Topic: One Day Hong Kong Foodie

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1. Introduction

Hong Kong is a tiny city, with lots of cuisine from all over the world. Therefore, Hong Kong is regarded as a food paradise. I believe that there are many Key Opinion Leaders (KOL) have already written blogs about how they spend a week in Hong Kong to ride everything at the theme park or get drunk at the famous bar street. However, there is not any guideline to the foodies in teaching how can they eat different kind of cuisine in a day. Someone might argue that there is an app, called Openrice, which can provide the ratings and comments of different restaurants. However, most of the comments in the app are written in Chinese, which is not user-friendly to most of the tourists. Therefore, tourists might found difficult to find the restaurants with high ratings during their trip. And this report is aimed to provide a guideline to tourists on how can they find the best food in hong kong in a day.

2. Data acquisition

Foursquare.com is the major data acquisition sources. The major data to be collected are the restaurant name, the ratings, as well as locations. Restaurant name is used to identify the type of cuisine that the restaurant is going to provide, such as using the word 'Thai' to identify the restaurant is to provide Thai food. Ratings are used to classify the level of recommendation. For examples, ratings between 8.0 - 10 will be strongly recommended, while 6.0 - 7.9 will be moderately recommended and ratings lower than 6.0 will not be suggested to tourists. Locations are used to plan the 'eating' route.