

This repository contains a Python script that implements a **hybrid content-based recommendation system** for music. It combines:

- **KMeans clustering** to group songs with similar overall characteristics.
- **K-Nearest Neighbors (KNN)** in embedding space (EffNet or Maest) to find the most similar songs within the same cluster.

It also includes an **interactive visualization** using t-SNE and Plotly to explore recommendations visually.

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- Uses either **EffNet** or **Maest** embeddings.
- Clusters all songs using **KMeans** (with customizable k).
- For a given song (by artist & title), finds the **N most similar songs** in the same cluster using **cosine** or **Euclidean** distance.

Visualizes recommendations in 2D using t-SNE and Plotly.

Requirements

Install dependencies (if not already installed):

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pip install numpy pandas scikit-learn plotly
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* How to Use

1. Open and edit the top of the script to configure:

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model = "maest"  # Choose between "effnet" or "maest"
song_name = "Jenifer"  # Song title
Artist_name = "Els_Catarres"  # Artist name
k = 4  # Number of KMeans clusters
metric = "euclidean"  # "cosine" or "euclidean"
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2. Then run the script:

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python Recommendator.py

- 3. You'll get:
 - A printed DataFrame of the top recommended songs
 - An interactive Plotly visualization highlighting:
 - The query song (black)
 - Recommendations (red)

Cluster assignment (colored background)

***** Example Output

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Artist Song Similarity
0 31_fam al_cantu 0.7423
1 Doctor_Prats caminem_lluny 0.8031
2 Zoo estiu 0.8298

And a 2D t-SNE plot will be displayed interactively in your browser or Python environment.

Marks How It Works

1. Embeddings:

- **EffNet**: time-averaged across frames (from JSON)
- Maest: flattened and truncated to 1000 dims (from PKL)

2. Clustering:

All songs clustered using KMeans(n_clusters=k)

3. Similarity:

- o Recommendations filtered to same cluster as query song
- o Similarity computed using cosine or euclidean distance

4. Visualization:

- o t-SNE reduces high-dimensional embeddings to 2D
- Plotly shows cluster structure and recommendations

Customization Tips

Variable	Description
model	"effnet" or "maest"
k	Number of KMeans clusters
metric	"cosine" or "euclidean"
n	Number of recommended songs returned
Artist_name, song_name	Used to build the query_id

Credits

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