



ML TEAM - WEEK 3

Hey guys, Welcome to the TechOdyssey ML event conducted by [team DCS](#). Here you will be provided with a series of tasks you must complete within the given time. Ready to dip your toes in ml? Let's get started !!

This week's main aim is to get started with a Movie Recommendation System.

Here are your tasks:

1. Write short notes (max 3 lines in your own words) regarding the various types of recommender systems [This is to make sure you guys get familiar with the ground that we will be using moving forward]

2. IMDB's weighted rating :

$$\text{Weighted Rating (WR)} = \left(\frac{v}{v+m} \cdot R \right) + \left(\frac{m}{v+m} \cdot C \right)$$

v is the number of votes for the movie

m is the minimum number of votes required to be listed in the chart

R is the average rating of the film

C is the mean vote across the whole report

We already have v and R present in the data

2.1 Calculate C

[Hint: C is the mean of the `vote_average` column]

2.2. Calculate m (the minimum votes required to be listed in the chart)



[Hint: You can calculate this with the help of the `quantile()` function in python.

Essentially, you will be computing the 90th percentile cutoff,

That is: for a movie to feature in the charts, it must have more votes than at least 90% of the movies in the list.]

2.3 Find movies that have a higher vote-count than 'm'

[Hint: Use the `loc` function on the vote count column]

2.4 Create a python function to calculate the weighted rating using the formula and store that in a new column .

[Hint: You can make use of the `apply` function in pandas to effectively construct the function]

2.5 Sort the dataset using the newly computed Score column and display the top 20 movies with the highest score

[Hint: Use the `sort_values()` function to sort and use the `head()` function to get the top 20 movies]

3. HITS OF ALL TIME recommender system

3.1 Sort the dataset with the help of the popularity column and display the top 10 most popular movies with the help of a bar plot

[Hint: Use the `sort_values` function and use the `plt.barh()` function to print out the bar plot]

THANK YOU!