

Steam games Analysis

using
PostgreSQL, Neo4j and MongoDB

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Part 1

Introduction

Background, Context, Goals



Background



Extensive Game Library

Steam hosts a vast array of games, from indie titles to blockbuster releases.

It has become a go-to platform for developers to release their games due to its large user base and comprehensive support for game publishing.



Community and Social Features

Steam provides robust community features like user reviews, forums, and groups.

This ecosystem allows gamers to connect, share experiences, and discover new games through social interactions.

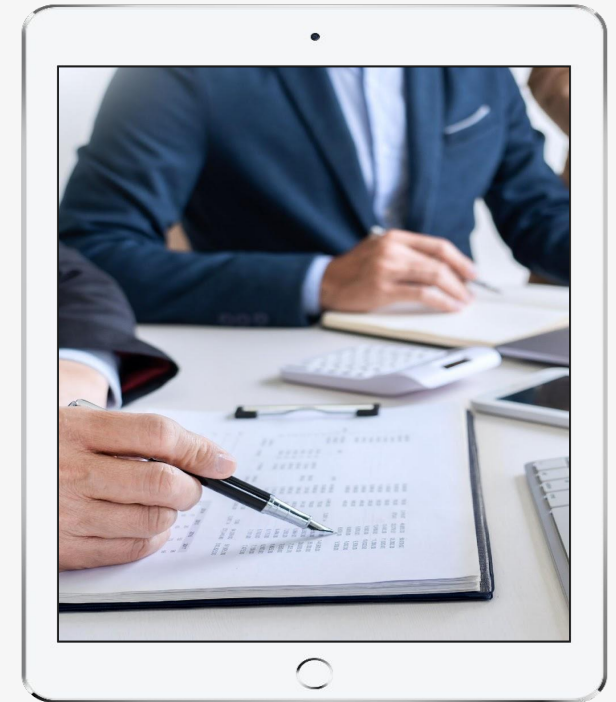


Steam Sales

Known for its seasonal sales, Steam offers significant discounts on a wide range of games, attracting a large number of users and boosting sales for developers.

Context

Leveraging a combination of PostgreSQL, Neo4j, and MongoDB databases with Python to extract, process, and analyze complex datasets related to games which are on the Steam platform.



Goals

Provide comprehensive insights into gaming trends on Steam aid in offering tailored game recommendations and understand industry collaboration patterns.

1. Conducting game score analysis to identify top genres and developers based on popularity and media.
2. Developing game recommendation system based on genres and descriptions.
3. Performing a collaboration analysis to understand the impact of developer-publisher collaborations on game popularity and pricing.

Part 2

Data Sources

Github repository:

<https://github.com/leinstay/steamdb/blame/main/steamdb.json>

Kaggle datasets:

Steam Store Games: <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/nikdavis/steam-store-games/>

Steam Games Genres: <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/danieliusv/steam-games-genres>

Steam Video Games: <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/tamber/steam-video-games>



Data in PostgreSQL

columns we used:

appid (primary key)

name

release_date

categories

positive_rating

negative_rating

price

Over 25,000 rows

```
cur.execute("""
CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS steam (
    appid INT,
    name TEXT,
    release_date VARCHAR(100),
    english BOOLEAN,
    platforms VARCHAR(100),
    required_age INT,
    categories TEXT,
    steamspy_tags TEXT,
    achievements INT,
    positive_ratings INT,
    negative_ratings INT,
    average_playtime INT,
    median_playtime INT,
    owners VARCHAR(100),
    price FLOAT
);
""")
conn.commit()
```

appid	name	release_date	english	platforms	required_age	categories	steamspy_tags	achievements	positive_ratings	negative_ratings	average_playtime	median_playtime	owners	price
10	Counter-Strike	2000/11/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Action;FPS		0	124534	3339	17612	317	10000000-200000	7.19
20	Team Fortress Classic	1999/4/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Action;FPS		0	3318	633	277	62	5000000-1000000	3.99
30	Day of Defeat	2003/5/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player FPS;World		0	3416	398	187	34	5000000-1000000	3.99
40	Deathmatch Classic	2001/6/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Action;FPS		0	1273	267	258	184	5000000-1000000	3.99
50	Half-Life: Opposing Force	1999/11/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Action		0	5250	288	624	415	5000000-1000000	3.99
60	Ricochet	2000/11/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Action;FPS		0	2758	684	175	10	5000000-1000000	3.99
70	Half-Life	1998/11/8	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Classic		0	27755	1100	1300	83	5000000-1000000	7.19
80	Counter-Strike: Condition Zero	2004/3/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player Action;FPS		0	12120	1439	427	43	10000000-200000	7.19
130	Half-Life: Blue Shift	2001/6/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Action		0	3822	420	361	205	5000000-1000000	3.99
220	Half-Life 2	#####	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Action		33	67902	2419	691	402	10000000-200000	7.19
240	Counter-Strike: Source	2004/11/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Action;FPS		147	76640	3497	6842	400	10000000-200000	7.19
280	Half-Life: Source	2004/6/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Action		0	3767	1053	190	214	2000000-5000000	0
300	Day of Defeat: Source	2010/7/12	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player FPS;World		54	10489	1210	1356	134	5000000-1000000	7.19
320	Half-Life 2: Deathmatch	2004/11/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Action;FPS		0	6020	787	311	32	10000000-200000	3.99
340	Half-Life 2: Lost Coast	#####	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Action		0	5783	1020	46	29	10000000-200000	0
360	Half-Life Deathmatch: Source	2006/5/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Action;FPS		0	1362	473	102	81	5000000-1000000	0
380	Half-Life 2: Episode One	2006/6/1	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Action		13	7908	517	281	184	5000000-1000000	5.79
400	Portal	#####	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player Puzzle;First		15	51801	1080	288	137	10000000-200000	7.19
420	Half-Life 2: Episode Two	#####	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Action		22	13902	696	354	301	5000000-1000000	5.79
440	Team Fortress 2	#####	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Free to Play		520	515879	34036	8495	623	20000000-500000	0
500	Left 4 Dead	#####	1	windows;mac	0	Single-player Zombies;Co-op		73	17951	948	897	278	5000000-1000000	7.19
550	Left 4 Dead 2	#####	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player Zombies;Co-op		70	251789	8418	1615	566	10000000-200000	7.19
570	Dota 2	2013/7/9	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player Free to Play		0	863507	142079	23944	801	100000000-20000	0
620	Portal 2	2011/4/18	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player Puzzle;Co-op		51	138220	1891	1102	520	10000000-200000	7.19
630	Alien Swarm	2010/7/19	1	windows	0	Single-player Free to Play		66	17435	941	371	83	2000000-5000000	0
730	Counter-Strike: Global Offensive	2012/8/21	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player FPS;Multiplayer		167	2644404	402313	22494	6502	50000000-100000	0
1002	Rag Doll Kung Fu	#####	1	windows	0	Single-player Indie;Fighting		0	40	17	0	0	20000-50000	5.99
1200	Red Orchestra: Ostfront 41-45	2006/3/14	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Multi-player World War II		44	1562	223	232	258	500000-1000000	3.99
1250	Killing Floor	2009/5/14	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player FPS;Zombies		285	53710	2649	1328	306	2000000-5000000	14.99
1300	SiN Episodes: Emergence	2006/5/10	1	windows	0	Single-player Action;FPS		0	468	61	0	0	100000-200000	7.19
1500	Darwinia	2005/7/14	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player Strategy;Inc		0	472	158	182	273	500000-1000000	7.19
1510	Uplink	2006/8/23	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player Hacking;Inc		0	1602	152	65	77	500000-1000000	6.99
1520	DEFCON	2006/9/29	1	windows;mac;linux	0	Single-player Strategy;Inc		22	2057	344	80	119	500000-1000000	7.19

Data in MongoDB

columns we used:

description

popularity

sid (primary key)

meta_score

meta_uscore

igdb_score

igdb_uscore

igdb_popularity

```
[83]: data[0]
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      'igdb_complete': None,
      'igdb_score': None,
      'igdb_uscore': 70,
      'igdb_popularity': 1.67}
```


Data in Neo4j

information we used:

id (primary key)

game

developer

publisher

genre

developed_by

is_genre

published_by

Nodes (76,464)

Cluster

Developer

Game

Genre

Publisher

Supporter

Relationships (161,479)

DEVELOPED_BY

IN_CLUSTER

IS_GENRE

PUBLISHED_BY

SUPPORTED_BY

Part 3

Methodology

Libraries, Game Score Analysis, Game
Recommendation System, Collaboration
Analysis



Libraries for Connection

- psycopg2: connect to postgres (local)
- pymongo: connect to mongodb (cloud)
- neo4j: connect to neo4j (cloud)

```
def connect_postgres():  
    #connect to PostgreSQL  
    try:  
        conn = psycopg2.connect(  
            dbname="***",  
            user="***",  
            password="***",  
            host="***",  
        )  
        print("Connected to the postgres successfully")  
    except Exception as e:  
        print("An error occurred:", e)  
    cur=conn.cursor()  
    return conn,cur
```

```
def connect_mongodb():  
    #connect to MongoDB  
    uri = "***"  
    client=MongoClient(uri,server_api=ServerApi('1'))  
    db=client['steam']  
    collection=db['steamdb']  
    return collection,client
```

```
def connect_neo4j():  
    #connect to Neo4j  
    URI="*"   
    USERNAME="neo4j"  
    PASSWORD="*"   
    driver = GraphDatabase.driver(URI, auth=(USERNAME, PASSWORD))  
    driver.verify_connectivity()  
    return driver
```

Other Libraries

```
from collections import defaultdict
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from prettytable import PrettyTable
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
from sklearn.cluster import MiniBatchKMeans
from sklearn.metrics.pairwise import cosine_similarity
from sklearn.feature_extraction.text import TfidfVectorizer
import re
import nltk
from nltk.corpus import stopwords
```

Game Score Analysis

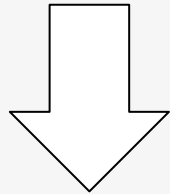
Queries:

- Top 5 highest media score and user score genres of all time
- The popularity shift of top 5 highest score genres over time
- Top 5 highest media score and user score developer of all time

Query 1: Top 5 highest media score and user score genres of all time

Pipeline: Use mongodb and postgres

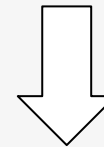
select media score from
mongodb



Insert result into Postgres



select steam table from
postgres



Merge tables based on game ID
Apply Query on Postgres

Detailed query

From mongodb

```
#get game info from MongoDB
json_games=collection.find({},{"_id":0,"sid":1,"gfg_rating":1,"meta_score":1,\n    "meta_uscore":1,"igdb_score":1,"igdb_uscore":1,"igdb_popularity":1})
```

Postgres query to merge and select top 5 genres with highest score

```
with t as (select s.appid,s.name,s.release_date,s.genres,j.gfg_rating,j.meta_score,\n    j.meta_uscore,j.igdb_score,j.igdb_uscore,j.igdb_popularity\n    from steam as s inner join json_scores as j on j.sid=s.appid)\n    SELECT unnested_genres,round(AVG(gfg_rating),2) AS\n    avg_gfg_rating,round(AVG(meta_score),2) AS avg_meta_score,round(AVG(meta_uscore),2) AS\n    avg_meta_uscore,round(AVG(igdb_score),2) AS avg_igdb_score,round(AVG(igdb_uscore),2) AS\n    avg_igdb_uscore,round(AVG(igdb_popularity),2) AS avg_igdb_popularity\n    FROM (SELECT unnest(string_to_array(genres, ';')) AS unnested_genres, gfg_rating,\n    meta_score,meta_uscore,igdb_score,igdb_uscore,igdb_popularity\n    FROM t) GROUP BY unnested_genres
```


Query1 Result

Top 5 genres with highest media score and user score

	unnested_genres	avg_gfq_rating	avg_igdb_popularity	avg_score	avg_uscore
0	RPG	3.39	3.72	71.72	67.40
1	Early Access	3.15	2.71	71.68	67.06
2	Strategy	3.41	3.26	71.65	66.20
3	Sports	3.51	1.56	71.51	64.20
4	Nudity	3.22	2.60	70.62	65.16

- gain insights into user preferences.
- sets a standard for new games.

Query2: The popularity shift of top 5 highest score genres over time

```
with t as (select s.appid,s.name,s.release_date,s.genres,j.gfq_rating,j.meta_score,
j.meta_uscore,j.igdb_score,j.igdb_uscore,j.igdb_popularity
from steam as s inner join json_scores as j on j.sid=s.appid)
SELECT
unnested_genres,
release_year,
count(*) as num_games,
round(AVG(gfq_rating),2) AS avg_gfq_rating,
round(AVG(meta_score),2) AS avg_meta_score,
round(AVG(meta_uscore),2) AS avg_meta_uscore,
round(AVG(igdb_score),2) AS avg_igdb_score,
round(AVG(igdb_uscore),2) AS avg_igdb_uscore,
round(AVG(igdb_popularity),2) AS avg_igdb_popularity
FROM
(SELECT
    unnest(string_to_array(genres, ';')) AS unnested_genres,
    extract(year from to_date(release_date,'YYYY-MM-DD')) as release_year,
    gfq_rating,
    meta_score,
    meta_uscore,
    igdb_score,
    igdb_uscore,
    igdb_popularity
FROM
    t)
GROUP BY
release_year,unnested_genres
order by unnested_genres,release_year
```

Basically similar to query 1.

Use igdb_popularity instead of average media score.

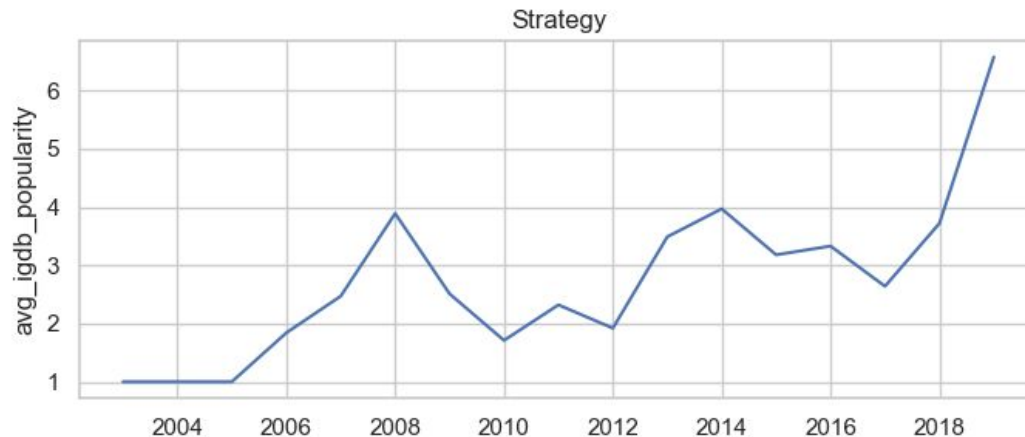
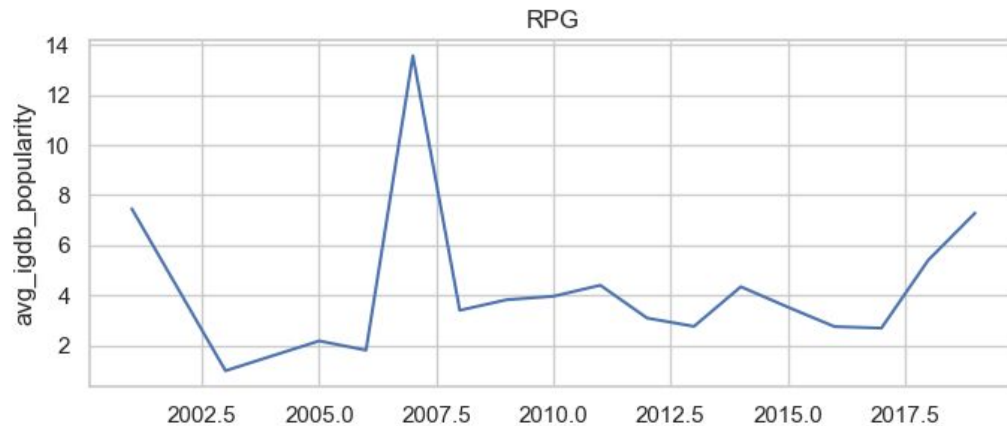
Extract year from game release date, add year to group by expression.

Query2 Merged Data sample

	unnested_genres	release_year	avg_igdb_popularity
0	Action	1997	1.00
1	Action	1998	14.82
2	Action	1999	2.56
3	Action	2000	14.15
4	Action	2001	4.04

Query2 Result

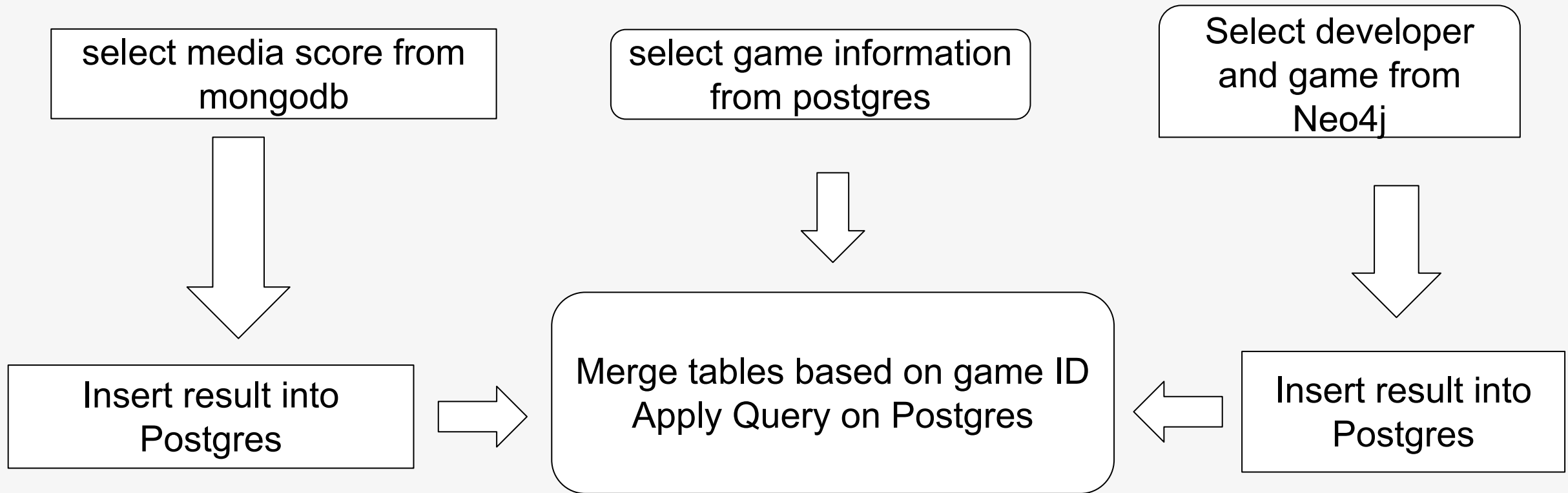
The popularity shift of top 5 highest score genres over time
(Take RPG and Strategy as examples)



- popularity trends analysis
- help with development decisions

Query 3: Top 5 highest media score and user score developer of all time

Pipeline: Use mongodb, neo4j, and postgres



Detailed query

Neo4j query

```
query = """
```

```
MATCH (g:Game)-[:DEVELOPED_BY]->(d:Developer)
RETURN g.name as Name,toInteger(g.id) as appid,d.name as Developer
"""
```

Postgres query

```
with t as (
    select t1.*,s.release_date
    from (select g.appid,g."Developer",j.gfq_rating,j.meta_score,
j.meta_uscore,j.igdb_score,j.igdb_uscore,j.igdb_popularity
from game_developer as g inner join json_scores as j on j.sid=g.appid ) as t1 inner join steam as s
on s.appid=t1.appid
)
select
unnested_developer,
release_year,
count(*) as num_games,
round(AVG(gfq_rating),2) AS avg_gfq_rating,
round(AVG(meta_score),2) AS avg_meta_score,
round(AVG(meta_uscore),2) AS avg_meta_uscore,
round(AVG(igdb_score),2) AS avg_igdb_score,
round(AVG(igdb_uscore),2) AS avg_igdb_uscore,
round(AVG(igdb_popularity),2) AS avg_igdb_popularity
FROM
(SELECT
    unnest(string_to_array(t."Developer", ';' )) AS unnested_developer,
    extract(year from to_date(release_date,'YYYY-MM-DD')) as release_year,
    gfq_rating,
    meta_score,
    meta_uscore,
    igdb_score,
    igdb_uscore,
    igdb_popularity
FROM
    t)
GROUP BY
release_year,unnested_developer
order by unnested_developer,release_year
```

Query3 Result

Top 5 highest media score and user score developer of all time

	unnested_developer	num_games	avg_gfq_rating	avg_igdb_popularity	avg_score	avg_uscore
0	InvertMouse	8	2.85	1.31	97.5	70.4
1	Gritfish	2	3.64	1.42	96.0	74.0
2	Flying Helmet Games	1	3.69	1.45	95.0	84.0
3	tobyfox	1	4.25	33.10	94.0	85.5
4	MAD Virtual Reality Studio	1	3.31	1.00	94.0	57.0

- help investors make decision
- help user make decision on whether to buy a game

Game Recommendation System

Queries:

- Recommend similar games based on genres
- Recommend high rating games based on key word clusters

Query 1: Recommend similar games based on genres

Pipeline: Use neo4j and postgres

1. User input a game name
2. select and output games with similar names from postgres using ilike expression
3. User input the index of correct game name, get corresponding game id
4. get genres of game from postgres based on game id, one game can have multiple genres
5. select and output games have a relation to all the genres selected in step 4 from neo4j

Detailed query

Interact with Postgres

Interact with Neo4j

```
#process input name for ilike
def format_name_for_ilike(name):
    # Split the name into words and convert each to lowercase
    words = name.split()
    lowercase_words = [word.lower() for word in words]

    # Join the words with '%'
    formatted_name = '%'.join(lowercase_words)

    # Add '%' at the beginning and end for the ILIKE expression
    ilike_expression = f'%{formatted_name}%'
    return ilike_expression
```

```
#return list of genres from id
def get_genres_from_id(id,session):
    n4j=session.run("match p=(g:Game)-[:IS_GENRE]->(genre:Genre) where g.id=$id RETURN genre",parameters={'id':id}).data()
    genres=[item['genre']['genre'] for item in n4j]
    return genres

#return dataframe of games from genres(list)
def get_games_from_genres(genres,session):
    query = """
        MATCH (g:Game)
        WHERE ALL(genre IN $genres WHERE (g)-[:IS_GENRE]->(:Genre {genre: genre}))
        RETURN g.name as Name,g.id as Appid
        """
    n4j=session.run(query,genres=genres).data()
    return pd.DataFrame(n4j)
```

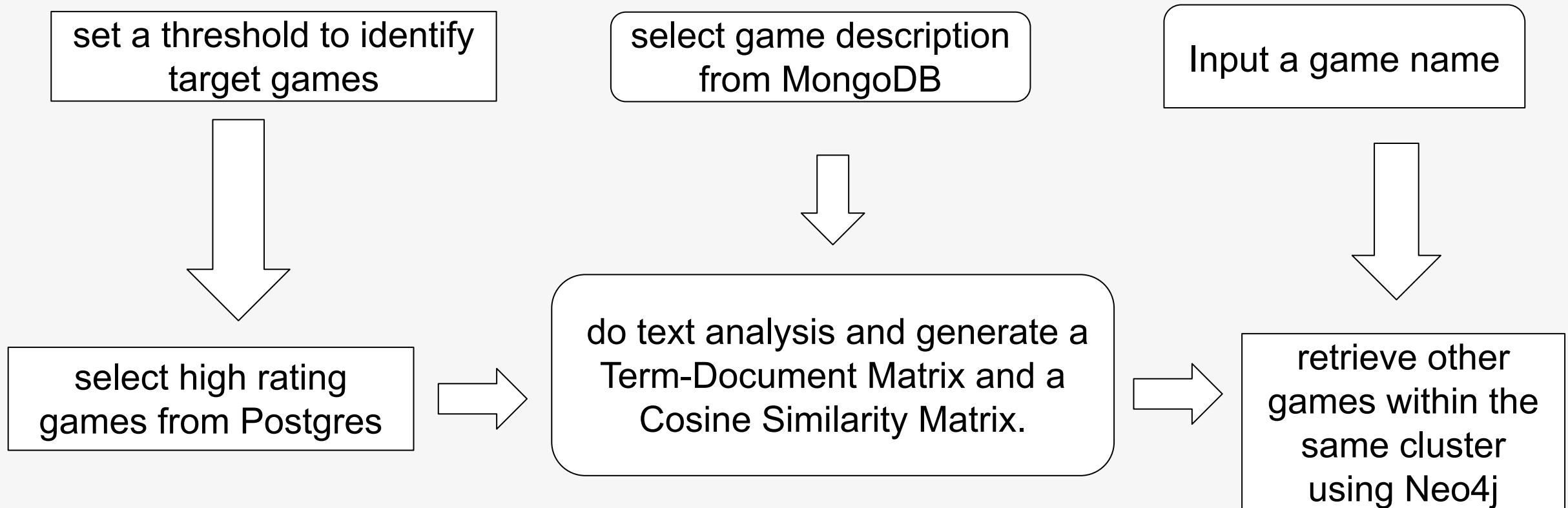
Query1 Result Example

Similar games for Sekiro™: Shadows Die Twice with genres ['Adventure', 'Action']

	Name	Appid
0	Portal 2	620
1	Thrillville®: Off the Rails™	6080
2	The Longest Journey	6310
3	Lost Planet™: Extreme Condition	6510
4	Tomb Raider: Legend	7000
5	X-Blades	7510
6	Tomb Raider: Anniversary	8000
7	Tomb Raider: Underworld	8140
8	Just Cause 2	8190
9	Death to Spies	9800
10	Blade Kitten	9940
11	Prototype™	10150
12	Bully: Scholarship Edition	12200
13	Grand Theft Auto IV	12210
14	Hunting Unlimited™ 2008	12530
15	Damnation	12790
16	Prince of Persia: Warrior Within™	13500

Query 2: Recommend high rating games based on key word clusters

Pipeline: Use postgres, mongodb and neo4j



Find high rating games

Using PostgreSQL



Calculate the positive ratings rate using the formula:
$$\text{positive_ratings} / (\text{positive_ratings} + \text{negative_ratings})$$

```
def get_games_above_threshold(threshold, cur):  
    query = """  
    SELECT name  
    FROM steam  
    WHERE (positive_ratings::FLOAT / NULLIF(positive_ratings + negative_ratings, 0)) > %s  
    """  
    cur.execute(query, (threshold,))  
    return cur.fetchall()
```

Find high rating games

Using PostgreSQL

```
Pinged your deployment. You successfully connected to MongoDB!  
Successfully connected to Neo4j.  
Connected to the database successfully  
Enter the threshold value (as a percentage, e.g., 0.8 for 80%):  
0.98
```

- Input a threshold
- It will return all games with a positive rating rate that meets this threshold.

```
Hexa Path  
Pixel Puzzles 2: Paintings  
Assault of the Robots  
Virtual Skydiving  
TOK HARDCORE  
Foxyland 2  
Bunker - Nightmare Begins  
Pixel Art Monster - Color by Number  
Easy puzzle: Animals  
Magic Farm 2: Fairy Lands (Premium Edition)  
The Cat and the Box  
Awakening: The Dreamless Castle  
Argonauts Agency: Pandora's Box  
City Zombies  
VTB Basketball League VR  
Moon Pool  
Funny Bunny: Adventures  
Franchise Wars  
New Yankee 6: In Pharaoh's Court  
Azurael's Circle: Chapter 4  
Magic Clouds  
Die, zombie sausage, die!  
Nyasha Valkyrie  
Peas Adventure  
Blacksmith Run  
MonteCube Dodge  
The Mystery of Bikini Island  
CaptainMarlene  
Old Edge II  
Room of Pandora  
New Yankee 7: Deer Hunters  
Rune Lord
```


Text Analysis Using MongoDB

Term-Document Matrix:

```
def get_game_descriptions(game_names):
    collection, _ = connect_mongodb()
    games = collection.find({"name": {"$in": game_names}}, {"_id": 0, "description": 1})
    return [game['description'] for game in games if 'description' in game and game['description']]

def custom_preprocessor(text):
    text = re.sub(r'\b\d+\b', '', text)
    return text

def analyze_texts(texts):
    if not texts:
        print("No descriptions available for analysis.")
        return None
    additional_stop_words = {'quot', 'games', 'And'}
    custom_stop_words = list(set(stopwords.words('english')).union(additional_stop_words))

    vectorizer = TfidfVectorizer(
        preprocessor=custom_preprocessor,
        token_pattern=r'\b[a-zA-Z]{2,}\b',
        max_df=0.10,
        min_df=0.01,
        stop_words=custom_stop_words)

    tfidf_matrix = vectorizer.fit_transform(texts)
    feature_names = vectorizer.get_feature_names_out()

    # print TF-IDF matrix
    print("TF-IDF Matrix:")
    dense_tfidf_matrix = tfidf_matrix.todense()
    print(pd.DataFrame(dense_tfidf_matrix, columns=vectorizer.get_feature_names_out()))

    cosine_similarities = cosine_similarity(tfidf_matrix)
    return dense_tfidf_matrix, pd.DataFrame(cosine_similarities), feature_names
```

TF-IDF Matrix:

	AI	AND	About	Access	Achievements	Action	Adventure	After	...	written	wrong	year	years	yet	young	zomb
ies zone	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.148522	
3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
...
2936	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
2937	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
2938	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
2939	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	
2940	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	...	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.000000	

[2941 rows x 1646 columns]

Cosine Similarity Matrix:

Cosine Similarity Matrix:

	0	1	2	3	4	5	...	2935	2936	2937	2938	2939		
2940	0	1.000000	0.088747	0.023010	0.017112	0.008858	0.029584	...	0.013565	0.073283	0.000000	0.021658	0.000000	0.0
20437	0	0.088747	1.000000	0.049821	0.042742	0.041497	0.013353	...	0.040190	0.026062	0.000000	0.000000	0.013866	0.0
57071	0	0.023010	0.049821	1.000000	0.112165	0.028510	0.049703	...	0.032929	0.000000	0.012487	0.000000	0.018178	0.0
00000	0	0.017112	0.042742	0.112165	1.000000	0.027845	0.027978	...	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.020479	0.1
25627	0	0.008858	0.041497	0.028510	0.027845	1.000000	0.015001	...	0.028879	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
00000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2936	0.073283	0.026062	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	...	0.000000	1.000000	0.042854	0.082735	0.025372	0.1
21346	0.000000	0.000000	0.012487	0.000000	0.000000	0.017364	...	0.010546	0.042854	1.000000	0.000000	0.028204	0.0	0.0
2937	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	...	0.000000	0.082735	0.000000	1.000000	0.061516	0.0	0.0
15192	0.021658	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	...	0.000000	0.025372	0.028204	0.061516	1.000000	0.0	0.0
25265	0.000000	0.013866	0.018178	0.020479	0.000000	0.000000	...	0.000000	0.025372	0.028204	0.061516	0.000000	0.0	0.0
32881	0.020437	0.057071	0.000000	0.125627	0.000000	0.031768	...	0.064598	0.121346	0.015192	0.025265	0.032881	1.0	0.00000

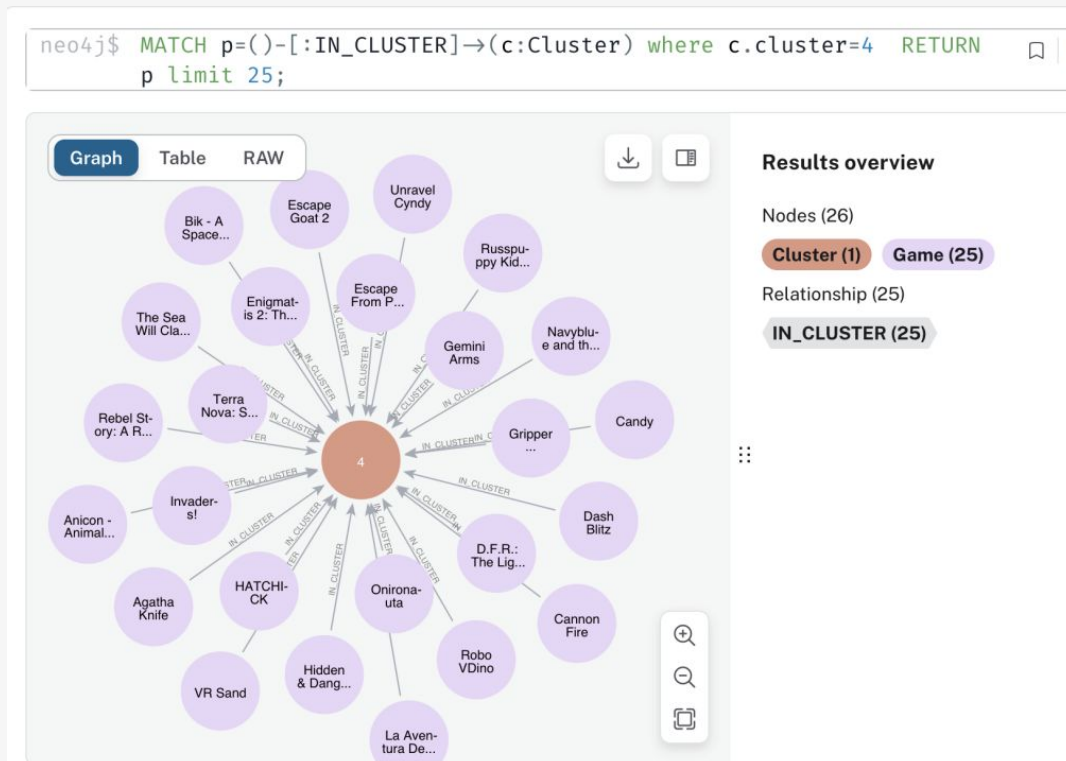
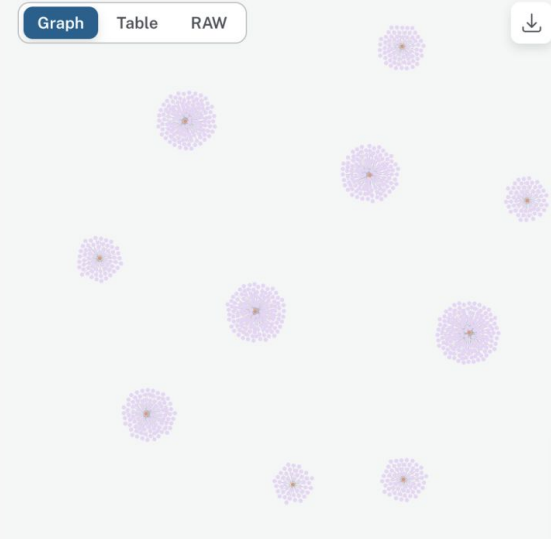
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View clustering results and find similar games

Using Neo4j

- Perform clustering using the results of the term-document matrix.
- Prior to this, due to slow code execution speed, we conducted PCA.

Enter the number of clusters (integer):
10



```
def update_game_cluster(game_name, cluster_label, session):
    try:
        query = """
        MATCH (g:Game {name: $game_name})
        SET g.cluster = $cluster_label
        RETURN g.name, g.cluster
        """
        result = session.run(query, game_name=game_name, cluster_label=cluster_label)
        return result.data()
    except Exception as e:
        print(f"Error updating game cluster in Neo4j: {e}")
        return None
```

View clustering results and find similar games

Using Neo4j

- 0: Mode, Challenge, Story
- 1: space, ship, planet
- 2: Vive, HTC (maybe related to virtual reality)
- 3: Collector, Edition, extras
- 4: monsters, battle, combat
- 5: blocks, block, master
- 6: endings, mysterious, hidden
- 7: tiles, board, pieces
- 8: score, multiplayer, arcade
- 9: platformer, solve, Steam

We can infer the game style through keywords !

```
Cluster 0 - Keywords: Mode, Challenge, Story
Game Name      Keywords
0      Farm Frenzy 3: American Pie  Mode, Challenge, Story
1      Icebound                    Mode, Challenge, Story
2      Goscurry                    Mode, Challenge, Story
3      The First Time I Died        Mode, Challenge, Story
4      Ruler by Default             Mode, Challenge, Story
..      ...                        ...
79     Lost Lands: Mistakes of the Past  Mode, Challenge, Story
80     Choconoa                    Mode, Challenge, Story
81     SmartyTale 2D               Mode, Challenge, Story
82     Time to Fight               Mode, Challenge, Story
83     Apolune                     Mode, Challenge, Story

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```

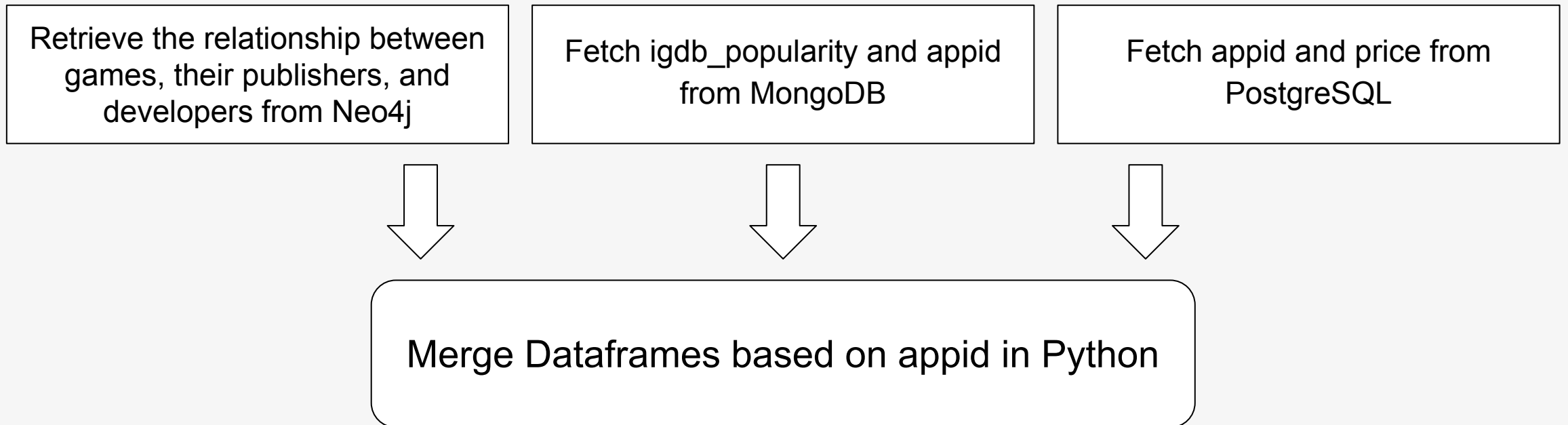
Recommend similar games:

```
Which game do you want to query for similar games?
Finding Paradise
Games in the same cluster as 'Finding Paradise':
Similar Games
0      Sniper Fodder
1      Marty Thinks 4D
2      Queendoom
3      Creeper World 3: Arc Eternal
4      Dungeons of Hell
..      ...
```

Collaboration Analysis

Goal:

Analyze how the collaborations of developers and publishers influent the igdb_popularity and price of games.



Collaboration Analysis

Querying Neo4j:

Retrieve the relationship between games, their publishers, and developers from Neo4j, including the count of games (num_games) for each publisher-developer pair.

```
# Neo4j Query
```

```
neo4j_query = """
```

```
MATCH (publisher:Publisher)<-[:PUBLISHED_BY]-(game:Game)-[:DEVELOPED_BY]->(developer:Developer)
```

```
WITH publisher, developer, COUNT(game) AS num_games, COLLECT(game) AS games
```

```
UNWIND games AS game
```

```
RETURN toInteger(game.id) as appid, developer.name AS developer,
```

```
|      | publisher.name AS publisher, num_games
```

```
"""
```


Collaboration Analysis

Querying MongoDB and PostgreSQL:

1. Fetch igdb_popularity and appid from MongoDB
2. Fetch appid and price from PostgreSQL.

Note: Rename sid to appid for consistency.

MongoDB Query

```
cursor_mongo = collection.find({}, {"sid": 1, 'igdb_popularity': 1})
df_mongo = pd.DataFrame(list(cursor_mongo))
df_mongo = df_mongo.rename(columns={'sid': 'appid'})
```

PostgreSQL Query

```
cur.execute("SELECT appid, price FROM steam;")
columns = [desc[0] for desc in cur.description]
data = cur.fetchall()
df_postgres = pd.DataFrame(data, columns=columns)
```

Collaboration Analysis

Merging DataFrames:

Merge those data from Neo4j, MongoDB, and PostgreSQL into a single DataFrame based on the appid which means the id of game.

```
# Merge DataFrames
df_merged = pd.merge(df_neo4j, df_mongo, on='appid', how='inner')
df_merged = pd.merge(df_merged, df_postgres, on='appid', how='inner')
df_merged.dropna(subset=['igdb_popularity'], inplace=True)
```


Collaboration Analysis

Performing Analysis:

1. Group the dataframe by the developer-publisher pair
2. Calculate the mean of igdb_popularity, price, and num_games for each group.

```
# Analysis
```

```
analysis_result = df_merged.groupby(['developer', 'publisher']).agg({  
    'igdb_popularity': 'mean',  
    'price': 'mean',  
    'num_games': 'mean'  
}).reset_index()
```

Collaboration Analysis

Results:

Top 5 num_games:

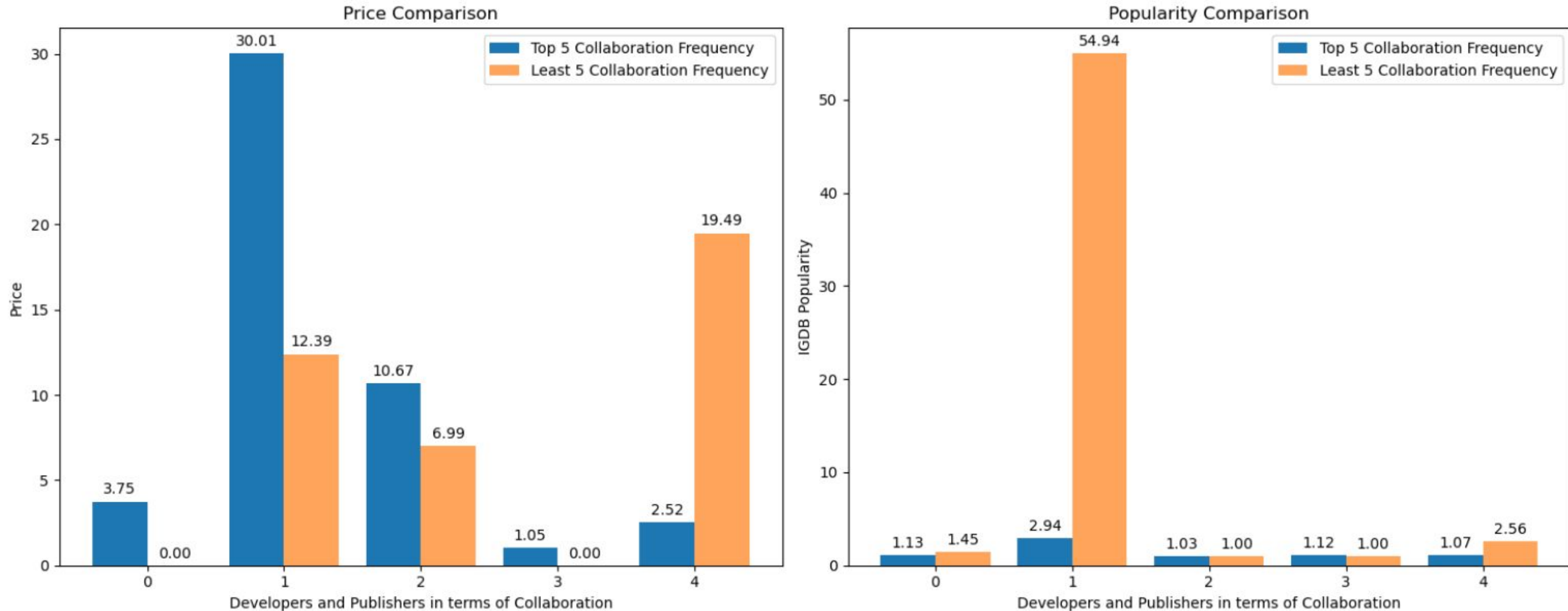
	developer		publisher	igdb_popularity	price	num_games
1982	Choice of Games		Choice of Games	1.134762	3.745556	94.0
5654	KOEI TECMO GAMES CO., LTD.	KOEI TECMO	GAMES CO., LTD.	2.936939	30.012857	69.0
8917	Ripknot Systems		Ripknot Systems	1.029545	10.671818	62.0
7390	Nikita "Ghost_RUS"		Ghost_RUS Games	1.117273	1.053636	50.0
6023	Laush Dmitriy Sergeevich		Laush Studio	1.067000	2.520000	47.0

Least 5 num_games:

	developer	publisher	igdb_popularity	price	num_games	
4793	Hex Entertainment	Hex Entertainment	1.45	0.00	1.0	
4794	HexGameStudio	HexGameStudio	54.94	12.39	1.0	
4796	HexWar Games Ltd	HexWar Games Ltd	1.00	6.99	1.0	
4798	Hexagon Games;NAMI TENTOU	Hexagon Games	1.00	0.00	1.0	
12689	黄昏フロンティア	SUNFISH Co., Ltd.		2.56	19.49	1.0

Collaboration Analysis

Results:



Part 4

Demonstration



THANK YOU!

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