



## Yelp Recruiting Competition

How many "useful" votes will a Yelp review receive? Show off your skills to land an interview for a position on a Yelp data mining team!

350 teams · 4 years ago

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### Overview

#### Description

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Here at Yelp, we really love the quality of our data. We're grateful that so many of our users take the time to write such great reviews. We track 3 community-powered metrics of review quality: Useful, Funny, Cool. Over time, a good review will accumulate lots of votes in these categories from the community. However, another extremely important quality feature is the freshness of a review. What if we didn't have to wait for the community to vote on the best reviews to know which ones are high quality?

The goal of this competition is to estimate the number of Useful votes a review will receive. Yelp isn't only looking for the answer to this question; we're looking for an engineer that can solve this problem and push their code to production. The prize is a fast track through the recruiting process -- straight to an interview and the opportunity to show Yelp Engineers just what you've got.

For more information about the exciting opportunities at Yelp, check out <http://www.yelp.com/careers!>



This competition counts towards rankings & achievements. If you wish to be considered for an interview at Yelp, check the box "Allow host to contact me" when you form your team.

### Leaderboard



- 1 Outis
- 2 George Ciobanu
- 3 Godel
- 4 Dominic Coey
- 5 Nitai Dean
- 6 Kevin Clark
- 7 Jaysen Gillespie
- 8 banyan

### 73 discussion topics



#### Geocoding Data Quality Issues

2 replies · 5 months ago

#### Running regression Tree model with more than 32 factors

6 replies · a year ago

#### Quick n' dirty .CSV conversion (Python/Pandas)

7 replies · 3 years ago

#### Now that the competition is over - what everyone used?

35 replies · 4 years ago

#### Something fishy going on

0 replies · 4 years ago

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5 years ago

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4 years ago

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Teams

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Competitors

Points

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Tiers

This competition counted towards [tiers](#)

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