Finding Repetition Patterns in Songs

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- 1 Presentation of the Problem and Overview
- 2 A CS 1 problem
- Variants and Reflection

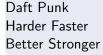
Visualizing Repetition Patterns in Songs

Algorithm

- Pick a song of n words
- If the *i*-th word is the same as the *j*-th
 - Paint pixel (i, j) black.







Queen Radio Gaga

Cardi B What a Girl Likes



Lin-Manuel Miranda My Shot

What does BRIDGES do for you?

Engagement

Students can plug whatever song they want to look for repetition patterns. Something you can show your roommate.

Accessing a Song through BRIDGES (access Genius)

```
DataSource ds;
Song s = ds.getSong(title, author);
```

ColorGrid usage

```
ColorGrid grid (10, 10);
grid.set(0,0, Color(255,0,0));
```

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Bird's eye view of the Song Lyrics assignment

Getting the data

Get data from an API into the program.

Topics: API Usage.

Song to Words

Transforming the song into a list of words.

Topics: String processing, Tokenization.

Image Basic

Show a basic image.

Topics: Understand images as a 2D set of pixels.

Building Repetition

Build a complete image based on word repetition.

Topics: String comparison, for loops, if statement.

Getting the data (Topics: API Usage.)

Get a Song from an API into the program and print it.

```
In C++

DataSource ds;
Song s = ds.getSong(title, author);
```

In Java

```
public static String[][] splitLines(String lyrics) {
```

```
so = get_song("Delicate", "Taylor Swift")
```

Song to Words (Topics: Tokenization, String Processing)

Transform the Song into a array of Words. (Here scaffoldded, but a good exercise in class)

```
In C++
    auto words = lyrics_tokenize(s.getLyrics());
```

In Java

```
lyrics = lyrics.trim();
```

```
lyrics = split_lyrics(song)
```

Basic Color Grid (Topics: Image Representation)

Create a ColorGrid and draw anything.

```
In C++
```

```
ColorGrid grid (10, 10);
grid.set(0,0, Color(255,0,0));
bridges.setDataStructure(&grid);
bridges.visualize();
```

In Java

```
ColorGrid grid = new ColorGrid(20, 30);
grid.set(12, 12, new Color(0, 0, 0));
bridges.setDataStructure(grid);
bridges.visualize();
```

```
grid = ColorGrid(2, 25)
grid.set(1,2, Color(255,255,255))
bridges.set_data_structure(grid)
bridges.visualize()
```

Build a Repetition Matrix (Topics: String Test, Loops)

Make a ColorGrid of $nbword \times nbword$. If word i and word j are the same strings, color pixel i, j black.

```
In C++
std::string str1 ("green apple");
std::string str2 ("red apple");
if (str1.compare(str2) == 0) std::cout << "Identical";</pre>
```

```
In Java
```

```
str1 = "green apple"
str2 = "red apple"
if (str1 == str2) :
    print ("Identical")
```

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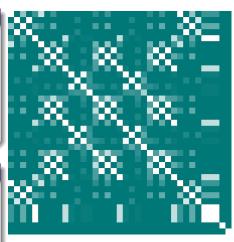
Term Frequency-Inverse Document Frequency

Idea

- Treat each line of the lyrics as a bag of word
- Treat a bag of word as a high dimensional vectors
- Compute distance between vectors

Topics

- Basic NLP
- Data structure: Dictionaries (associative arrays)
- Basic Data Mining



James Brown - I Feel Good

Other Image Based Assignments

Artist distance graph

- Collate a few song of an artist, get a bag-of-word representation of artists
- Compute distance between artist
- Build an graph of artist based on similarity
- Islanding analysis

Image based problems

Droping the lyrics idea and reading ColorGrid's back from BRIDGES:

- Flipping an image
- Blurring
- Edge Detection
- Histogram Equalization

Questions from the room?