

# Turning Reviews into Revenue: Customer Insights for Turmeric Hotel

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# Why This Matters in the Hotel Industry

- 1 90% of travellers read reviews before booking a hotel
- Online reviews directly impact reputation and revenue

3 Customers trust peer feedback more than marketing

4 Most hotels don't act fast on review insights

Data science can bridge this gap using sentiment analysis

# Business Opportunity for Turmeric Hotel

Guests are leaving reviews on Google, TripAdvisor, MMT and more

But those voices are scattered, there's no single view of guest sentiment Some reviews praise the staff, some mention delays, but it's all hidden in raw text

Without a system to track patterns, valuable feedback may slip through

That's where data science comes in - to turn reviews into clear, actionable insights

# **Project Objective**



Understand how guests truly feel about their stay



Identify key themes from positive and negative reviews



Analyze feedback across platforms and trip types



Use sentiment analysis to uncover service improvement areas



Help the hotel take faster, databacked actions to delight guests



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Booking.com, etc

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**Data Columns**: Review text, star rating, trip type,

month, platform

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Rating Categories : Room, Service, and Location

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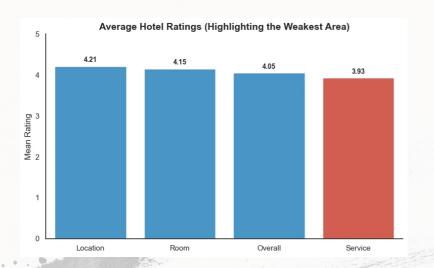






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# Guest Ratings – What's Working, What Needs Focus



## **Strong Areas**

• **V** Location and Room Ratings ≥ 4.1

#### **Needs Attention**

Service Rating = 3.93 (lowest)

#### **Action Point**

• Focus on service consistency to lift overall guest satisfaction

## When Are Guests Talking About Us?



## Review Peaks

June '24 and May-June '25

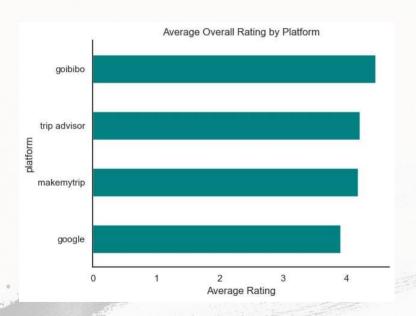


Sept '24, Mar '25

## **6** Action Point

Prioritize staff readiness and service quality during peak review periods

## Which Platform Has the Happiest Guests?

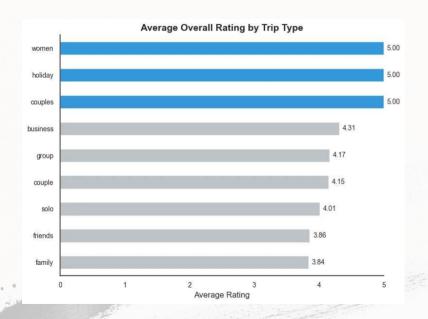




 ⚠ Google reviews are less favorable

Action Point: Understand review tone differences across platforms

# Which Guest Types Are the Most Satisfied?



💙 Top Ratings

Women, Holiday, Couples

⚠ Lower Ratings

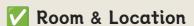
Family, Friends, Solo Trips

 **Action Point** 

Improve experience for solo & group-based travelers

# Are We Consistently Meeting Guest Expectations Over Time?





Stable ratings across months

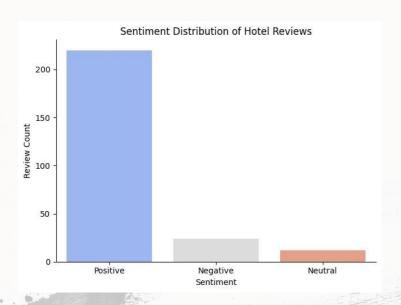


Slight dips in some months (inconsistency)



Monthly service check-ins can smooth guest experience

# What Do Guests Really Feel? (Sentiment Breakdown)



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220+ guests shared happy experiences

Neutral

\~10 reviews - average, unmemorable stays

Negative

\~25 reviews raised concerns, mostly service-related

 **Action** 

Convert neutral to positive & resolve repeated service issues

## What Do Happy Guests Talk About the Most?



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Staff is the highlight - "friendly", "helpful", "excellent"
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- Clean rooms, tasty food & great location stand out
- " Breakfast " and " turmeric " hint at memorable dining experiences
- **Action**: Keep staff engagement high and protect service quality

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Common Complaints: "rude", "poor", 
"behavior" → Staff interactions
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Maintenance issues: "parking",
"bathroom", "bed", "rooms"
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Price & Booking: Frustration around value and reservation flow

**The Action:** Fix repeat complaints to protect brand reputation



# Staff - The Hotel's Strength & Risk Point

## Most praised

"friendly", "helpful", "excellent"



## Most criticized

"rude", "poor behaviour", "impolite"



## Insight

Guests love great staff — but a single bad interaction breaks trust



## **Action**

Train for consistency, not just excellence

# Turning Guest Feedback into Actionable Growth

## Key Insights:

✓ 89% of guests leave positive reviews — the hotel has a strong brand base

Service ratings are lower than room/location, experience drops during delivery

© Guests value clean rooms, friendly staff, breakfast experience

Staff is both the top strength and biggest complaint — signals inconsistency

Guest feedback volume spikes in mid-year — peak season management matters

♠ Complaints centre around staff behaviour, room comfort, booking issues

## Recommendations:

#### **Standardize Staff Behaviour:**

Build consistency with training & feedback loops

Track Platform Trends: Improve presence on platforms with lower ratings (e.g. Google)

## **Monitor Service Ratings**

**Monthly:** Spot dips early during peak season

#### Turn Neutrals into Promoters:

Follow up with average reviewers for feedback

### **Fix Core Complaints Fast:**

Parking, bathroom, check-in need urgent attention

## Celebrate What's Working:

Double down on strengths like food, staff warmth, and room quality

