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1 Introduction

In this project, I wrote a Python program that searches movies. I used lists, sets, and functions in Python. Firstly, my program reads movies' data from file and assignes them to appropriate data structure. Then the program displays menu to get user input and performs corresponding task. In this project, I encountered some problems and I composed solution strategies to solve this problems.

1.1 Problem Definition

First problem that I encountered is how to read csv file and put the datas in a appropriate data structure that I can some process. To solve this problem, I looked slides that upload by our teachers and found how to solve this problem. After that, I saw last movies on the line has '\n' character, that created a problem to find films according to user's input. I researched how I can solve this problem on the internet and finally I solved that. I will explain my solution strategies for those problems in solution strategy section.

1.2 Solution Strategy

Firstly, I knew that I had to put line by line the data's in movie.csv into the list. Thus, the process of solving tasks has become much more easier. I imported csv module and created a function and a list to stored the datas and put the data into list by splitting according to ',' character. After, I used sprit() method to solve '\n' problem on the last films in a line. Then, I started to think that how can I execute tasks and I developed an algorithm that I can use in all of tasks. Firstly, I took an input from user and the I searched this input in the list that I initialize by using nested loops. And then, if I found what I want according to task, I printed results to the screen and put another list that using in saving as outputfile.txt.

2 Method

Function: I've used special functions for every task, but those functions's contents ara similar highly.

List: I've used some lists to store data and do some operations on it. Also I've used them for saving aas outputfile.txt

Set: I've used set for task 4,5 and 6 because those tasks need to some set operations like union, intersection...

Module: I've used for reading csv file

.split(): I've used for seperating the datas in csv file to put a list

.strip(): I've used sprit() method to solve '\n' problem on the last films in a line.

Boolean: I've used for controlling the existence of input in list.

In task 1, I took an input from user and then for dynamization of input I used .title() method this method convert the first letter of a word upper. And then according to input, I scan the list

if any data as input is there, I started to find the films of entered actors by using nested for loops on list.

In task 2, I took an input from user and then for dynamization of input I used .title() method this method convert the first letter of a word upper. And then according to input, I scan the list if any data as input is there, I started to find entered actor by using for loop. After I found it, I put a temp variable first film on its line, and then again I started to scan the list using for loop, when I foun film that on temp variable, I took the first data on that line so, actor name. And finally, I printed it to the screen and put it another list for saving process.

In task 3, I took an input from user and then for dynamization of input I used .title() method this method convert the first letter of a word upper. And then according to input, I scan the list if any data as input is there, I started to find entered film by using for loop. After I found it, I took the first data on that line so, actor name. And finally, I printed it to the screen and put it another list for saving process.

In task 4, I took two input from user and then for dynamization of input, I used .title() method this method convert the first letter of a word upper. And then according to input, I scan the list if any data as input is there, I started to find entered film by using for loop. After I found it, I took the first data on that line so, actor name. And finally, I put it into a set for sets operations and then I did same process for second input. After all that I used .union() set method and printed the result to the screen.

In task 5, I took two input from user and then for dynamization of input, I used .title() method this method convert the first letter of a word upper. And then according to input, I scan the list if any data as input is there, I started to find entered film by using for loop. After I found it, I took the first data on that line so, actor name. And finally, I put it into a set for sets operations and then I did same process for second input. After all that I used .intersection() set method and printed the result to the screen.

In task 6, I took two input from user and then for dynamization of input, I used .title() method this method convert the first letter of a word upper. And then according to input, I scan the list if any data as input is there, I started to find entered film by using for loop. After I found it, I took the first data on that line so, actor name. And finally, I put it into a set for sets operations and then I did same process for second input. After all that I used .difference() set method and printed the result to the screen.

In task 7, I wrote the datas that I stored in every task for this process to an output.txt file by using reading and writing file method.

3 Results

There are some results of my program tasks' as table and screenshot.

 List all movies of given actor or actress.(Press1) Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors or actresses with whom he/she has acted.(Press 3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3) List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4) List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 5) List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but not both.(Press 6) Save results to a file.(Press 7) Exit.(Press 0)
Enter first movie (ex: Se7en): Fight Club
Enter second movie (ex: Se7en): Se7en
Kevin Spacey
Helena Bonham Carter Gwyneth Paltrow
Edward Norton
Morgan Freeman
Press any key for back to the menu
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 List all movies of given actor or actress.(Press1) Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors or actresses with whom he/she has acted.(Press
3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)
4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4)
5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 5)
6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but not both.(Press 6)
7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)
0.Exit.(Press 0)
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Enter an actor or actress name (ex: Edward Norton): Kevin Spacey
American Beauty
The Usual Suspects
Glengarry Glen Ross
L.A. Confidential A Time to Kill
Se7en
The Negotiator
Press any key for back to the menu

Table 1: Movie searching test cases

Task	User input	Displayed Result		
Task 1	"Brad Pitt"	Movies of "Brad Pitt" are "Sleepers", "Troy", "Meet Joe		
Case 1		Black", "Oceans Eleven", "Se7en", "Mr & Mrs Smith", "The		
		Curious Case of Benjamin Button", "Fight Club", "Cool		
		World", "Interview with the Vampire: The Vampire		
		Chronicles Twelve Monkeys", "Inglourious Basterds"		
Task 2	"Edward	all actors or actresses with whom "Edward Norton" has acted		
Case 1	Norton"	are "Brad Pitt", "Helena Bonham Carter", "Salma Hayek"		
Task 3	"The	all actors and actresses in "The Godfather" are "Al Pacino",		
Case 1	Godfather"	"Robert De Niro", "Marlon Brando", "Diane Keaton"		
Task 4	"Fight Club"	all actors and actresses in "Fight Club" and "Pulp Fiction" are		
Case 1	"Pulp Fiction"	"Bruce Willis", "Helena Bonham Carter", "Brad Pitt",		
		"Edward Norton", "John Travolta", "Samuel L. Jackson",		
		"Uma Thurman",		
Task 5	"Fight Club",	common actors and actresses in "Fight Club" and "Se7en" are		
Case 1	"Se7en"	"Brad Pitt"		
Task 6	"Se7en"	all actors and actresses in either of the movies "Pulp Fiction"		
Case 1	"Pulp Fiction"	and "Se7en" are "Morgan Freeman", "Gwyneth Paltrow",		
		"Kevin Spacey", "John Travolta", "Brad Pitt", "Samuel L.		
		Jackson", "Bruce Willis", "Uma Thurman"		
Task 6	"Fight Club",	all actors and actresses in either of the movies "Fight Club"		
Case 2	"Se7en"	and "Se7en" are Edward Norton, Helena Bonham Carter,		
		Morgan Freeman, Gwyneth Paltrow, Kevin Spacey		

4 Conclusion and Discussion

In this project I learned data structures and file operations as well in Python.

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6 Appendices

6.1 Appendix A: Code

import csv

with open("movies.csv") as f:

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lines=[line.split(", ") for line in f]
      x=len(lines)
       for i in range(0,x):
               k=len(lines[i])
               for j in range(0,k):
                       lines[i][j]=lines[i][j].strip()
temp = lines[0][0]
temp=temp[3:len(temp)]
lines[0][0]=temp
#function that using to separate titles in menu
def reagent():
       print ('-----')
#function that using to separate titles in menu
#function for task 1
def task1():
       global control
       control=False
       actor=input('Enter an actor or actress name (ex: Edward Norton): ')
       if any(ch.isdigit() for ch in actor)==False:
               if actor.istitle()==False:
                    actor=actor.title()
       global savetask1
       global givenActor1
```

```
savetask1=list()
        givenActor1=actor
        actorNumbers=len(lines)
        for i in range(0,actorNumbers):
                if actor == lines[i][0]:
                        control=True
        if control==True:
                print("All movies of " +actor+": ")
                for i in range(0,actorNumbers):
                        if actor == lines[i][0]:
                                 actorNamePosition=lines[i].index(actor)
                                 filmNumber=len(lines[i])
                                 for y in range(actorNamePosition+1,filmNumber):
                                         print(lines[i][y])
                                         savetask1.append(lines[i][y])
        else:
                print('Entered actor or actress not found.')
#function for task 1
#function for task 2
def task2():
        global control
        control=False
        actor=input('Enter an actor or actress name (ex: Edward Norton): ')
        if any(ch.isdigit() for ch in actor)==False:
                if actor.istitle()==False:
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```
actor=actor.title()
        global savetask2
        savetask2=list()
        global givenActor2
        givenActor2=actor
        actorNumbers=len(lines)
        for i in range(0,actorNumbers):
                if actor == lines[i][0]:
                        control=True
        if control==True:
                print("All the actors or actresses with whom "+actor+" has acted.: ")
                for i in range(0,actorNumbers):
                        if(actor.title() == lines[i][0]):
                                actorNamePosition=lines[i].index(actor)
                                filmNumber=len(lines[i])
                                for y in range(actorNamePosition+1,filmNumber):
                                        temp=lines[i][y]
                                         for k in range(0, actorNumbers):
                                               filmNumber=len(lines[k])
                                                for j in range(0,filmNumber):
                                                 if(temp ==lines[k][j] and actor!=lines[k][0]):
                                                                 print(lines[k][0])
                                                                savetask2.append(lines[k][0])
        else:
                print('Entered actor or actress not found.')
#function for task 2
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```
#function for task 3
def task3():
        global control
        control=False
        global savetask3
        global givenFilm3
        savetask3=list()
        film=input('Enter a movie (ex: Se7en): ')
        if any(ch.isdigit() for ch in film)==False:
                if film.istitle()==False:
                        film=film.title()
        givenFilm3=film
        filmNumbers=len(lines)
        for i in range(0,filmNumbers):
                filmLength=len(lines[i])
                for k in range(1,filmLength):
                        if film==lines[i][k]:
                                 control=True
        if control==True:
                 print("All actors and actresses in " +film+": ")
                for i in range(0,filmNumbers):
                        filmLength=len(lines[i])
                        for k in range(1,filmLength):
                                 if film==lines[i][k]:
                                         print(lines[i][0])
                                         savetask3.append(lines[i][0])
```

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else:
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print('Entered film not found. Please enter again')

```
#function for task 3
#function for initializing of task 4,5 and 6
def setTasksFirstMovie():
        control=False
        global firstFilm
        global actorFirstFilm
        actorFirstFilm=set()
        firstFilm=input('Enter first movie (ex: Se7en): ')
        if any(ch.isdigit() for ch in firstFilm)==False:
                if firstFilm.istitle()==False:
                         firstFilm=firstFilm.title()
        filmNumbers=len(lines)
        for i in range(0,filmNumbers):
                filmLength=len(lines[i])
                for k in range(1,filmLength):
                         if firstFilm==lines[i][k]:
                                 control=True
        if control==True:
                for i in range(0,filmNumbers):
                         filmLength=len(lines[i])
                         for k in range(1,filmLength):
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if firstFilm==lines[i][k]:

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actorFirstFilm.add(lines[i][0])
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actorSecondFilm.add(lines[i][0])

```
print('Entered film not found. Please enter again')
                setTasksFirstMovie()
def setTasksSecondMovie():
        control=False
        global secondFilm
        global actorSecondFilm
        actorSecondFilm=set()
        secondFilm=input('Enter second movie (ex: Se7en): ')
        if any(ch.isdigit() for ch in secondFilm)==False:
                if secondFilm.istitle()==False:
                        secondFilm=secondFilm.title()
        filmNumbers=len(lines)
        for i in range(0,filmNumbers):
                filmLength=len(lines[i])
                for k in range(1,filmLength):
                        if secondFilm==lines[i][k]:
                                control=True
        if control==True:
                for i in range(0,filmNumbers):
                        filmLength=len(lines[i])
                        for k in range(1,filmLength):
                                if secondFilm==lines[i][k]:
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else:

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else:
              print('Entered film not found. Please enter again')
              setTasksSecondMovie()
#function for initializing of task 4,5 and 6
#function for task 4
def task4():
       global savetask4
       global givenFilm4First
       global givenFilm4Second
       setTasksFirstMovie()
       setTasksSecondMovie()
       givenFilm4First=firstFilm
       givenFilm4Second=secondFilm
       actorsOfTwoMovies=set()
       actorsOfTwoMovies=actorSecondFilm.union(actorFirstFilm)
       savetask4=list(actorsOfTwoMovies)
       print("All actors and actresses in " +firstFilm+" and " +secondFilm+": ")
       for item in actorsOfTwoMovies:
               print(item)
#function for task 4
#function for task 5
def task5():
       global savetask5
       global givenFilm5First
       global givenFilm5Second
```

```
setTasksFirstMovie()
       setTasksSecondMovie()
       givenFilm5First=firstFilm
       givenFilm5Second=secondFilm
       actorsOfTwoMovies=set()
       actorsOfTwoMovies=actorSecondFilm.intersection(actorFirstFilm)
       savetask5=list(actorsOfTwoMovies)
       print("Common actors and actresses in " +firstFilm+" and " +secondFilm+": ")
       for item in actorsOfTwoMovies:
               print(item)
       if len(savetask4) == 0:
               print('There is no any common actor between two movies.')
#function for task 5
#function for task 6
def task6():
       global savetask6
       global givenFilm6First
       global givenFilm6Second
       setTasksFirstMovie()
       setTasksSecondMovie()
       givenFilm6First=firstFilm
       givenFilm6Second=secondFilm
       difference1=set()
       difference2=set()
       actorsOfTwoMovies=set()
       difference1=actorSecondFilm.difference(actorFirstFilm)
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difference2=actorFirstFilm.difference(actorSecondFilm)
      actorsOfTwoMovies=difference1.union(difference2)
      savetask6=list(actorsOfTwoMovies)
     print("all actors and actresses in either of the movies " +firstFilm+" and "
+secondFilm+": ")
      for item in actorsOfTwoMovies:
            print(item)
#function for task 6
#function for task 7
def task7():
      save=open("savefile.txt", "w")
      save.write("-----\n")
      save.write("1. List all movies of given actor or actress.\n")
      save.write("-----\n")
      save.write("Given actor or actress's name: ")
      save.write(givenActor1)
      save.write("\n")
      save.write("Result:\n")
      k=len(savetask1)
      for i in range(0,k):
            temp=savetask1[i]
            save.write(temp)
             save.write("\n")
      save.write("-----\n")
      save.write("2. Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors or actresses with
whom he/she has acted.\n")
      save.write("-----\n")
```

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save.write("Given actor or actress's name: ")
save.write(givenActor2)
save.write("\n")
save.write("Result:\n")
k=len(savetask2)
for i in range(0,k):
      temp=savetask2[i]
      save.write(temp)
      save.write("\n")
save.write("-----\n")
save.write("3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.\n")
save.write("-----\n")
save.write("Given movie: ")
save.write(givenFilm3)
save.write("\n")
save.write("Result:\n")
k=len(savetask2)
for i in range(0,k):
      temp=savetask2[i]
      save.write(temp)
      save.write("\n")
save.write("-----\n")
save.write("4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.\n")
save.write("-----\n")
save.write("Given first movie: ")
save.write(givenFilm4First)
save.write("\n")
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```
save.write("Given second movie: ")
save.write(givenFilm4Second)
save.write("\n")
save.write("Result:\n")
k=len(savetask4)
for i in range(0,k):
      temp=savetask4[i]
      save.write(temp)
      save.write("\n")
save.write("-----\n")
save.write("5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.\n")
save.write("-----\n")
save.write("Given first movie: ")
save.write(givenFilm5First)
save.write("\n")
save.write("Given second movie: ")
save.write(givenFilm5Second)
save.write("\n")
save.write("Result:\n")
k=len(savetask5)
for i in range(0,k):
      temp=savetask5[i]
      save.write(temp)
      save.write("\n")
save.write("-----\n")
save.write("6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but not both.\n")
save.write("-----\n")
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save.write("Given first movie: ")
       save.write(givenFilm6First)
       save.write("\n")
       save.write("Given second movie: ")
       save.write(givenFilm6Second)
       save.write("\n")
       save.write("Result:\n")
       k=len(savetask6)
       for i in range(0,k):
               temp=savetask6[i]
               save.write(temp)
               save.write("\n")
#function for task 7
#function for menu
def menu():
       print('-----SEARCHIN MOVIES------
-----')
       print('1. List all movies of given actor or actress.(Press1)')
       print("2. Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors or actresses with whom
he/she has acted.(Press 2)")
       print('3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)')
       print('4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4)')
       print('5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 5)')
       print('6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but not both.(Press 6)')
       print('7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)')
       print('0.Exit.(Press 0)')
       menuChooser=input()
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if menuChooser == '1':
        reagent()
        task1()
        reagent()
        print('Press any key for back to the menu')
        input()
        menu()
elif menuChooser =='2':
        reagent()
        task2()
        reagent()
        print('Press any key for back to the menu')
        input()
        menu()
elif menuChooser == '3':
        reagent()
        task3()
        reagent()
        print('Press any key for back to the menu')
        input()
        menu()
elif menuChooser =='4':
        reagent()
        task4()
        reagent()
        print('Press any key for back to the menu')
        input()
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```
menu()
        elif menuChooser == '5':
                reagent()
                task5()
                reagent()
                print('Press any key for back to the menu')
                input()
                menu()
        elif menuChooser == '6':
                reagent()
                task6()
                reagent()
                print('Press any key for back to the menu')
                input()
                menu()
        elif menuChooser =='7':
                task7()
                print('Datas saved successfully.')
        elif menuChooser ==='0':
                exit()
        else:
                menu()
#function for menu
menu()
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6.2 Appendix B: Screenshots

SEARCHIN MOVIES
1. List all movies of given actor or actress.(Press1)
2. Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors or actresses with whom he/she has acted.(Press 2)
3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)
4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4)
5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 5)
6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but not both.(Press 6)
7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)
0.Exit.(Press 0)
1
Enter an actor or actress name (ex: Edward Norton): brad pitt
All movies of Brad Pitt:
Sleepers
Troy
Meet Joe Black
Oceans Eleven
Se7en
Mr & Mrs Smith
The Curious Case of Benjamin Button
Fight Club
Cool World
Interview with the Vampire: The Vampire Chronicles Twelve Monkeys
Inglourious Basterds
Press any key for back to the menu
SEARCHIN MOVIES
1. List all movies of given actor or actress.(Press1)
2. Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors or actresses with whom he/she has acted.(Press 3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)
4. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)
5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 5)
6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but not both.(Press 6)
7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)
0.Exit.(Press 0)
2
Enter an actor or actress name (ex: Edward Norton): edward norton
All the actors or actresses with whom Edward Norton has acted:
Brad Pitt
Helena Bonham Carter
Salma Hayek
Press any key for back to the menu

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1. List all movies of given actor or actress.(Press1)	
2. Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors o	r actresses with whom he/she has acted.(Press
3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)	
4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4)	
5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Pre-	ss 5)
6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies bu	
7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)	TO SHOULD SEE SEE SEE
0.Exit.(Press 0)	
3	
Enter a movie (ex: Se7en): Pulp Fiction	
All actors and actresses in Pulp Fiction:	
John Travolta	
Samuel L. Jackson	
Uma Thurman	
Bruce Willis	
Druce wills	
Press any key for back to the menu	
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3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)	actresses with whom hersne has acted.(Fress
4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4)	- 5)
5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Pres	
6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies bu	it not both.(Press 6)
7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)	
0.Exit.(Press 0)	
4	
Enter first movie (ex: Se7en): The Godfather	
Enter second movie (ex: Se7en): Fight club	
All actors and actresses in The Godfather and Fight Clul	o:
Helena Bonham Carter	
Edward Norton	
Robert De Niro	
Brad Pitt	
Marlon Brando	
Diane Keaton	
Al Pacino	
Press any key for back to the menu	
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3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)	
4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4)	
List common actors and actresses in two movies. (Pres	
List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but	t not both.(Press 6)
7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)	
0.Exit.(Press 0)	
5	
5	
5 Enter first movie (ex: Se7en): Se7en	
5 Enter first movie (ex: Se7en): Se7en Enter second movie (ex: Se7en): Fight Club	
Enter first movie (ex: Se7en): Se7en Enter second movie (ex: Se7en): Fight Club Common actors and actresses in Se7en and Fight Club:	
5	
Enter first movie (ex: Se7en): Se7en Enter second movie (ex: Se7en): Fight Club Common actors and actresses in Se7en and Fight Club:	

------SEARCHIN MOVIES------

- 1. List all movies of given actor or actress.(Press1)
- 2. Given an actor or actress's name, find all the actors or actresses with whom he/she has acted.(Press 2)
- 3. List all actors and actresses in a movie.(Press 3)
- 4. List all actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 4)
- 5. List common actors and actresses in two movies.(Press 5)
- 6. List all actors and actresses in either of the movies but not both. (Press 6)
- 7. Save results to a file.(Press 7)
- 0.Exit.(Press 0)

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Datas saved successfully.