

Project 3:

Classification of Reddit Posts

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Introduction

Problem Statement



VS

zoom

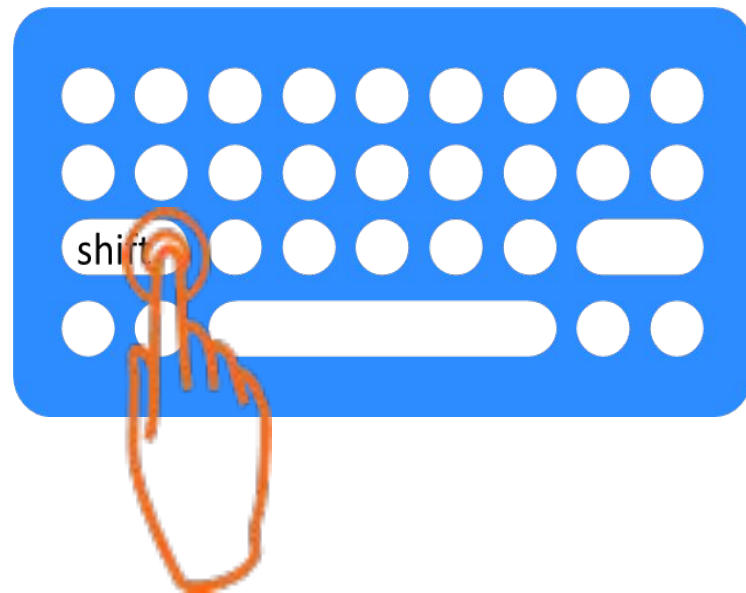
Collection & Data Cleaning

Data Collection

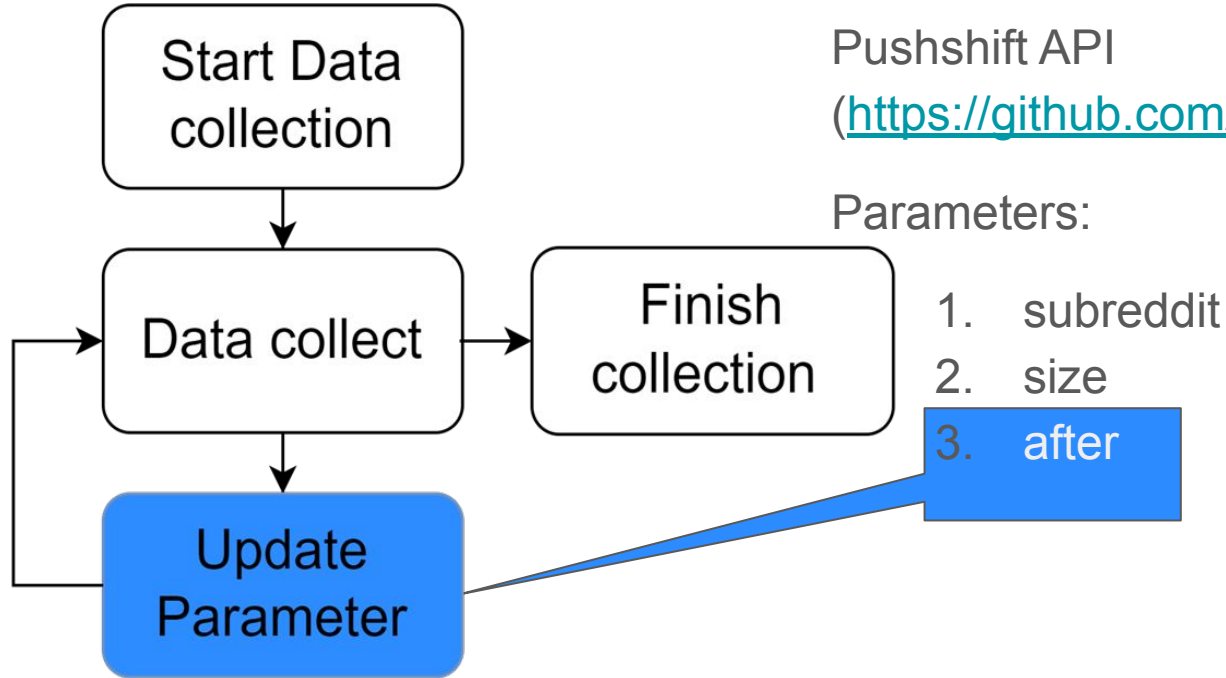
Pushshift API (<https://github.com/pushshift/api>)

Parameters:

1. subreddit: "Zoom" / "MicrosoftTeams"
2. size: 100 (maximum)
3. after: *epoch value*
 - a. first value: 1577836800
 - b. Data and Time (GMT): 1 Jan 2020, 00:00



Data Collection



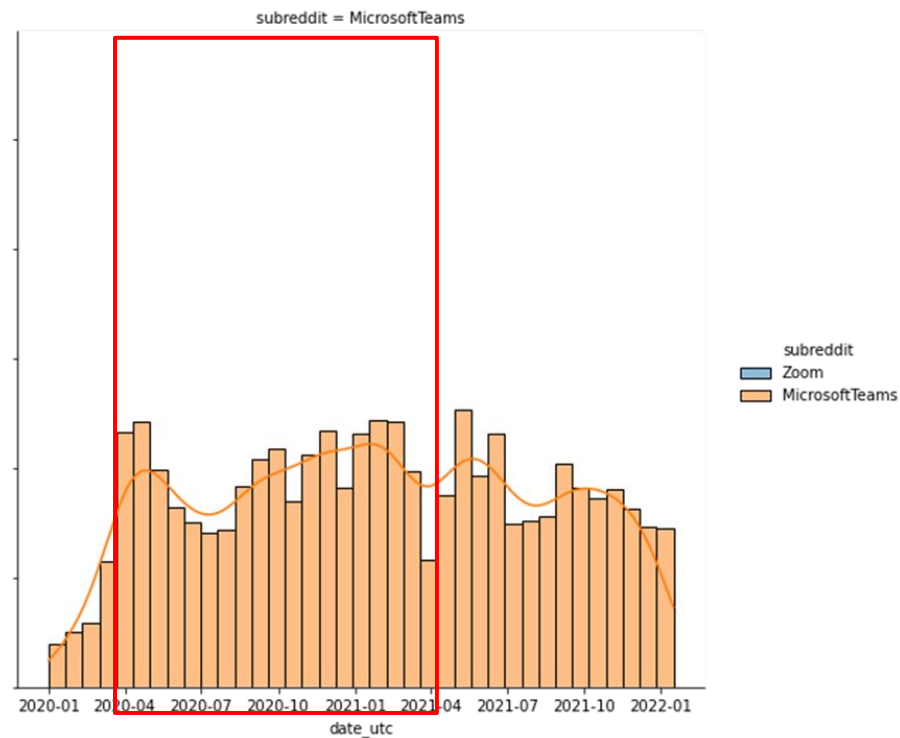
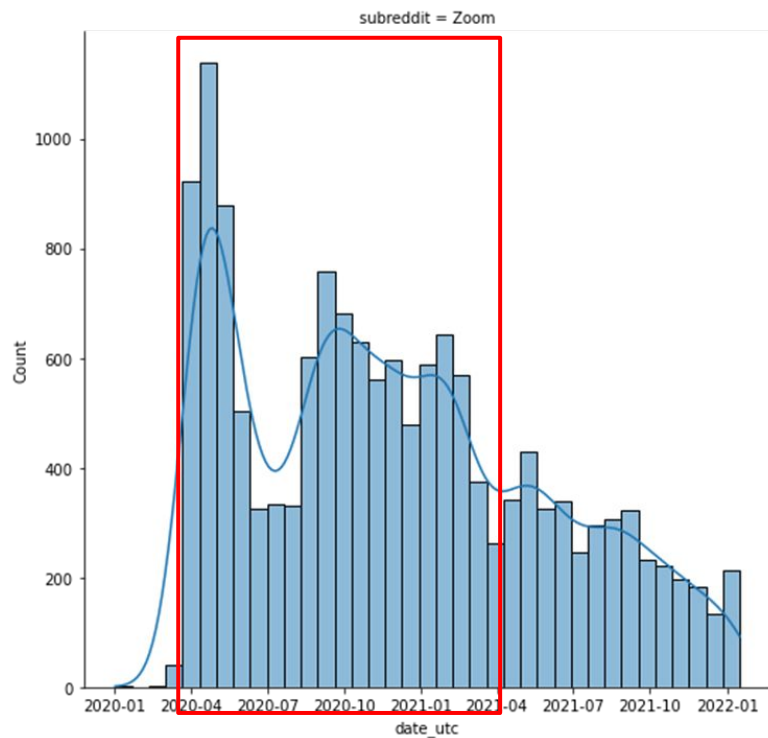
Cleaning

Cleaning of combined column of `selftext` and `title`:

- HTML Special entities (e.g. &)
- Hyperlinks
- Punctuation
- Whitespace
- Characters beyond Basic Multilingual Plane (BMP) of Unicode
- [removed]
- [deleted]

Time Period

Time Series graph for time frame selection



Preprocessing

Lemmatize

```
1 from nltk.stem import WordNetLemmatizer
2 lemmatizer = WordNetLemmatizer()
```

```
1 words=['feet','dogs','children','identify','this']
2 for word in words:
3     print(f"{word}: {lemmatizer.lemmatize(word)}")
```

```
feet: foot
dogs: dog
children: child
identify: identify
this: this
```

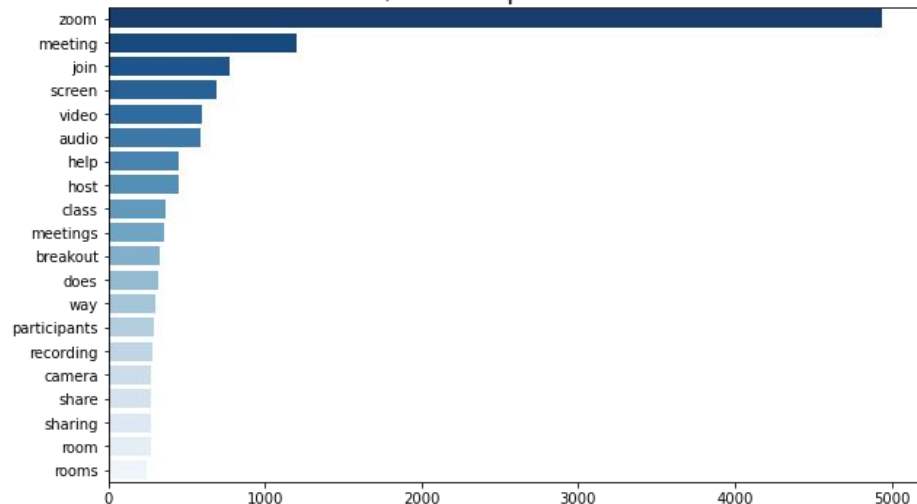
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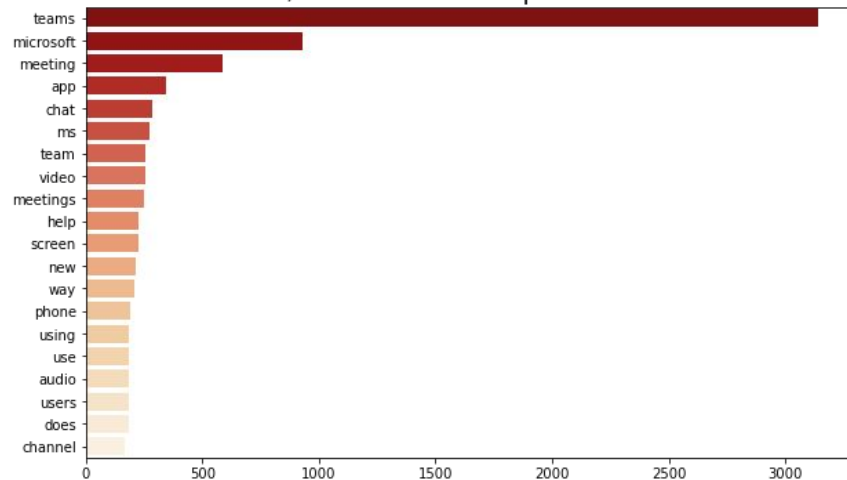
EDA

Analyzing Words in Title

r/Zoom Top 20 Words

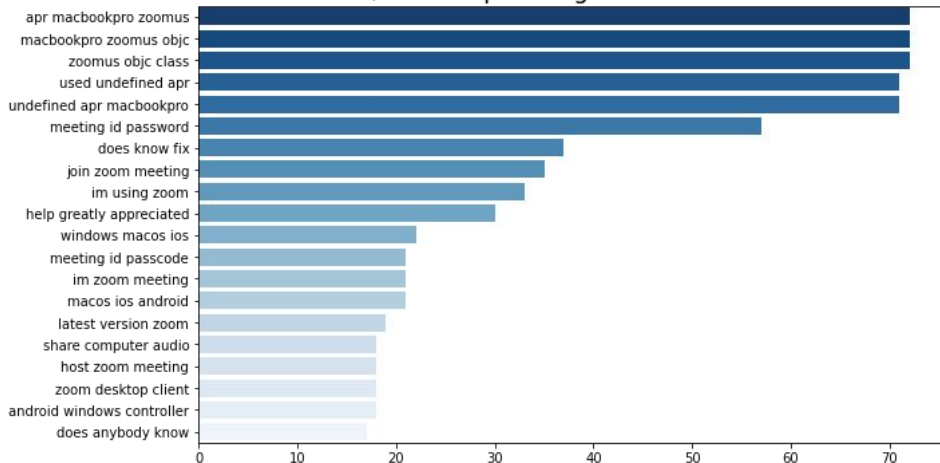


r/MicrosoftTeams Top 20 Words

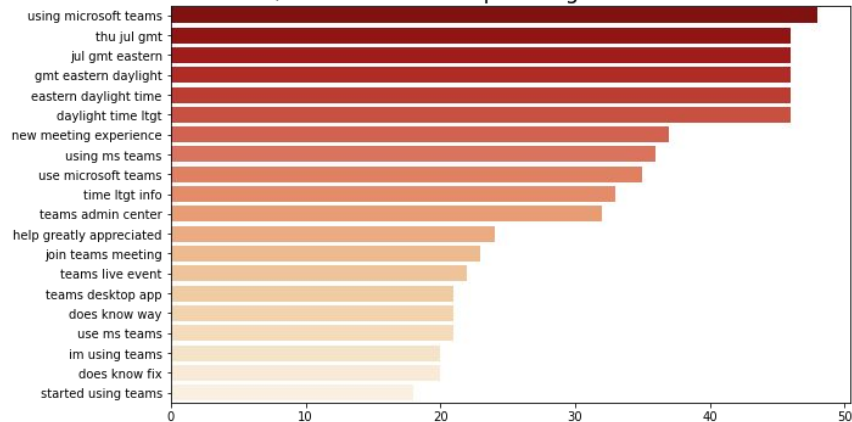


Analyzing Words in Selftext

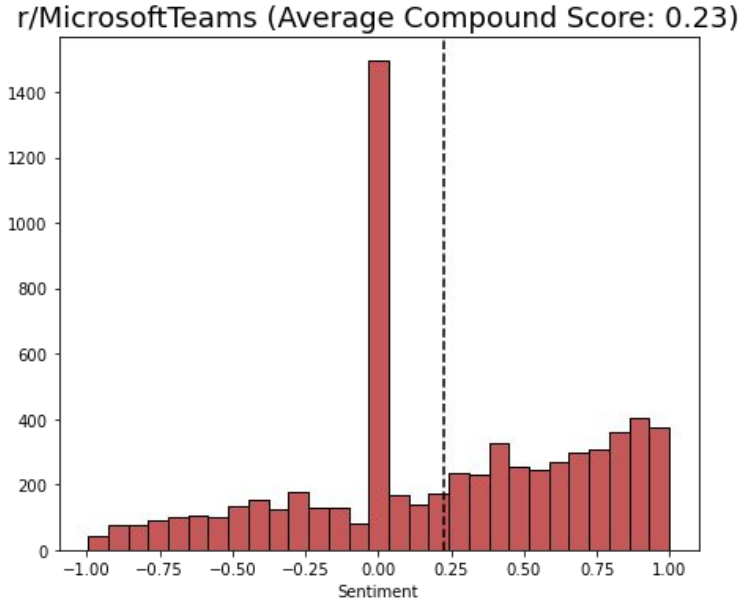
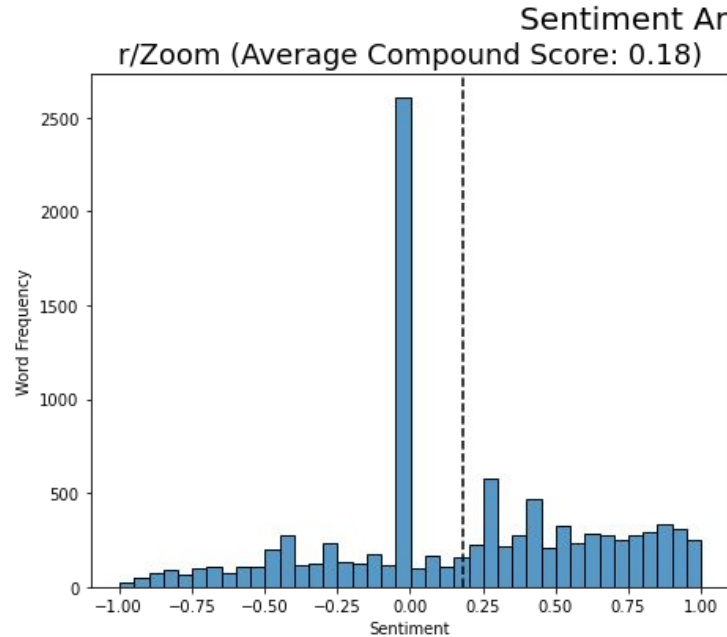
r/Zoom Top 20 Trigrams in SelfText



r/MicrosoftTeams Top 20 Trigrams in SelfText



Sentiment Analysis



Observation: Based on the average compound score computed, it seems to indicate that there are more positive posting on Team as compared to Zoom (this can also be observed in the distribution on the right).

Example of Negative & Positive Posting about Zoom

Negative Posting about Zoom:

zoom troubleshooting help alright i have a weird issue i have one student in a class of that can join the zoom meeting but is then dropped seconds after no other student is experiencing this issue the teacher is not having any network lag the student can access and watch other classes just fine student is using a chromebook student is using a hotspot student hasnt indicated this has been a problem for the last month issue only occurs at am class father is adamant that the issue is with zoom or the teacher but i believe that can be ruled out since no other student is having the same problem the device can be ruled out as a problem since connection with other classes is fine my thought is the hotspot they are currently using a sprint mifi unlimited plan after some quick research i found that sprint deprioritizes connections after theyve used gb in a billing cycle i am assuming the am time is a busy network for the tower any other potential ideas what it could be

Positive Posting about Zoom:

trying to host workouts on zoom and i cant figure out how to play spotify in my meeting without screen share apparently there is a program called loopback that does exactly this but im hoping someone knows of a free option thanks in advance

Example of Negative & Positive Posting about Teams

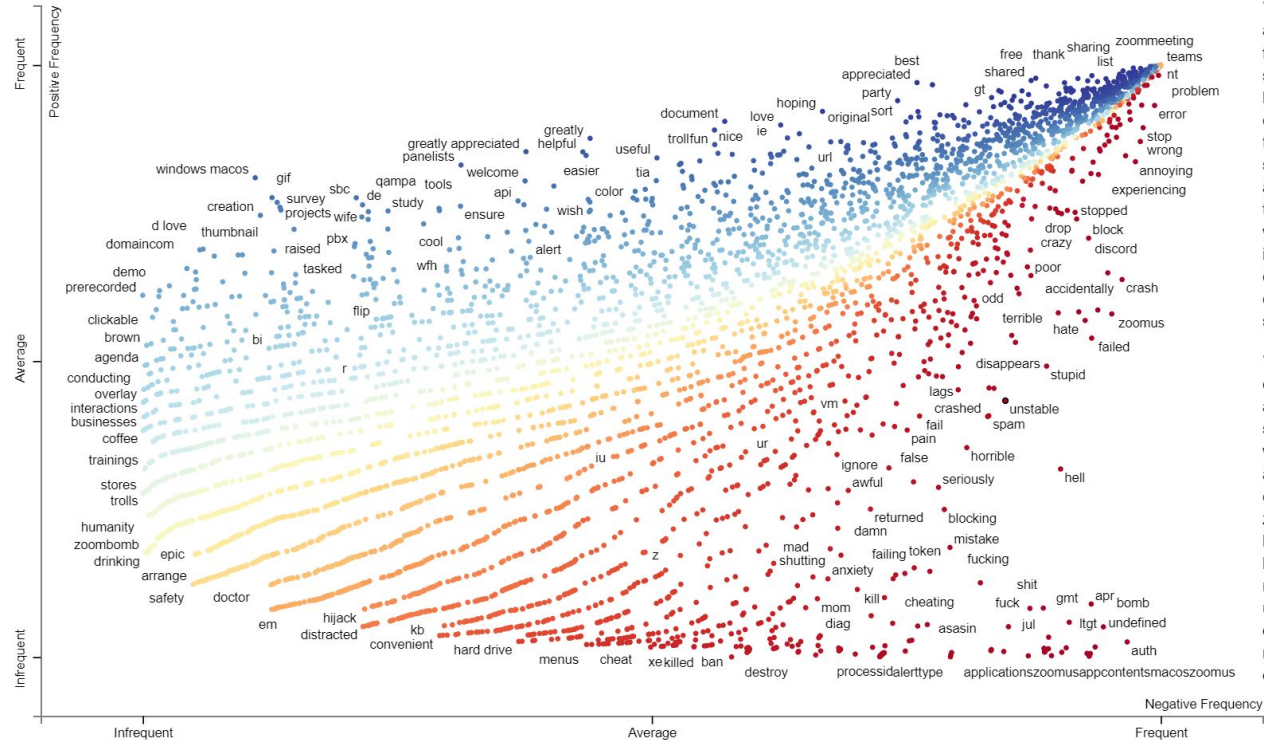
Negative Posting about Team:

problems when logging in on laptop with error code whenever i want to start ms teams i always get a error code and it asks me to restart the application whenever i restart my application it again gives me the same error if i log in on my other computer via google chrome or with a clean install it will work and i dont seem to have any problems does someone know whats the problem here

Positive Posting about Team:

generate report of all microsoft teams users hello is it possible to create a report of all active microsoft teams users from the teams admin portal ideally i would like to create a report that includes usernamesemails of all the microsoft teams users thanks

Scattertext Visualization



Top Positive Characteristic

appreciated	ipad
free	iphone
shared	youtube
best	unmute
create	android
thank	breakout
sharing	zoom
advance	cohost
thanks	chromebook
webinar	teams
invite	muted
channel	zooms
channels	covid
support	zoomus
	powershell

Top Negative

nt	macbook
error	webinar
auth	mute
stop	airpods
wrong	reddit
annoying	app
crash	spotify
zoomus	facebook
bomb	muting
bad	reinstalled
missing	unmuted
undefined	reinstalling
discord	macbookpro
onpremise	screenshare

Modelling & ~~Evaluation~~

TF-IDF

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$$\text{TF-IDF} = \text{TF}(t, d) \times \text{IDF}(t)$$

Term frequency

Number of times term t appears in a doc, d

Inverse document frequency

of documents

$$\log \frac{1 + n}{1 + \text{df}(d, t)}$$

Document frequency of the term t



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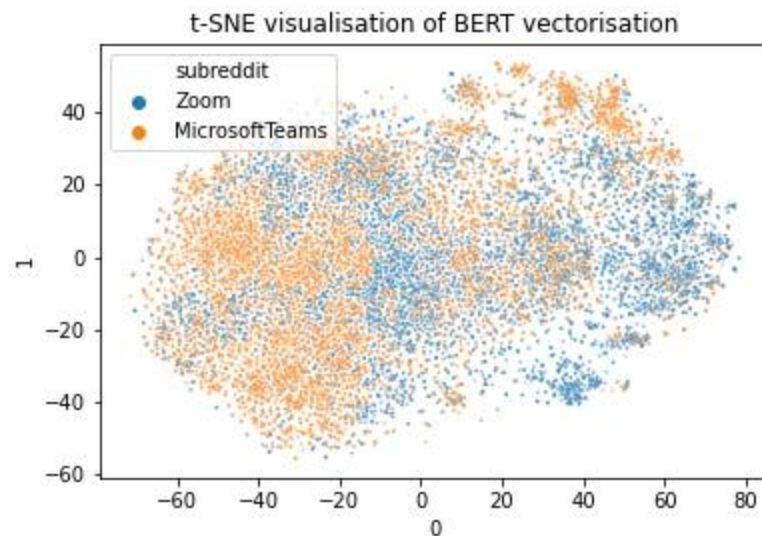
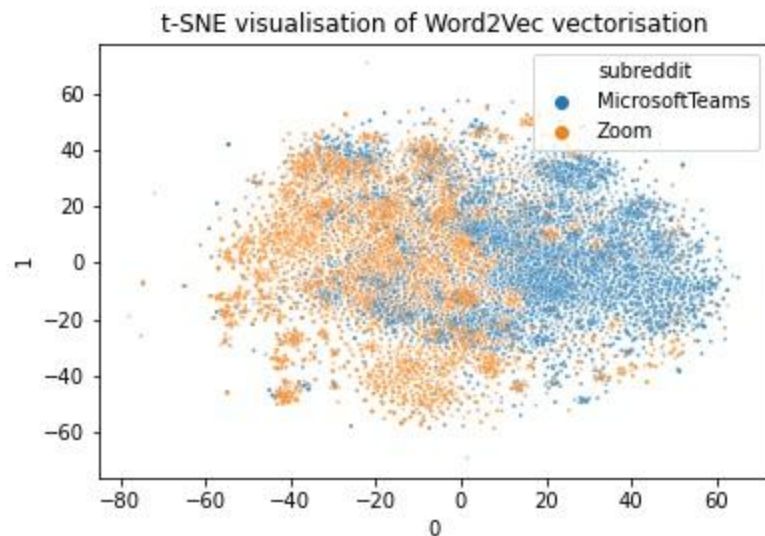
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Cats like me	0	0.1	0.1	0.1

Further EDA



We can also employ t-SNE for dimensionality reduction. We observe that the clusters are denser when using Word2Vec and clusters are better separated.

Further EDA

We will experiment with 3 classifiers:

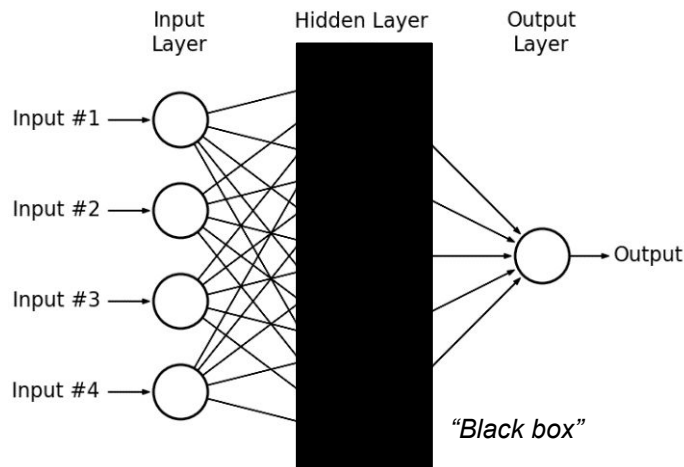
- Logistic Regression (LR)
- Random Forest (RF)
- MultiLayer Perceptron Classifier (MLP)

Baseline:

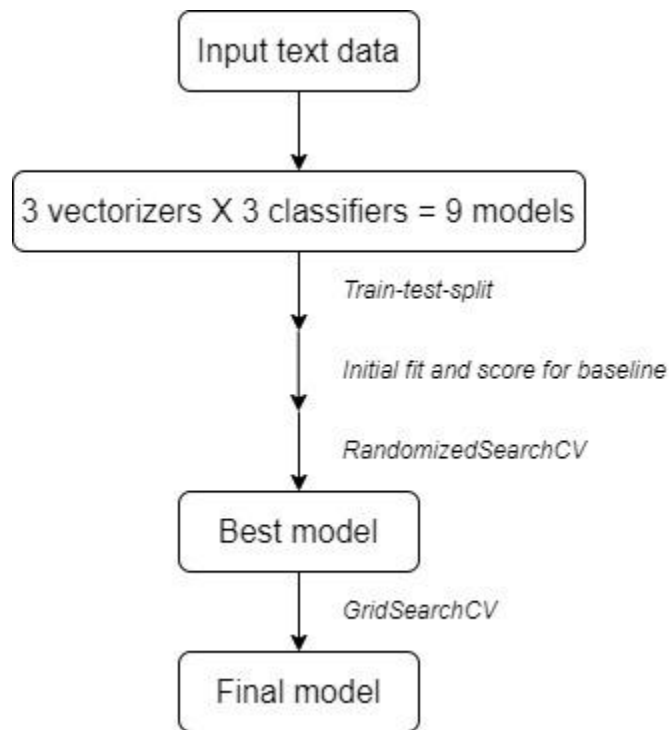
Checking whether submission contains the word
“microsoft” or “teams”

Baseline score: **87%**

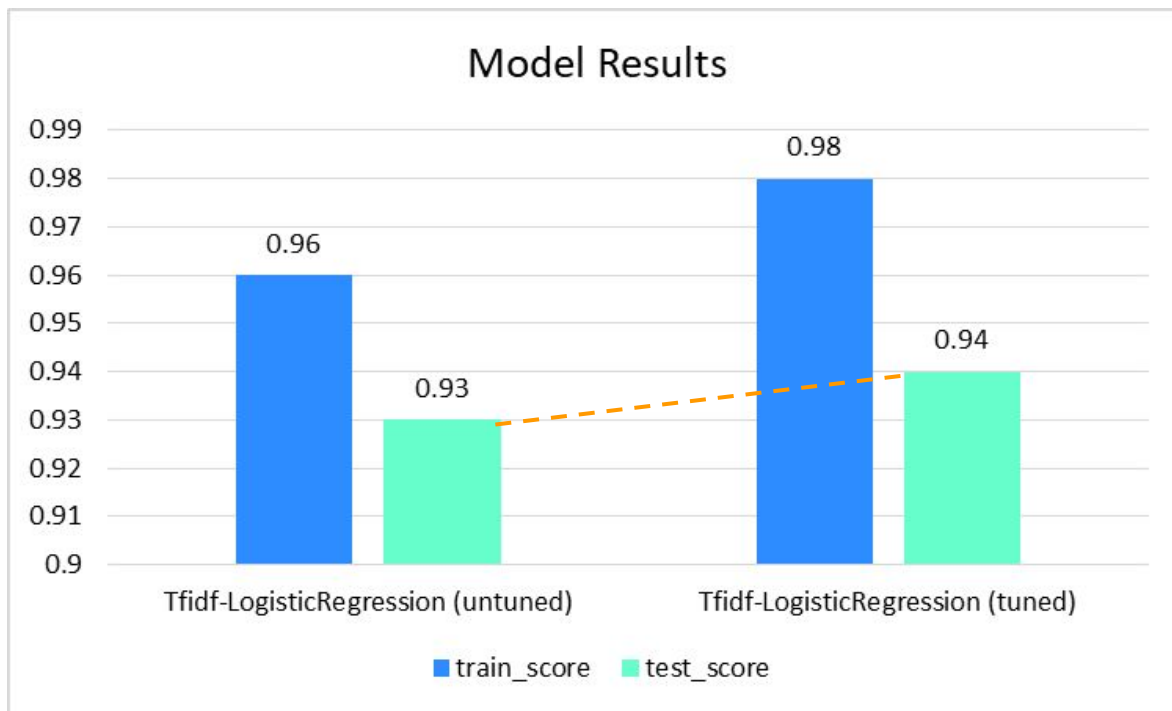
MLP Architecture



Data Modeling

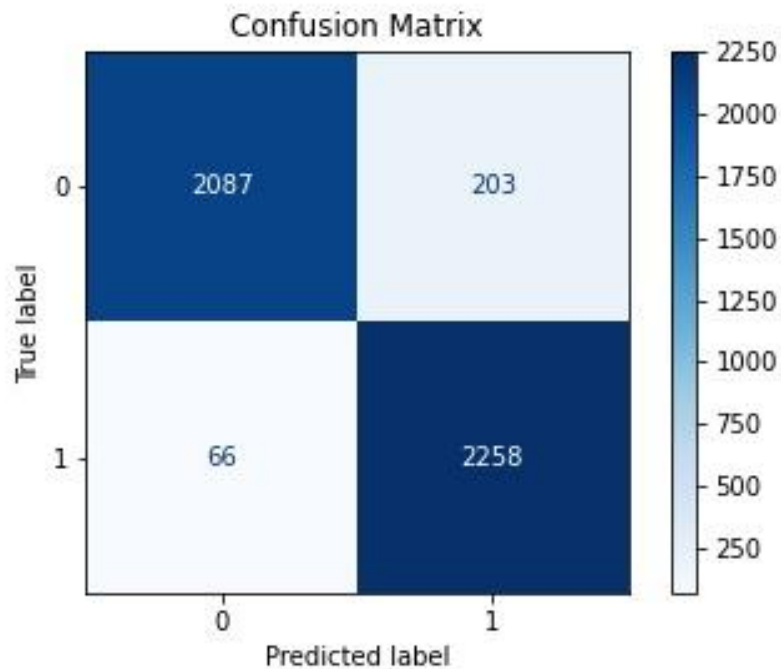


Model Evaluation



We managed to improve our score by ~1% which is decent, given that our untuned model already has 93% accuracy!

Model Evaluation



	Confidence
Predicting MST	88%
Predicting Zoom	84%

Deploying the Model

Reddit Classification Web App

The underlying model was trained on ~14,000 sub-reddits from r/Zoom and r/MicrosoftTeams, with the goal of predicting the sub-reddit given a string of words (submission)

The model is only able to output 2 possible results!

Type your content here!

I am having trouble with virtual backgrounds!

Click for predictions!

With 75% confidence, this is a submission belonging to r/Zoom.

Conclusion

Recommendation for Software Development Team

Pain points for users

1. Stopped
2. Drop
3. Crash
4. Reinstall
5. Error

Keep an eye on



Recommendation for Digital Marketing Team

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Zooming ahead

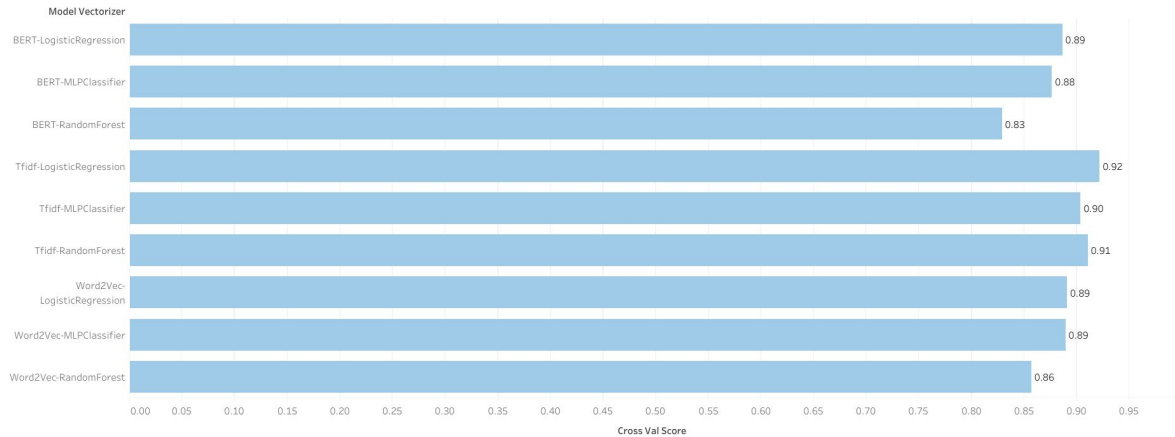
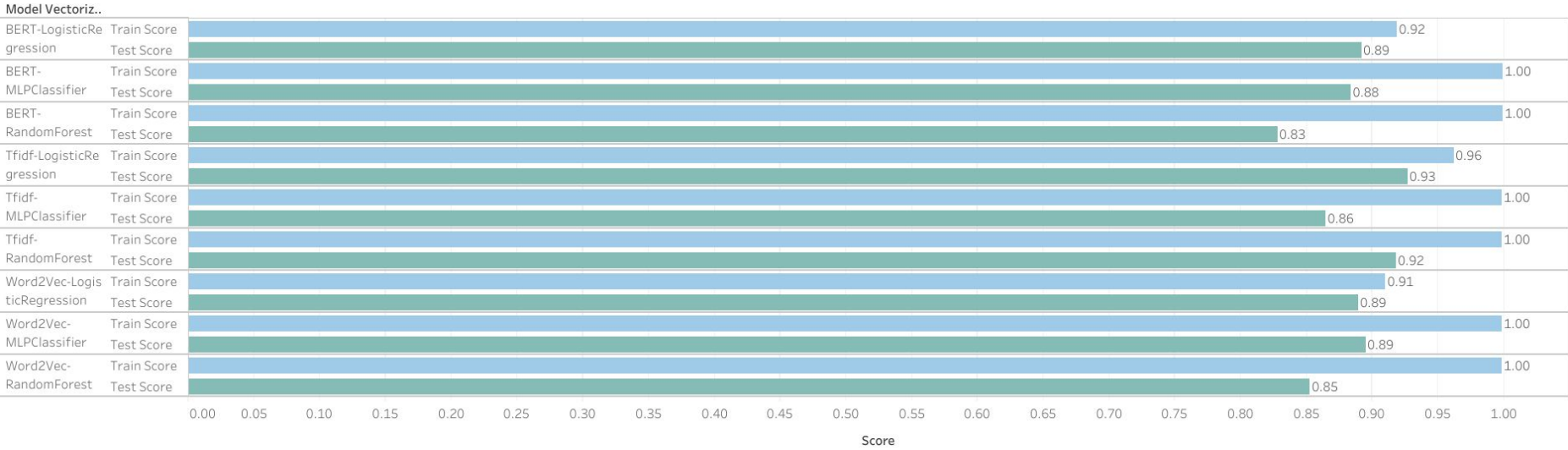
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Annex



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Text Vectorization and Further EDA - Word2Vec



	Dim 1	Dim 2	...	Dim 300
I like cats	0.01	0.01	...	0.01
Cats like me	0.01	0.01	...	0.01

Text Vectorization and Further EDA - Bi-directional Encoder Representations from Transformers

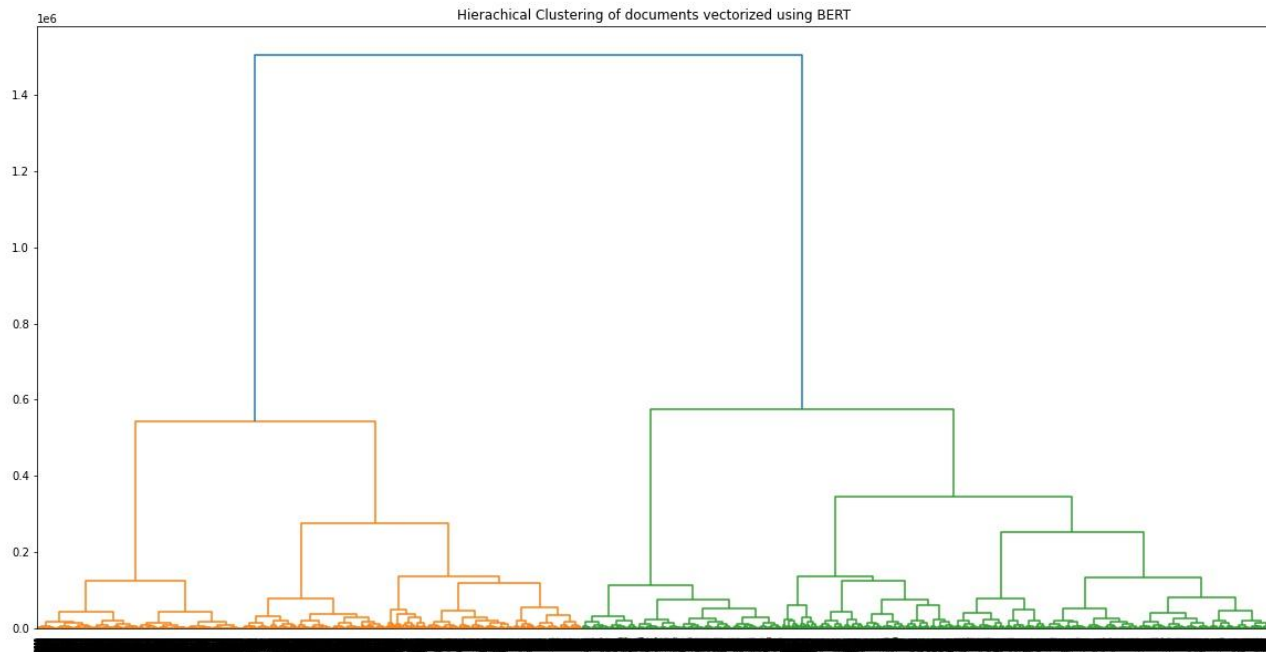


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I like cats	0.01	0.01	...	0.01
Cats like me	0.01	0.01	...	0.01

Exploring Misclassifications

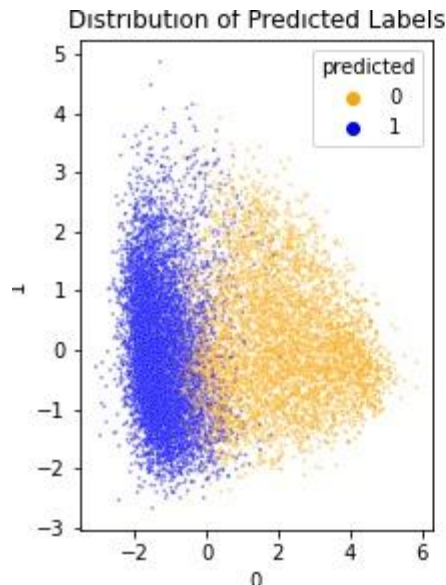
	predictions	true	probability	text_nostop
640	0	1	0.467682	hi schedule recurring meeting phone app show online account anyone know sync these tia app sync
9965	1	0	0.835560	please help camera hidden share screen participant get bored
10197	1	0	0.815036	aspect ratio requirements virtual background
4410	0	1	0.480724	<p>sit window left side table take call face look like halfmoon one side lighted side lighted course could shift 90 degree face window need refer desktop pc time make sense keep alternating window back pc every time take video call idea one problem thought getting ring light seem many option webcam ring light even ring light seem good enough illuminate face compensate uneven lighting deal uneven lighting taking video call</p>
7775	1	0	0.510970	<p>suggestion good way prevent student cheating multiple choice form quiz example failing student finish difficult physic quiz 7 second score 100 something definitely i give openended question would like make testing process somewhat manageable right cheating</p>
479	0	1	0.425665	mute presenter shared sound presenter know shared sound

Further EDA



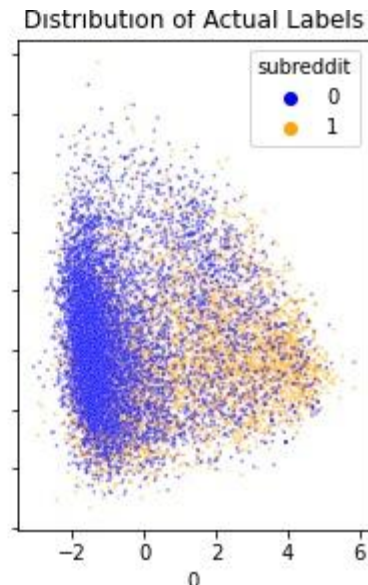
Agglomerative clustering shows that there are 2 distinct clusters in our word vectors (BERT), although this may not necessarily correspond to our Zoom and MST sub-reddits.

Further EDA



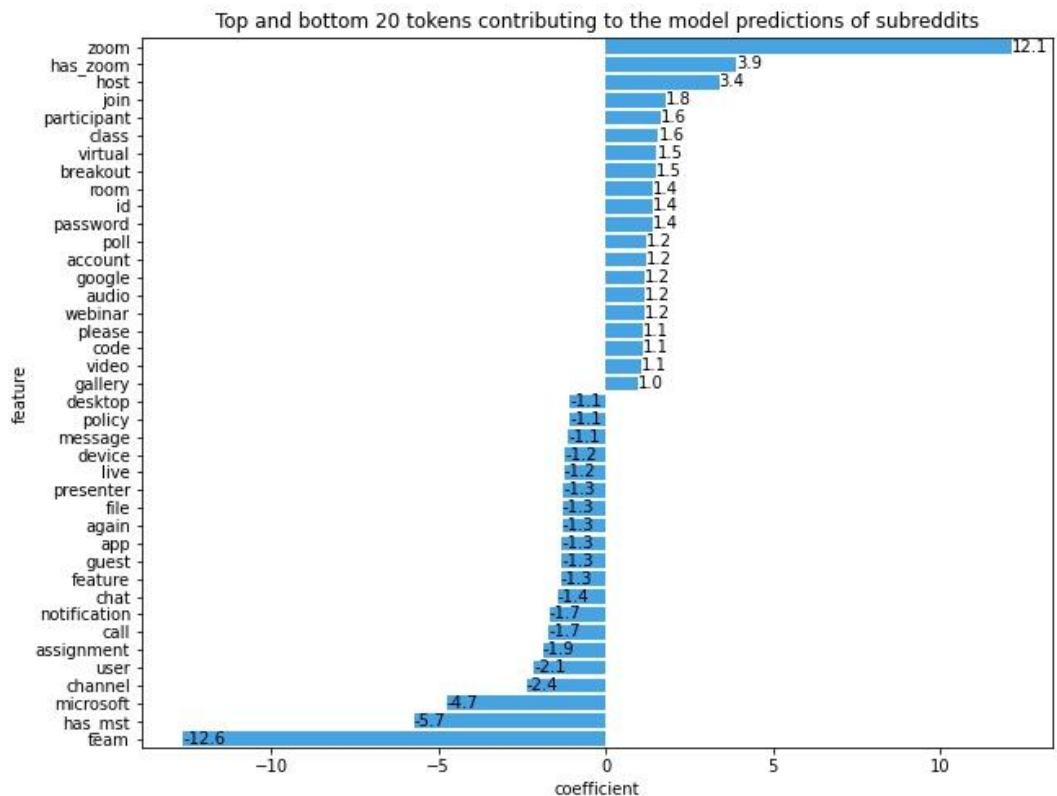
The clustering earlier has nicely separated the data into 2 clusters, although the overall accuracy is not high.

The labels have also been “inverted”, although we can be fairly certain that 0 (actual) = 1 (predicted)



We see a rather messy overlap of points from Zoom (blue) and MST (yellow) texts, although there is a strong Zoom cluster on the left. This is expected given that we have “over-simplified” the data

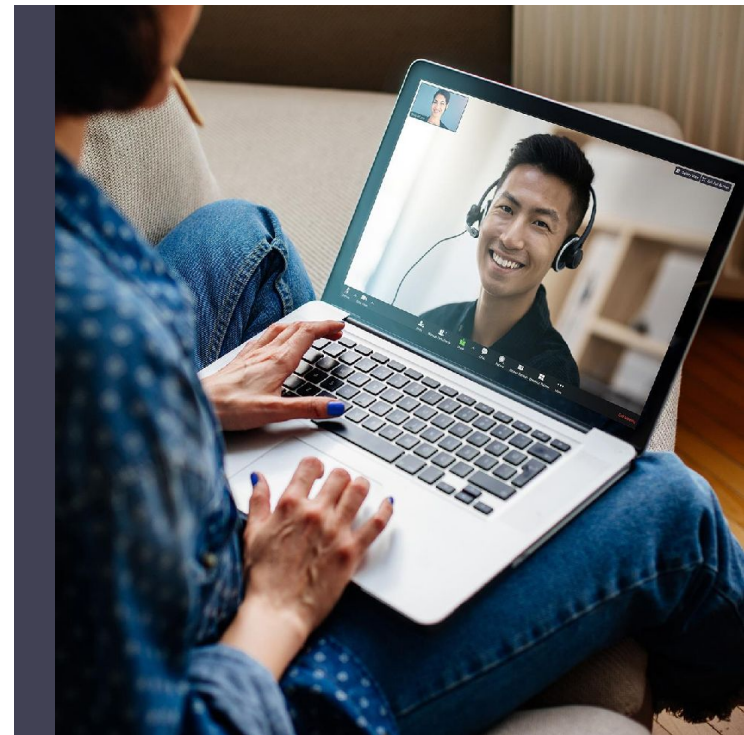
Understanding the Final Model



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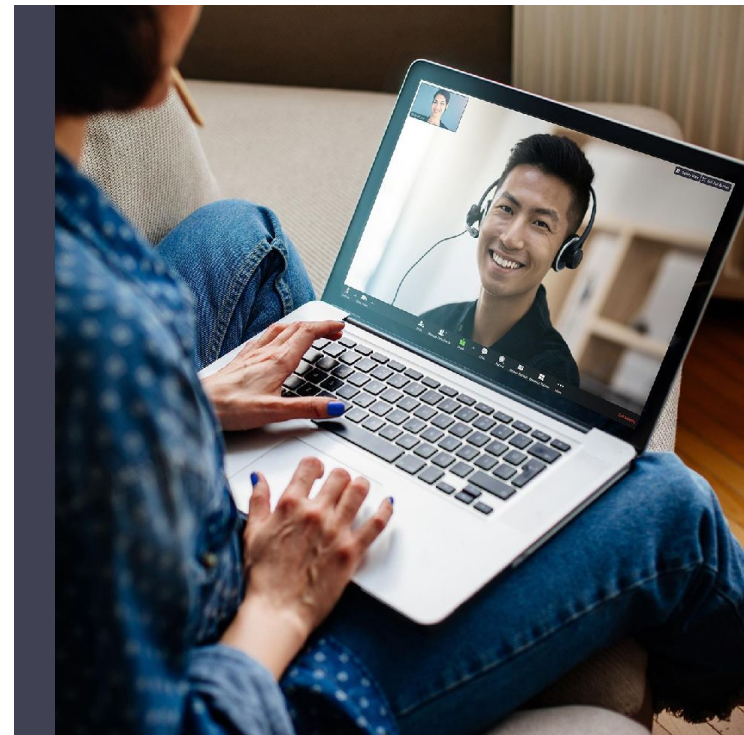
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Meeting the Increased Demand



354%

Growth in
Customers
with > 10 employees

175K

Number of
licenses deployed
for a new
customer

+200%

Q/Q growth of
minutes for the
Global 2000
customers

+300M

Peak number of
daily meeting
participants

**+Two
Trillion**

Annualized
meeting minutes
run rate



Challenges and Commitment to Security and Privacy

- ✓ Enacted 90-day security plan initiative
- ✓ Acquired Keybase to add engineering expertise in encryption
- ✓ Released Zoom 5.0 with new security features and enhancements including support for AES 256-bit GCM encryption

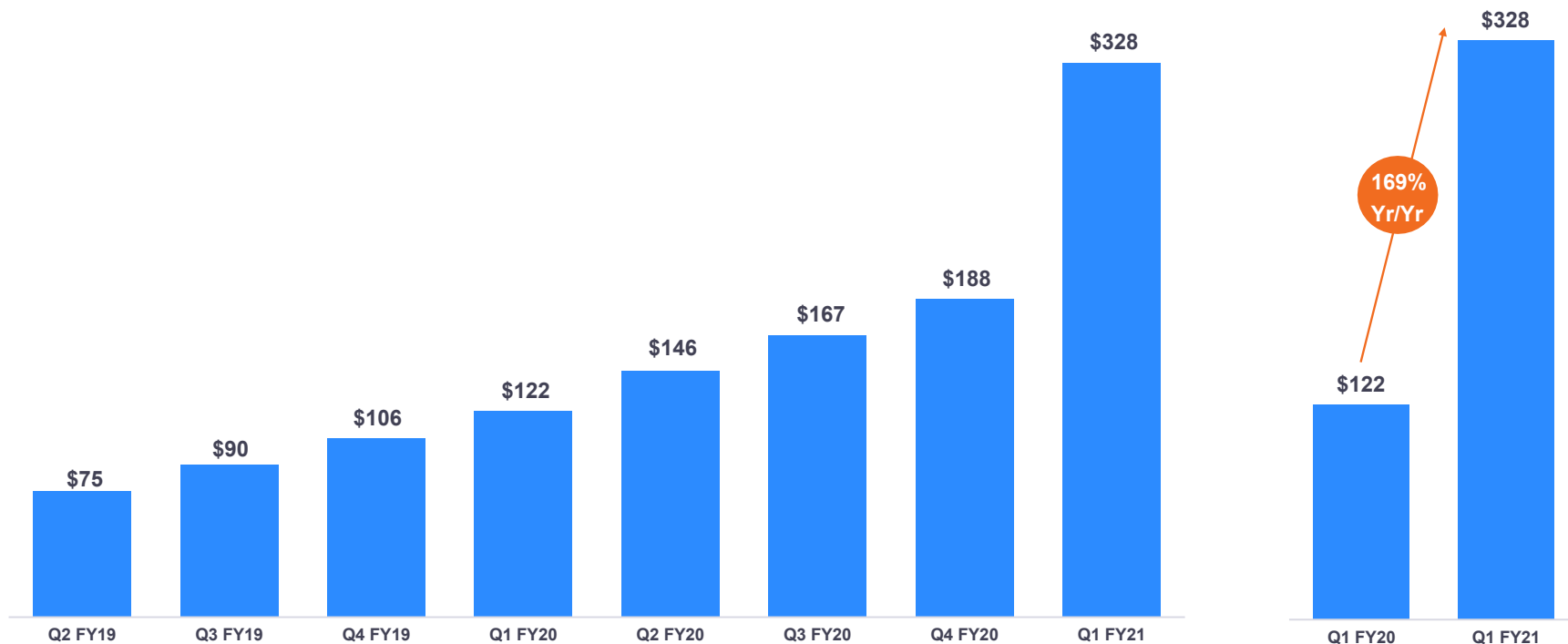
Happy Zoom
Customers

arm

**Baker
McKenzie.**

Rapid Revenue Growth

In Millions



Zooming ahead

In the pipeline

1. Zoom
2. has_zoom
3. Host
4. Join
5. Participant
6. Class
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5. User
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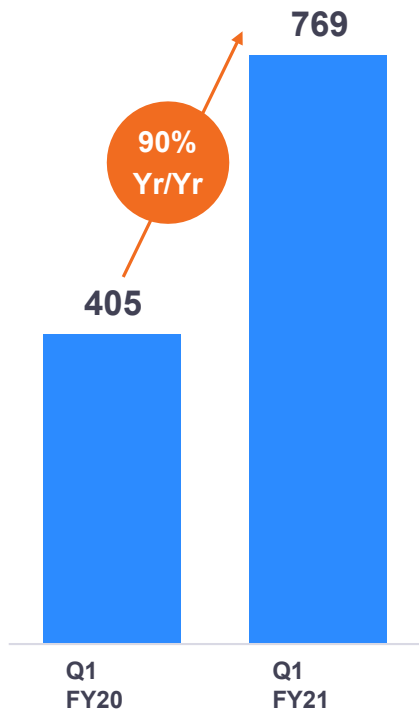
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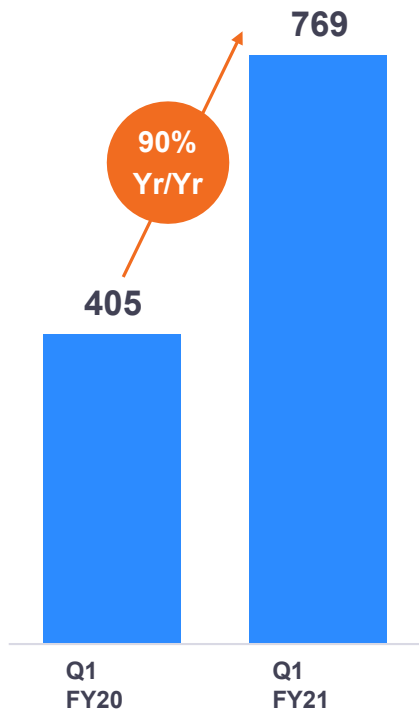
Growth in Customers¹ with >\$100K ARR



¹The number of customers are rounded down to the nearest hundred

Gaining Enterprise Traction

Growth in Customers with >\$100K in Trailing 12-Month Revenue



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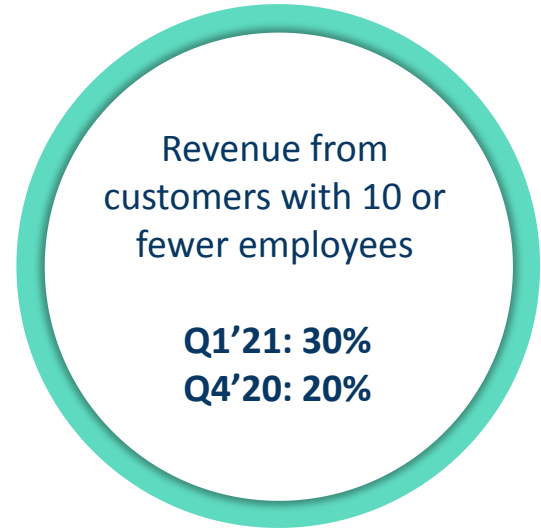
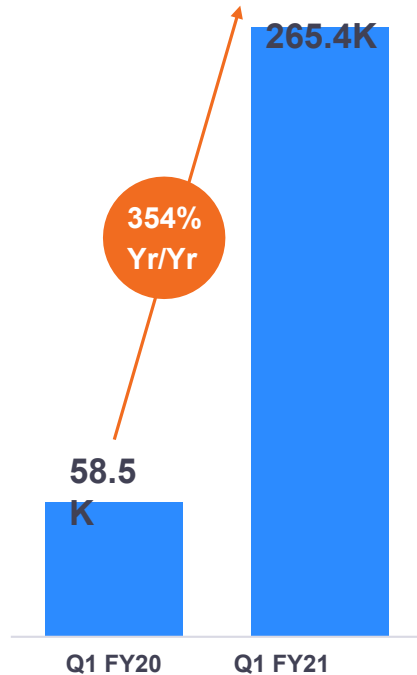
Growth in Customers¹ with >\$100K ARR



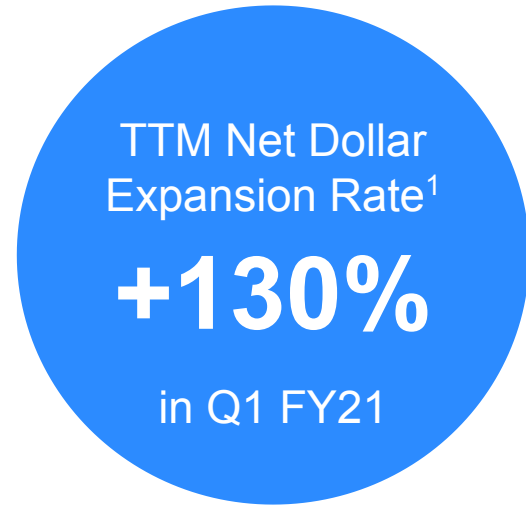
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Rapidly Growing Customer Base

Customers¹ with more than 10 Employees



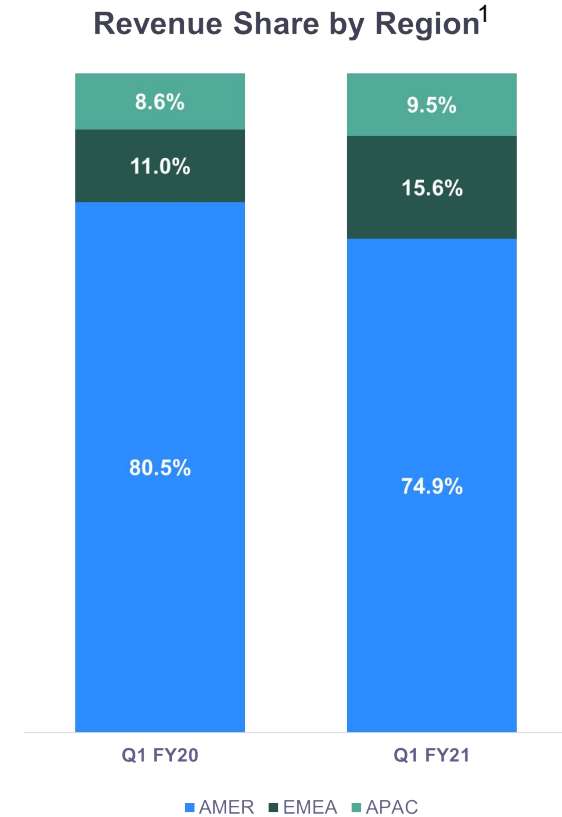
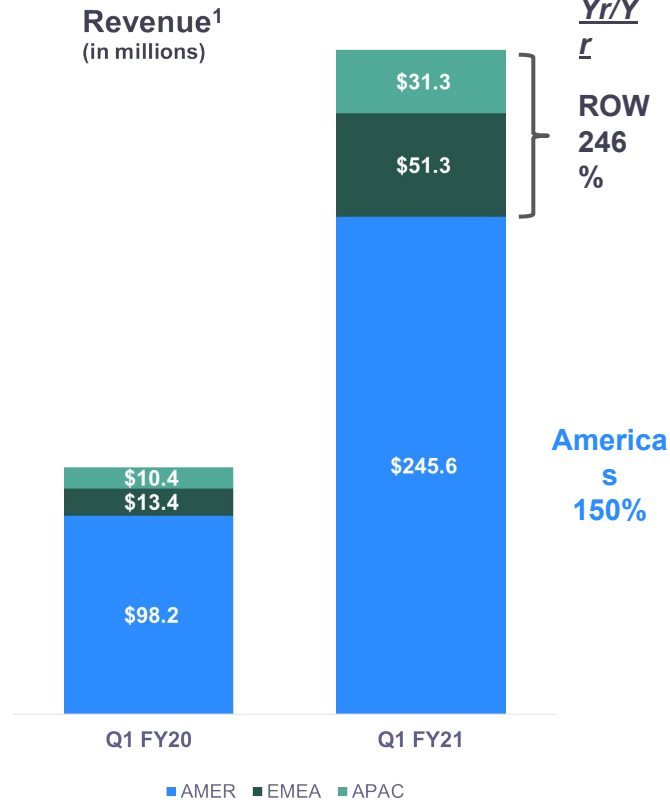
Strong Q1 Net Dollar Expansion Rate



- 8th consecutive quarter above 130%
- Demonstrated Ability to Land and Expand
- Reflects Trust and Loyalty with Existing Customer

¹We calculate net dollar expansion rate as of a period end by starting with the ARR from customers with greater than 10 employees as of the 12 months prior to such period end (Prior Period ARR). We then calculate the ARR from these customers as of the current period end (Current Period ARR). The calculation of Current Period ARR includes any upsells, contraction and attrition. We then divide the total Current Period ARR by the total Prior Period ARR to arrive at the net dollar expansion rate. For the trailing 12-months calculation, we take an average of this calculation over the trailing 12 months.

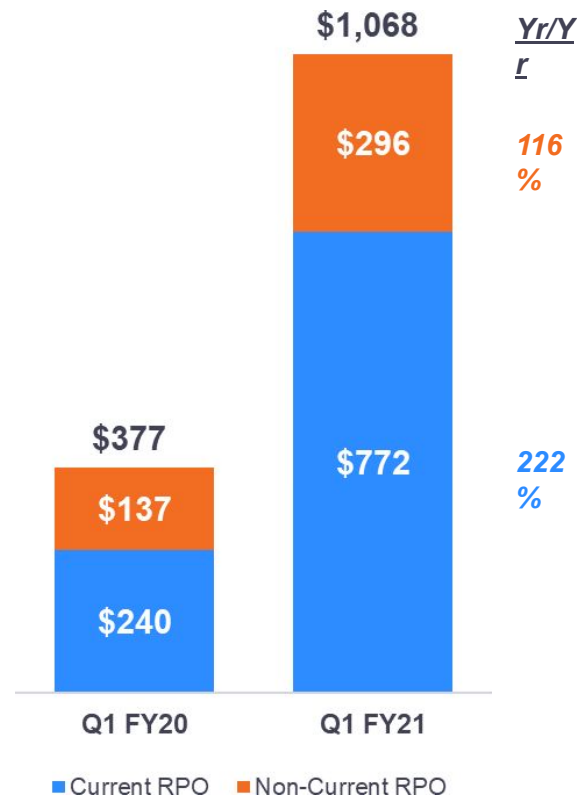
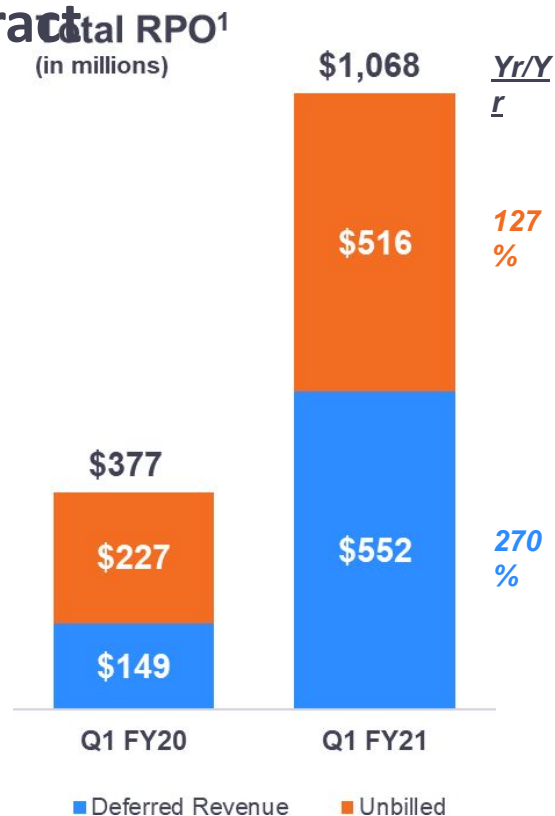
Growing International Presence



Q1 FY21 Expenses and Margins

	Q1 FY21			
	GAAP Results	Yr/Yr	Non-GAAP ¹ Results	Yr/Yr
Revenue	\$328 million	169%	\$328 million	169%
Gross Margin	68.4%	(1,184bps)	69.4%	(1,149bps)
Research & Development	8.0%	(326bps)	6.4%	(395bps)
Sales & Marketing	37.0%	(1,546bps)	31.5%	(1,880bps)
General & Administrative	16.2%	+102bps	14.8%	+134bps
Operating Margin	7.1%	+585bps	16.6%	+991bps

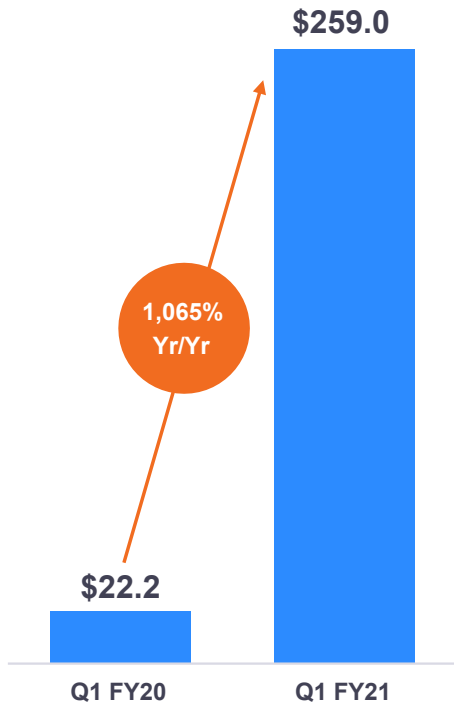
Growing Future Revenue Under Contract



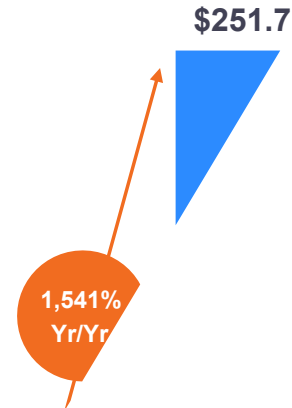
¹ Remaining performance Obligations (RPO) consists of both billed considerations and unbilled considerations that we expect to recognize as revenue, which grew 184% year-over-year. We expect to recognize approximately 72% or \$772 million dollars of the total RPO as revenue over the next 12 months compared to 64% or \$240 million dollars in Q1 last year. Subtotals have been rounded.

Rapid Cash Flow Growth

Operating Cash Flow
(in millions)



Free Cash Flow¹
(in millions)



Full Year and Q2 FY21 Outlook

	Q2FY21	FY21
Revenue	\$495 - \$500 million	\$1,775 - \$1,800 million
Non-GAAP Operating Income	\$130 - \$135 million	\$355 - \$380 million
Weighted Average Share Count	299 million	300 million
Non-GAAP EPS	\$0.44 - \$0.46	\$1.21 - \$1.29

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GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliation

Gross Profit

(\$ in thousands)	QTD – Q1FY20	QTD – Q1FY21
Total Revenue	\$121,988	\$328,167
GAAP Gross Profit	\$97,884	\$224,460
(+) Stock-based compensation expense and related payroll taxes	\$830	\$3,382
Non-GAAP Gross Profit	\$98,714	\$227,842
Non-GAAP Gross Margin	80.9%	69.4%
R&D Expenses		
GAAP R&D	\$13,783	\$26,389
(-) Stock-based compensation expense and related payroll taxes	\$1,164	\$5,403
Non-GAAP R&D	\$12,619	\$20,986
S&M Expenses		
GAAP S&M	\$64,041	\$121,556
(-) Stock-based compensation expense and related payroll taxes	\$2,627	\$18,025
Non-GAAP S&M	\$61,414	\$103,531
G&A Expenses		
GAAP G&A	\$18,503	\$53,130
(-) Stock-based compensation expense, related payroll taxes, and charitable donation of common stock	\$2,041	\$4,436
Non-GAAP G&A	\$16,462	\$48,694

GAAP to Non-GAAP

Reconciliation

Operating Margin		
(\$ in thousands)	QTD – Q1FY20	QTD – Q1FY21
Total revenue	\$121,998	\$328,167
GAAP operating profit	\$1,557	\$23,385
(+) Stock-based compensation expense, related payroll taxes, and charitable donation of common stock	\$6,662	\$31,246
Non-GAAP operating profit	\$8,219	\$54,631
Non-GAAP operating margin	6.7%	16.6%
Net Income		
GAAP net income attributable to common stockholders	\$198	\$27,036
(+) Stock-based compensation expense, related payroll taxes, and charitable donation of common stock	\$6,662	\$31,246
(+) Undistributed earnings attributable to participating securities	\$2,016	\$39
Non-GAAP net income	\$8,876	\$58,321
Earnings Per Share		
GAAP net income per share – diluted	\$0.00	\$0.09
Non-GAAP net income per share – diluted	\$0.03	\$0.20
Weighted Average Shares		
GAAP weighted-average – diluted	136M	295M
Non-GAAP weighted-average - diluted	290M	295M

Historic Metrics

Metric	Q2 FY19	Q3 FY19	Q4 FY19	Q1 FY20	Q2 FY20	Q3 FY20	Q4 FY20	Q1 FY21
Revenue	\$74.5	\$90.1	\$105.8	\$122.0	\$145.8	\$166.6	\$188.3	\$328.2
y/y	126%	120%	108%	103%	96%	85%	78%	169%
GAAP Operating Income	\$3.4	\$(1.1)	\$5.5	\$1.6	\$2.3	\$(1.7)	\$10.6	\$23.4
Stock-based compensation expense, related payroll taxes, & charitable donation of common stock	\$1.1	\$2.7	\$4.3	\$6.7	\$18.5	\$22.9	\$27.9	\$31.2
Non-GAAP Operating Income	\$4.5	\$1.6	\$9.8	\$8.2	\$20.7	\$21.3	\$38.4	\$54.6
Operating Cash Flow	\$14.4	\$18.2	\$16.0	\$22.2	\$31.2	\$61.9	\$36.6	\$259.0
Capital Expenditures (Property & Equipment)	\$(6.2)	\$(8.1)	\$(10.3)	\$(6.9)	\$(14.0)	\$(7.2)	\$(10.0)	\$(7.3)
Free Cash Flow	\$8.2	\$10.1	\$5.7	\$15.3	\$17.1	\$54.7	\$26.6	\$251.7
RPO	\$210.5	\$256.0	\$311.7	\$376.5	\$457.6	\$517.0	\$604.1	\$1067.9
y/y	n/a	n/a	n/a	127%	117%	102%	94%	184%
TTM Net \$ Expansion Rate	138%	139%	140%	130%+	130%+	130%+	130%+	130%+
Customers >10 Employees	37.2k	44.4k	50.8k	58.5k	66.3k	74.1k	81.9k	265.4k
y/y	n/a	n/a	97%	86%	78%	67%	61%	354%
Customers >\$100K TTM Revenue	228	277	344	405	466	546	641	769
y/y	n/a	n/a	141%	120%	104%	97%	86%	90%