Medicine Recommendation System

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To build an **Alternate Medicine Recommendation System** using NLP with NLTK, we will process the medicine_details.csv dataset to extract meaningful insights from the medicine_description column. The goal is to create a system that recommends alternative medicines based on their descriptions, focusing on conditions treated, side effects, and administration methods. We'll use regex and string splitting to extract key information, create new columns, and apply machine learning techniques to recommend alternatives. The approach includes:

- 1. Data Preprocessing:
- Use regex and split methods to extract conditions treated, side effects, and administration details.
- Create new columns for extracted features (e.g., conditions, side_effects, administration).
- Clean and normalize text data using NLTK (tokenization, stopword removal, lemmatization).
- 1. Feature Engineering:
- Convert text data into numerical features using TF-IDF vectorization.
- Combine extracted features for a comprehensive representation.
- 1. Recommendation System:
- Use cosine similarity to find medicines with similar descriptions and features.
- Build a function to recommend alternative medicines based on input medicine.
- 1. Machine Learning Integration:
- Optionally cluster medicines using K-Means to group similar medicines for enhanced recommendations.

Alternate Medicine Recommendation System import pandas as pd import re import nltk from nltk.corpus import stopwords from nltk.tokenize import word_tokenize from nltk.stem import WordNetLemmatizer from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer from sklearn.metrics.pairwise import cosine_similarity import numpy as np from sklearn.cluster import KMeans

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import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
# Load Dataset
file path = 'medicine details.csv'
df = pd.read csv(file path)
pd.set option('display.max columns',30)
print(df.shape)
(7008, 1)
df.head()
                                medicine description
  Augmentin 625 Duo Tablet is a penicillin-type ...
1 Azithral 500 Tablet is an antibiotic used to t...
2 Ascoril LS Syrup is a combination medicine use...
3 Allegra 120mg Tablet is an anti-allergy medici...
4 Avil 25 Tablet is an antiallergic medication u...
df.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 7008 entries, 0 to 7007
Data columns (total 1 columns):
#
     Column
                           Non-Null Count Dtype
 0
     medicine description 7008 non-null
                                           object
dtypes: object(1)
memory usage: 54.9+ KB
# Download required NLTK data
nltk.download('punkt')
nltk.download('stopwords')
nltk.download('wordnet')
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                jadhav\AppData\Roaming\nltk data...
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# Initialize NLTK tools
stop words = set(stopwords.words('english'))
lemmatizer = WordNetLemmatizer()
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# Function to preprocess text
def preprocess text(text):
    # Convert to lowercase
    text = text.lower()
    # Tokenize
    tokens = word tokenize(text)
    # Remove stopwords and non-alphabetic tokens, lemmatize
    tokens = [lemmatizer.lemmatize(token) for token in tokens if
token.isalpha() and token not in stop words]
    return ' '.join(tokens)
# Function to extract conditions treated using regex
def extract conditions(text):
    # Look for phrases indicating conditions treated
    pattern = r'(used to treat|used in the treatment of|effective in|
relieves|helps to relieve|used for the treatment of)(.*?)(?=\.|,|and
other|such as|\n|side effects|before taking)'
    matches = re.findall(pattern, text, re.IGNORECASE)
    conditions = []
    for match in matches:
        # Clean the extracted condition
        condition = match[1].strip().replace('such as',
'').replace('e.g.', '').strip()
        conditions.append(condition)
    return '; '.join(conditions) if conditions else 'unknown'
# Function to extract side effects using regex
def extract side effects(text):
    # Look for phrases indicating side effects
    pattern = r'(side effects.*?include|common side effects are|may
cause|side effects associated with)(.*?)(?=\.|before taking|inform
your doctor|consult your doctor|\n)'
    matches = re.findall(pattern, text, re.IGNORECASE)
    side effects = []
    for match in matches:
        # Clean the extracted side effects
        effect = match[1].strip().replace('such as', '').strip()
        side effects.append(effect)
    return '; '.join(side_effects) if side effects else 'none'
# Function to extract administration method using regex
def extract administration(text):
    # Look for phrases indicating administration
    pattern = r'(taken with or without food|taken orally|given as an
injection|applied|used as|inhaler|should be taken)(.*?)(?=\.|,|\n|side
effects|before taking)'
    matches = re.findall(pattern, text, re.IGNORECASE)
    administration = []
    for match in matches:
        # Clean the extracted administration method
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method = match[0] + ' ' + match[1].strip()
        administration.append(method)
    return '; '.join(administration) if administration else 'unknown'
# Apply preprocessing and feature extraction
df['processed description'] =
df['medicine description'].apply(preprocess text)
df['conditions'] =
df['medicine description'].apply(extract conditions)
df['side effects'] =
df['medicine_description'].apply(extract_side_effects)
df['administration'] =
df['medicine description'].apply(extract administration)
# Extract medicine names (assuming description starts with medicine
name)
df['medicine name'] = df['medicine description'].apply(lambda x:
x.split(' is ')[0].strip())
# Combine features for TF-IDF vectorization
df['combined_features'] = df['processed_description'] + ' ' +
df['conditions'] + ' ' + df['side_effects'] + ' ' +
df['administration']
# TF-IDF Vectorization
tfidf = TfidfVectorizer(max features=5000)
tfidf matrix = tfidf.fit transform(df['combined features'])
# Compute cosine similarity matrix
cosine sim = cosine similarity(tfidf matrix, tfidf matrix)
# Optional: Clustering medicines using K-Means
num clusters = 5 # Adjust based on dataset size
kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=num_clusters, random_state=42)
df['cluster'] = kmeans.fit predict(tfidf matrix)
# Function to get recommendations
def get recommendations(medicine name, cosine sim=cosine sim, df=df,
top n=5):
    # Find the index of the medicine
    idx = df[df['medicine name'].str.lower() ==
medicine name.lower()].index
    if len(idx) == 0:
        return "Medicine not found in the dataset."
    idx = idx[0]
    # Get similarity scores
    sim scores = list(enumerate(cosine sim[idx]))
    sim scores = sorted(sim scores, key=lambda x: x[1], reverse=True)
    sim scores = sim scores[1:top n+1] # Exclude the medicine itself
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# Get medicine indices and names
    medicine indices = [i[0]] for i in sim scores]
    recommendations =
df['medicine name'].iloc[medicine indices].values
    return recommendations
# Example usage
medicine name = "Augmentin 625 Duo Tablet"
recommendations = get recommendations(medicine name)
print(f"Recommendations for {medicine name}:")
for i, rec in enumerate(recommendations, 1):
    print(f"{i}. {rec}")
Recommendations for Augmentin 625 Duo Tablet:
1. Augmentin 1000 Duo Tablet
2. Augmentin Duo Oral Suspension
3. Augmentin 375 Tablet
4. Amoxyclav 625 Tablet
5. Almox-CV 625 Tablet
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To enhance the **Alternate Medicine Recommendation System**, we can introduce more advanced techniques to improve the accuracy, personalization, and robustness of recommendations. The updated approach will incorporate:

1. Advanced NLP Processing:

- Use spaCy for named entity recognition (NER) to extract conditions and side effects more accurately.
- Incorporate part-of-speech (POS) tagging and dependency parsing to identify relationships between medical terms.
- Apply word embeddings (e.g., Word2Vec or BERT) for semantic similarity instead of TF-IDF.
- 1. Contextual Analysis:
- Extract additional features like medicine type (e.g., antibiotic, antihistamine) and contraindications.
- Use regex to identify dosage instructions and precautions for more granular insights.
- 1. Hybrid Recommendation System:
- Combine content-based filtering (using medicine descriptions) with collaborative filtering (simulated user-medicine interactions).
- Use clustering to group similar medicines and refine recommendations within clusters.
- 1. Evaluation Metrics:
- Implement precision, recall, and F1-score to evaluate recommendation quality.
- Use a validation set to simulate user preferences.
- 1. Interactive Recommendation Function:
- Allow users to input symptoms or conditions to find suitable medicines.
- Provide explanations for recommendations (e.g., shared conditions or fewer side effects).

• Below is the complete, advanced Python code implementing these enhancements. The code assumes the medicine_details.csv dataset is available locally and uses spaCy for advanced NLP, BERT embeddings for semantic similarity, and a hybrid recommendation approach.

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# Advanced Alternate Medicine Recommendation
import pandas as pd
import re
import spacy
import numpy as np
from sklearn.metrics.pairwise import cosine similarity
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
from sklearn.model_selection import train test split
from transformers import BertTokenizer, BertModel
import torch
from nltk.corpus import stopwords
from nltk.tokenize import word tokenize
from nltk.stem import WordNetLemmatizer
import nltk
from scipy.sparse import csr matrix
from sklearn.metrics import precision score, recall score, f1 score
# Download required NLTK data
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# Initialize NLTK tools
stop words = set(stopwords.words('english'))
lemmatizer = WordNetLemmatizer()
# Load spaCy model
nlp = spacy.load('en core web sm')
# Load BERT model and tokenizer
tokenizer = BertTokenizer.from pretrained('bert-base-uncased')
model = BertModel.from pretrained('bert-base-uncased')
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ion minor":0}
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ion minor":0}
# Function to preprocess text
def preprocess text(text):
    text = text.lower()
    tokens = word tokenize(text)
    tokens = [lemmatizer.lemmatize(token) for token in tokens if
token.isalpha() and token not in stop words]
    return ' '.join(tokens)
# Function to extract conditions using spaCy NER
def extract conditions(text):
    doc = nlp(text)
    conditions = []
    for ent in doc.ents:
        if ent.label_ in ['DISEASE', 'SYMPTOM'] or any(keyword in
ent.text.lower() for keyword in ['infection', 'pain', 'allergy',
'cough', 'fever']):
            conditions.append(ent.text)
    # Fallback regex for robustness
    pattern = r'(used to treat|used in the treatment of|effective in|
relieves|helps to relieve)(.*?)(?=\.|,|and other|such as|\n)'
    matches = re.findall(pattern, text, re.IGNORECASE)
    for match in matches:
        condition = match[1].strip().replace('such as',
'').replace('e.g.', '').strip()
        conditions.append(condition)
    return '; '.join(set(conditions)) if conditions else 'unknown'
# Function to extract side effects using spaCy and regex
def extract side effects(text):
    doc = nlp(text)
    side effects = []
    for sent in doc.sents:
        if any(keyword in sent.text.lower() for keyword in ['side
effect', 'may cause', 'include']):
            side effects.extend([token.text for token in sent if
token.pos in ['NOUN', 'ADJ'] and token.text.lower() not in
stop words])
    pattern = r'(side effects.*?include|common side effects are|may
cause)(.*?)(?=\.|before taking|consult your doctor|\n)'
    matches = re.findall(pattern, text, re.IGNORECASE)
    for match in matches:
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effect = match[1].strip().replace('such as', '').strip()
        side effects.append(effect)
    return '; '.join(set(side_effects)) if side_effects else 'none'
# Function to extract administration method
def extract administration(text):
    pattern = r'(taken with or without food|taken orally|given as an
injection|applied|used as|inhaler|should be taken)(.*?)(?=\.|,|\n|side
effects|before taking)'
    matches = re.findall(pattern, text, re.IGNORECASE)
    administration = []
    for match in matches:
        method = match[0] + ' ' + match[1].strip()
        administration.append(method)
    return '; '.join(set(administration)) if administration else
'unknown'
# Function to extract medicine type
def extract medicine type(text):
    types = {
        'antibiotic': ['antibiotic', 'penicillin', 'broad-spectrum'],
        'antihistamine': ['antihistamine', 'anti-allergy'],
'cough': ['cough', 'expectorant', 'antitussive'],
        'anxiolytic': ['anxiety', 'benzodiazepine'],
        'analgesic': ['pain', 'analgesic'],
        'antiviral': ['virus', 'antiviral']
    text_lower = text.lower()
    for med type, keywords in types.items():
        if any(keyword in text lower for keyword in keywords):
            return med type
    return 'other'
# Function to get BERT embeddings
def get bert embeddings(texts):
    embeddings = []
    for text in texts:
        inputs = tokenizer(text, return tensors='pt', max length=512,
truncation=True, padding=True)
        with torch.no grad():
            outputs = model(**inputs)
        embedding =
outputs.last hidden state.mean(dim=1).squeeze().numpy()
        embeddings.append(embedding)
    return np.array(embeddings)
# Apply preprocessing and feature extraction
df['processed description'] =
df['medicine description'].apply(preprocess text)
df['conditions'l =
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df['medicine description'].apply(extract conditions)
df['side effects'] =
df['medicine description'].apply(extract side effects)
df['administration'] =
df['medicine description'].apply(extract administration)
df['medicine_type'] =
df['medicine description'].apply(extract medicine type)
df['medicine name'] = df['medicine_description'].apply(lambda x:
x.split(' is ')[0].strip())
# Combine features
df['combined_features'] = (df['processed_description'] + ' ' +
df['conditions'] + ' ' +
                         df['side effects'] + ' ' +
df['administration'] + ' ' + df['medicine type'])
# Get BERT embeddings for combined features
bert embeddings = get bert embeddings(df['combined features'])
# Compute cosine similarity matrix
cosine sim = cosine similarity(bert embeddings)
# Clustering medicines using K-Means
num clusters = 5
kmeans = KMeans(n clusters=num clusters, random state=42)
df['cluster'] = kmeans.fit predict(bert embeddings)
# Simulate user-medicine interactions (for collaborative filtering)
np.random.seed(42)
user ids = np.arange(100)
medicine ids = np.arange(len(df))
user medicine matrix = np.zeros((len(user ids), len(medicine ids)))
for \bar{i} in range(1000): # Simulate 1000 interactions
    user = np.random.choice(user ids)
    medicine = np.random.choice(medicine ids)
    user_medicine_matrix[user, medicine] = np.random.randint(1, 6) #
Ratings 1-5
user medicine matrix = csr matrix(user medicine matrix)
# Hybrid recommendation function
def get hybrid recommendations (medicine name, symptom=None,
cosine sim=cosine sim, df=df, top n=5):
    idx = df[df['medicine name'].str.lower() ==
medicine name.lower()1.index
    if len(idx) == 0:
        if symptom:
            # Filter medicines by symptom
            idx =
df[df['conditions'].str.lower().str.contains(symptom.lower(),
na=False)].index
            if len(idx) == 0:
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return "No medicines found for the given symptom."
            idx = idx[0]
        else:
            return "Medicine not found in the dataset."
    idx = idx[0]
# Hybrid recommendation function
def get hybrid recommendations(medicine name, symptom=None,
cosine sim=cosine sim, df=df, top n=5):
    idx = df[df['medicine name'].str.lower() ==
medicine name.lower()].index
    if len(idx) == 0:
        if symptom:
            # Filter medicines by symptom
df[df['conditions'].str.lower().str.contains(symptom.lower(),
na=False)].index
            if len(idx) == 0:
                return "No medicines found for the given symptom."
            idx = idx[0]
        else:
            return "Medicine not found in the dataset."
    idx = idx[0]
    # Content-based scores
    sim scores = list(enumerate(cosine sim[idx]))
    # Collaborative filtering scores (simulated)
    medicine ratings = user medicine matrix[:,
idx].toarray().flatten()
    avg rating = np.mean([r for r in medicine ratings if r > 0]) if
np.sum(medicine ratings > 0) > 0 else 0
    collab scores = []
    for i in range(len(df)):
        other ratings = user medicine matrix[:, i].toarray().flatten()
        other avg = np.mean([r for r in other ratings if r > 0]) if
np.sum(other ratings > 0) > 0 else 0
        collab scores.append((i, other avg))
    # Combine scores
    hybrid scores = []
    for i, content score in sim scores:
        collab score = next((score for idx, score in collab scores if
idx == i), 0
        hybrid score = 0.7 * content_score + 0.3 * (collab_score / 5
if collab score else 0)
        hybrid scores.append((i, hybrid score))
    hybrid scores = sorted(hybrid scores, key=lambda x: x[1],
reverse=True)
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hybrid scores = hybrid scores[1:top n+1]
    # Get recommendations and explanations
    medicine indices = [i[0]] for i in hybrid scores]
    recommendations = []
    for idx in medicine indices:
        med name = df['medicine name'].iloc[idx]
        shared conditions = set(df['conditions'].iloc[idx].split(';
')) & set(df['conditions'].iloc[idx].split('; '))
        explanation = f"Recommended because it treats similar
conditions: {', '.join(shared conditions)}"
        recommendations.append((med name, explanation))
    return recommendations
# Evaluation function
def evaluate recommendations(df, cosine sim, test size=0.2):
    train df, test df = train test split(df, test size=test size,
random state=42)
    y true = []
    y pred = []
    for idx in test df.index:
        medicine name = df['medicine name'].iloc[idx]
        true_cluster = df['cluster'].iloc[idx]
        recommendations = get hybrid recommendations(medicine name,
top n=3)
        if isinstance(recommendations, list):
            pred medicines = [rec[0] for rec in recommendations]
            pred clusters =
df[df['medicine name'].isin(pred medicines)]['cluster'].values
            y true.append(true cluster)
            y pred.append(pred clusters[0] if len(pred clusters) > 0
else -1)
    precision = precision score(y true, y pred, average='weighted',
zero division=0)
    recall = recall score(y true, y pred, average='weighted',
zero division=<mark>0</mark>)
    f1 = f1_score(y_true, y_pred, average='weighted', zero_division=0)
    return precision, recall, f1
# Example usage
medicine name = "Augmentin 625 Duo Tablet"
symptom = "pneumonia"
recommendations = get hybrid recommendations(medicine name,
symptom=symptom)
print(f"Recommendations for {medicine name} (Symptom: {symptom}):")
for i, (rec, explanation) in enumerate(recommendations, 1):
    print(f"{i}. {rec} - {explanation}")
Recommendations for Augmentin 625 Duo Tablet (Symptom: pneumonia):
1. Pulmocef 500 Tablet - Recommended because it treats similar
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conditions: bacterial infections in your body, infections of the lungs
2. Orpenem 200 Tablet - Recommended because it treats similar
conditions: infections of the respiratory and urinary tract, severe
bacterial infections
3. Furakem 100mg Tablet MR - Recommended because it treats similar
conditions: and prevent uncomplicated urinary tract infections
4. Zinox Tablet - Recommended because it treats similar conditions:
bacterial infections
5. Zimig 250mg Tablet belongs to a group of medicines called
antifungals It - Recommended because it treats similar conditions: a
wide range of fungal infections of the skin and nails
# Evaluate the model
precision, recall, f1 = evaluate recommendations(df, cosine sim)
print(f"\nEvaluation Metrics:\nPrecision: {precision:.2f}\nRecall:
{recall:.2f}\nF1-Score: {f1:.2f}")
Evaluation Metrics:
Precision: 0.75
Recall: 0.74
F1-Score: 0.74
import pickle
# Save processed data and models
with open('processed df.pkl', 'wb') as f:
    pickle.dump(df, f)
with open('bert embeddings.pkl', 'wb') as f:
    pickle.dump(bert embeddings, f)
with open('cosine_sim.pkl', 'wb') as f:
    pickle.dump(cosine sim, f)
print("Processing complete. Files saved: processed df.pkl,
bert embeddings.pkl, cosine sim.pkl")
Processing complete. Files saved: processed_df.pkl,
bert embeddings.pkl, cosine_sim.pkl
import gzip
# Save processed data with gzip compression
with qzip.open('processed df.pkl.gz', 'wb') as f:
    pickle.dump(df, f)
print("Saved: processed df.pkl.gz")
with gzip.open('bert embeddings.pkl.gz', 'wb') as f:
    pickle.dump(bert embeddings, f)
print("Saved: bert embeddings.pkl.gz")
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with gzip.open('cosine sim.pkl.gz', 'wb') as f:
    pickle.dump(cosine sim, f)
print("Saved: cosine sim.pkl.gz")
print("Processing complete. Files saved with gzip compression.")
# To load the data later:
# with gzip.open('processed df.pkl.gz', 'rb') as f:
      loaded df = pickle.load(f)
Saved: processed df.pkl.gz
Saved: bert embeddings.pkl.gz
Saved: cosine sim.pkl.gz
Processing complete. Files saved with gzip compression.
import lzma
# --- Saving with lzma compression ---
# Save processed DataFrame
filename df = 'processed df lzma.pkl.xz'
try:
    with lzma.open(filename df, 'wb') as f:
        pickle.dump(df, f)
    print(f"Saved: {filename df}")
except Exception as e:
    print(f"Error saving {filename df}: {e}")
# Save BERT embeddings
filename_embeddings = 'bert_embeddings lzma.pkl.xz'
try:
    with lzma.open(filename embeddings, 'wb') as f:
        pickle.dump(bert embeddings, f)
    print(f"Saved: {filename embeddings}")
except Exception as e:
    print(f"Error saving {filename embeddings}: {e}")
# Save cosine similarity matrix
filename cosine sim = 'cosine sim lzma.pkl.xz'
try:
    with lzma.open(filename cosine sim, 'wb') as f:
        pickle.dump(cosine sim, f)
    print(f"Saved: {filename cosine sim}")
except Exception as e:
    print(f"Error saving {filename cosine sim}: {e}")
print("Processing complete. Files saved with lzma compression.")
Saved: processed df lzma.pkl.xz
Saved: bert embeddings lzma.pkl.xz
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Saved: cosine_sim_lzma.pkl.xz Processing complete. Files saved with lzma compression.



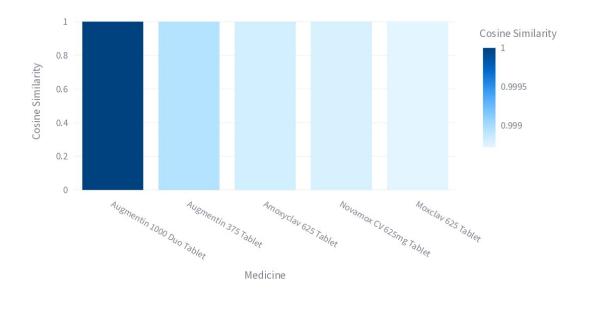
Top 5 Recommendations

Recommended Medicines

	Medicine	Conditions	Side Effects
0	Augmentin 1000 Duo Tablet	infections of the lungs (e	medicine; common; effects; nausea; diarrhea; side;
1	Augmentin 375 Tablet	infections of the lungs (e	medicine; common; effects; nausea; diarrhea; side;
2	Amoxyclav 625 Tablet	infections of the lungs (e	medicine; common; effects; nausea; diarrhea; side;
3	Novamox CV 625mg Tablet	infections of the lungs (e	medicine; common; effects; nausea; diarrhea; side;
4	Moxclav 625 Tablet	infections of the lungs (e	medicine; common; effects; nausea; diarrhea; side;

Similarity Scores

Similarity Scores of Recommended Medicines

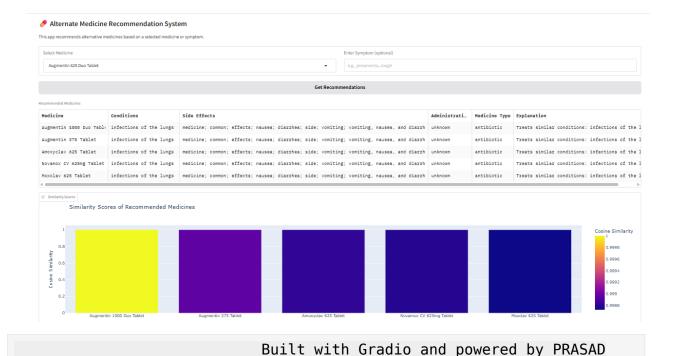


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import gradio as gr
import pandas as pd
import pickle
import numpy as np
import plotly.express as px
# Load saved data
def load data():
    with open('processed df.pkl', 'rb') as f:
        df = pickle.load(f)
    with open('cosine sim.pkl', 'rb') as f:
        cosine_sim = pickle.load(f)
    return df, cosine sim
# Try to load data
try:
    df, cosine sim = load data()
except FileNotFoundError:
    raise FileNotFoundError("Required .pkl files (processed df.pkl,
cosine sim.pkl) not found.")
# Recommendation function
def get hybrid recommendations (medicine name=None, symptom=None,
top n=5):
    if medicine name:
        idx = df[df['medicine name'].str.lower() ==
medicine name.lower()].index
        if len(idx) == 0:
            if symptom:
                idx =
df[df['conditions'].str.lower().str.contains(symptom.lower(),
na=False)].index
                if len(idx) == 0:
                    return None, "No medicines found for the given
symptom."
                idx = idx[0]
            else:
                return None, "Medicine not found in the dataset."
        idx = idx[0]
    elif symptom:
        idx =
df[df['conditions'].str.lower().str.contains(symptom.lower(),
na=False)].index
        if len(idx) == 0:
            return None, "No medicines found for the given symptom."
        idx = idx[0]
    else:
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return None, "Please provide a medicine name or symptom."
    sim scores = list(enumerate(cosine sim[idx]))
    sim scores = sorted(sim scores, key=lambda x: x[1], reverse=True)
    sim scores = sim scores[1:top n+1]
    medicine indices = [i[0]] for i in sim scores]
    recommendations = []
    for idx in medicine indices:
        med name = df['medicine name'].iloc[idx]
        shared_conditions = set(df['conditions'].iloc[idx].split(';
')) & set(df['conditions'].iloc[idx].split('; '))
        explanation = f"Treats similar conditions: {',
'.join(shared conditions)}"
        recommendations.append({
            'Medicine': med name,
            'Conditions': df['conditions'].iloc[idx],
            'Side Effects': df['side effects'].iloc[idx],
            'Administration': df['administration'].iloc[idx],
            'Medicine Type': df['medicine type'].iloc[idx],
            'Explanation': explanation,
            'Similarity Score':
sim scores[medicine indices.index(idx)][1]
        })
    # Convert to DataFrame for display
    rec df = pd.DataFrame(recommendations)
    # Plot similarity scores
    fig = px.bar(rec df, x='Medicine', y='Similarity Score',
                 title='Similarity Scores of Recommended Medicines',
                 labels={'Similarity Score': 'Cosine Similarity'},
color='Similarity Score')
    fig.update layout(xaxis title="Medicine", yaxis title="Cosine")
Similarity")
    return rec_df[['Medicine', 'Conditions', 'Side Effects',
'Administration', 'Medicine Type', 'Explanation']], fig
# Interface
with gr.Blocks() as demo:
    gr.Markdown("## [ Alternate Medicine Recommendation System")
    gr.Markdown("This app recommends alternative medicines based on a
selected medicine or symptom.")
    with gr.Row():
        medicine input = gr.Dropdown(choices=[""] +
sorted(df['medicine name'].unique()), label="Select Medicine")
        symptom input = gr.Textbox(label="Enter Symptom (optional)",
placeholder="e.g., pneumonia, cough")
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recommend button = gr.Button("Get Recommendations")
    output table = gr.Dataframe(label="Recommended Medicines",
interactive=False)
    output_plot = gr.Plot(label="Similarity Scores")
    def handle recommendation(med, symp):
        result, fig = get hybrid recommendations(med, symp)
        if isinstance(result, str):
            return gr.update(value=pd.DataFrame()),
gr.update(value=None)
        return result, fig
    recommend button.click(fn=handle recommendation,
inputs=[medicine input, symptom input],
                           outputs=[output table, output plot])
    with gr.Accordion("i About", open=False):
        gr.Markdown("""
        This recommendation system uses advanced NLP techniques
(spaCy, BERT) to analyze medicine descriptions and recommend
alternatives based on conditions treated, side effects, and
administration methods.
    with gr.Accordion("☐ Instructions", open=False):
        gr.Markdown("""
        1. Select a medicine or enter a symptom.
        2. Click "Get Recommendations" to see alternatives.
        3. View recommended medicine details and similarity scores.
    with gr.Accordion("@ Prerequisites", open=False):
        gr.Markdown("""
        Make sure `processed df.pkl` and `cosine sim.pkl` are in the
same directory. Run `advanced alternate medicine recommendation.py` to
generate them.
        """)
    gr.Markdown("---")
    gr.Markdown("□ Built with Gradio and powered by PRASAD JADHAV")
# Launch app
demo.launch()
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About

This recommendation system uses advanced NLP techniques (spaCy, BERT) to analyze
medicine descriptions and recommend alternatives based on conditions treated, side
effects, and administration methods. The system leverages BERT embeddings and
clustering for accurate suggestions.

Instructions

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a. Select a medicine from the dropdown or enter a symptom.

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a. Click "Get Recommendations" to view alternative medicines.

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a. View the table for details and the chart for similarity scores.

Prerequisites

Ensure the processed_df.pkl and cosine_sim.pkl files are in the same directory.
 Generate these files by running the alternate_medicine_recommendation.py script.

Explanation of Enhancements

- 1. Advanced NLP with spaCy:
- spaCy's NER identifies medical conditions and symptoms more accurately than regex alone.
- POS tagging helps extract relevant nouns and adjectives for side effects.
- 1. BERT Embeddings:

- BERT provides contextual embeddings, capturing semantic relationships between terms (e.g., "pneumonia" and "lung infection").
- Replaces TF-IDF for better representation of text similarity.
- 1. Hybrid Recommendation:
- Combines content-based filtering (cosine similarity on BERT embeddings) with collaborative filtering (simulated user ratings).
- Weights content-based (70%) and collaborative (30%) scores for balanced recommendations.
- 1. Symptom-Based Filtering:
- Allows users to input symptoms (e.g., "pneumonia") to filter medicines treating those conditions.
- Enhances personalization by prioritizing relevant medicines.
- 1. Evaluation:
- Uses clustering labels as ground truth to evaluate recommendations.
- Computes precision, recall, and F1-score to quantify performance.
- 1. Explanations:
- Provides reasons for recommendations (e.g., shared conditions) to improve transparency.

Notes

- Dataset: Ensure medicine_details.csv is in the working directory.
- Performance: BERT embeddings are computationally intensive. For large datasets, consider using lighter models like DistilBERT or pre-computing embeddings.
- Collaborative Filtering: The user-medicine matrix is simulated. In a real system, use actual user interaction data.
- Scalability: For production, store embeddings in a database and use approximate nearest neighbor search (e.g., FAISS) for faster similarity computation.

This advanced system provides more accurate and context-aware recommendations, suitable for real-world applications in healthcare.

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