Carrefour hackathon





Final presentation

Subject 1 - Product recommendation

March 22nd, 2021

Agenda





- 1. Exploring the dataset
- 2. Building the model
- 3. Obtained results





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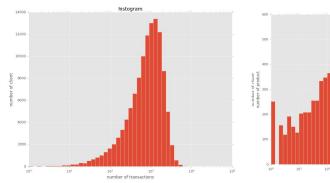
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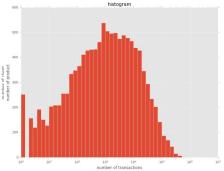


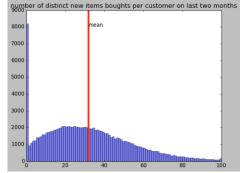


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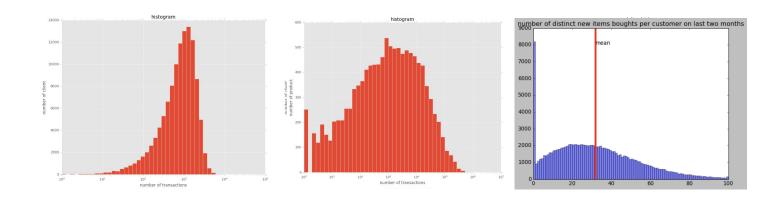




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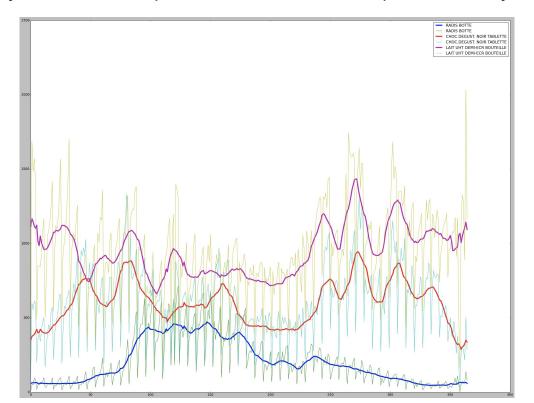






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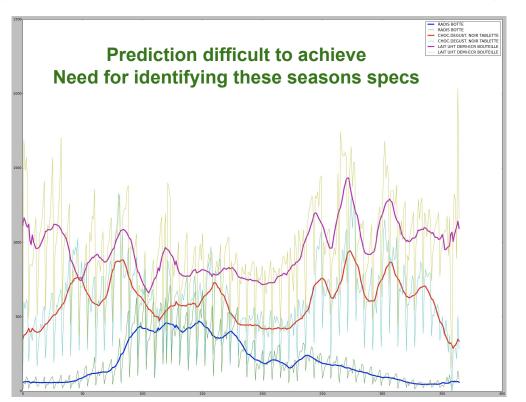






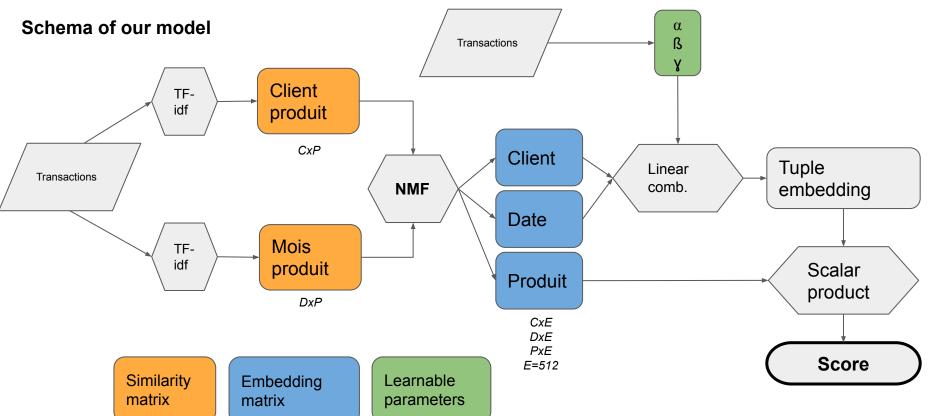
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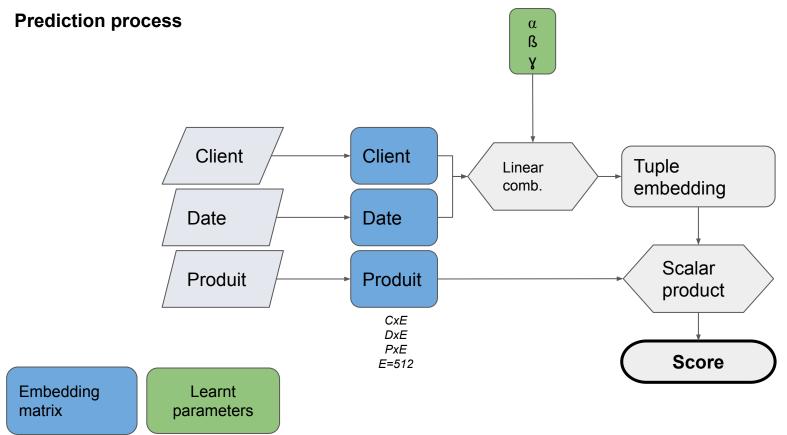






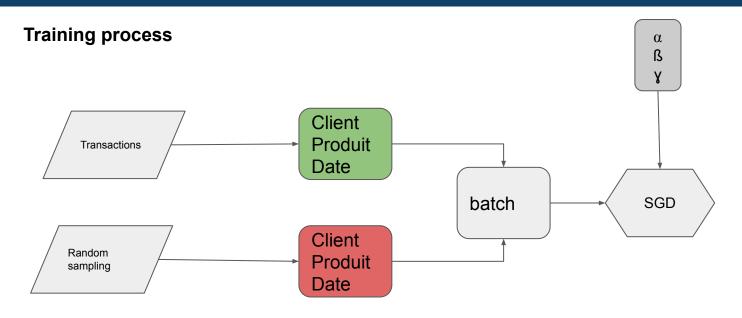












Positive examples

Negative examples





Motivation of using matrix decomposition

- ✓ Using two embeddings gives the user control over the features
- ✓ The model can predict new item to be bought.
- ✓ Handles large amounts of data
- Can be used in a pipeline for other tasks

3. Obtained results





Predictions \ Truth	True	False
True	819 023 = TP	1 413 056 = FP
False	1 587 644 = FN	15 387 875 = TN

Model	Precision	Recall	F1-score
Trained model	0.367	0.340	0.353
"Dumb" model	0.125	1.00	0.222

Computation time: 2 minutes (!)

Conclusion





- Possible improvements: the way we implement similarity matrices can evolve to integrate more features (importance of promotions, current trends of shopping...)
- Overall, a really interesting project, representative of what we can encounter in companies: GCP environment, problematics.
- We think our solution is innovative in its way and scalable
- We would have loved more time to refine our solution.