## Recommendations\_with\_IBM

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### 1 Recommendations with IBM

In this notebook, you will be putting your recommendation skills to use on real data from the IBM Watson Studio platform.

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By following the table of contents, you will build out a number of different methods for making recommendations that can be used for different situations.

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At the end of the notebook, you will find directions for how to submit your work. Let's get started by importing the necessary libraries and reading in the data.

```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
        import numpy as np
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import project_tests as t
        import pickle
        %matplotlib inline
        df = pd.read_csv('data/user-item-interactions.csv')
        df_content = pd.read_csv('data/articles_community.csv')
        del df['Unnamed: 0']
        del df content['Unnamed: 0']
        # Show df to get an idea of the data
        df.head()
Out[1]:
           article_id
                                                                    title \
               1430.0 using pixiedust for fast, flexible, and easier...
       0
        1
               1314.0
                            healthcare python streaming application demo
        2
               1429.0
                              use deep learning for image classification
        3
               1338.0
                               ml optimization using cognitive assistant
               1276.0
                               deploy your python model as a restful api
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email
        0 ef5f11f77ba020cd36e1105a00ab868bbdbf7fe7
        1 083cbdfa93c8444beaa4c5f5e0f5f9198e4f9e0b
        2 b96a4f2e92d8572034b1e9b28f9ac673765cd074
        3 06485706b34a5c9bf2a0ecdac41daf7e7654ceb7
        4 f01220c46fc92c6e6b161b1849de11faacd7ccb2
In [2]: df.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 45993 entries, 0 to 45992
Data columns (total 3 columns):
article id
             45993 non-null float64
title
             45993 non-null object
email
             45976 non-null object
dtypes: float64(1), object(2)
memory usage: 1.1+ MB
In [3]: # Show df_content to get an idea of the data
       df_content.head()
Out[3]:
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        3 Learn how distributed DBs solve the problem of...
        4 This video demonstrates the power of IBM DataS...
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          DataLayer Conference: Boost the performance of...
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        4
               Analyze NY Restaurant data using Spark in DSX
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In [4]: df_content.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 1056 entries, 0 to 1055
Data columns (total 5 columns):
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doc_body 1042 non-null object doc_description 1053 non-null object doc_full_name 1056 non-null object doc_status 1056 non-null object article_id 1056 non-null int64 dtypes: int64(1), object(4) memory usage: 41.3+ KB
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### 1.1.1 Part I: Exploratory Data Analysis

Use the dictionary and cells below to provide some insight into the descriptive statistics of the data.

1. What is the distribution of how many articles a user interacts with in the dataset? Provide a visual and descriptive statistics to assist with giving a look at the number of times each user interacts with an article.

```
In [5]: # number of articles
        print("The number of articles is {}.".format(df.shape[0]))
        # number of contents
        print("The number of contents is {}.".format(df_content.shape[0]))
        # unique articles in data base
        print("The number of unique articles in data base is {}.".format(df.article_id.nunique()
        # missing articles
        for i in list(df.columns):
            print("The number of missing", i ,"is {}.".format(int(df[i].isnull().mean()*df.shape
        # missing articles content
        for i in list(df_content.columns):
            print("The number of missing", i ,"in contents is {}.".format(int(df_content[i].isnu
The number of articles is 45993.
The number of contents is 1056.
The number of unique articles in data base is 714.
The number of missing article_id is 0.
The number of missing title is 0.
The number of missing email is 17.
The number of missing doc_body in contents is 14.
The number of missing doc_description in contents is 3.
The number of missing doc_full_name in contents is 0.
The number of missing doc_status in contents is 0.
The number of missing article_id in contents is 0.
In [6]: # create data for iteration of the users and acticles
```

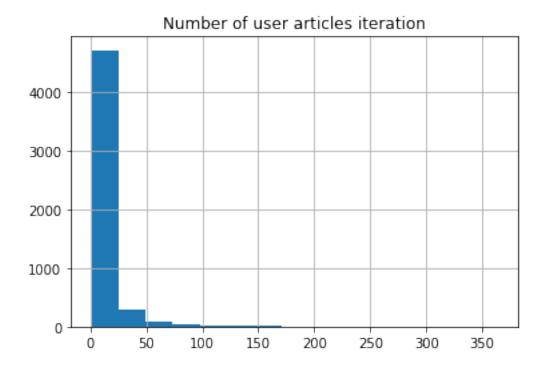
article\_iteration = pd.DataFrame(df.groupby('email')['article\_id'].count().reset\_index()

article\_iteration = article\_iteration.sort\_values(by=['article\_id'], ascending=False)
article\_iteration.head()

Out[6]:		email	article_id
	910	2b6c0f514c2f2b04ad3c4583407dccd0810469ee	364
	2426	77959baaa9895a7e2bdc9297f8b27c1b6f2cb52a	363
	985	2f5c7feae533ce046f2cb16fb3a29fe00528ed66	170
	3312	a37adec71b667b297ed2440a9ff7dad427c7ac85	169
	2680	8510a5010a5d4c89f5b07baac6de80cd12cfaf93	160

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Out[7]: Text(0.5,1,'Number of user articles iteration')



50% of individuals interact with 3.0 number of articles or fewer. The maximum number of user-article interactions by any 1 user is 364.

In [9]: # Fill in the median and maximum number of user\_article interactions below

median\_val = 3 # 50% of individuals interact with \_\_\_\_ number of articles or fewer.

max\_views\_by\_user = 364 # The maximum number of user-article interactions by any 1 user

2. Explore and remove duplicate articles from the **df\_content** dataframe.

```
In [10]: # Find and explore duplicate articles
         print("The number of duplicates in article_id is {}.".format(int(df_content.article_id.
         duplicated_user=list(df_content['article_id'][df_content.duplicated('article_id')])
         print("The articles duplicated are {}".format(duplicated_user))
The number of duplicates in article_id is 5.
The articles duplicated are [50, 221, 398, 577, 232]
In [11]: df_content[df_content['article_id'].isin(duplicated_user)]
Out[11]:
                                                       doc_body \
              Follow Sign in / Sign up Home About Insight Da...
         50
             * United States\r\n\r\nIBMő * Site map\r\n\r\n...
             Homepage Follow Sign in Get started Homepage * . . .
         365 Follow Sign in / Sign up Home About Insight Da...
             Homepage Follow Sign in Get started * Home\r\n...
             This video shows you how to construct queries ...
         692 Homepage Follow Sign in / Sign up Homepage * H...
         761 Homepage Follow Sign in Get started Homepage *...
             This video shows you how to construct queries ...
         971 Homepage Follow Sign in Get started * Home\r\n...
                                                doc_description \
         50
                                   Community Detection at Scale
         221
             When used to make sense of huge amounts of con...
         232 If you are like most data scientists, you are ...
         365
             During the seven-week Insight Data Engineering...
         399
             Todays world of data science leverages data f...
         578 This video shows you how to construct queries ...
         692 One of the earliest documented catalogs was co...
         761 Todays world of data science leverages data f...
         970 This video shows you how to construct queries ...
         971 If you are like most data scientists, you are ...
                                                  doc_full_name doc_status article_id
         50
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         221
              How smart catalogs can turn the big data flood...
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         232
              Self-service data preparation with IBM Data Re...
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             Using Apache Spark as a parallel processing fr...
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             Self-service data preparation with IBM Data Re...
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```

```
In [12]: # Remove any rows that have the same article_id - only keep the first
        df_content = df_content.drop_duplicates('article_id',keep='first')
         # check the process
        print("The number the duplicated is {}".format(df_content.duplicated().sum()))
        print(df_content.shape)
        df_content.head()
The number the duplicated is 0
(1051, 5)
Out[12]:
                                                    doc_body \
        O Skip navigation Sign in SearchLoading...\r\n\r...
        1 No Free Hunch Navigation * kaggle.com\r\n\r\n ...
        2 * Login\r\n * Sign Up\r\n\r\n * Learning Pat...
        3 DATALAYER: HIGH THROUGHPUT, LOW LATENCY AT SCA...
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        4 This video demonstrates the power of IBM DataS...
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               Analyze NY Restaurant data using Spark in DSX
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```

- 3. Use the cells below to find:
- **a.** The number of unique articles that have an interaction with a user.
- **b.** The number of unique articles in the dataset (whether they have any interactions or not). **c.** The number of unique users in the dataset. (excluding null values) **d.** The number of user-article interactions in the dataset.

```
In [13]: # unique articles with users in data contents
    print("The number of unique articles that have an interaction with a user is {}.".forms

#unique articles in the dataset
    print("The number of unique articles in the dataset {}.".format(df_content.shape[0]))

# unique users names in data base
    print("The number of unique users is {}.".format(df.email.nunique()))

# unique number of user-article
    print("The number of user-article interactions in the dataset is {}.".format(df.shape[0])
```

```
The number of unique articles in the dataset 1051.
The number of unique users is 5148.
The number of user-article interactions in the dataset is 45993.
In [14]: unique_articles = 714 # The number of unique articles that have at least one interaction
         total_articles = 1051 # The number of unique articles on the IBM platform
         unique_users = 5148 # The number of unique users
         user_article_interactions = 45993 # The number of user-article interactions
   4. Use the cells below to find the most viewed article_id, as well as how often it was viewed.
After talking to the company leaders, the email_mapper function was deemed a reasonable way to
map users to ids. There were a small number of null values, and it was found that all of these null
values likely belonged to a single user (which is how they are stored using the function below).
In [15]: df.groupby('article_id')['email'].count().sort_values(ascending=False).reset_index().he
Out[15]:
            article_id email
                1429.0
         0
                           937
         1
                1330.0
                           927
         2
                1431.0
                           671
         3
                1427.0
                           643
                1364.0
                           627
In [16]: most_viewed_article_id = '1429.0' # The most viewed article in the dataset as a string w
         max_views = 937 # The most viewed article in the dataset was viewed how many times?
In [17]: ## No need to change the code here - this will be helpful for later parts of the notebo
         # Run this cell to map the user email to a user_id column and remove the email column
         def email_mapper():
             coded_dict = dict()
             cter = 1
             email_encoded = []
             for val in df['email']:
                 if val not in coded_dict:
                      coded_dict[val] = cter
                      cter+=1
                  email_encoded.append(coded_dict[val])
             return email_encoded
         email_encoded = email_mapper()
         del df['email']
         df['user_id'] = email_encoded
         # show header
         df.head()
```

The number of unique articles that have an interaction with a user is 714.

```
Out[17]:
           article_id
                                                                    title user_id
         0
                1430.0 using pixiedust for fast, flexible, and easier...
         1
                1314.0
                             healthcare python streaming application demo
                                                                                 2
         2
                               use deep learning for image classification
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                1429.0
                                ml optimization using cognitive assistant
         3
                1338.0
                                                                                 4
                                deploy your python model as a restful api
         4
                1276.0
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In [18]: ## If you stored all your results in the variable names above,
         ## you shouldn't need to change anything in this cell
         sol_1_dict = {
             '`50% of individuals have ____ or fewer interactions.'': median_val,
             '`The total number of user-article interactions in the dataset is ____.`': user_a
             '`The maximum number of user-article interactions by any 1 user is _____.`': max_v
             '`The most viewed article in the dataset was viewed ____ times.`': max_views,
             '`The article_id of the most viewed article is _____. `': most_viewed_article_id,
             '`The number of unique articles that have at least 1 rating ____.`': unique_artic
             '`The number of unique users in the dataset is _____`': unique_users,
             '`The number of unique articles on the IBM platform`': total_articles
         }
         # Test your dictionary against the solution
         t.sol_1_test(sol_1_dict)
```

It looks like you have everything right here! Nice job!

### 1.1.2 Part II: Rank-Based Recommendations

Unlike in the earlier lessons, we don't actually have ratings for whether a user liked an article or not. We only know that a user has interacted with an article. In these cases, the popularity of an article can really only be based on how often an article was interacted with.

1. Fill in the function below to return the  $\boldsymbol{n}$  top articles ordered with most interactions as the top. Test your function using the tests below.

```
INPUT:
             n - (int) the number of top articles to return
             df - (pandas dataframe) df as defined at the top of the notebook
             OUTPUT:
             top_articles - (list) A list of the top 'n' article titles
             111
             # Your code here
             #create a list of the top 5 titles
             top_articles = list(df.groupby('title')['user_id'].count().sort_values(ascending=Fa
             return top_articles # Return the top article titles from df (not df_content)
         def get_top_article_ids(n, df=df):
             111
             INPUT:
             n - (int) the number of top articles to return
             df - (pandas dataframe) df as defined at the top of the notebook
             OUTPUT:
             top_articles - (list) A list of the top 'n' article titles
             # Your code here
             # create a list of the top article id
             top_articles = list(df.groupby('article_id')['title'].count().sort_values(ascending
             return top_articles # Return the top article ids
In [22]: print(get_top_articles(10))
         print(get_top_article_ids(10))
['use deep learning for image classification', 'insights from new york car accident reports', 'w
[1429.0, 1330.0, 1431.0, 1427.0, 1364.0, 1314.0, 1293.0, 1170.0, 1162.0, 1304.0]
In [23]: # Test your function by returning the top 5, 10, and 20 articles
         top_5 = get_top_articles(5)
         top_10 = get_top_articles(10)
         top_20 = get_top_articles(20)
         # Test each of your three lists from above
         t.sol_2_test(get_top_articles)
Your top_5 looks like the solution list! Nice job.
Your top_10 looks like the solution list! Nice job.
Your top_20 looks like the solution list! Nice job.
```

### 1.1.3 Part III: User-User Based Collaborative Filtering

- 1. Use the function below to reformat the **df** dataframe to be shaped with users as the rows and articles as the columns.
  - Each **user** should only appear in each **row** once.
  - Each **article** should only show up in one **column**.
  - If a user has interacted with an article, then place a 1 where the user-row meets for that article-column. It does not matter how many times a user has interacted with the article, all entries where a user has interacted with an article should be a 1.
  - If a user has not interacted with an item, then place a zero where the user-row meets for that article-column.

Use the tests to make sure the basic structure of your matrix matches what is expected by the solution.

In [24]: df.groupby(['user\_id', 'article\_id'])['title'].count().unstack().head() Out[24]: article\_id 0.0 2.0 4.0 8.0 9.0 12.0 14.0 15.0 user\_id 1 NaN NaN NaN NaNNaNNaNNaNNaN2 NaNNaN NaNNaN NaNNaN NaNNaN3 NaN NaNNaN 1.0 NaN NaNNaNNaN4 NaN NaNNaNNaN NaN NaNNaN NaN5 NaNNaN NaN NaN NaN NaN NaNNaN1435.0 1436.0 1437.0 1439.0 article\_id 16.0 18.0 1434.0 . . . user\_id NaN NaNNaN1.0 NaN1.0 1 NaN2 NaN NaNNaN NaN NaN NaN NaN3 NaNNaN NaNNaN ${\tt NaN}$ 1.0 NaN4 NaNNaNNaN. . . NaN NaN NaN NaN 5 NaN  ${\tt NaN}$ NaNNaN NaN NaN NaN. . . article\_id 1440.0 1441.0 1442.0 1443.0 1444.0 user\_id 1 NaN NaN NaN NaN NaN 2 NaN NaN NaN NaN NaN 3 NaN NaN NaN NaN NaN 4 NaN NaN NaNNaN NaN 5 NaNNaN NaN NaN NaN

def create\_user\_item\_matrix(df):

In [25]: # create the user-article matrix with 1's and 0's

[5 rows x 714 columns]

```
I = I
             INPUT:
             df - pandas dataframe with article_id, title, user_id columns
             OUTPUT:
             user_item - user item matrix
             Description:
             Return a matrix with user ids as rows and article ids on the columns with 1 values
             an article and a 0 otherwise
             # Fill in the function here
             # create matrix
             user_item = df.groupby(['user_id', 'article_id'])['title'].count().unstack()
             # fill nan with 0
             user_item = user_item.fillna(0)
             #change type
             user_item = user_item.astype('int')
             #put all iteration with 1
             user_item[user_item >1] = 1
             return user_item # return the user_item matrix
         user_item = create_user_item_matrix(df)
In [26]: ## Tests: You should just need to run this cell. Don't change the code.
         assert user_item.shape[0] == 5149, "Oops! The number of users in the user-article matr
         assert user_item.shape[1] == 714, "Oops! The number of articles in the user-article ma
         assert user_item.sum(axis=1)[1] == 36, "Oops! The number of articles seen by user 1 do
         print("You have passed our quick tests! Please proceed!")
You have passed our quick tests! Please proceed!
```

2. Complete the function below which should take a user\_id and provide an ordered list of the most similar users to that user (from most similar to least similar). The returned result should not contain the provided user\_id, as we know that each user is similar to him/herself. Because the results for each user here are binary, it (perhaps) makes sense to compute similarity as the dot product of two users.

Use the tests to test your function.

```
OUTPUT:
             similar_users - (list) an ordered list where the closest users (largest dot product
                             are listed first
             Description:
             Computes the similarity of every pair of users based on the dot product
             Returns an ordered
             # compute similarity of each user to the provided user
             similarity = user_item.dot(user_item.loc[user_id])
             # sort by similarity
             similarity_sort = similarity.sort_values(ascending=False)
             # create list of just the ids
             most_similar_users = list(similarity_sort.index)
             # remove the own user's id
             most_similar_users.remove(user_id)
             return most_similar_users # return a list of the users in order from most to least
In [28]: # Do a spot check of your function
         print("The 10 most similar users to user 1 are: {}".format(find_similar_users(1)[:10]))
         print("The 5 most similar users to user 3933 are: {}".format(find_similar_users(3933)[:
         print("The 3 most similar users to user 46 are: {}".format(find_similar_users(46)[:3]))
The 10 most similar users to user 1 are: [3933, 23, 3782, 203, 4459, 131, 3870, 46, 4201, 5041]
The 5 most similar users to user 3933 are: [1, 23, 3782, 4459, 203]
The 3 most similar users to user 46 are: [4201, 23, 3782]
```

3. Now that you have a function that provides the most similar users to each user, you will want to use these users to find articles you can recommend. Complete the functions below to return the articles you would recommend to each user.

```
def get_user_articles(user_id, user_item=user_item):
   INPUT:
    user_id - (int) a user id
    user_item - (pandas dataframe) matrix of users by articles:
                1's when a user has interacted with an article, 0 otherwise
    OUTPUT:
    article_ids - (list) a list of the article ids seen by the user
    article_names - (list) a list of article names associated with the list of article
                    (this is identified by the doc_full_name column in df_content)
    Description:
    Provides a list of the article_ids and article titles that have been seen by a user
    # Your code here
    #crete a list of article id
    article_ids = user_item.loc[user_id]
    article_ids = [str(name_id)for name_id in article_ids[article_ids==1].index]
    #create a list of article names
    article_names = get_article_names(article_ids)
    return article_ids, article_names # return the ids and names
def user_user_recs(user_id, m=10):
    111
   INPUT:
   user_id - (int) a user id
   m - (int) the number of recommendations you want for the user
    OUTPUT:
    recs - (list) a list of recommendations for the user
   Description:
   Loops through the users based on closeness to the input user_id
   For each user - finds articles the user hasn't seen before and provides them as rec
    Does this until m recommendations are found
   Notes:
    Users who are the same closeness are chosen arbitrarily as the 'next' user
    For the user where the number of recommended articles starts below m
    and ends exceeding m, the last items are chosen arbitrarily
```

```
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             # Your code here
             # use the function a get the article id
             user_articles = pd.Series(get_user_articles(user_id)[0])
             # use the fuctiona a get the users id
             similar_user = find_similar_users(user_id)
             #iterate for recommentation for users
             recs_total = list(df[df['user_id'].isin(similar_user)]['article_id'].astype('str'))
             recs = pd.Series([x for x in recs_total if x not in user_articles])
             recs = list(set(recs))[:m]
             return recs # return your recommendations for this user_id
In [30]: # Check Results
         get_article_names(user_user_recs(1, 10)) # Return 10 recommendations for user 1
Out[30]: ['airbnb data for analytics: paris calendar',
          'analyze precipitation data',
          'announcing dsx environments in beta!',
          'building custom machine learning algorithms with apache systemml',
          'finding optimal locations of new store using decision optimization',
          'how can data scientists collaborate to build better business',
          'migrating to python 3 with pleasure',
          'this week in data science (april 4, 2017)',
          'this week in data science (august 02, 2016)',
          'working interactively with rstudio and notebooks in dsx']
In [31]: # Test your functions here - No need to change this code - just run this cell
         assert set(get_article_names(['1024.0', '1176.0', '1305.0', '1314.0', '1422.0', '1427.0']
         assert set(get_article_names(['1320.0', '232.0', '844.0'])) == set(['housing (2015): ur
         assert set(get_user_articles(20)[0]) == set(['1320.0', '232.0', '844.0'])
         assert set(get_user_articles(20)[1]) == set(['housing (2015): united states demographic
         assert set(get_user_articles(2)[0]) == set(['1024.0', '1176.0', '1305.0', '1314.0', '14
         assert set(get_user_articles(2)[1]) == set(['using deep learning to reconstruct high-re
         print("If this is all you see, you passed all of our tests! Nice job!")
```

If this is all you see, you passed all of our tests! Nice job!

- 4. Now we are going to improve the consistency of the **user\_user\_recs** function from above.
- Instead of arbitrarily choosing when we obtain users who are all the same closeness to a given user choose the users that have the most total article interactions before choosing those with fewer article interactions.
- Instead of arbitrarily choosing articles from the user where the number of recommended articles starts below m and ends exceeding m, choose articles with the articles with the most total interactions before choosing those with fewer total interactions. This ranking should be what would be obtained from the **top\_articles** function you wrote earlier.

```
In [78]: def get_top_sorted_users(user_id, df=df, user_item=user_item):
             INPUT:
             user_id - (int)
             df - (pandas dataframe) df as defined at the top of the notebook
             user_item - (pandas dataframe) matrix of users by articles:
                     1's when a user has interacted with an article, 0 otherwise
             OUTPUT:
             neighbors_df - (pandas dataframe) a dataframe with:
                             neighbor_id - is a neighbor user_id
                             similarity - measure of the similarity of each user to the provided
                             num_interactions - the number of articles viewed by the user - if a
             Other Details - sort the neighbors_df by the similarity and then by number of inter
                             highest of each is higher in the dataframe
             I = I
             # Your code here
             #create the dataframe
             neighbors_df = pd.DataFrame(columns=['neighbor_id', 'similarity', 'num_interactions
             #define user
             neighbors_df['neighbor_id'] = user_item.index
             #define most iterations
             neighbors_df['similarity'] = user_item.dot(user_item.loc[user_id]).values
             #the number of acticles viewed
             interactions = df.groupby('user_id')['article_id'].count()
             neighbors_df['num_interactions'] = neighbors_df.neighbor_id.apply(lambda x: interac
             neighbors_df = neighbors_df[neighbors_df.neighbor_id != user_id]
             neighbors_df.sort_values(by=['similarity', 'num_interactions'], ascending=[False,False]
             return neighbors_df # Return the dataframe specified in the doc_string
         def user_user_recs_part2(user_id, m=10):
             INPUT:
             user_id - (int) a user id
             m - (int) the number of recommendations you want for the user
             OUTPUT:
             recs - (list) a list of recommendations for the user by article id
             rec_names - (list) a list of recommendations for the user by article title
             Description:
             Loops through the users based on closeness to the input user_id
```

```
Does this until m recommendations are found
             Notes:
             * Choose the users that have the most total article interactions
             before choosing those with fewer article interactions.
             * Choose articles with the articles with the most total interactions
             before choosing those with fewer total interactions.
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             # Your code here
             #qet user actiles
             user_articles = get_user_articles(user_id)[0]
             top_neighbors = list(get_top_sorted_users(user_id)['neighbor_id'].values)
             recs = np.array([])
             for user in top_neighbors:
                 other_user_articles = get_user_articles(user, user_item)[0]
                 new_recs = np.setdiff1d(other_user_articles, user_articles, assume_unique=True)
                 recs = np.unique(np.concatenate([new_recs, recs], axis=0))
                 if len(recs) >= m:
                     break
             recs = list(recs[:m])
             rec_names = get_article_names(recs)
             return recs, rec_names
In [79]: # Quick spot check - don't change this code - just use it to test your functions
         rec_ids, rec_names = user_user_recs_part2(20, 10)
         print("The top 10 recommendations for user 20 are the following article ids:")
         print(rec_ids)
         print()
         print("The top 10 recommendations for user 20 are the following article names:")
         print(rec_names)
The top 10 recommendations for user 20 are the following article ids:
['1024.0', '1085.0', '109.0', '1150.0', '1151.0', '1152.0', '1153.0', '1154.0', '1157.0', '1160.
The top 10 recommendations for user 20 are the following article names:
['airbnb data for analytics: chicago listings', 'airbnb data for analytics: venice calendar', 'a
```

For each user - finds articles the user hasn't seen before and provides them as rec

5. Use your functions from above to correctly fill in the solutions to the dictionary below. Then

test your dictionary against the solution. Provide the code you need to answer each following the comments below.

```
In [80]: print(get_top_sorted_users(1).head(1))
         print(get_top_sorted_users(131).head(10))
      neighbor_id similarity num_interactions
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      neighbor_id similarity
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In [35]: ### Tests with a dictionary of results
         user1_most_sim = 3933 # Find the user that is most similar to user 1
         user131_10th_sim = 242 # Find the 10th most similar user to user 131
In [36]: ## Dictionary Test Here
         sol_5_dict = {
             'The user that is most similar to user 1.': user1_most_sim,
             'The user that is the 10th most similar to user 131': user131_10th_sim,
         }
         t.sol_5_test(sol_5_dict)
This all looks good! Nice job!
```

6. If we were given a new user, which of the above functions would you be able to use to make recommendations? Explain. Can you think of a better way we might make recommendations? Use the cell below to explain a better method for new users.

This project considered two types of recommendations systems, for the case that we need to do a recomendation for new users, the best approach is using rank-based, beause it is a new user does not have iterations with the data base. For that we have to use a ranked-Based recommendation system

7. Using your existing functions, provide the top 10 recommended articles you would provide for the a new user below. You can test your function against our thoughts to make sure we are all on the same page with how we might make a recommendation.

```
In [37]: new_user = '0.0'
```

```
# What would your recommendations be for this new user '0.0'? As a new user, they have
# Provide a list of the top 10 article ids you would give to
new_user_recs = [str(id_user) for id_user in get_top_article_ids(10)] # Your recommendation
In [38]: assert set(new_user_recs) == set(['1314.0','1429.0','1293.0','1427.0','1162.0','1364.0']
print("That's right! Nice job!")
That's right! Nice job!
```

### 1.1.4 Part IV: Content Based Recommendations (EXTRA - NOT REQUIRED)

Another method we might use to make recommendations is to perform a ranking of the highest ranked articles associated with some term. You might consider content to be the **doc\_body**, **doc\_description**, or **doc\_full\_name**. There isn't one way to create a content based recommendation, especially considering that each of these columns hold content related information.

1. Use the function body below to create a content based recommender. Since there isn't one right answer for this recommendation tactic, no test functions are provided. Feel free to change the function inputs if you decide you want to try a method that requires more input values. The input values are currently set with one idea in mind that you may use to make content based recommendations. One additional idea is that you might want to choose the most popular recommendations that meet your 'content criteria', but again, there is a lot of flexibility in how you might make these recommendations.

# 1.1.5 This part is NOT REQUIRED to pass this project. However, you may choose to take this on as an extra way to show off your skills.

2. Now that you have put together your content-based recommendation system, use the cell below to write a summary explaining how your content based recommender works. Do you see any possible improvements that could be made to your function? Is there anything novel about your content based recommender?

# 1.1.6 This part is NOT REQUIRED to pass this project. However, you may choose to take this on as an extra way to show off your skills.

### Write an explanation of your content based recommendation system here.

3. Use your content-recommendation system to make recommendations for the below scenarios based on the comments. Again no tests are provided here, because there isn't one right answer that could be used to find these content based recommendations.

# 1.1.7 This part is NOT REQUIRED to pass this project. However, you may choose to take this on as an extra way to show off your skills.

In [ ]: # make recommendations for a brand new user

# make a recommendations for a user who only has interacted with article id '1427.0'

#### 1.1.8 Part V: Matrix Factorization

In this part of the notebook, you will build use matrix factorization to make article recommendations to the users on the IBM Watson Studio platform.

1. You should have already created a **user\_item** matrix above in **question 1** of **Part III** above. This first question here will just require that you run the cells to get things set up for the rest of **Part V** of the notebook.

```
In [39]: # Load the matrix here
         user_item_matrix = pd.read_pickle('user_item_matrix.p')
In [40]: # quick look at the matrix
         user_item_matrix.head()
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2. In this situation, you can use Singular Value Decomposition from numpy on the user-item matrix. Use the cell to perform SVD, and explain why this is different than in the lesson.

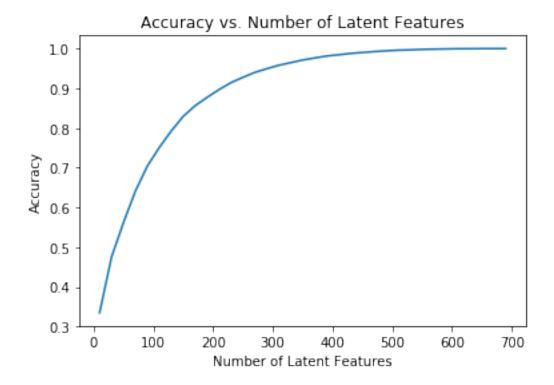
[5 rows x 714 columns]

```
In [41]: # Perform SVD on the User-Item Matrix Here
u, s, vt = np.linalg.svd(user_item_matrix) # use the built in to get the three matrices
```

We can use SVD bescause we do not have NaN values and this project we do not have any rankings in the information we have the posibility of articles, if the article has more that one iterartion we considered that just have 1 and all the NaN values take a 0.

3. Now for the tricky part, how do we choose the number of latent features to use? Running the below cell, you can see that as the number of latent features increases, we obtain a lower error rate on making predictions for the 1 and 0 values in the user-item matrix. Run the cell below to get an idea of how the accuracy improves as we increase the number of latent features.

```
In [42]: num_latent_feats = np.arange(10,700+10,20)
         sum_errs = []
         for k in num_latent_feats:
             # restructure with k latent features
             s_new, u_new, vt_new = np.diag(s[:k]), u[:, :k], vt[:k, :]
             # take dot product
             user_item_est = np.around(np.dot(np.dot(u_new, s_new), vt_new))
             # compute error for each prediction to actual value
             diffs = np.subtract(user_item_matrix, user_item_est)
             # total errors and keep track of them
             err = np.sum(np.sum(np.abs(diffs)))
             sum_errs.append(err)
         plt.plot(num_latent_feats, 1 - np.array(sum_errs)/df.shape[0]);
         plt.xlabel('Number of Latent Features');
         plt.ylabel('Accuracy');
         plt.title('Accuracy vs. Number of Latent Features');
```



4. From the above, we can't really be sure how many features to use, because simply having a better way to predict the 1's and 0's of the matrix doesn't exactly give us an indication of if we are able to make good recommendations. Instead, we might split our dataset into a training and test set of data, as shown in the cell below.

Use the code from question 3 to understand the impact on accuracy of the training and test sets of data with different numbers of latent features. Using the split below:

- How many users can we make predictions for in the test set?
- How many users are we not able to make predictions for because of the cold start problem?
- How many articles can we make predictions for in the test set?
- How many articles are we not able to make predictions for because of the cold start problem?

```
(unique users for each row and unique articles for each column)
             user_item_test - a user-item matrix of the testing dataframe
                             (unique users for each row and unique articles for each column)
             test\_idx - all of the test user ids
             test_arts - all of the test article ids
             111
             # Your code here
             user_item_train = create_user_item_matrix(df_train)
             user_item_test = create_user_item_matrix(df_test)
             test_idx = user_item_test.index.values
             test_arts = user_item_test.columns.values
             return user_item_train, user_item_test, test_idx, test_arts
         user_item_train, user_item_test, test_idx, test_arts = create_test_and_train_user_item(
In [44]: #print train shape
         print("The train matrix is {}.".format(user_item_train.shape))
         #print test shape
         print("The test matrix is {}.".format(user_item_test.shape))
         # print prediction
         print("The number of predictions {}.".format(len(pd.Series(x for x in user_item_train.i
The train matrix is (4487, 714).
The test matrix is (682, 574).
The number of predictions 20.
In [45]: # Replace the values in the dictionary below
        a = 662
         b = 574
         c = 20
         d = 0
         sol_4_dict = {
             'How many users can we make predictions for in the test set?': c, # letter here,
             'How many users in the test set are we not able to make predictions for because of
             'How many articles can we make predictions for in the test set?':b, # letter here,
             'How many articles in the test set are we not able to make predictions for because
         }
         t.sol_4_test(sol_4_dict)
```

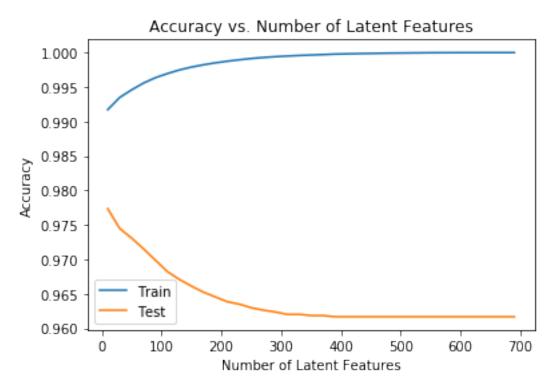
Awesome job! That's right! All of the test articles are in the training data, but there are or

5. Now use the **user\_item\_train** dataset from above to find U, S, and V transpose using SVD. Then find the subset of rows in the **user\_item\_test** dataset that you can predict using this matrix decomposition with different numbers of latent features to see how many features makes sense to keep based on the accuracy on the test data. This will require combining what was done in questions 2 - 4.

Use the cells below to explore how well SVD works towards making predictions for recommendations on the test data.

```
In [46]: # fit SVD on the user_item_train matrix
         u_train, s_train, vt_train = np.linalg.svd(user_item_train) # fit svd similar to above
In [47]: # Use these cells to see how well you can use the training
         # decomposition to predict on test data
         decom_idx_train = user_item_train.index.isin(test_idx)
         decom_cols_train = user_item_train.columns.isin(test_arts)
In [48]: #define U test
        u_test = u_train[decom_idx_train,:]
         #Define VT test
         vt_test = vt_train[:,decom_cols_train]
In [49]: train_idx = user_item_train.index
         decom_idx = list(set(train_idx)&set(test_idx))
         decom_cols = user_item_train.columns.intersection(test_arts)
         user_item_test = user_item_test.loc[decom_idx]
In [50]: num_latent_feats = np.arange(10,700+10,20)
         sum_train_errs = []
         sum_test_errs = []
         for k in num_latent_feats:
             # restructure with k latent features
             s_new_train, u_new_train, vt_new_train = np.diag(s_train[:k]), u_train[:, :k], vt_t
             u_new_test, vt_new_test = u_test[:, :k], vt_test[:k, :]
             # take dot product
             user_item_train_pred = np.around(np.dot(np.dot(u_new_train, s_new_train), vt_new_tr
             user_item_test_pred = np.around(np.dot(np.dot(u_new_test, s_new_train), vt_new_test
             # compute error for each prediction to actual value
             diffs_train = np.subtract(user_item_train, user_item_train_pred)
             diffs_test = np.subtract(user_item_test, user_item_test_pred)
             # total errors and keep track of them
             err_train = np.sum(np.sum(np.abs(diffs_train)))
             sum_train_errs.append(err_train)
             err_test = np.sum(np.sum(np.abs(diffs_test)))
             sum_test_errs.append(err_test)
```

```
plt.plot(num_latent_feats, 1 - np.array(sum_train_errs)/(user_item_train.shape[0]*user_
plt.plot(num_latent_feats, 1 - np.array(sum_test_errs)/(user_item_test.shape[0]*user_it
plt.xlabel('Number of Latent Features');
plt.ylabel('Accuracy');
plt.title('Accuracy vs. Number of Latent Features');
plt.legend();
```



6. Use the cell below to comment on the results you found in the previous question. Given the circumstances of your results, discuss what you might do to determine if the recommendations you make with any of the above recommendation systems are an improvement to how users currently find articles?

Using ranked base we make recommendation system has good fitting and good accuracy over the number the latent features be in near to 1 we can see that in the blue line for train. Otherwise the test does not have the same behavior because over new features loss acurrancy and create a gap between train in test that happens because we have a small database and just with implement a SVD right away that wil produce a increible model and performance from in it. This means that we need a combination of ranked base system and a colaborative filter recomendation for give a good perfomance model for new users and also for right now users this make that have a well recommendation.

If we implement a A/B test as we did in the sofware example in the lessons. That will give new features also create new features base en scale of ranking(1-5) base on the usefull of the article. Also cookies can help base in the click that a users do and the time spend in each article. This could increase the accurancy that it is a good metric for this kind of exercises

### Extras Using your workbook, you could now save your recommendations for each user, develop a class to make new predictions and update your results, and make a flask app to deploy your results. These tasks are beyond what is required for this project. However, from what you learned in the lessons, you certainly capable of taking these tasks on to improve upon your work here!

#### 1.2 Conclusion

Congratulations! You have reached the end of the Recommendations with IBM project!

**Tip**: Once you are satisfied with your work here, check over your report to make sure that it is satisfies all the areas of the <u>rubric</u>. You should also probably remove all of the "Tips" like this one so that the presentation is as polished as possible.

### 1.3 Directions to Submit

Before you submit your project, you need to create a .html or .pdf version of this note-book in the workspace here. To do that, run the code cell below. If it worked correctly, you should get a return code of 0, and you should see the generated .html file in the workspace directory (click on the orange Jupyter icon in the upper left).

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