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REQUIREMENTS

System Overview

The system consists of two parts: firstly, attraction recommendation. Secondly, itinerary optimization.

For the final result, travellers will get a full picture of how their trips in Singapore will be like: the best combinations of attractions for every day, directions between attractions, and even the promotions.

Recommended Browsers

BTO Recommender system supports the following Web Browsers::

- Internet Explorer 11
- Microsoft Edge 39 and above
- Firefox 53 and 52 ESR and above
- Google Chrome Version 59 and above
- Safari Version 10 and above

User Interface

Our user interface runs in Python.

For the recommendation part, once our inference engine outputs the result, the result would be sent to python which then queries the most appropriate attractions from our database, and displays the results onto the web interface.

For the route optimization part, we will use opta-planner to optimize the travel itinerary after user selecting their preferred attractions and send the result to python, which then displays the route onto the web interface.

Development

Back-end

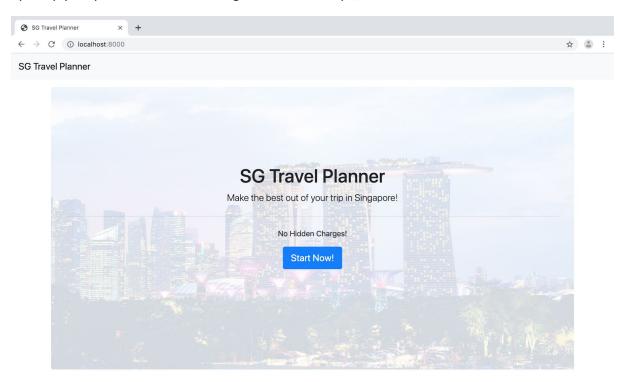
- → Download jar file from latest release from https://github.com/vidur6789/trippingo/releases/tag/v2.0 into a new project directory
- → Download datastore.mv.db into a new sub-directory 'data'
- → Navigate to project directory and execute java -jar trippingo.jar in command line
- → API will be available on 8001 port of the localhost

Front-end

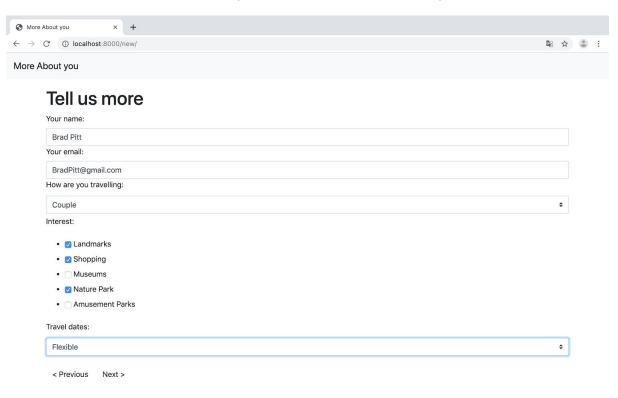
- → Open a terminal and enter:
 - pip install -r requirements.txt
- → Download the Django application from Trippingo-Web project from https://github.com/vidur6789/trippingo-web into a new project directory
- → Open a terminal and enter:
 - cd <path of the system>/
 - python manage.py runserver

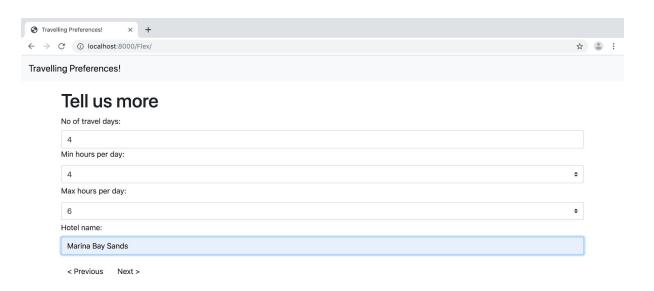
USER GUIDE

Open up your preferred browser and go to the URL "http://localhost:8000" as shown below:

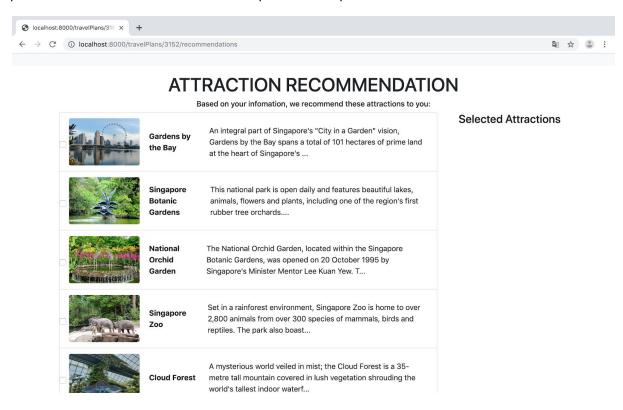


Click on the START NOW button. This will lead to the questionnaire session where users would input some travel information based on the questions asked. Below is an example:

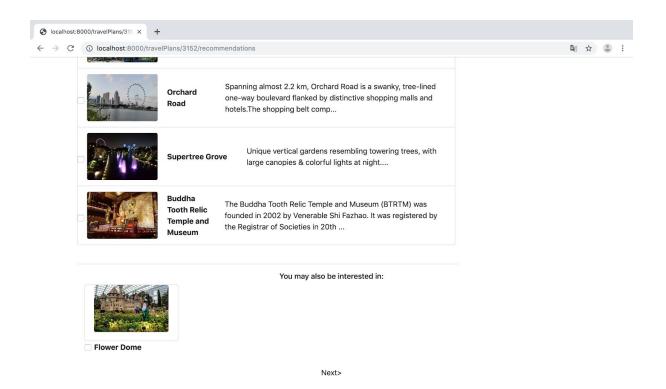




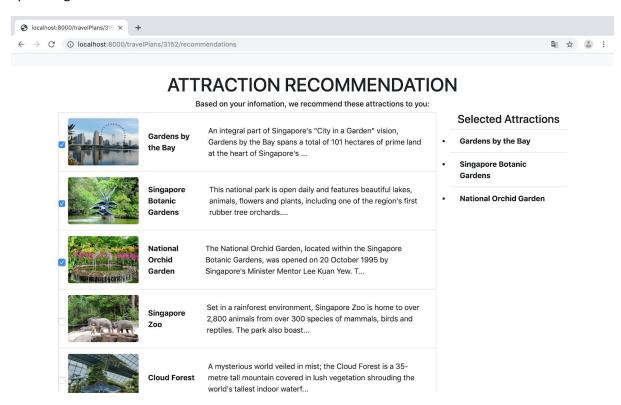
After all the information has been collected, our system will gather all the facts. Using our inference engine, the system will then output the top 10 attractions that best fit the user's visitor type and preferences. Below shows one such example of the output:



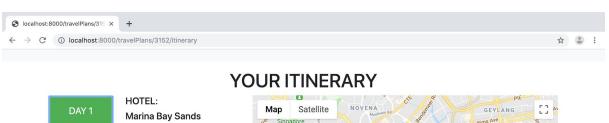
At the bottom of the page, our system shows the selections of other visitors who have the same interests with the user based on association mining.

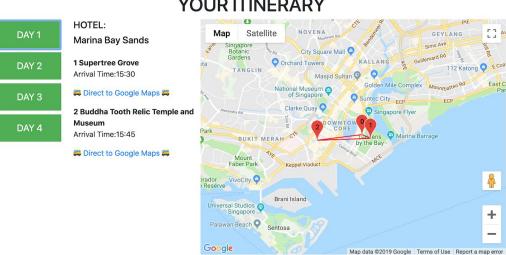


Users can click on the checkboxes to select the attractions they would like to visit. At the right of the page, our system shows the attractions that are selected by users. Users can also cancel their choices by clicking the checkboxes in the selected attractions list.



Click on the Next> button. Our system will start to plan the itinerary for users based on their choices and show the optimized travel route. Below shows one such example of the output. Users can click on the buttons on the left of the page to see the itinerary of each day.

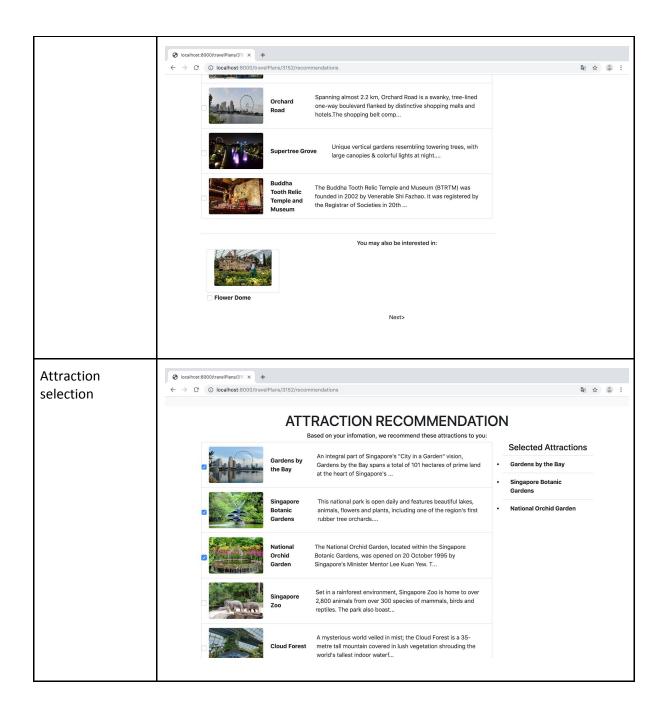


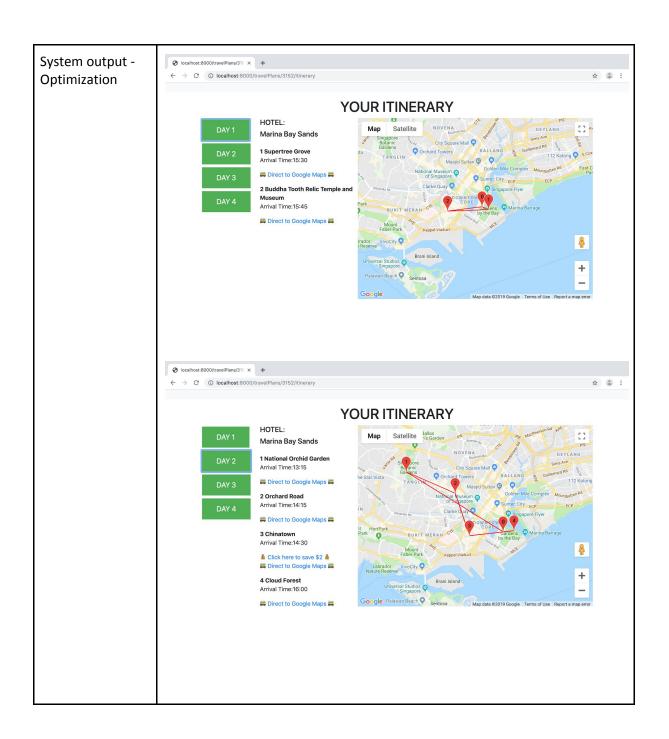


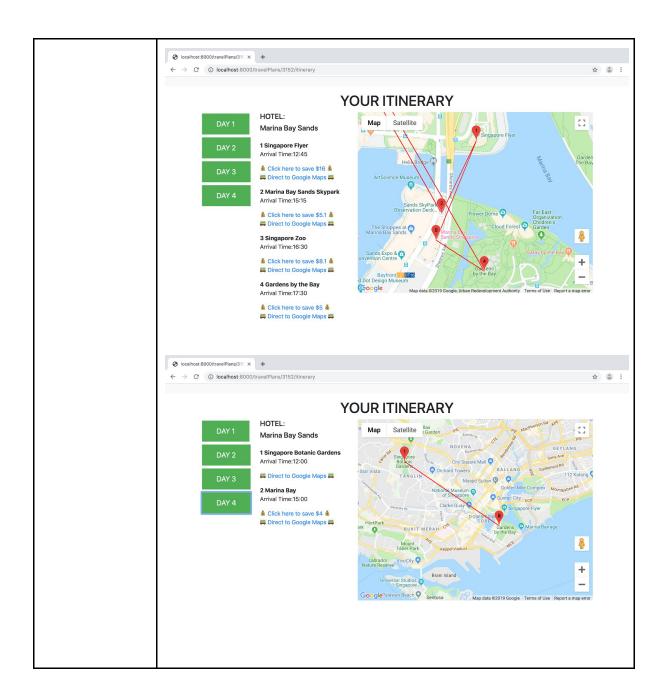
BUSINESS SCENARIOS: SAMPLE INPUT & SYSTEM OUTPUT

SCENARIO 1

Characteristic of user	A couple wants to come to Singapore for the honey moon. Their travel dates are flexible and prefer to visit landmarks, nature parks and shopping malls.		
Questions	 Your name: Brad Pitt Your email: brad_pitt@gmail.com How are you traveling? Couple Interests Landmarks, Shopping, Nature Parks Travel Dates Flexible Number of travel days 4 Min hours per day 4 Max hours per day 6 Hotel name: Marina Bay Sands 		
System output - Recommendation	© localhost:8000/travelPlans/311 × + ← → ○ ① localhost:8000/travelPlans/3152/recommendations ATTRACTION RECOMMENDATION Based on your infomation, we recommend these attractions to you: An integral part of Singapore's "City in a Garden" vision, Gardens by the Bay spans a total of 101 hectares of prime land at the heart of Singapore's Singapore This national park is open daily and features beautiful lakes,		
	Botanic Gardens animals, flowers and plants, including one of the region's first rubber tree orchards National Orchid Garden, located within the Singapore Botanic Gardens, was opened on 20 October 1995 by Singapore's Minister Mentor Lee Kuan Yew. T Set in a rainforest environment, Singapore Zoo is home to over 2,800 animals from over 300 species of mammals, birds and reptiles. The park also boast A mysterious world veiled in mist; the Cloud Forest is a 35-		







SCENARIO 2

Characteristic of user	A family wants to come to Singapore for a holiday, and their travel dates are fixed. They love to visit
Questions	10. Your name: Robert 11. Your email: robert@gmail.com 12. How are you traveling? Family 13. Interests Landmarks, Amusement Parks, Museums 14. Travel Dates Fixed 15. Start date 01/02/2020 16. End date 05/02/2020 17. Min hours per day 5

