Final Poster Project

Project Proposal

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Research Question

In the US region, after controlling for category type and number of views, does the number of likes and number of dislikes account for a significantly greater proportion of variance in the number of comments on a trending YouTube video?

Technique Used for Analysis

Sequential Multiple Regression

- ✓ Requires quantitative dependent variable
- ✓ Requires quantitative/dichotomous independent variable

Variables

Outcome Variable:

• Number of comments – quantitative

Variables of Interest:

- Number of likes quantitative
- Number of dislikes quantitative

Nuisance Variables:

- Category type categorical
- Number of views quantitative

Data Source

Data will be taken from:

https://www.kaggle.com/datasnaek/youtube-new/data

There are several datafiles for different regions. I will be analyzing the data from the US region. The codebook for the category type is also provided.