



媒体计算技术

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Now, Let us study a new media

Social Media



Social Networks

Social networking accounts for 22% of all time spent online in the U.S.

Twitter averages almost 40 million 'tweets' per day

1 in 4 people over the age of 65 use social networking sites

Examples:

- Facebook
- Twitter
- Myspace
- LinkedIn
- Skype

“There are over 200 active sites using a wide variety of social networking models today.”

Recommendation

- General
- Personal

The Social Web

The Web not only as a marketplace for companies that want to sell, but as a social space for people.

In this social space, by sharing news, ideas, information, stories, etc., communities of like-minded individuals are created.

The Web as a publishing medium: everyone is an author.

The Web as a medium to harness “the wisdom of crowds”.

The participatory Web



Timeline of Social Web

December 1997: the word 'Weblog' was coined by Jorn Barger. In 1998, the word was pronounced "We blog" and shortened to "Blog".

End of 1998 – 1999: Creation of several hosting services for blogs: OpenDiary, LiveJournal, Blogger.

January 2001: The launch of Wikipedia

August 2003: The launch of MySpace

February 2004: The launch of Flickr

December 2004: The launch of Digg

February 2005: The launch of YouTube



Categories of Social Web

Blogging

Social Networking (MySpace, Facebook)

Collaborative Knowledge Creation (Wikipedia)

Content Sharing (Flickr, YouTube)

Social Bookmarking (Digg, Del.icio.us)

Recommendation Engines (Amazon, Netflix, Last.fm)

Social Gaming

Open-source software (Linux, Apache, Python, etc.)

None of these would be interesting without massive user-generated content.

Blogging

Transition from personal websites to blogs.

RSS (also known as Web feeds)

- Really Simple Syndication (Dave Winner)
- Rich Site Summary (Netscape)
- Subscribe to one page and get notified when the page changes.



Permalinks

Trackbacks

Free blog hosting services (Blogger, WordPress):

- Templating (no need to write HTML)
- rich editing (WYSIWYG)
- adding photos, music, video (the widget technology)

Collaborative Knowledge Creation

Examples: Wikipedia, WikiTravel, Wiktionary

Technology: **wiki** – a page that can be modified by anyone, using just a web browser.

wiki has been around since 1995

There are public and private Wikis.

Problems: Bias, accuracy, vandalism

Wikipedia ranks 8th in terms of global web traffic.

Content Sharing

Examples: Flickr, YouTube, Picassa

Content (videos, photos) is uploaded from users and made available to all.

Everyone can tag and comment on the content.

Tags can be used for retrieval of content.

Content can be embedded in other social sites through feeds or widgets.

YouTube is ranked 3rd (after Yahoo and Google) in terms of traffic ranking.

Social Bookmarking

Examples: Digg, Del.icio.us, StumbleUpon

Tags

Folksonomy versus Taxonomy

Thumbs-up, thumbs-down (a voting system)

- Features like “most e-mailed”, “most read” (in all other sites)

Risks:

- Users who promote sites that promote products and services
- The cascade process of reinforcement

Social Gaming

One of the first uses of Internet, well before Web 2.0.

Origin: Text-driven MUD (Multi-User Dungeon) (played by telnet)

Viral games: “Zombies”, “Vampires”, “Werewolfes”

Virtual Life (a social virtual world)

Google Lively

Facebook games:

- Who has the biggest brain?
- Scrabulous

Games in other platforms (Xbox, Playstation, Nintendo) with Internet connection.



Recommendation Engines

Examples: Amazon, Netflix, Last.fm

Personalized recommendation: recommend things based on the individual's paste behavior

Social recommendation: recommend things based on the past behavior of similar users

Item recommendation: recommend things based on the item itself

Background

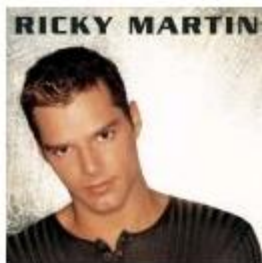
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Today's Recommendations For You

1 2 3

Here's a daily sample of items recommended for you. Click here to [see all recommendations](#).



[Ricky Martin \(Audio CD\)](#)



[Three-Piece Vaule Combo Pack for Sony Ericsson...](#)



[Marc Anthony \(Audio CD\)](#)



[Cosas Del Amor \(Audio CD\)](#)



[Logitech Mobile Express Bluetooth Headset](#)

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Yahoo! Users: **B+** 52392 ratings

The Critics: **B** 12 reviews

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Vicky Cristina Barcelona (PG-13)

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Yahoo! Users: **B** 1923 ratings

The Critics: **B+** 13 reviews

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Pride and Glory (R)

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Yahoo! Users: **A-** 59 ratings

The Critics: **C+** 6 reviews

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Yahoo! Users: **B** 3229 ratings

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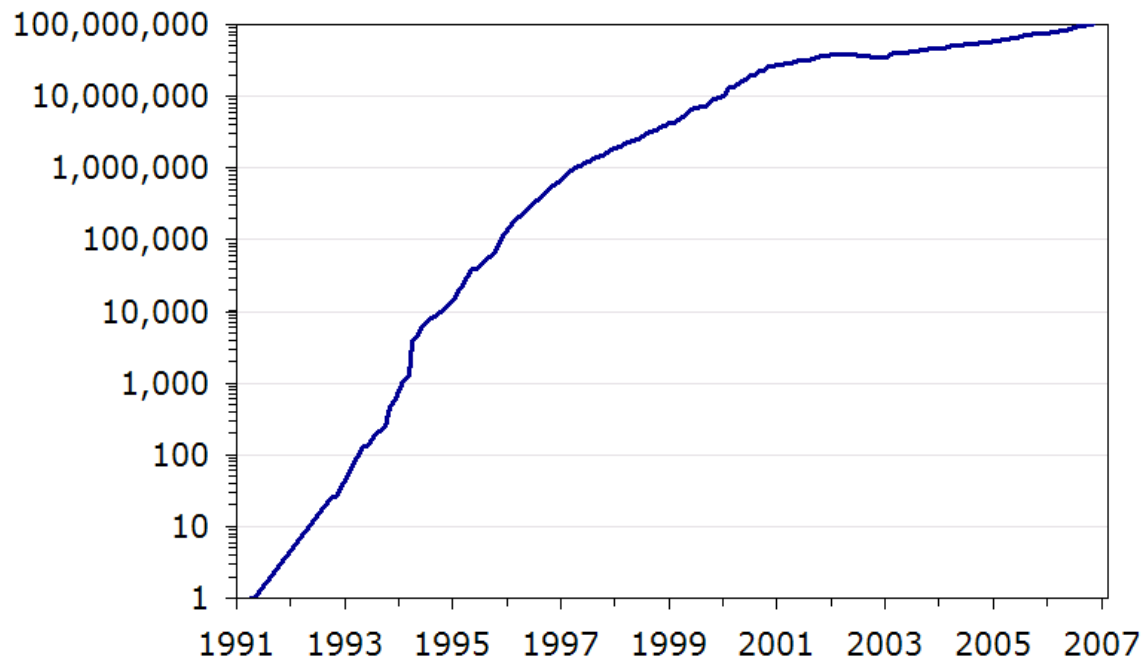
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Background

Recommender Systems become more and more important



*The **number of Internet websites** each year since the Web's founding.
From <http://www.useit.com/alertbox/web-growth.html>*

Challenges

Data sparsity problem

YAHOO! MOVIES

My Movies: gabe_ma [Edit Profile](#)



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My Blueberry Nights (2008)

The Critics:

B-

[7 reviews](#)

Yahoo! Users:

B-

[667 ratings](#)

My Grade:

A+

Oscar-worthy

A

B

C

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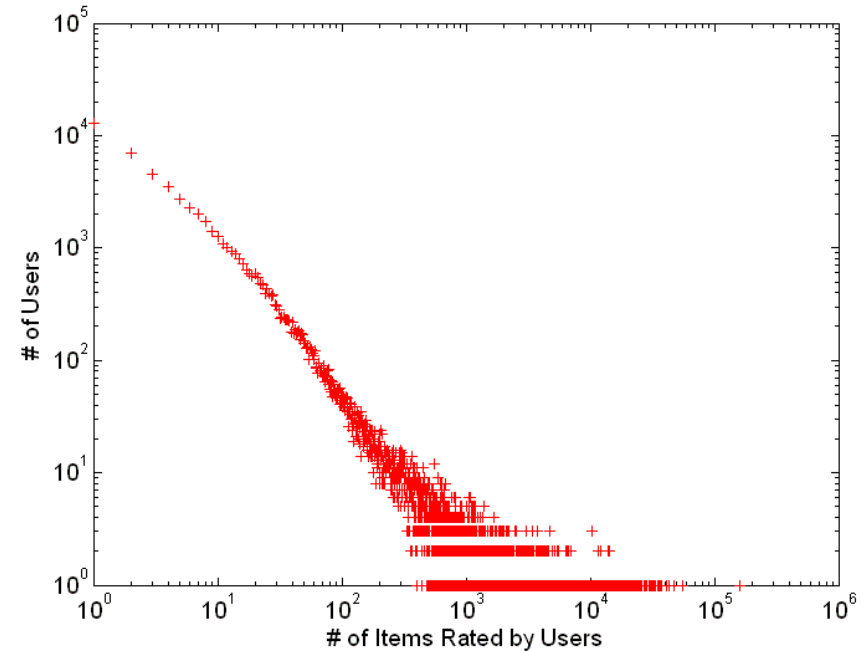
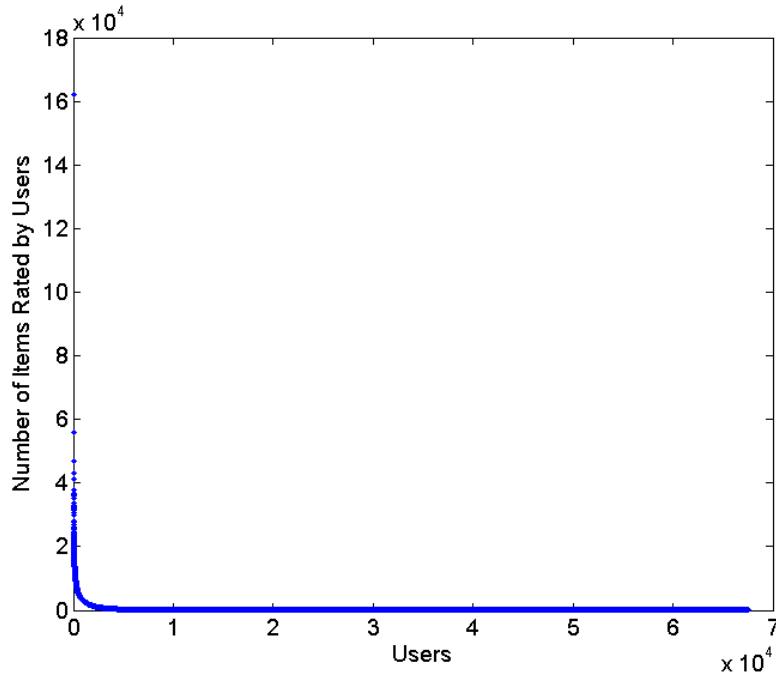
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Number of Ratings per User



Extracted From Epinions.com

114,222 users, 754,987 items and 13,385,713 ratings

Challenges

Traditional recommender systems ignore the social connections between users



Recommendations
from friends



Challenges

“Yes, there is a correlation - from social networks to personal behavior on the web”

Parag Singla and Matthew Richardson ([WWW'08](#))

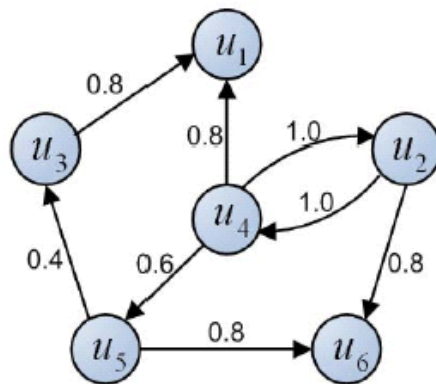
- Analyze the who talks to whom social network over 10 million people with their related search results
- People who chat with each other are more likely to share the same or similar interests



Motivation

To improve the recommendation accuracy and solve the data sparsity problem, users' social network should be taken into consideration

Problem Definition



(a) Social Network Graph

	i_1	i_2	i_3	i_4	i_5	i_6	i_7	i_8
u_1	5	2		3		4		
u_2	4	3			5			
u_3	4		2				2	4
u_4								
u_5	5	1	2		4	3		
u_6	4	3		2	4		3	5

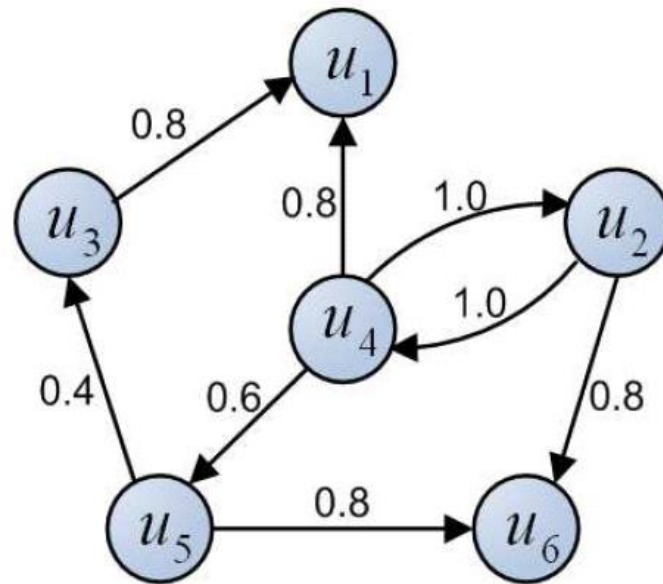
(b) User-Item Matrix

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} 1.55 & 1.22 & 0.37 & 0.81 & 0.62 & -0.01 \\ 0.36 & 0.91 & 1.21 & 0.39 & 1.10 & 0.25 \\ 0.59 & 0.20 & 0.14 & 0.83 & 0.27 & 1.51 \\ 0.39 & 1.33 & -0.43 & 0.70 & -0.90 & 0.68 \\ 1.05 & 0.11 & 0.17 & 1.18 & 1.81 & 0.40 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} 1.00 & -0.05 & -0.24 & 0.26 & 1.28 & 0.54 & -0.31 & 0.52 \\ 0.19 & -0.86 & -0.72 & 0.05 & 0.68 & 0.02 & -0.61 & 0.70 \\ 0.49 & 0.09 & -0.05 & -0.62 & 0.12 & 0.08 & 0.02 & 1.60 \\ -0.40 & 0.70 & 0.27 & -0.27 & 0.99 & 0.44 & 0.39 & 0.74 \\ 1.49 & -1.00 & 0.06 & 0.05 & 0.23 & 0.01 & -0.36 & 0.80 \end{bmatrix},$$

	i_1	i_2	i_3	i_4	i_5	i_6	i_7	i_8
u_1	5	2	2.5	3	4.8	4	2.2	4.8
u_2	4	3	2.4	2.9	5	4.1	2.6	4.7
u_3	4	1.7	2	3.2	3.9	3.0	2	4
u_4	4.8	2.1	2.7	2.6	4.7	3.8	2.4	4.9
u_5	5	1	2	3.4	4	3	1.5	4.6
u_6	4	3	2.9	2	4	3.4	3	5

Social Network Graph Matrix Factorization



(a) Social Network Graph

$$p(C|U, Z, \sigma_C^2) = \prod_{i=1}^m \prod_{k=1}^m \mathcal{N} \left[\left(c_{ik} | g(U_i^T Z_k), \sigma_C^2 \right) \right]^{I_{ik}^C}$$

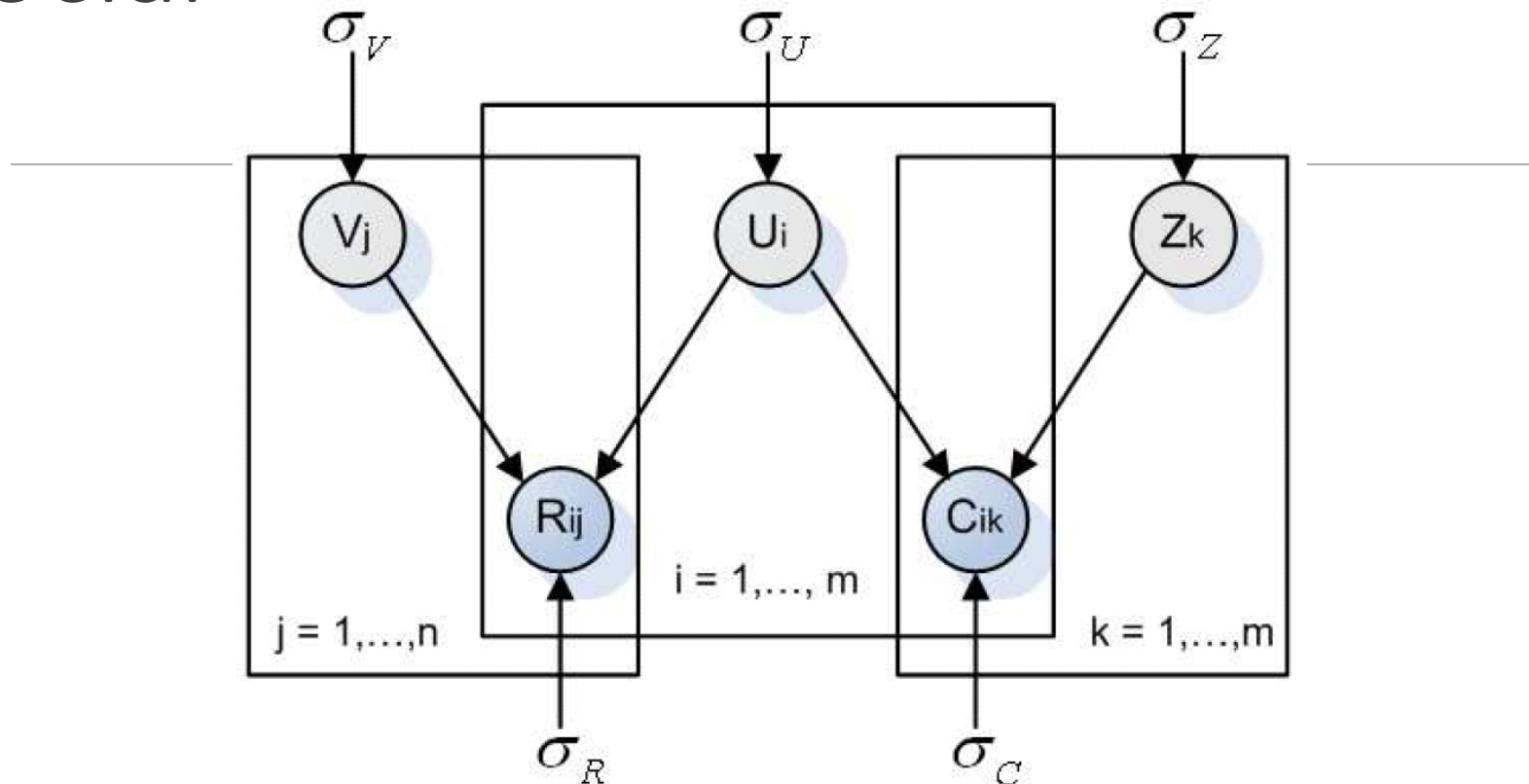
User-Item Rating Matrix Factorization

	i_1	i_2	i_3	i_4	i_5	i_6	i_7	i_8
u_1	5	2		3		4		
u_2	4	3			5			
u_3	4		2				2	4
u_4								
u_5	5	1	2		4	3		
u_6	4	3		2	4		3	5

(b) User-Item Matrix

$$p(C|U, V, \sigma_R^2) = \prod_{i=1}^m \prod_{j=1}^n \mathcal{N} \left[\left(r_{ij} | g(U_i^T V_j), \sigma_R^2 \right) \right]^{I_{ij}^R}$$

Social Recommendation



$$\mathcal{L}(R, C, U, V, Z) =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n I_{ij}^R (r_{ij} - g(U_i^T V_j))^2 + \frac{\lambda_C}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^m I_{ik}^C (c_{ik}^* - g(U_i^T Z_k))^2$$

$$+ \frac{\lambda_U}{2} \|U\|_F^2 + \frac{\lambda_V}{2} \|V\|_F^2 + \frac{\lambda_Z}{2} \|Z\|_F^2,$$

Gradient Descent

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial U_i} &= \sum_{j=1}^n I_{ij}^R g'(U_i^T V_j)(g(U_i^T V_j) - r_{ij})V_j \\ &\quad + \lambda_C \sum_{j=1}^m I_{ik}^C g'(U_i^T Z_k)(g(U_i^T Z_k) - c_{ik}^*)Z_k + \lambda_U U_i,\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial V_j} = \sum_{i=1}^m I_{ij}^R g'(U_i^T V_j)(g(U_i^T V_j) - r_{ij})U_i + \lambda_V V_j,$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial Z_k} = \lambda_C \sum_{i=1}^m I_{ik}^C g'(U_i^T Z_k)(g(U_i^T Z_k) - c_{ik}^*)U_i + \lambda_Z Z_k,$$



Complexity Analysis

For the Objective Function $O(\rho_R l + \rho_C l)$

For $\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial U}$, the complexity is $O(\rho_R l + \rho_C l)$

For $\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial V}$, the complexity is $O(\rho_R l)$

For $\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial Z}$, the complexity is $O(\rho_C l)$

In general, the complexity of our method is linear with the observations in these two matrices



Epinions Dataset

40,163 users who rated 139,529 items with totally 664,824 ratings

Rating Density 0.01186%

18,826 users, representing 46.87% of the population, submitted fewer than or equal to 5 reviews

The total number of issued trust statements is 487,183

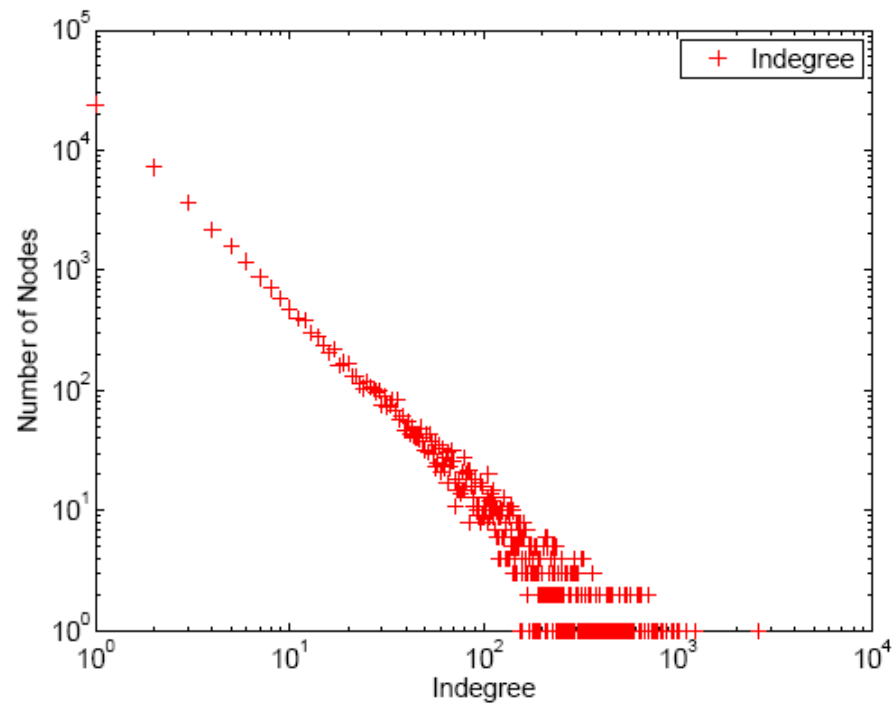
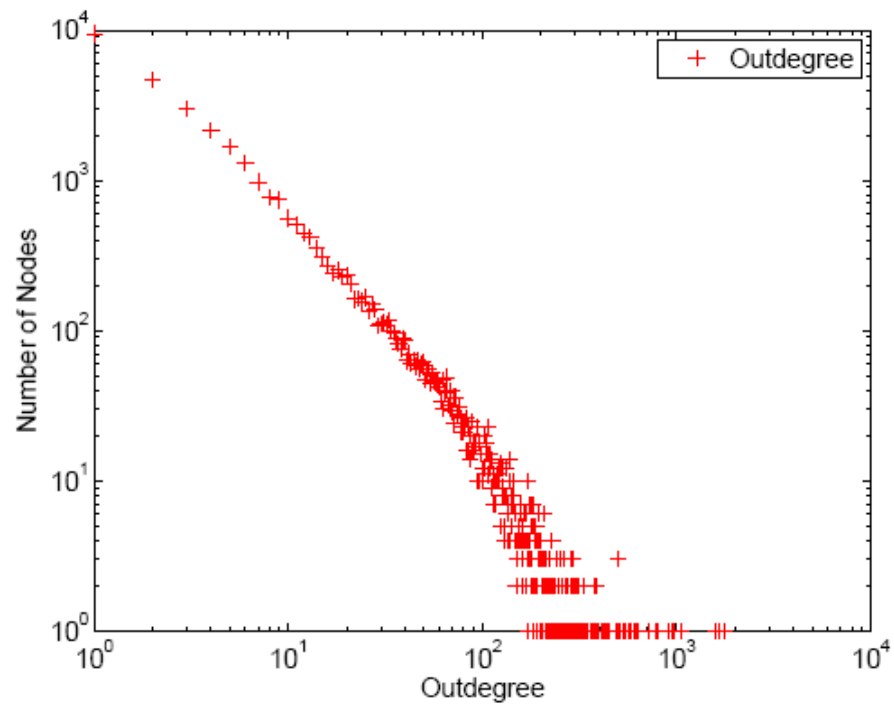


Figure 3: Degree Distribution of User Social Network



Metrics

Mean Absolute Error

$$MAE = \frac{\sum_{i,j} |r_{i,j} - \hat{r}_{i,j}|}{N}$$

Personal Recommendation

- General
- Personal

Personalized

Each user has her personal preference



用户 1

标签:
lawn
building
architecture
landscape



用户 2

标签:
white house
washington D. C.

Introduction (2/3)

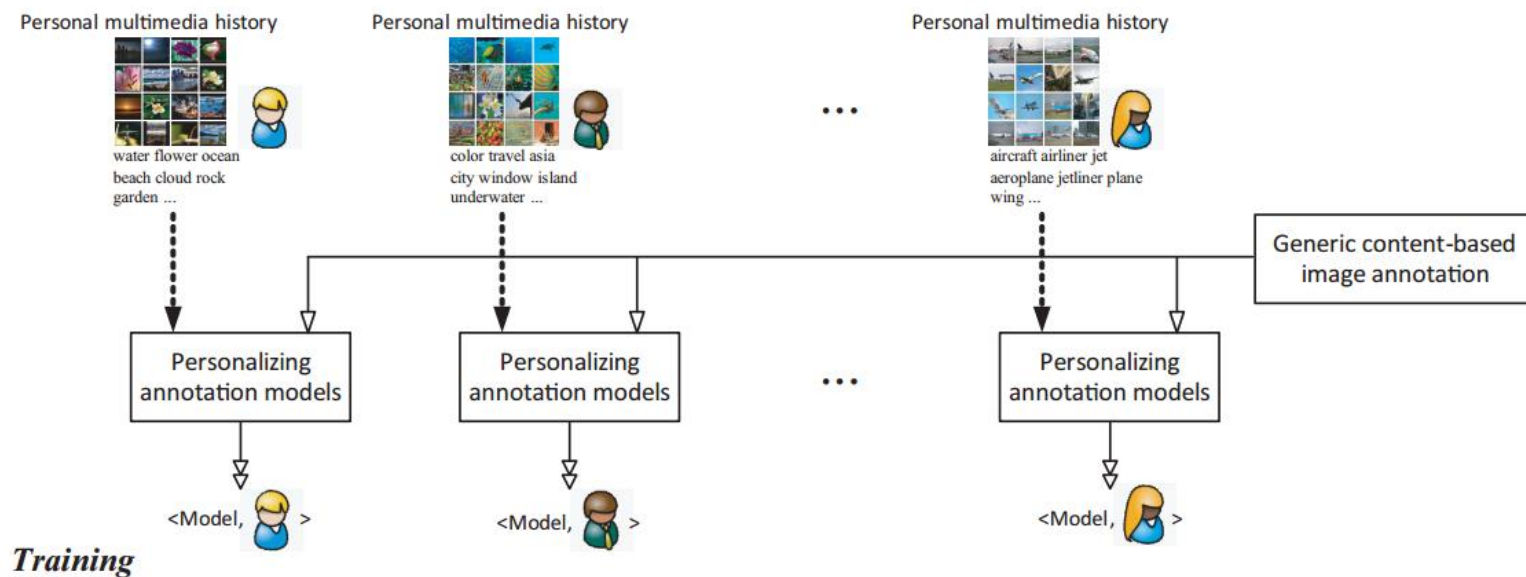
Why automatic tagging?

- Webpage are growth very fast
- Recommendation

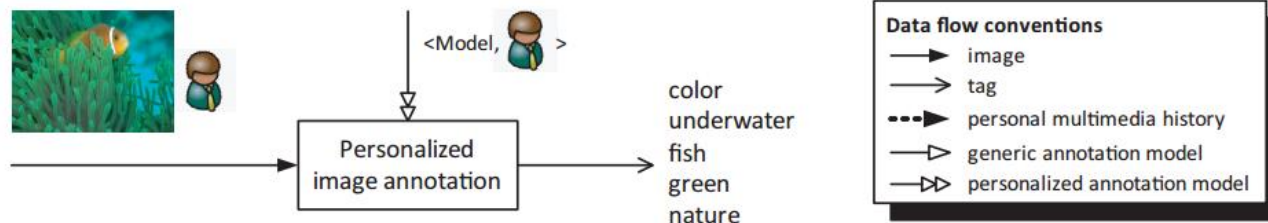
Why personalization?

- Automatically generated tags have the drawback of presenting only a generic view

Personalizing Automated Image Annotation using Cross-Entropy



Automated image annotation



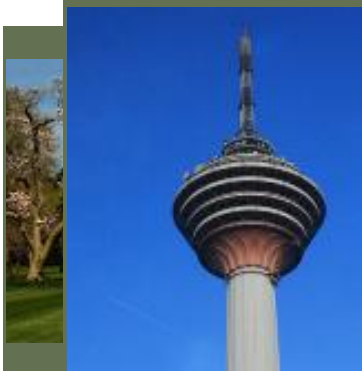
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- 装载GPS的摄像设备普及，个人照片迅速增长，如何管理个人照片成为一项迫切的任务
- 移动终端（如手机）操作不方便（屏小）
- 便捷快速地管理个人照片
- 自动标签推荐

研究动机

➤ 自动标签推荐

- ✓ 个性化
- ✓ 地理信息



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menara
kuala
lumpur
tower

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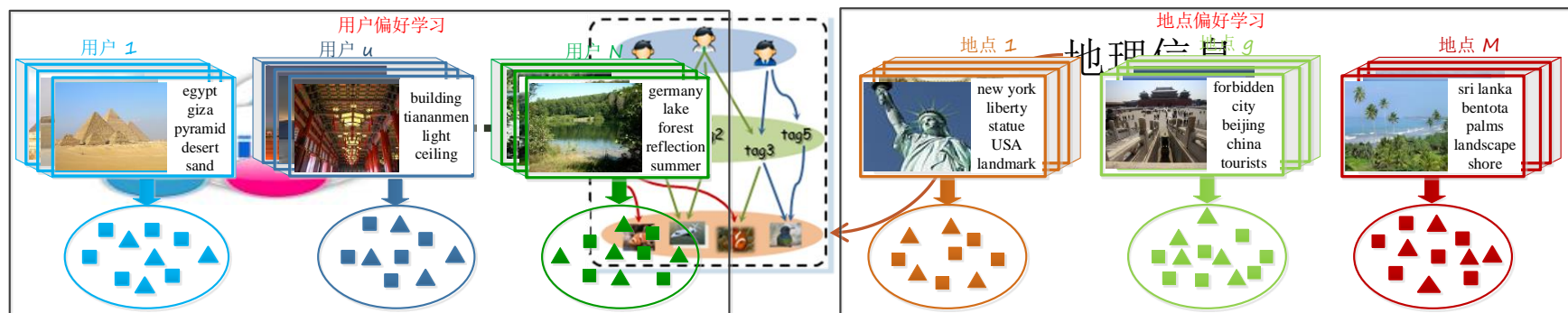


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tower
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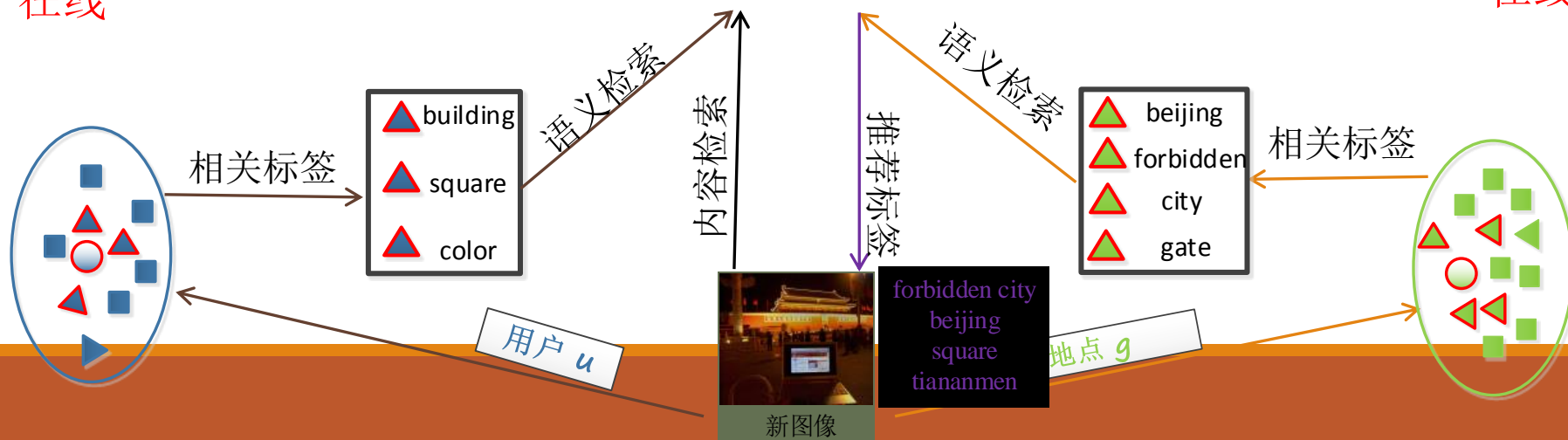


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数据

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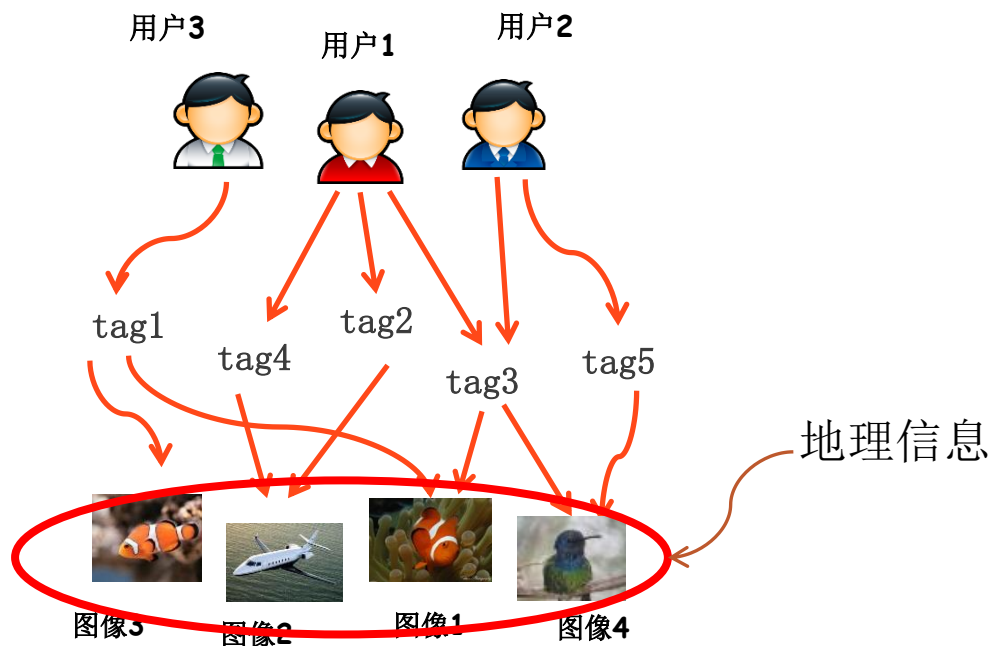


表 5-2 数据集的统计信息

图像个数	用户个数	地点个数	标签个数
2,727,312	559	1,351	15,554

Tag Suggestion on YouTube by Personalizing Content-based Auto-Annotation

