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0.1 PROJECT TITLE: EXPLORATORY DATA ANALYSIS

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0.2 Step 1: Collecting data

```
import requests_cache
import time
import json
import re
import pandas as pd # Dùng để đọc và hiển thị file csv/tsv
from datetime import datetime, timedelta # Dùng để xử lý dữ liệu thời gian
import csv
from selenium import webdriver
from selenium.webdriver.common.keys import Keys
from selenium.webdriver.common.by import By
from selenium.common.exceptions import TimeoutException
from selenium.webdriver.support.ui import WebDriverWait
from selenium.webdriver.support import expected_conditions as EC
```

System function

```
[2]: def scroll_down(driver):
    time.sleep(1)
    driver.execute_script("window.scrollTo(0, document.body.scrollHeight);")

def get_elements(driver, by, name, delay=2, first=False, tries=5):
    while tries > 0:
        try:
```

```
elem = None
    if first:
        elem = WebDriverWait(driver, delay).until(EC.

presence_of_element_located((by, name)))
    else:
        elem = WebDriverWait(driver, delay).until(EC.

presence_of_all_elements_located((by, name)))
    return elem
    except TimeoutException:
        tries-=1
```

Get data function

```
[3]: def get_info(driver, list_users_link, users):
         driver.execute_script("window.open('');")
         driver.switch_to.window(driver.window_handles[1])
         for link, id in list_users_link.items():
             driver.get(link)
             users['id'].append(id)
             name = 'infoStats__value'
             elements = get elements(driver, By.CLASS NAME, name)
             try:
                 users['name'].append(get_elements(driver, By.CLASS_NAME,_

¬'profileHeaderInfo_userName', first=True).text)
             except:
                 users['name'].append(None)
             attrs = ['followers', 'following', 'tracks']
             for i in range(len(attrs)):
                 try:
                     users[attrs[i]].append(elements[i].text)
                 except:
                     users[attrs[i]].append(None)
         driver.close()
         driver.switch_to.window(driver.window_handles[0])
     def get_users(driver, link, tracks, tracks_id, list_users_link,_
      →list_tracks_link):
         global user id
         global track id
         driver.execute_script("window.open('');")
         driver.switch_to.window(driver.window_handles[2])
         driver.get(link)
         name = 'sc-ministats-item'
         elements = get_elements(driver, By.CLASS_NAME, name)
         if link in list tracks link.keys():
             tracks_id.append(str(list_tracks_link[link]))
```

```
else:
       track_id += 1
       tracks['id'].append(track_id)
       tracks_id.append(str(track_id))
       author = get_elements(driver, By.CLASS_NAME, 'sc-link-secondary', u
 ⇔first=True)
       link = author.get_attribute('href')
       if link in list_users_link.keys():
           tracks['author'].append(list_users_link[link])
       else:
           user_id += 1
           tracks['author'].append(user_id)
           list_users_link[link] = user_id
       try:
           tracks['title'].append(get_elements(driver, By.CLASS_NAME,_
 except:
           tracks['title'].append(None)
       attrs = ['plays', 'likes', 'reposts']
       for i in range(len(attrs)):
           try:
               tracks[attrs[i]].append(elements[i].get_attribute('title').
 ⇔split(' ')[0])
               tracks[attrs[i]].append('0')
       tracks['release'].append(get_elements(driver, By.CLASS_NAME,_
 driver.close()
   driver.switch_to.window(driver.window_handles[1])
def get_tracks(driver, link, tracks, tracks_id, list_users_link,_
 ⇔list_tracks_link):
   driver.execute script("window.open('');")
   driver.switch_to.window(driver.window_handles[1])
   driver.get(link)
   name = 'trackItem__trackTitle'
   elements = get_elements(driver, By.CLASS_NAME, name)
   # crawl 2 tracks of playlist
   for e in elements:
       cnt += 1
       link = e.get_attribute('href')
       get_users(driver, link, tracks, tracks_id, list_users_link,_
 →list_tracks_link)
       if cnt == 2:
           break
```

```
driver.close()
   driver.switch_to.window(driver.window_handles[0])
def get_playlists(driver, elements, playlists, tracks, list_users_link,_
 ⇔list_tracks_link):
   global playlist id
   global user id
   for e in elements:
        # pass unavailable and less than 5 tracks
        data = e.text.split('\n')
        link = e.find_element(By.CLASS_NAME, 'soundTitle__title').

get_attribute('href')

        user_link = e.find_element(By.CLASS_NAME, 'soundTitle_username').

get_attribute('href')

        if data[0] == 'Unavailable' or not(data[-6].startswith('View') and__

data[-6].endswith('tracks')):
            continue
       playlist id += 1
        tracks_id = []
        if user link in list users link.keys():
            playlists['author'].append(list_users_link[user_link])
        else:
            user id += 1
            playlists['author'].append(user_id)
            list_users_link[user_link] = user_id
       playlists['id'].append(playlist_id)
       playlists['title'].append(data[2])
        playlists['likes'].append(data[-5] if data[-5] != 'Like' else '0')
       playlists['reposts'].append(data[-4] if data[-4] != 'Repost' else '0')
       playlists['release'].append(data[4])
        get_tracks(driver, link, tracks, tracks_id, list_users_link,_
 →list_tracks_link)
        playlists['tracks'].append(','.join(tracks id))
```

Execute the crawl process

Uncomment this cell to crawl the data (It may take 1-2 days to process)

```
[4]: # driver = webdriver.Chrome()

# cookies = False

# playlists = {'id': [], 'title': [], 'author': [], 'tracks': [], 'likes': [],

'reposts': [], 'release': []}

# tracks = {'id': [], 'title': [], 'author': [], 'plays': [], 'likes': [],

'reposts': [], 'release': []}

# users = {'id': [], 'name': [], 'followers': [], 'following': [], 'tracks': []}

# global playlist_id

# global track_id
```

```
# global user_id
# playlist_id, track_id, user_id = 0, 0, 0
# list_tracks_link, list_users_link = {}, {}
# cookies_id = 'onetrust-accept-btn-handler'
# time.sleep(1)
# for i in range(ord('o'), ord('z')+1):
      elements = []
      key = chr(i)
#
      driver.get(f'https://soundcloud.com/search/sets?g={key}')
      if not(cookies):
          time.sleep(3)
          c = get_elements(driver, By.ID, cookies_id, delay=7, first=True).
 ⇔click()
#
          cookies = True
     while len(elements) < 50:
          scroll_down(driver)
          elements = driver.find elements(By.CLASS NAME, 'sound content')
      get_playlists(driver, elements, playlists, tracks, list_users_link,_u
 ⇔list tracks link)
      get_info(driver, list_users_link, users)
      playlist_df = pd.DataFrame(playlists, columns=['id', 'title', 'author', __
 → 'tracks', 'likes', 'reposts', 'release'])
      track df = pd.DataFrame(tracks, columns=['id', 'title', 'author', |
 ⇔'plays', 'likes', 'reposts', 'release'])
      user_df = pd.DataFrame(users, columns=['id', 'name', 'followers', __
 → 'following', 'tracks'])
      # Export to file
      playlist df.to csv('playlists.csv', index='id')
      track_df.to_csv('tracks.csv', index='id')
      user_df.to_csv('users.csv', index='id')
# driver.quit()
```

0.3 Step 2: Pre-processing data

0.3.1 Step 2.1: Importing important libraries

```
[5]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import copy
pd.set_option('display.float_format', lambda x: '%.5f' % x)
```

0.3.2 Step 2.2: Importing datasets

There are 3 files: "playlists.csv", "tracks.csv", "users.csv"

```
[6]: playlists_df = pd.read_csv("SoundcloudData/playlists.csv")
tracks_df = pd.read_csv("SoundcloudData/tracks.csv")
users_df = pd.read_csv("SoundcloudData/users.csv")
```

```
[7]: print(playlists_df.keys())
    print(tracks_df.keys())
    print(users_df.keys())
```

Hmmmm, there is an extra column called "Unnamed: 0". Let's remove that for all 3 dataframes

```
[8]: tracks_df.drop(columns='Unnamed: 0', inplace=True)
users_df.drop(columns='Unnamed: 0', inplace=True)
playlists_df.drop(columns='Unnamed: 0', inplace=True)
```

```
[9]: users_df.head()
```

```
[9]:
        id
                       name followers following tracks
             TMN Playlisted
                                               116
                                                         2
     0
         1
                                  21.6K
     1
         2
                     nymano
                                  69.1K
                                               512
                                                        79
                                  14.7K
     2
         3
                       Agami
                                               598
                                                         1
     3
         4
                 Levi Patel
                                  14.7K
                                               433
                                                        19
         5
              Alice Baldwin
                                 4,680
                                               117
                                                        18
```

Seems good, let the pre-processing begin!

0.3.3 Step 2.3: Pre-processing

These are methods that we will use for data pre-processing of each dataframe: - Check for meaning of each column - Check the number of columns and rows - Check for duplicated rows - Check for missing data - Check for the min/max values, mean - Check for the data type of each column and modify values (if needed)

Let's start with the "users" dataframe. We check for the first 5 rows of it.

[10]: users_df.head()

```
[10]:
          id
                         name followers following tracks
      0
          1
              TMN Playlisted
                                   21.6K
                                                116
                                                          2
          2
                      nymano
                                   69.1K
                                                         79
      1
                                                512
      2
          3
                        Agami
                                   14.7K
                                                598
                                                          1
```

```
3 4 Levi Patel 14.7K 433 19
4 5 Alice Baldwin 4,680 117 18
```

The meaning of each column is: + id: the id of the user (categorical) + name: the username of the user (categorical) + followers: number of followers (numeric) + following: number of people that a user follows (numeric) + tracks: the number of tracks (numeric)

The name "tracks" is quite ambiguous, let's rename it so it's clearer to understand

```
[11]: users_df.rename(columns={"tracks": "NumTracks"}, inplace=True)
    users_df.rename(columns={"id": "author_id"}, inplace=True)
    users_df.set_index('author_id', inplace=True)
```

We check for any duplicated rows in the dataframe

```
[12]: check_user_dup = users_df.duplicated().any()
    if check_user_dup:
        print("There are duplicated rows")
    else:
        print("There is no duplicated rows")
```

There are duplicated rows

Wow, there are duplicated rows. We have to make each row unique and remove duplicated ones

```
[13]: users_df.drop_duplicates(inplace=True)
```

After removing duplicated values, we check for the number of rows and columns

```
[14]: print("Number of rows: "+str(users_df.shape[0]))
print("Number of columns: "+str(users_df.shape[1]))
```

Number of rows: 2893 Number of columns: 4

We check if there are any missing data in the dataframe

```
[15]: col_users_key = list(users_df.keys())
    percent_missing = users_df[col_users_key].isnull().sum() * 100 / len(users_df)
    percent_missing
```

```
[15]: name 0.06913
followers 0.17283
following 0.20740
NumTracks 0.20740
dtype: float64
```

Since there are very small number of rows that exist "null" values, we can drop them

```
[16]: users_df.dropna(inplace=True)
print("Number of rows: "+str(users_df.shape[0]))
print("Number of columns: "+str(users_df.shape[1]))
```

Number of rows: 2886 Number of columns: 4

Next, we see what the data type of each column

```
[17]: users_df.dtypes
```

```
[17]: name object followers object NumTracks object dtype: object
```

We find that the number of followers, following and num tracks are not in the correct type, it should be in "int" type

```
[18]: def change_number(s):
          to_change = list(set(s))
          change = []
          for item in to_change:
              temp = item
              if ("K" in item) and ("." not in item):
                  temp = item.replace("K", "000")
              elif ("K" in item) and ("." in item):
                  temp = item.replace("K", "00").replace(".", "")
              elif ("M" in item) and ("." not in item):
                  temp = item.replace("M", "000000")
              elif ("M" in item) and ("." in item) and (len(temp)==4):
                  temp = item.replace("M", "00000").replace(".", "")
              elif ("M" in item) and ("." in item) and (len(temp)==5):
                  temp = item.replace("M", "0000").replace(".", "")
              elif ("," in item):
                  temp = item.replace(",", "")
              change.append(temp)
          return to_change, change
```

```
[19]: # users_df['followers'] = users_df['followers'].str.replace(',','')

# user_to_change, user_change = change_number(users_df['followers'])

# users_df['NumTracks'] = users_df['NumTracks'].replace(['12.1K'], '12100')

# users_df['NumTracks'] = users_df['NumTracks'].str.replace(',','')

# users_df["NumTracks"] = users_df['NumTracks'].astype(int)

# users_df['followers'] = users_df['followers'].replace(user_to_change, user_change)

# users_df['followers'] = users_df['followers'].astype(int)
```

```
# users_df['following'] = users_df['following'].str.replace(',','')
      # users_df['following'] = users_df['following'].astype(int)
[20]: num_track_to_change, num_track_change = change_number(users_df['NumTracks'])
      users_df['NumTracks'] = users_df['NumTracks'].replace(num_track_to_change,_
       →num_track_change)
      follower_to_change, follower_change = change_number(users_df['followers'])
      users_df['followers'] = users_df['followers'].replace(follower_to_change,__
       →follower_change)
      following_to_change, following_change = change_number(users_df['following'])
      users_df['following'] = users_df['following'].replace(following_to_change,_
       →following change)
      users_df["NumTracks"] = users_df['NumTracks'].astype(int)
      users_df['followers'] = users_df['followers'].astype(int)
      users df['following'] = users df['following'].astype(int)
     Let's have a look at how the data distribute
[21]: users_df.describe()
[21]:
                                       NumTracks
                followers following
               2886.00000 2886.00000
                                      2886.00000
      count
      mean
             178472.59459 130.61296
                                        97.39744
      std
             810164.81229
                           310.78059
                                       444.55766
     min
                  0.00000
                             0.00000
                                         0.00000
      25%
                174.50000
                             1.00000
                                         0.00000
      50%
               2549.00000
                            15.00000
                                        13.00000
      75%
              13300.00000
                            94.75000
                                        50.00000
            9510000.00000 2027.00000 12100.00000
     max
     Moving on, we work with the "tracks". We look for the first 5 rows
[22]: tracks_df.head()
[22]:
         id
                                                          title author
                                                                              plays \
                                                                      2 18,184,198
                                                       solitude
            quand la pluie tombe (also uploaded for The Vi...
                                                                    2 11,928,581
      1
      2
          3
                                                  As she passes
                                                                      4 15,385,582
      3
                                                    Was am Ende
                                                                          3,865,947
            Making All Things New (Waterman/Espe) - Record...
                                                                        5,974,821
           likes reposts
                                           release
      0 298,037 14,517 7 years ago\n7 years ago
                   7,556 8 years ago\n8 years ago
      1 155,823
      2 228,383
                   7,815 7 years ago\n7 years ago
          37,123
                   1,447 3 years ago\n3 years ago
      3
      4 123,856
                   3,261 8 years ago\n8 years ago
```

The meaning of each column is: + id: the id of the track (categorical) + title: name of the track (categorical) + author: person who makes the track (numeric) + plays: total play count of a track + likes: number of people like a track (numeric) + reposts: number of reposting (numeric) + release: total years/months/days since the track first released (categorical)

We will change the columns' name to make it easier

We check for duplicates in the above dataframe

```
[24]: check_track_dup = tracks_df.duplicated().any()
if check_track_dup:
    print("There are duplicated rows")
else:
    print("There is no duplicated rows")
```

There are duplicated rows

Awesome! Now we look for the number of rows and columns

```
[25]: print("Number of rows: "+str(tracks_df.shape[0]))
print("Number of columns: "+str(tracks_df.shape[1]))
```

Number of rows: 2074 Number of columns: 6

Okay, let's look for missing values, shall we?

```
[26]: title 0.04822
author_id 0.00000
total_plays 0.00000
likes 0.00000
reposts 0.00000
year_release 0.00000
dtype: float64
```

Hmmm, there are some missing titles. Since the missing ratio is too insignificant, we can dop them.

```
[27]: tracks_df.dropna(inplace=True)
    print("Number of rows: "+str(tracks_df.shape[0]))
    print("Number of columns: "+str(tracks_df.shape[1]))
```

```
Number of rows: 2073
Number of columns: 6
```

Now, the important part is to check for the data type and convert them accordingly to its supposingly correct one

```
[28]: tracks_df.dtypes
[28]: title
                      object
      author_id
                       int64
      total_plays
                      object
      likes
                      object
      reposts
                      object
      year release
                      object
      dtype: object
[29]: total_play_to_change, total_play_change =
       ⇔change_number(tracks_df['total_plays'])
      tracks_df['total_plays'] = tracks_df['total_plays'].
       →replace(total_play_to_change, total_play_change)
      tracks_df['total_plays'] = tracks_df['total_plays'].astype(int)
      likes to change, likes change = change number(tracks df['likes'])
      tracks_df['likes'] = tracks_df['likes'].replace(likes_to_change, likes_change)
      tracks df['likes'] = tracks df['likes'].astype(int)
      reposts_to_change, reposts_change = change_number(tracks_df['reposts'])
      tracks_df['reposts'] = tracks_df['reposts'].replace(reposts_to_change,__
       →reposts_change)
      tracks_df['reposts'] = tracks_df['reposts'].astype(int)
      release_to_change = list(set(tracks_df['year_release']))
      release_change = [x.split("\n")[1] for x in release_to_change]
      tracks_df['year_release'] = tracks_df['year_release'].
       →replace(release_to_change, release_change)
      to_year = [2022-int(x.split(" ")[0]) if "year" in x else 2022 for x in_
       →release_change]
      tracks_df['year_release'] = tracks_df['year_release'].replace(release_change,__
       →to_year)
      tracks df.head()
[29]:
                                                             title author id \
      track id
      1
                                                          solitude
      2
                quand la pluie tombe (also uploaded for The Vi...
                                                                          2
      3
                                                     As she passes
                                                                            4
                                                       Was am Ende
      4
                                                                            5
      5
                Making All Things New (Waterman/Espe) - Record...
                                                                          7
                total_plays
                              likes reposts year_release
```

```
track_id
                         298037
                                    14517
                                                     2015
1
              18184198
2
              11928581
                         155823
                                     7556
                                                     2014
3
              15385582
                         228383
                                     7815
                                                     2015
4
                                                     2019
               3865947
                          37123
                                     1447
5
               5974821
                         123856
                                     3261
                                                     2014
```

Let's have a look at how the data distribute

```
[30]: tracks_df.describe().drop(columns=['author_id'])
```

```
[30]:
                 total_plays
                                      likes
                                                  reposts
                                                            year_release
                  2073.00000
                                2073.00000
                                               2073.00000
                                                              2073.00000
      count
                                               9689.08056
      mean
             10914330.15388
                              149387.32465
                                                              2015.63965
      std
             30547982.35685
                              359681.87191
                                              38807.33667
                                                                 3.94385
      min
                     0.00000
                                   0.00000
                                                  0.00000
                                                              1965.00000
      25%
               128689.00000
                                1642.00000
                                                 87.00000
                                                              2014.00000
      50%
              1001579.00000
                               15059.00000
                                                763.00000
                                                              2015.00000
      75%
              6712317.00000
                              106360.00000
                                               5377.00000
                                                              2018.00000
            326472925.00000 3164571.00000 1402199.00000
                                                              2022.00000
      max
```

Finally, we will work with the "playlists"

```
[31]: playlists_df.head() playlists_df.set_index('id', inplace=True)
```

The meaning of each column is: + id: the ID for the playlist + title: name of the playlist + author: the ID of the author who creates the playlist + tracks: the ID of the first 2 tracks of the playlist + likes: number of likes + reposts: number of reposts + release: the years/months/days released

We should change the name of some of the columns for clarity

```
[32]: playlists_df.rename(columns={"author": "author_id", "tracks": Gamma="author": "author_id", "tracks": Gamma="author": "author_id", "tracks": Gamma="author": "year_release"; "year_release"}, inplace=True)
```

We check for duplicates in the above dataframe

```
[33]: check_playlist_dup = playlists_df.duplicated().any()
if check_playlist_dup:
    print("There are duplicated rows")
else:
    print("There is no duplicated rows")
```

There is no duplicated rows

Awesome! Now we look for the number of rows and columns

```
[34]: print("Number of rows: "+str(playlists_df.shape[0]))
print("Number of columns: "+str(playlists_df.shape[1]))
```

```
Number of rows: 1045
     Number of columns: 6
     Okay, let's look for missing values, shall we?
[35]: col_playlists_key = list(playlists_df.keys())
      percent_missing = playlists_df[col_playlists_key].isnull().sum() * 100 /__
       →len(playlists_df)
      percent_missing
[35]: title
                           0.00000
      author id
                           0.00000
      first_2_tracks_id
                           0.00000
                           0.00000
      likes
      reposts
                           0.00000
      year_release
                           0.00000
      dtype: float64
     Awesome, we don't have to drop any rows. Now we move to check the data types and convert them
     if needed
[36]: playlists_df.dtypes
[36]: title
                            object
      author_id
                             int64
      first_2_tracks_id
                            object
      likes
                            object
      reposts
                            object
      year_release
                            object
      dtype: object
```

```
[37]: like_to_change, like_change = change_number(playlists_df['likes'])
repost_to_change, repost_change = change_number(playlists_df['reposts'])

playlists_df['likes'] = playlists_df['likes'].replace(like_to_change,u_like_change)
playlists_df['likes'] = playlists_df['likes'].astype(int)
playlists_df['reposts'] = playlists_df['reposts'].replace(repost_to_change,u_like_change)
playlists_df['reposts'] = playlists_df['reposts'].astype(int)

year_to_change = list(set(playlists_df['year_release']))
to_year = [2022-int(x.split(" ")[0]) if "year" in x else 2022 for x in_u_like_change]
playlists_df['year_release'] = playlists_df['year_release'].

Greplace(year_to_change, to_year)
playlists_df.head(n=5)
```

```
[37]:
                                       author_id first_2_tracks_id
                                                                       likes reposts \
                               title
      id
      1
                           Acid Jazz
                                               1
                                                                      387000
                                                                                35800
                                                                1,2
      2
                       Ambient piano
                                               3
                                                                3,4
                                                                      149000
                                                                                 9611
      3
          As Beautiful As It Sounds
                                               6
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      id
                   2016
      1
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      3
                   2015
      4
                   2020
      5
                   2017
     Let's have a look at how the data distribute
[38]:
     playlists_df.describe().drop(columns=['author_id'])
[38]:
                    likes
                              reposts
                                        year_release
              1045.00000
                           1045.00000
                                          1045.00000
      count
      mean
             12334.79904
                            928.71388
                                          2017.70335
      std
             37172.86578
                           2830.86907
                                             2.55552
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                              0.00000
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      25%
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                                          2017.00000
      75%
              6926.00000
                            557.00000
                                          2020.00000
            515000.00000 43200.00000
                                          2022.00000
      max
[39]: playlists_df.dtypes
[39]: title
                            object
      author_id
                             int64
      first_2_tracks_id
                            object
      likes
                             int64
      reposts
                             int64
      year_release
                             int64
      dtype: object
          Step 3: Data Visualization
[40]: %%capture
      !pip install pandas-profiling;
```

Merge 3 Dataframes to have the overview of the data

[41]: from pandas_profiling import ProfileReport

```
[42]: # Merge 3 dataframe
      new_data = playlists_df.merge(tracks_df.merge(users_df, how='inner',_
       ⇔on='author_id'), how='inner', on='author_id')
      new_data.rename(columns = {'title_x':'playlist_title','likes_x':_

¬'playlist_like', 'reposts_x': 'playlist_repost', 'year_release_x':
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¬'playlist_year', 'title_y': 'track_title', 'likes_y': 'track_like',

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¬'reposts_y':'track_repost','year_release_y': 'track_year_release', 'name':
□
       [43]: new_data = new_data.drop(columns=['first_2_tracks_id'])
      new data.head()
[43]:
                                            playlist_title
                                                             author_id \
                               ADDICTED TO THE UNDERGROUND
      0
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      2 Beach House Session #169 | Tropical & Chill (F...
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      3 Beach House Session #169 | Tropical & Chill (F...
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                                              BoxFest Hits
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         playlist_like playlist_repost playlist_year
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      2 Beach House Session Guest Mix Presents - Brown...
                                                                383368
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      3 Beach House Session Guest Mix Presents - Chris...
                                                                158093
                                                                              2074
      4 Assembling a top-tier team: Naima Cochrane, Ta...
                                                                               217
                                                                 13139
         track_repost
                       track_year_release
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                                                                 followers
      0
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      0
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      2
               700
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```

Get the pandas profiling report to see all the histogram, interation, correlation and missing value of the data

Summarize dataset: 0% | 0/5 [00:00<?, ?it/s]

/home/van23/.local/lib/python3.8/site-packages/multimethod/__init__.py:315:
FutureWarning: The default value of numeric_only in DataFrame.corr is
deprecated. In a future version, it will default to False. Select only valid
columns or specify the value of numeric_only to silence this warning.
return func(*args, **kwargs)

[45]: <pandas.io.formats.style.Styler at 0x7f3675ba1d90>

From the correlation matrix

Playlist likes and reposts have a high correlation with each others, and also have a high correlation with total plays, playlist tracks likes and reports. The play times, likes, repost of a track is also correlated with each others. So, we can consider that the playlist that contain the tracks with many streams, likes and repost also have high likes and reposts.

The followers of an author is not correlated with any number (likes, reposts, played). So, the follower of an author is not affected by their uploaded tracks.

The track year release has a high correlation with the playlist year release. So, we can consider that most of the playlist is created by the time that the tracks have been released.

The number of tracks uploaded does not correlated with the number of followers. Therefore, uploading more tracks does not help to increase your followers.

0.5 Make a question

0.5.1 Question 1:

After exploring the data, we have a better understanding of the data. Now, let's see if there are any questions that can be answered with this data.

Which song is the most popular, which is the second favorite, which is the third most favorite,...? A song is considered popular by the column "likes" and "reposts". By answering this question will partly help us orient which song is liked and reposted by the most people.

ANSWER:

First, we will group all the tracks that have the same name to calculate the total value of each track

Here is the top 5 tracks by number of plays, likes and reposts

```
[47]: tracks df sum.nlargest(n = 5, columns=['total plays', 'likes', 'reposts'])
[47]:
                                                      author id total plays \
      title
     Lucid Dreams
                                                            755
                                                                   977741268
     XXXTENTACION - Fuck Love (feat. Trippie Redd)
                                                           1169
                                                                   901944396
      I don't wanna do this anymore
                                                           1169
                                                                   559188016
      1.5- XO TOUR Llif3 (Produced By TM88)
                                                             42
                                                                   508994522
      Lil Baby, Gunna - Drip Too Hard
                                                            178
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                                                         likes reposts year_release
      title
      Lucid Dreams
                                                      10985988
                                                                 388303
                                                                                 2018
      XXXTENTACION - Fuck Love (feat. Trippie Redd)
                                                       9493318
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                                                                                 2017
      I don't wanna do this anymore
                                                       6047537
                                                                 346044
                                                                                 2016
      1.5- XO TOUR Llif3 (Produced By TM88)
                                                       5217431
                                                                 315497
                                                                                 2017
     Lil Baby, Gunna - Drip Too Hard
                                                       4241149
                                                                 109244
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```

0.5.2 Question 2:

Which is the author that have the most played, is that author have the most followers?

ANSWER:

We merge 2 dataframe to get the name of authors

```
[48]: aggregation_functions = {'total_plays': 'sum', 'likes': 'sum', 'reposts': 'sum'} author_sum = tracks_df_sum.groupby(tracks_df_sum['author_id']).

aggregate(aggregation_functions)

new_author_sum = author_sum.merge(users_df, how='inner', on='author_id')
```

Top 5 authors that have largest plays, likes and reposts

```
[49]: new_author_sum.nlargest(n = 5, columns=['total_plays', 'likes', 'reposts'])
[49]:
                                                                 name followers \
                total_plays
                                likes reposts
      author id
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                 2303348423
                             26373590
                                       1166130 XXXTENTACION Verified
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                  1483450118 16473303
                                         556054
                                                   Juice WRLD Verified
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      42
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                              9077258
                                         531416 Lil Uzi Vert Verified
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      839
                  682870794
                              3947068
                                        305932
                                                         BTS Verified
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      427
                              6942549
                                                     6IX9INE Verified
                  618912337
                                        252138
                                                                          955000
```

author_id		
1169	0	182
755	72	146
42	0	226
839	2	140
427	1	84

Top 5 authors that have largest followers

[50]:	<pre>users_df.nlargest(n = 5, columns=['followers'])</pre>									
[50]:				name	followers	following	NumTracks			
	author_id									
	774		Big Sean	Verified	9510000	3	229			
	299	Def	Jam Recordings	Verified	8490000	58	76			
	2095		YMCMB-Official	Verified	8460000	4	66			
	1249		WALE	Verified	8320000	5	355			
	301		Pusha T	Verified	8180000	1	162			

We can see that the author have the most played is not the author that have the most followers.

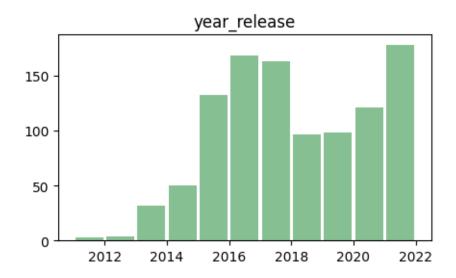
0.5.3 Question 3:

We have seen there are many platforms to upload music nowadays such as Spotify, Youtube, Apple Music, etc. In the last few years SoundCloud always make it proof to be the best platform for musicians, is it still the king now?

By answering this question, we will know whether SoundCloud is still the popular platform for the musicians or not.

ANSWER:

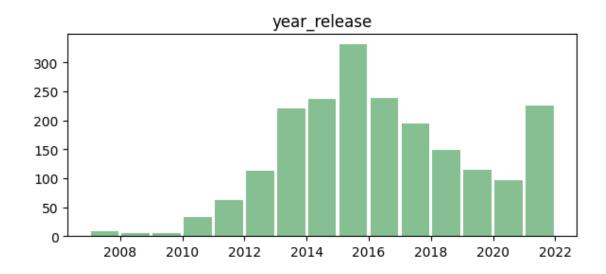
Firstly, we will plot the number of playlist created by years to see how many playlists created each year.



In the "year_release" graph for playlists and tracks, release rates have peaked in between 2016-2018 and 2022. This is really important in 2016, a lot of young artists gained popularity in that time, eg. Lorde, Avicii, Alan Walker (these people might not be in the data, but it is from my personal experience and opinion)

Then, we plot the release year of all tracks from 2007 to now, because the data from the year that lower than 2007 is too small to plot.

```
[52]: %matplotlib inline tracks_df.hist(column='year_release', range=[2007, 2022], bins=15, grid=False, figsize=(16,10), layout=(3,2), sharex=True, color='#86bf91', rwidth=0.9)
```



In the graph for tracks, as the years went, the release rate seems to decrease overtime until in 2022 when many Gen-Z artists underwent a surge in popularity, mainly after the pandemic has alleviated in terms of intensity As for playlists graph, it shared a similar reduction after 2018 but slowly recovered after that.

In overall, from 2 graphs, we can conclude that Soundcloud is still popular with musicians and listeners despite a little bit drop from 2018 to 2021.

0.5.4 Question 4:

We do see the like also effect the viral of the uploaded music, we will check the effect of likes on the music play or not?

ANSWER:

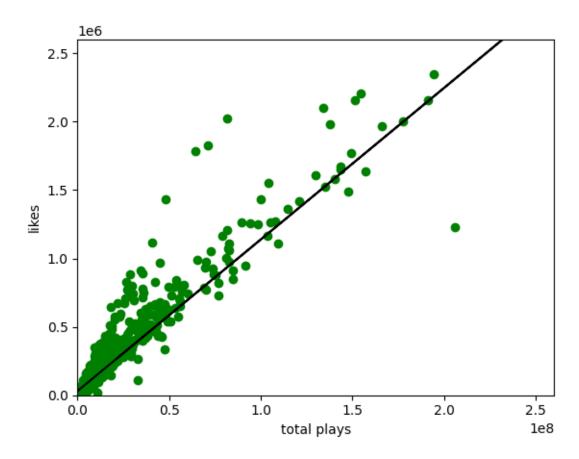
We perform a linear regression model and a interative graph between number of likes and played.

```
[53]: %%capture !pip install sklearn;
```

```
[55]: %matplotlib inline
  regressor = LinearRegression()
  regressor.fit(X_train, y_train)

y_pred = regressor.predict(X_test)
  plt.xlim([0, 260000000])
  plt.ylim([0, 2600000])
  plt.xlabel('total plays')
  plt.ylabel('likes')
  plt.scatter(X_train, y_train,color='g')
  plt.plot(X_test, y_pred,color='k')

plt.show()
```



As the graph above, the number of likes and total plays has a linear combination. The more played on a track, the more likes that track will be received.

0.5.5 Question 5:

Do the songs with 10 million plays come from users with the number of followers above the mean value, which is about 178 thousand followers?

ANSWER:

We get the number of tracks with more than 10 million plays and in that tracks, filter the tracks with above 178 thousand followers.

Number of tracks with more than 10 million plays: 29

Number of tracks with more than 10 million plays and author have above 178 thousand followers: 29

We can see that all the tracks that have more than 10 million plays come from the user with more than 178 thousand followers

0.5.6 Question 6:

So what kind of vibe music titles that the users on SoundCloud usually listen to? Positive vibe or Negative vibe?

ANSWER:

To know that which title is positive or negative, we need a machine learning model to classify the title.

Here we use the distilBERT for English text from hugging face.

Run the model for all data

2022-12-05 21:06:49.684468: I tensorflow/core/platform/cpu_feature_guard.cc:193] This TensorFlow binary is optimized with oneAPI Deep Neural Network Library (oneDNN) to use the following CPU instructions in performance-critical operations: AVX2 AVX_VNNI FMA

To enable them in other operations, rebuild TensorFlow with the appropriate compiler flags.

2022-12-05 21:06:49.787947: I tensorflow/core/util/util.cc:169] oneDNN custom operations are on. You may see slightly different numerical results due to floating-point round-off errors from different computation orders. To turn them off, set the environment variable `TF_ENABLE_ONEDNN_OPTS=0`.

2022-12-05 21:06:49.809748: E tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_blas.cc:2981] Unable to register cuBLAS factory: Attempting to register factory for plugin cuBLAS when one has already been registered

2022-12-05 21:06:50.246638: W

tensorflow/stream_executor/platform/default/dso_loader.cc:64] Could not load dynamic library 'libnvinfer.so.7'; dlerror: libnvinfer.so.7: cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory; LD_LIBRARY_PATH:

:/home/van23/anaconda3/envs/tf/lib/:/home/van23/anaconda3/envs/min_ds-env/lib/ $2022-12-05\ 21:06:50.246739\colon W$

tensorflow/stream_executor/platform/default/dso_loader.cc:64] Could not load

dynamic library 'libnvinfer_plugin.so.7'; dlerror: libnvinfer_plugin.so.7: cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory; LD_LIBRARY_PATH: :/home/van23/anaconda3/envs/tf/lib/:/home/van23/anaconda3/envs/min_ds-env/lib/2022-12-05 21:06:50.246744: W

tensorflow/compiler/tf2tensorrt/utils/py_utils.cc:38] TF-TRT Warning: Cannot dlopen some TensorRT libraries. If you would like to use Nvidia GPU with TensorRT, please make sure the missing libraries mentioned above are installed properly.

2022-12-05 21:06:51.820761: I

tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_gpu_executor.cc:966] could not open file to read NUMA node: /sys/bus/pci/devices/0000:01:00.0/numa_node

Your kernel may have been built without NUMA support.

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tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_gpu_executor.cc:966] could not open file to read NUMA node: /sys/bus/pci/devices/0000:01:00.0/numa_node

Your kernel may have been built without NUMA support.

2022-12-05 21:06:51.828816: I

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(oneDNN) to use the following CPU instructions in performance-critical $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) +\left(1\right) +\left($

operations: AVX2 AVX_VNNI FMA

To enable them in other operations, rebuild TensorFlow with the appropriate compiler flags.

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Your kernel may have been built without NUMA support.

2022-12-05 21:06:51.830569: I

tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_gpu_executor.cc:966] could not open file to read NUMA node: /sys/bus/pci/devices/0000:01:00.0/numa_node

Your kernel may have been built without NUMA support.

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tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_gpu_executor.cc:966] could not open file to read NUMA node: /sys/bus/pci/devices/0000:01:00.0/numa_node

Your kernel may have been built without NUMA support.

2022-12-05 21:06:52.688780: I

tensorflow/core/common_runtime/gpu/gpu_device.cc:1700] Could not identify NUMA

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node of platform GPU id 0, defaulting to 0. Your kernel may not have been built with NUMA support.

2022-12-05 21:06:52.688991: I

tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_gpu_executor.cc:966] could not open file to read NUMA node: /sys/bus/pci/devices/0000:01:00.0/numa_node

Your kernel may have been built without NUMA support.

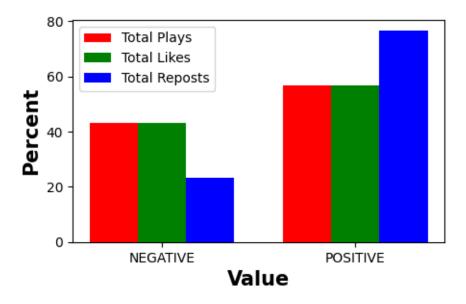
2022-12-05 21:06:52.689040: I

tensorflow/core/common_runtime/gpu/gpu_device.cc:1616] Created device
/job:localhost/replica:0/task:0/device:GPU:0 with 9542 MB memory: -> device: 0, name: NVIDIA GeForce RTX 3060, pci bus id: 0000:01:00.0, compute capability: 8.6

2022-12-05 21:06:54.423085: I tensorflow/stream_executor/cuda/cuda_blas.cc:1614] TensorFloat-32 will be used for the matrix multiplication. This will only be logged once.
```

Calculate the percentage of each type (positive and negative)

Visualize



It is clear that all criterias in the "negative" are all lower than those of "positive".

The gap in "total likes" and "total plays" between "negative" and "positive" is small and similar whilst the "reposts" is a significant one. The "reposts" rate in the right side outnumbered the left side.

This could be due to the habit of SoundCloud users where they usually share/repost tracks from small and minor artists they've been following, not the big ones. Small artists tend to publish their tracks without thinking who would listen to them.