

Task 3 Group 6 README

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Description of dataset

The dataset used is the output from task 1. The name of the csv file is `Group6_Task_1_Output.csv`. The file contains corrected data by cosine similarity.

Work done

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The following is a list in order of what happens in this program:

- The spark configuration is setup
- A file path to `Group6_Task_1_Output.csv` is read in from the command line
- Useful re-usable functions for accessing dataframes are defined
- The dataframe is randomly split into 80/20 train/test sets
- Columns of vectors are created that will contain features for the networks:
 - a) all features in the dataset
 - b) Only the feature with the highest correlatin as determined in task 2 (specifically `#Bedroom`)
- Two random forest regression models are created using the training data
- The two models and the datasets (training and testing) are exported

Instructions to run program

The cluster is logged into using `ssh USER@hadoop-nn001.cs.okstate.edu`

The output from Task 1 is needed, so it is copied onto the cluster

```
scp Group6_Task_1_Output.csv USER@hadoop-nn001.cs.okstate.edu:/home/USER
```

The file needs to be stored in the hadoop file system:

```
hdfs dfs -copyFromLocal Group6_Task_1_Output.csv /user/USER
```

This file must be executed using `spark-submit`:

```
bin/spark-submit Group6_Task_1_Code.py path/to/Group6_Task_1_Output.csv
```

Discussion of results

There are 4 total outputs for this task:

- `Group6_Task_3_Output_RF_A` - a folder containing the random forest model using all the features
- `Group6_Task_3_Output_RF_B` - a folder containing the random forest model only using the `#Bathroom` feature
- `Group6_Task_3_Output_Test.csv` - The testing data (20% of original dataset)
- `Group6_Task_3_Output_Train.csv` - The training data (80% of the original dataset)