Espotifai

Automatic Playlist Recommender

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GitHub Repository

1 Project statement

Question: Which song should we recommend based on a playlist and user or context information? We can define playlist as a sequence of tracks (audio recordings). In this project we aim to study the playlist generation problem, that is, given a pool of tracks, a background knowledge about the user, and some metadata of songs and playlists, the goal is to create a sequence of tracks that satisfies some target as best as possible. The notebooks, scripts and work can be found in our repository.

2 The Datasets

In order to obtain user information, we generated a list of usernames in a networked way. We visited the Last.fm webpage of several artists and considered three random users in the top listenings from three different coutries: Brazil, USA and United Kingdom. Using only these usernames, through the command python generate_lastfm_users.py, we get additional Last.fm usernames using the user.getFriends method. With some loops, we can get the network (or part of it). It's possible to have some bias, unknown yet.

- 2.1 Spotify Database
- 2.2 Last.fm Database
- 3 Gained Insights
- 4 Baseline Model