln'] Banking

28 User\_3 Banking 8461  
['NBP, UBL collaborate'] Banking

29 User\_3 Banking 7443  
['SBP okays Standard Chartered, Union Bank merger'] Banking

30 User\_4 Energy 4334

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['Ogra awaits PSO's compliance report to set LNG price']           Energy
31 User_4      Energy      7315
['China starts work on oil refinery in Niger']           Energy
32 User_4      Energy      3265
['Circular debt haunts PSO', 'Govt to sell 21m PPL shares']       Energy
33 User_4      Energy      7374
['Byco Petroleum posts profit of Rs414.54mln']           Other
34 User_4      Energy      2787
['PSO declares Rs11 a share dividend']           Energy
35 User_4      Energy      2722
['PPL plans domestic, Yemen exploration']           Energy
36 User_4      Energy      21710
Newspaper      Energy
37 User_4      Energy      2837
['PSO buys up to 150,000T of gas oil']           Energy
38 User_4      Energy      3250
['Govt appoints Asim M Khan as PPL acting MD']       Energy
39 User_4      Energy      3408
['PR gets breather after payment to PSO for fuel', 'Decision on POL prices
today']           Energy

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Saved to data/processed/reading\_log.csv

```
[10]: # save pool for next notebook
df_pool.to_csv('../data/processed/article_pool.csv', index=False)
print('Article pool saved to data/processed/article_pool.csv')
```

Article pool saved to data/processed/article\_pool.csv

## 1.6 Conclusions

- CNH-PSX articles tagged: ... / 8858
- Pakistan News articles tagged: ... / 25912
- Combined pool size: ...
- Reading log looks correct: yes/no
- Ready for 07\_profile\_vectors: yes/no