

2023 Data Camp Workflow Jobs and Git Integration Q&A

1. How do you decide what will go under the popular label on the landing page?

Are all popular items publicly visible to all users? Is there any permission to be set by the user to make something popular visible to the community?

A - That is a new feature that Databricks added to save user's time. If we see that everyone who is leveraging the platform is hitting against the same dashboard, notebook or query, then we will add it to the popular section for easy access.

Users will not see popular items that they do not have access to. Everything is still subject to access controls.

2. What are some common issues with Git integration?

A - One thing to look out for is token expirations. For example, if your token was working one day and a couple of weeks later it stops, you should check if the token is still valid. When users set up a token, the default expiry deadline is about 30 days, and it might be easy to overlook. If the token is no longer valid, users will not be able to connect or run any operations on that remote repository. Users will need to generate a new token and upload it into the database.