# Functionality Investigation Sheet Les petits plats Feature No. 2 Search Engine

### 1.Problem:

The search bar does not filter in detail the results of the recipes by keyword categories:

- Ingredients.
- Device.
- Appliance.

## 2.Options

Option	Characteristics	Analysis
Option 1	<pre>Characteristics Wide search that algorithms covers every single character over the json file to find matching words. Delivers narrowed search results function functionSearch() {     var inputSearch, filterSearch, cardsSearch, cardContainer, mySearch, i;//OK     inputSearch = document.getElementById("searchFilter"); //Input search //OK     filterSearch = inputSearch.value.toUpperCase();     cardContainer = document.getElementById("items");//Container d//OK     cardsSearch = cardContainer.getElementsByClassName("card");//Targeting Card //     for (i = 0; i &lt; cardsSearch.length; i++) {         mySearch = cardsSearch[i].querySelector(".card-body"); //Modify lenght         if (mySearch.innerText.toUpperCase().indexOf(filterSearch) &gt; - 1) {         cardsSearch[i].style.display = "";         } else {             cardsSearch[i].style.display = "none";         }     } }</pre>	Analysis  Benefits: Faster Search.  Disadvantages Narrowed search results
2	<pre>Exhaustive algorithm that finds matches by the 3 first characters and refines the search by additional keyword matching from the attributes in json file and can be refined as much the user needs.  function functionSearch() {     var inputSearch, filterSearch, cardsSearch, cardContainer, mySearch, i;//OK     inputSearch = document.getElementById("searchFilter"); //Input search //OK     filterSearch = inputSearch.value.toUpperCase();     cardContainer = document.getElementById("items");//Container d//OK     cardsSearch = cardContainer.getElementsByClassName("card");//Targeting Card //     for(let i = 0; i &lt; cardsSearch.length; i++) {         cardsSearch[i].classList.remove('hide')     }     if(inputSearch.value.length &gt; 2) { //Defined lenght         for (i = 0; i &lt; cardsSearch.length; i++) {             mySearch = cardsSearch.length; i++) {                 mySearch = cardsSearch[i].querySelector(".card-body"); //Modify lenght</pre>	Benefits: High refined search for the user according to his/ her tailormade needs. Disadvantages It shows tons of results according to the keyword matches but still good for a DB with only 51 objects.

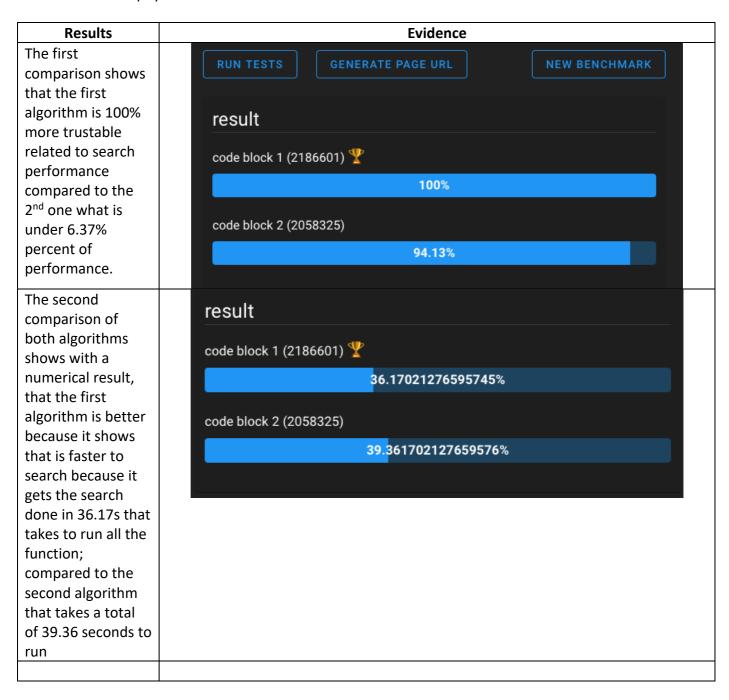
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if (mySearch.innerText.toUpperCase().indexOf(filterSearch)
> -1) {
                cardsSearch[i].classList.remove('hide')
            } else {
                cardsSearch[i].classList.add('hide')
    } else if (inputSearch.value.length === 0) {
        for (i = 0; i < cardsSearch.length; i++) {</pre>
            cardsSearch[i].classList.remove('hide')
    //filter ingredients
    let ingredientsArray = tags.filter(tag => tag.category ===
 ingredient').map(r => r.name)
    for(let i = 0; i < recipes.length; i++) {</pre>
        if(cardsSearch[i].classList.contains('hide') === false) {
            let ingredientsMatchs = []
            for(let m = 0; m < ingredientsArray.length; m++) {</pre>
                ingredientsMatchs.push(recipes[i].ingredients.map(x =>
x.ingredient).includes(ingredientsArray[m]))
            if(ingredientsMatchs.includes(false)) {
                cardsSearch[i].classList.add('hide')
    // filter device
    let deviceArray = tags.filter(tag => tag.category ===
'appliance').map(r => r.name)
    for(let i = 0; i < recipes.length; i++) {</pre>
        if(cardsSearch[i].classList.contains('hide') === false) {
            if(deviceArray.includes(recipes[i].appliance) === false &&
deviceArray.length !== 0) {
                cardsSearch[i].classList.add('hide')
    // filter ustensils
    let ustensilsArray = tags.filter(tag => tag.category ===
 'ustensils').map(r => r.name)
    for(let i = 0; i < recipes.length; i++) {</pre>
        if(cardsSearch[i].classList.contains('hide') === false) {
            let ustensilsMatchs = []
            for(let m = 0; m < ustensilsArray.length; m++) {</pre>
ustensilsMatchs.push(recipes[i].ustensils.includes(ustensilsArray[m]))
            if(ustensilsMatchs.includes(false)) {
                cardsSearch[i].classList.add('hide')
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} } }	

#### 3. Solution retention

According to the comparison of the algorithms by the tool https://jsben.ch/TG6y6

And it results, I have decided to implement the second algorithm listed on this document that is the one that shows the trophy.



## 4. Flow chart of option one

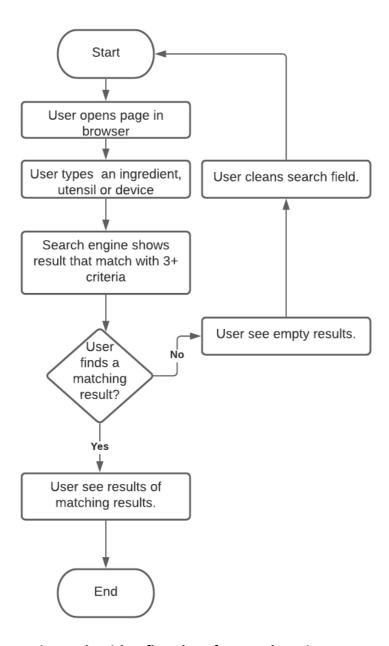


Fig. 1. Algorithm flowchart for search option one.

## 4.1 Flow chart of option 2

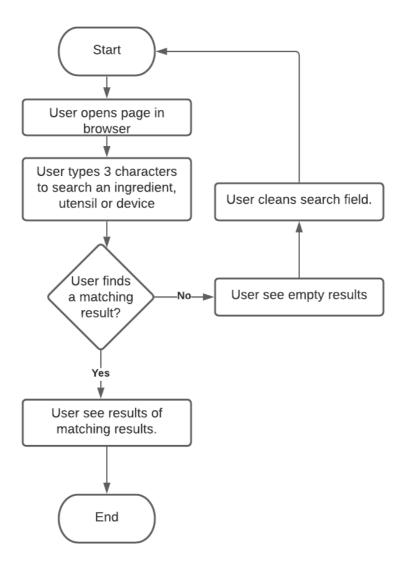


Fig. 1. Algorithm flowchart for search option two.