Where's the Beef?



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- Security
- Safety
- Sustainability
- \$4.3 billion Industry



















Bag of Words Model



Machine Learning: Naive Bayes Classifier

Data

Data Source

- Amazon product data
 - Me ata
- Amazon scraped data
- Reddit scraped data



Alternatives to Meat



Data content

Source	Amount	Star rating	Review Text	Reviewer	Date	Brand	Product	Price	asin	len
UCSD Amazon	> 1 million	\Rightarrow		/	/					✓
UCSD metadata	116	\Rightarrow						/		
Scraped Amazon	1073	\Rightarrow		/	/	\		/		\
Scraped Reddit	19									

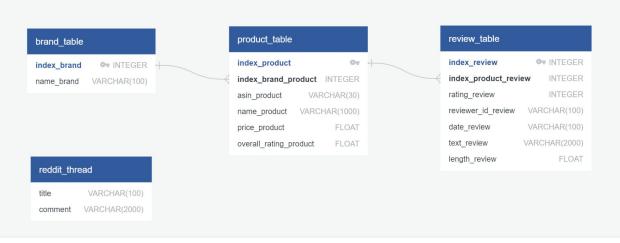
Data Cleaning

- Dropped columns
- Added length column
- Dropped duplicates
- 1 and 5 stars
- Trimmed the 5 stars



Database





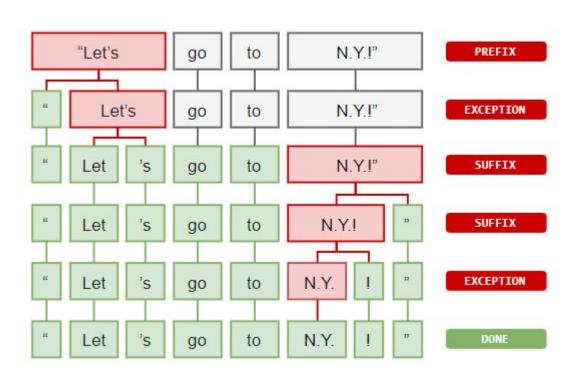
Questions

- How do people feel about fake meat products
 - Positive or negative review?
 - Frequent words reviewers associate with a brand.
 - Our Price change over time?
 - Rating change over time?
- Inform grocery store owners

Machine Learning



- Tokenization
- Casing
- Removing Non Alphanumerics
- Length
- Stop Words
- Lemmatization



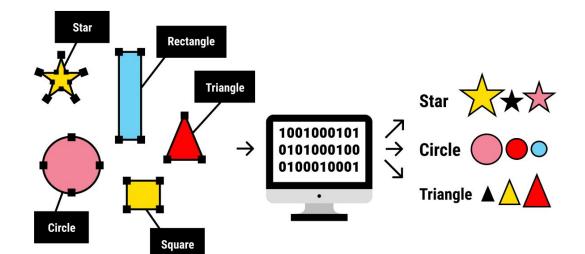
Cleaning



	original_word	lemmatized_word
0	trouble	trouble
1	troubling	trouble
2	troubled	trouble
3	troubles	trouble

	original_word	lemmatized_word
0	goose	goose
1	geese	goose

Feature Set



	the	red	dog	cat	eats	food
 the red dog -> 	1	1	1	0	0	0
 cat eats dog → 	0	0	1	1	1	0
 dog eats food→ 	0	0	1	0	1	1
4. red cat eats →	0	1	0	1	1	0

Most Informative Features

Feature	Sentiment	Certainty
Lic	Positive	17.0%
Great	Positive	12.9%
Tin	Negative	9.7%
Eat	Positive	9.7%
Received	Negative	9.4%
Dis	Negative	8.4%
Rec	Negative	8.4%
Purchased	Negative	8.3%
Receive	Negative	7.6%
Flavor	Negative	6.3%
Perfect	Positive	5.7%
Purchase	Negative	5.4%
Rip	Negative	5.0%
Tasty	Positive	5.0%
Using	Positive	5.0%

Visualizations

Fake Meat Products Reviewed







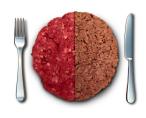


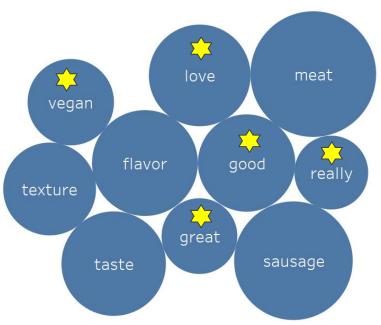


Brand Name	Product Name						
Beyond Meat	Beyond Meat Beyond Breakfast Sausage Plant-Based Breakfast Patties, Classic 7.4 oz						
	Beyond Meat Beyond Sausage Plant-Based Dinner Sausage Links, Brat Original 14 oz						
	Beyond Meat from PlantBased Frozen oz lb. Package, Ground Beef Substitute, 16 Ounce						
Boca	Boca Original Vegan Non-GMO Soy Chik'n Veggie Nuggets (10 oz Pouch)						
	Boca Original Vegan Spicy Non-GMO Soy Chik'n Veggie Patties (4 Count)						
Gardein	Gardein Gluten-Free Ultimate Plant-Based Beefless Ground Crumbles, Vegan, Frozen, 13.7 oz						
	Gardein Sliced Italian Plant-Based Saus'age, Vegan, Frozen, 9 oz.						
	Gardein, Burger Beefless Ultimate, 12 Ounce						
Quorn	Quorn Foods Meatless Grounds, Vegetarian, Frozen, 12 Oz						
	Quorn Foods Meatless Nuggets, Vegetarian, Frozen, 10.6 Oz						
	Quorn, Meat-Free Meatballs, 10.6 oz (Frozen)						
Tofurky	Tofurky Deli Slices Oven Roasted						
<u> </u>	Tofurky, Deli Slices, Hickory Smoked, 5.5 oz						

Fake Meat Brand Sentiment

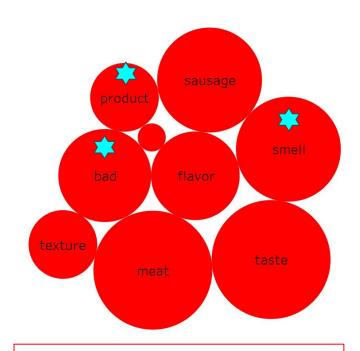


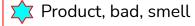






Vegan, love, good, really, great





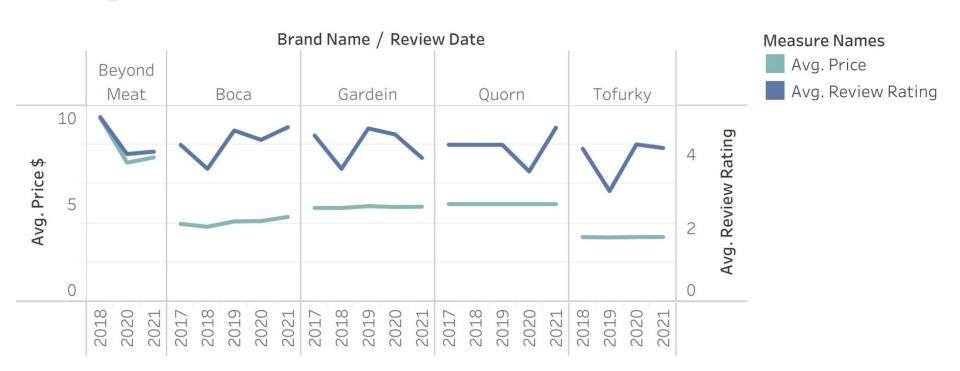


Keyword frequency by brand in positive reviews

_	Brand Name	flavor	good	great	love	meat	real	really	taste	texture	vegan
BEYOND MEAT	Beyond Meat	36%	25%	22%	33%	29%	27%	22%	28%	33%	21%
BOCA	Boca	6%	12%	11%	6%	2%	10%	9%	9%	1%	10%
gardein	Gardein	32%	23%	25%	24%	35%	33%	18%	27%	37%	28%
Quorn	Quorn	11%	16%	18%	19%	20%	22%	29%	24%	18%	10%
Tofurky.	Tofurky	15%	23%	24%	18%	14%	8%	21%	12%	11%	32%



Review v. Price by Brand per Year



Summary

Results

- ML model accuracy is 82%
- Stakeholders' prediction of customer sentiment
- Specific words and brand association

Limitations

- Rushed time frame
- Limited initial data set
- Algorithm does not consider the order of words

Future Analysis

- Interactive visualizations
- Larger data set
- Location data



Ways to Improve Project

- Search for a more accurate algorithm
- Have algorithm consider word order
- Host website on server

Interactive Website Demo

Project Home

Welcome to our NLP model display website!



