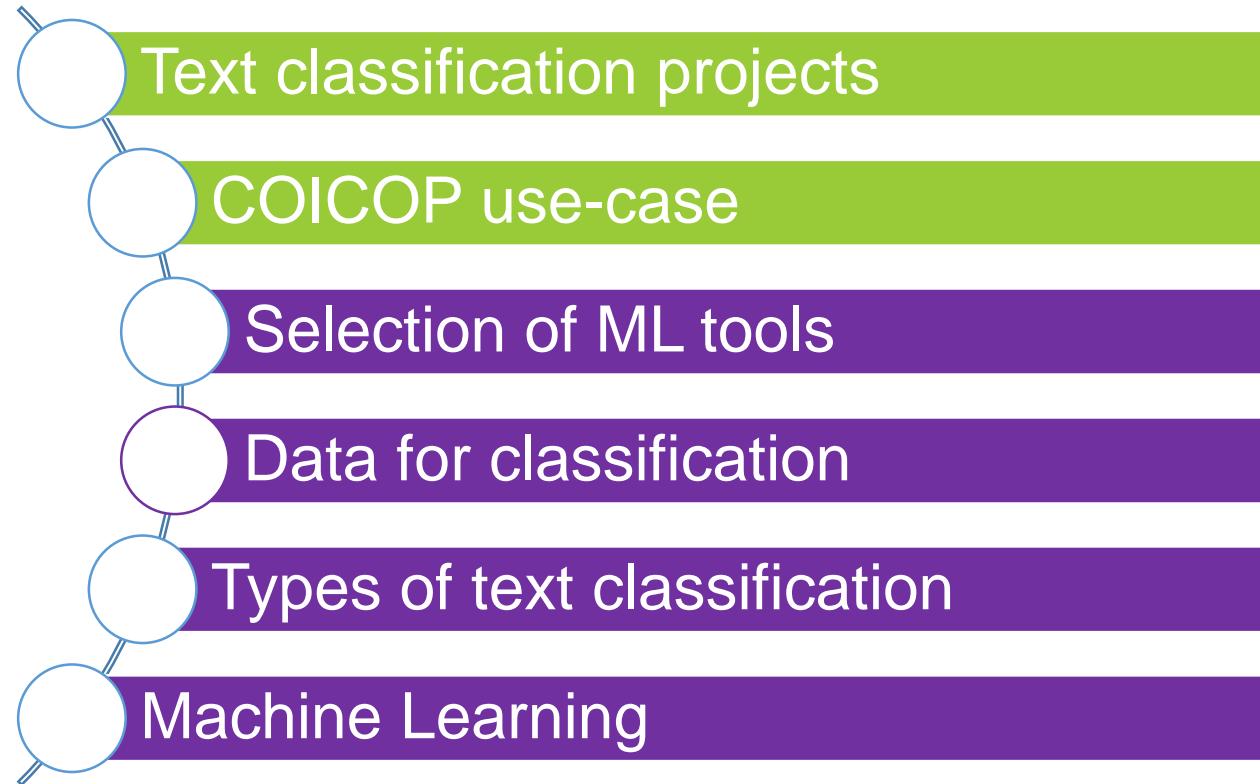


# **Text classification on webscraped data**

## Statistics Poland's projects

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# Agenda



# Text classification projects

1. OJA data → ISCO / ESCO classification
  - *ESSnet Big Data I and II, ESSnet Web Intelligence Network projects*
  - [https://github.com/WebIntelligenceNetwork/Deliverables/blob/main/WP4/D4\\_8.pdf](https://github.com/WebIntelligenceNetwork/Deliverables/blob/main/WP4/D4_8.pdf)
  - *Experimental statistics*
2. Pharmaceutical and medical items → COICOP classification
  - *In production*
3. Computer articles → COICOP classification
4. Online real estate offers → is apartment furnished or not?
  - *Ongoing project*



# COICOP use-case

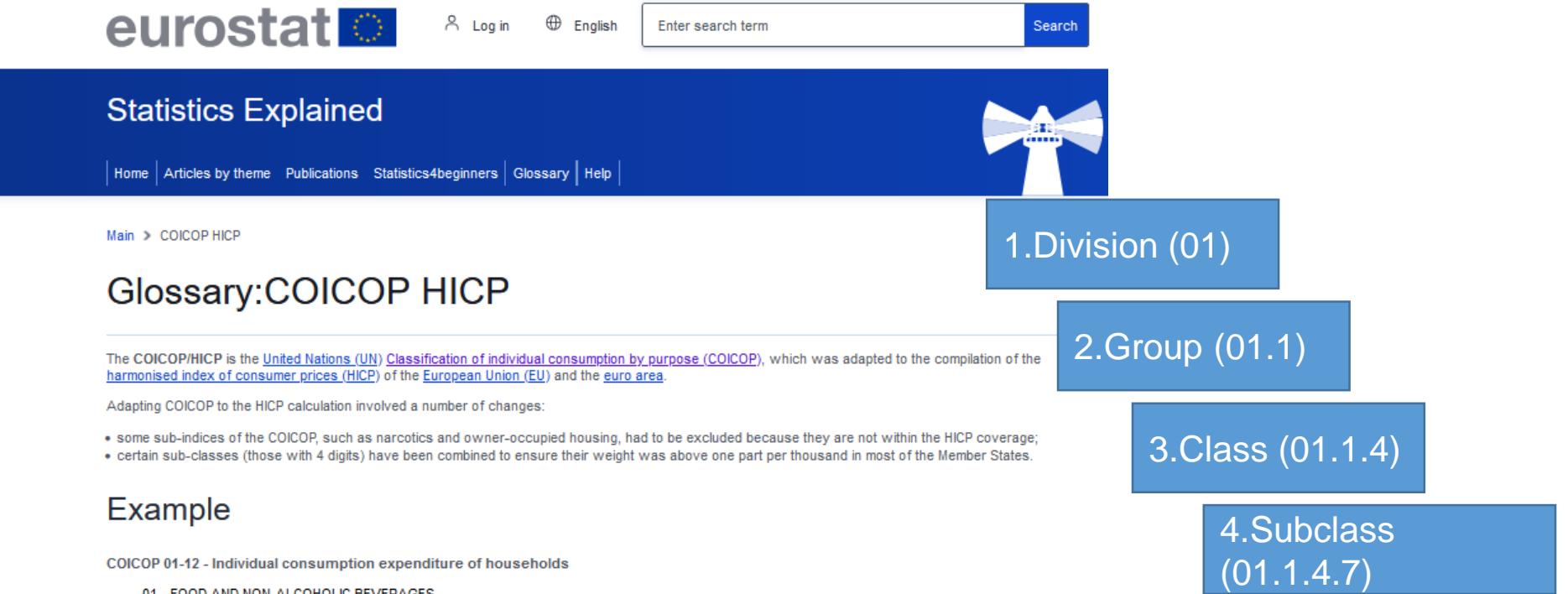
Automatic COICOP classification based on webscraping product names.

The purpose of the classification is to automate the process of assigning COICOP categories on data collected from online pharmacies.

Issues to be resolved:

- Infrastructure and selection of tools for text classification
- Data acquisition – source selection and assessment
- Preparing the text
- Selection and use ML text classification algorithm
- Providing the ability to view data and correct the COICOP classification result for other people (via the Web Application)

# COICOP classification



The screenshot shows the Eurostat Statistics Explained website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Log in, English, and a search bar. Below the navigation bar, the title "Statistics Explained" is displayed, along with a small graphic of a lighthouse. The main content area has a blue header with the text "Glossary: COICOP HICP". Below the header, there is a brief description of the COICOP/HICP classification and some notes about adapting it to the HICP calculation. To the right of the main content, there are five blue rectangular boxes containing hierarchical levels of the classification:

- 1. Division (01)
- 2. Group (01.1)
- 3. Class (01.1.4)
- 4. Subclass (01.1.4.7)

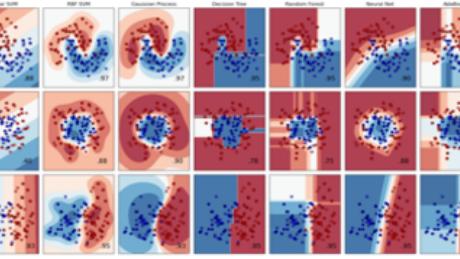
## Example

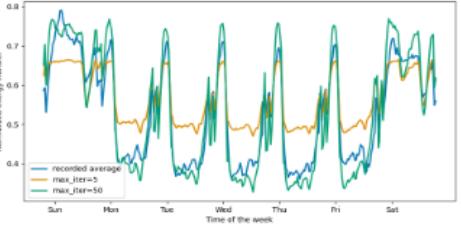
- COICOP 01-12 - Individual consumption expenditure of households
- 01 - FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
    - 01.1 - Food
    - 01.2 - Non-alcoholic beverages
  - 02 - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO
    - 02.1 - Alcoholic beverages
    - 02.2 - Tobacco
  - 03 - CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR
    - 03.1 - Clothing
    - 03.2 - Footwear
  - 04 - HOUSING, WATER, GAS, ELECTRICITY AND OTHER FUELS
    - 04.1 - Actual rentals for housing
    - 04.3 - Regular maintenance and repair of the dwelling
    - 04.4 - Other services relating to the dwelling
    - 04.5 - Electricity, gas and other fuels
  - 05 - FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE MAINTENANCE OF THE HOUSE
    - 05.1 - Furniture, furnishings and decorations, carpets and other floor coverings and repairs
    - 05.2 - Household textiles
    - 05.3 - Household appliances
    - 05.4 - Glassware, tableware and household utensils
    - 05.5 - Tools and equipment for house and garden
    - 05.6 - Goods and services for routine household maintenance
  - 06 - HEALTH
    - 06.1 - Medical products, appliances and equipment
    - 06.2 - Outpatient services
    - 06.3 - Hospital services

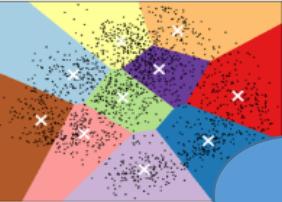
# ML tools selection

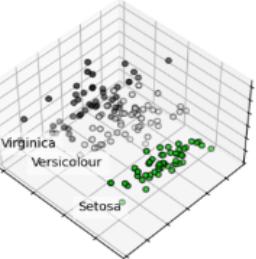
The screenshot shows the scikit-learn website's main page. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links for Install, User Guide, API, Examples, Community, More, and a search bar. A version dropdown shows "1.5.2 (stable)". A large blue cloud-shaped callout bubble contains the text "Which model? Naive Bayes, SVM, Logistic Regression, Radom Forest". Below the navigation, there are six main sections: Classification, Regression, Clustering, Dimensionality reduction, Model selection, and Preprocessing. Each section has a brief description, a list of applications and algorithms, and a small example image. Blue arrows point from the "Which model?" bubble to the Classification and Regression sections, and from the "How ?" bubble to the Preprocessing section.

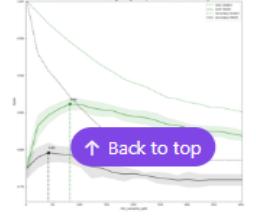
Which model?  
Naive Bayes, SVM,  
Logistic Regression,  
Radom Forest

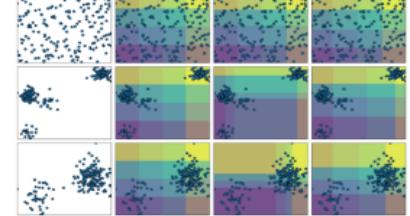
Classification  
Identifying which category an object belongs to.  
**Applications:** Spam detection, image recognition.  
**Algorithms:** [Gradient boosting](#), [nearest neighbors](#), [random forest](#), [logistic regression](#), and more...  
  
Examples

Regression  
Predicting a continuous-valued attribute associated with an object.  
**Applications:** Drug response, stock prices.  
**Algorithms:** [Gradient boosting](#), [nearest neighbors](#), [random forest](#), [ridge](#), and more...  
  
Examples

Clustering  
Automatic grouping of similar objects into sets.  
**Applications:** Customer segmentation, grouping experiment outcomes.  
**Algorithms:** [k-Means](#), [HDBSCAN](#), [hierarchical clustering](#), and more...  
  
Examples

Dimensionality reduction  
Reducing the number of random variables to consider.  
**Applications:** Visualization, increased efficiency.  
**Algorithms:** [PCA](#), [feature selection](#), [non-negative matrix factorization](#), and more...  


Model selection  
Comparing, validating and choosing parameters and models.  
**Applications:** Improved accuracy via parameter tuning.  
**Algorithms:** [Grid search](#), [cross validation](#), [metrics](#), and more...  


Preprocessing  
Feature extraction and normalization.  
**Applications:** Transforming input data such as text for use with machine learning algorithms.  
**Algorithms:** [Preprocessing](#), [feature extraction](#), and more...  


How ?

# Types of text classification

## 1. Rule-based classification:

Use predefined rules that specify which text features correspond to certain categories.

Rules based  
on regular expressions

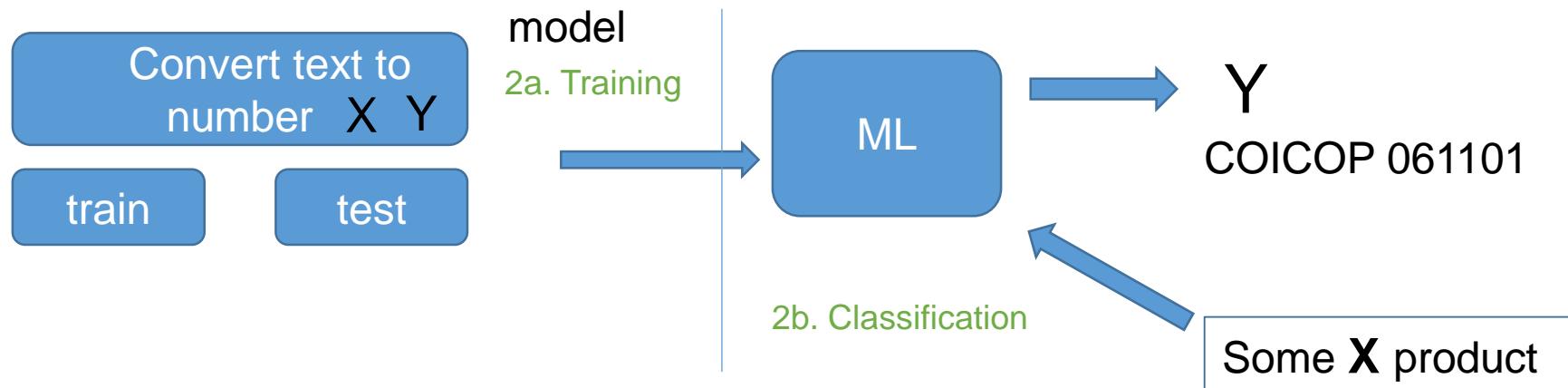


## 2. Machine learning (ML)

Models such as Naive Bayes, decision trees, SVM (Support Vector Machines), Logistic Regression.

Product  
description

COICOP  
061101



## 3. Hybrid

Combines both machine-based and rule-based approaches. It uses the rule-based system approach to create data tags and rules for machine learning models.



# Data for classification

Artykuły higieniczne

Znalezione produkty : 479 Pozycjonowanie produktów wg trafności

Filtr

Cena: 2 zł - 260 zł

Specjalne oferty

Marka

Artykuły higieniczne

Dziecko (360)

Higiena (100)

Kosmetyki (11)

Twoje filtry: Artykuły higieniczne

Najnowsze

WaterWipes OnTheGo Bio, chusteczki nawilżane, odświeżające, 10 sztuk

8,39 zł

Septona Ecolife, okrągłe płatki kosmetyczne, 100% bawełny, 100...

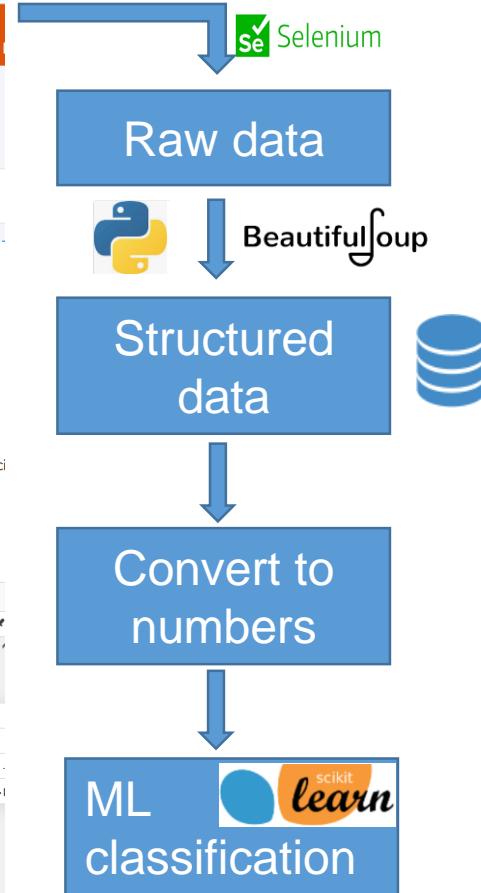
5,29 zł

Canpol Babies, chusteczki bambusowe dla niemowląt i dzieci

13,79 zł

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HTML  
unstructured  
data

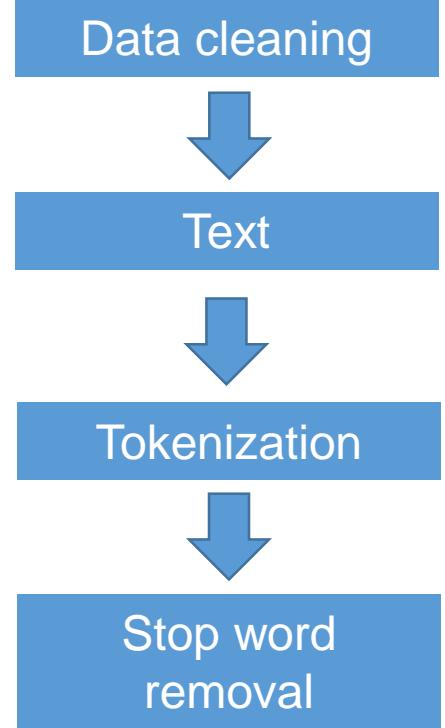


X → Y

Product name

COICOP 061101  
stat.gov.pl

# Preparation of the text



```
def vectorization(self):
    vectorialize = CountVectorizer(
        token_pattern='\w\w+|[1-9]\.[1-9]\%|[1-9]\,[1-9]\%|[1-9]\.[1-9]\,[1-9]\|[1-9]\%')
    vectorialize.fit(self.product['product_name'])

    self.vectorialize = vectorialize
    dat_set_vec = vectorialize.transform(self.product['product_name'])

    return dat_set_vec
```

# Convert texts into numerical vectors

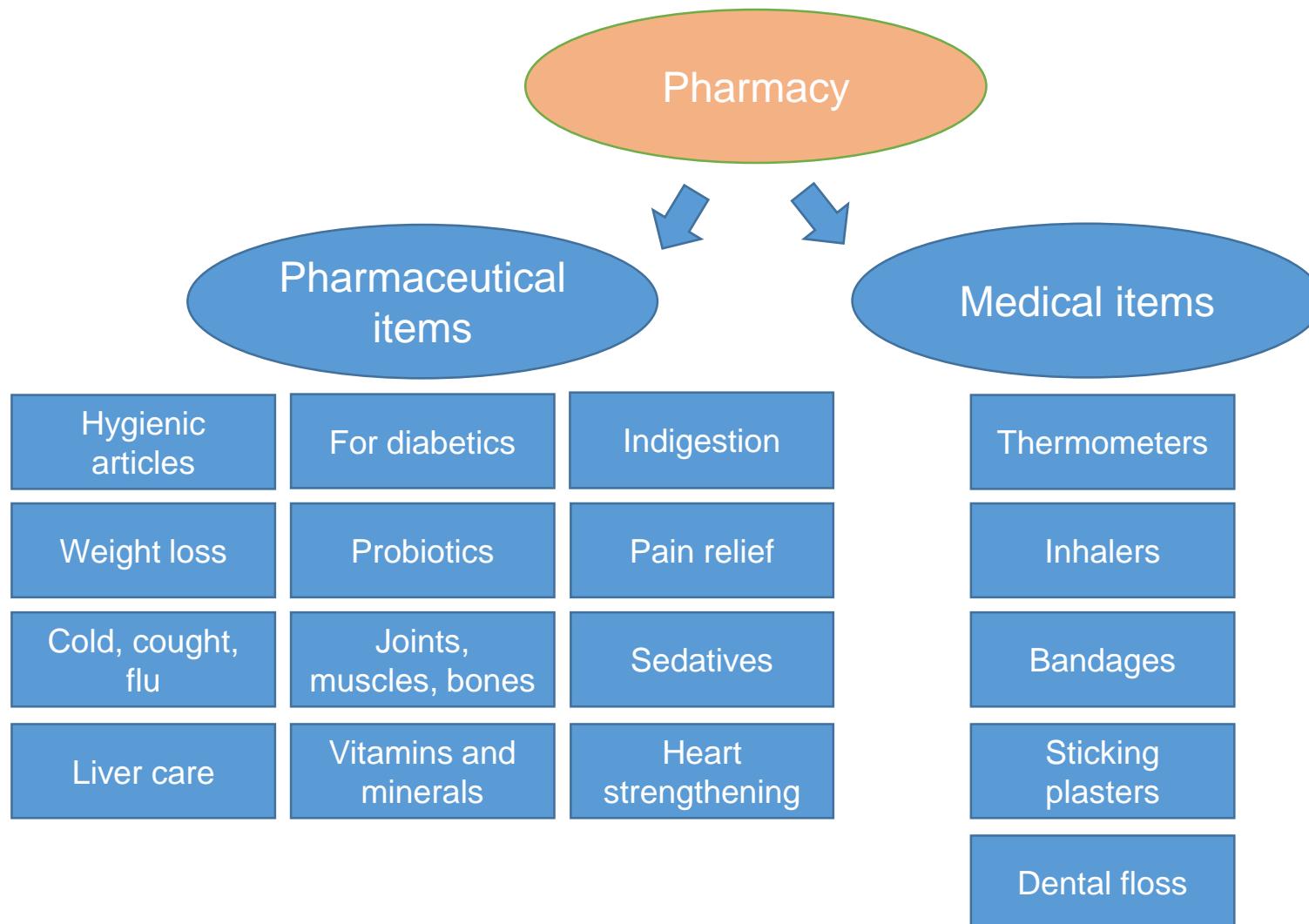
- One Hot Encoding - the vector contains 1 at the index corresponding to the word's position in the vocabulary, while all other elements are 0

Document	Text	create	footprint	future	in	is	life	message	you	your
Document 1	You create your life	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
Document 2	Your life is your message	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2
Document 3	You create footprint in life	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
Document 4	You create your future	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1

Number of time the word "your" occurs in the Document 2

- BoW (Bag of Words) - every word is represented by a vector where each position corresponds to a unique word in the vocabulary
- TF-IDF (Term Frequency-Inverse Document Frequency)

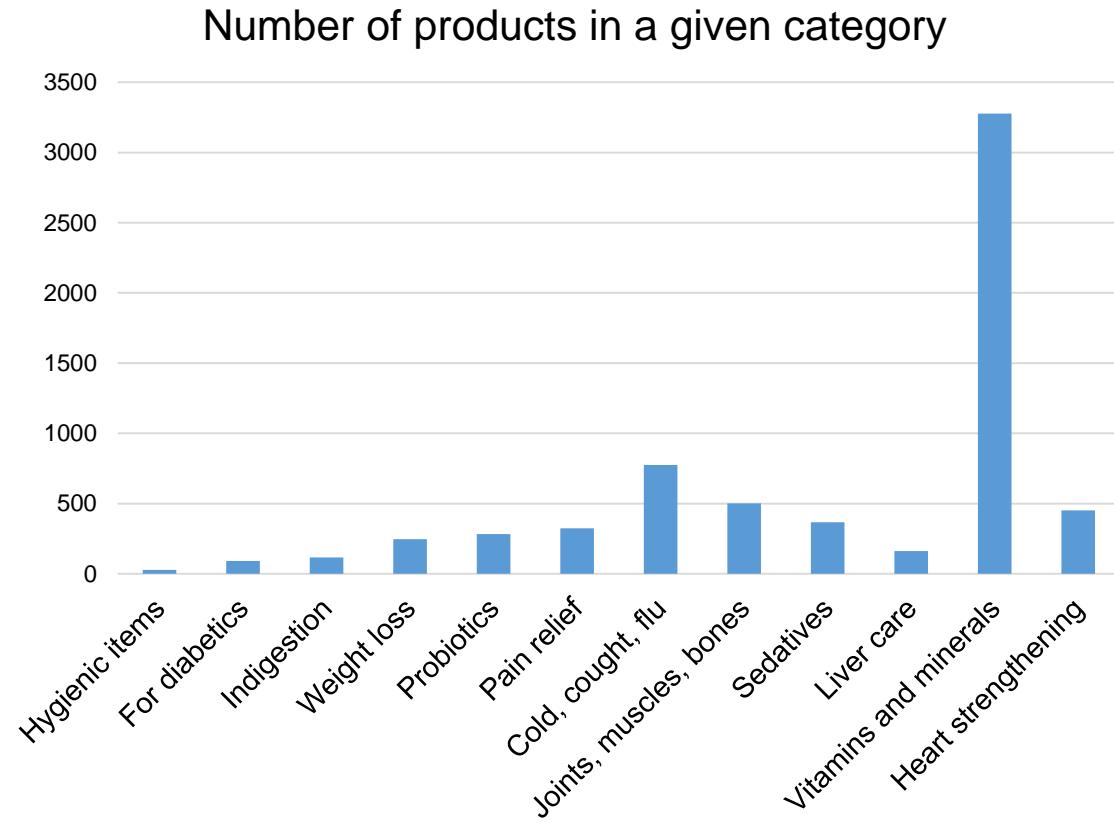
# Webscraping from online pharmacies



- 4 websites
- about 100-148 thousands rows per month
- data collection from 2019/09
- now 17 categories



# Unbalanced classes



Category	Count
Hygienic items	27
For diabetics	92
Indigestion	117
Weight loss	246
Probiotics	282
Pain relief	323
Cold, cough, flu	775
Joints, muscles, bones	502
Sedatives	366
Liver care	161
Vitamins and minerals	3277
Heart strengthening	452
...	...

# Web Application Pharmacy

Wybrane produkty: 0

Export do EXCEL

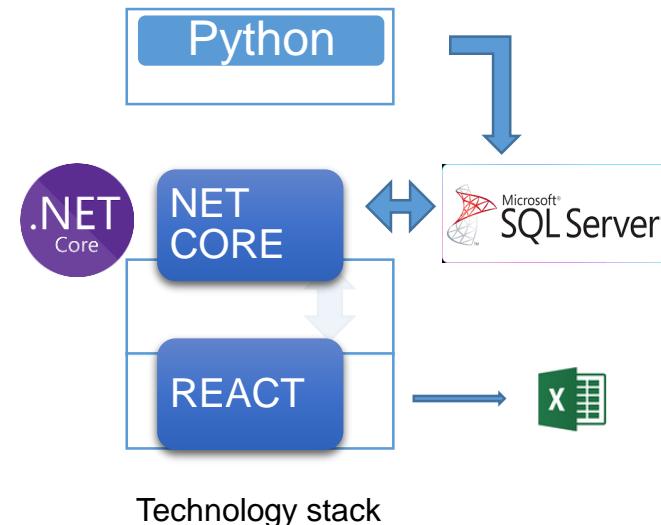
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## Backend (NET CORE) (engine of website application)

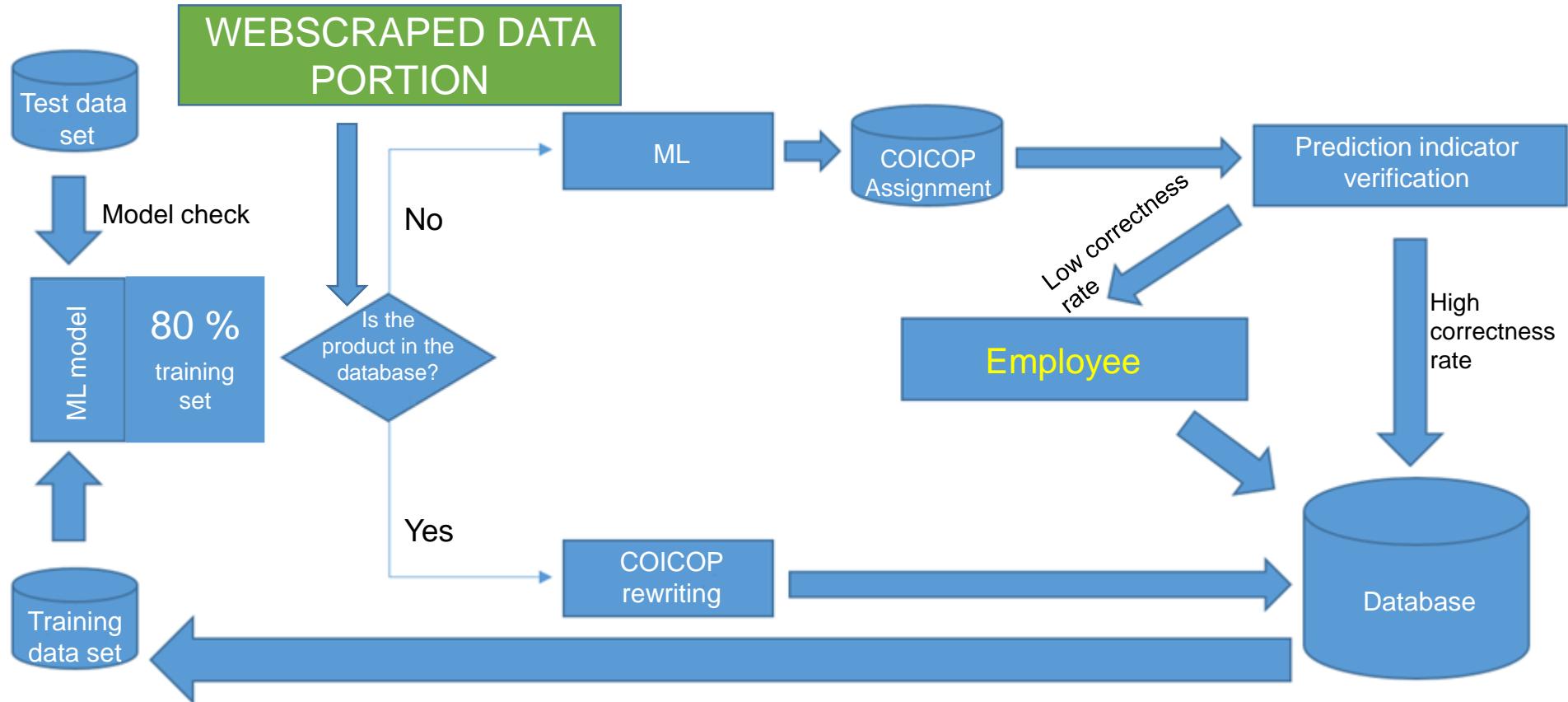
- read / edition of data in Microsoft SQL
- data processing and correction of COICOP classification

## Fronted (REACT) (visible part of application)

- user interface



# Processing data



Classification: COICOP

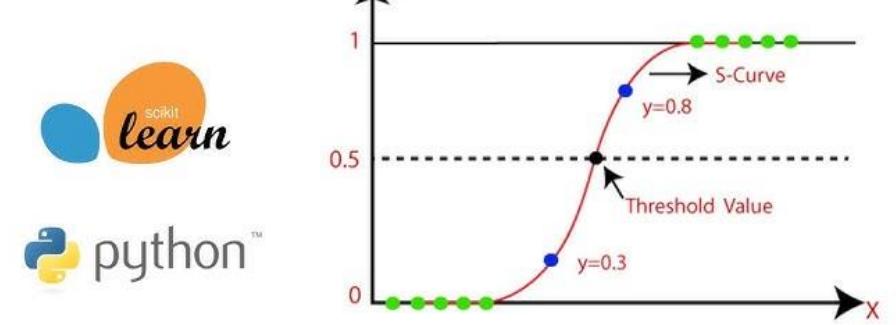
ML models: *Logistic Regression, SVM, Naive Bayes*

# Model training and evaluation

1. Data collection (webscraping)
2. Split data on train/test datasets on 80/20%
3. Convert text into numbers with CountVectorizer()
4. Model training
5. Model evaluation

COICOP classification  
(17 items)

## Logistic regression



```
LogisticRegression(C=13, solver='saga', multi_class='ovr', max_iter=300)
```

# Results

## Logistic Regression

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
000000	0.96	0.95	0.95	4637
06110101	0.90	0.79	0.84	243
06110102	0.85	0.73	0.78	321
06110103	0.79	0.65	0.71	271
06110104	0.78	0.63	0.70	632
06110105	0.96	0.86	0.91	608
06110106	0.93	0.94	0.93	482
06110107	0.93	0.90	0.91	1539
06110108	0.86	0.82	0.84	1277
06110109	0.83	0.73	0.78	485
06110110	0.93	0.73	0.82	437
06110111	0.81	0.93	0.87	4611
06110112	0.76	0.67	0.72	537
accuracy			0.88	16080
macro avg	0.87	0.79	0.83	16080
weighted avg	0.88	0.88	0.88	16080

## Ranger

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**Thank you.**