cf-01-rzepinskip-ratings_analysis

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1 Important

make data has to be run before running any notebook cell

2 Imports

3 Ratings user and book coverage

```
In [5]: ratings_df.groupby('user_id')['book_id'].count().describe()
Out[5]: count
                   53424.000000
                     111.868804
        mean
         std
                      26.071224
        min
                      19.000000
         25%
                      96.000000
         50%
                     111.000000
        75%
                     128.000000
                     200.000000
        Name: book_id, dtype: float64
```

All users rated at least 19 books. Such situation is rarely encountered in similar datasets.

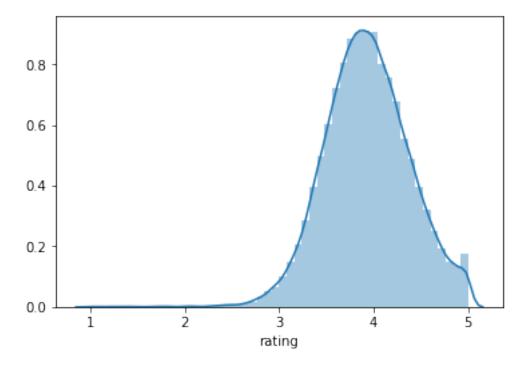
```
In [6]: ratings_df.groupby('book_id')['user_id'].count().describe()
```

```
Out[6]: count
                  10000.000000
        mean
                    597.647900
        std
                   1267.289788
        min
                      8.000000
        25%
                    155.000000
        50%
                    248.000000
        75%
                    503.000000
                  22806.000000
        max
        Name: user_id, dtype: float64
```

All books have been rated at least 8 times.

4 How users rate books?

```
In [7]: ratings_df['rating'].describe()
Out[7]: count
                   5.976479e+06
         mean
                    3.919866e+00
                   9.910868e-01
         std
                   1.000000e+00
         min
         25%
                   3.000000e+00
         50%
                    4.000000e+00
         75%
                    5.000000e+00
         max
                    5.000000e+00
         Name: rating, dtype: float64
In [8]: sns.distplot(ratings_df.groupby('user_id')['rating'].mean())
/home/rzepinskip/Documents/Inzynierka/Recommendation-system/rs-
venv/lib/python3.7/site-packages/scipy/stats/stats.py:1713: FutureWarning: Using a
non-tuple sequence for multidimensional indexing is deprecated; use `arr[tuple(seq)]`
instead of `arr[seq]`. In the future this will be interpreted as an array index,
`arr[np.array(seq)]`, which will result either in an error or a different result.
 return np.add.reduce(sorted[indexer] * weights, axis=axis) / sumval
Out[8]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f0f3fbd0f28>
```



People rate differently - some give only 5 stars reviews, some are more harsh than others, for some only perfect book should get 5 star rating and so on. Generally, people tend to use only the upper part of the scale. Such tendencies can be observed on mean user rating distribution plot.

To correct for biases caused by varying mean ratings of different users and items(i.e. long or hard-to-watch movies can also be rated far lower than others) special factors are introduced in the form of user bias, item bias or baseline. [Section 5.2.1 Recommender Systems Handbook, Ricci]

5 Train and test split

```
In [9]: from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
In [10]: train_df, test_df = train_test_split(ratings_df, test_size=0.1, random_state=44)
```

Some used methods do not generalize well for new(unseen) users and items, so we have to make sure that training test contains all users and items.

```
In [11]: set(train_df['user_id'].unique()) == set(ratings_df['user_id'].unique())
Out[11]: True
In [12]: set(train_df['book_id'].unique()) == set(ratings_df['book_id'].unique())
Out[12]: True
In [13]: train_df.groupby('user_id')['book_id'].count().describe()
```

```
Out[13]: count
                   53424.000000
         mean
                     100.681922
         std
                      23.671726
         \min
                      17.000000
         25%
                      86.000000
         50%
                     100.000000
         75%
                     115.000000
                     182.000000
         max
         Name: book_id, dtype: float64
In [14]: train_df.groupby('book_id')['user_id'].count().describe()
                   10000.000000
Out[14]: count
         mean
                     537.883100
         std
                    1140.646885
         min
                       8.000000
         25%
                     140.000000
         50%
                     223.000000
```

454.250000

75%

max