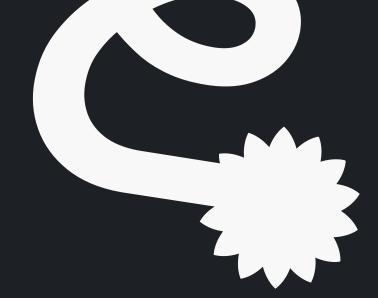
# Food Hazard Detection

Introduction to Deep Learning

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- SemEval Project
- Given incident reports
- Total train dataset 5,082

#### Sub-tasks

- ST1 Category classification Predicting the type of hazard and product.
- ST2 Item Classification Predicting the exact hazard and product



|           |               | year       | month          | $\operatorname{day}$                     | country        |  |  |  |  |
|-----------|---------------|------------|----------------|--|----------------|--|--|--|--|
| Features  | e.g.: 2022    |            | e.g.: 07       | e.g.: 15                                 | e.g.: ca       |  |  |  |  |
| eatı      | title         |            |                |  |                |  |  |  |  |
| Ŧ         |               | _          |                | te products recall<br>les and safety ale |                |  |  |  |  |
|           |               |            |                |  |                |  |  |  |  |
|           |               |            |                |  |                |  |  |  |  |
|           | (ST1)         | hazard-cat | tegory [main]  |  | 10 <b>x</b>    |  |  |  |  |
|           | Sub-Task 1 (S |            | e.g.: a        | allergens                                |                |  |  |  |  |
|           |               | product-ca | ategory        |  | 22 <b>x</b>    |  |  |  |  |
| <b>10</b> |               |            | _              | cocoa preparations<br>e and tea          | ,              |  |  |  |  |
| Labels    |               |            |                |  |                |  |  |  |  |
|           | (ST2)         | hazard [m  | ain]           |  | 261 <b>x</b>   |  |  |  |  |
|           | 2 (S          |            | e.g.: choco    | late products                            |                |  |  |  |  |
|           | Sub-Task      | product    |                |  | 1,256 <b>x</b> |  |  |  |  |
|           | -qnS          |            | e.g.: milk and | products thereof                         |                |  |  |  |  |



# Evaluation



```
from sklearn.metrics import f1_score
def compute_score(hazards_true, products_true, hazards_pred, products_pred):
  # compute f1 for hazards:
  f1_hazards = f1_score(
    hazards_true,
    hazards_pred,
    average='macro'
  # compute f1 for products:
  f1_products = f1_score(
    products_true[hazards_pred == hazards_true],
    products_pred[hazards_pred == hazards_true],
    average='macro'
  return (f1_hazards + f1_products) / 2.
```



#### **Problem Statement**

Identify food hazard/product categories, and extract precise hazard/product information from diverse and unstructured web-sourced reports



# Models, Experiments, Explainers ST1



## Existing Approaches

- Classification models
- BERT
- Variants



#### BERT - Baseline

#### **Hazard-Category**

| <b>→</b>                       | precision | recall | f1-score | support |  |
|--------------------------------|-----------|--------|----------|---------|--|
| allergens                      | 0.89      | 0.90   | 0.90     | 377     |  |
| biological                     | 0.86      | 0.92   | 0.89     | 339     |  |
| chemical                       | 0.78      | 0.62   | 0.69     | 68      |  |
| food additives and flavourings | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 5       |  |
| foreign bodies                 | 0.70      | 0.84   | 0.77     | 111     |  |
| fraud                          | 0.81      | 0.56   | 0.66     | 68      |  |
| migration                      | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 1       |  |
| organoleptic aspects           | 0.50      | 0.30   | 0.38     | 10      |  |
| other hazard                   | 0.55      | 0.44   | 0.49     | 27      |  |
| packaging defect               | 0.38      | 0.27   | 0.32     | 11      |  |
|                                |           |        | 0.00     | 1017    |  |
| accuracy                       |           | 0.40   | 0.83     | 1017    |  |
| macro avg                      | 0.55      | 0.49   | 0.51     | 1017    |  |
| weighted avg                   | 0.82      | 0.83   | 0.82     | 1017    |  |
|                                |           |        |          |         |  |



#### **BERT-Baseline**

#### **Product-Category**

|   | precision | recall | f1-score | support |
|---|-----------|--------|----------|---------|
|   |           |        |          |         |
| alcoholic beverages                               | 0.71      | 0.71   | 0.71     | 7       |
| cereals and bakery products                       | 0.73      | 0.86   | 0.79     | 123     |
| cocoa and cocoa preparations, coffee and tea      | 0.77      | 0.73   | 0.75     | 49      |
| confectionery                                     | 0.58      | 0.53   | 0.55     | 40      |
| dietetic foods, food supplements, fortified foods | 0.61      | 0.71   | 0.65     | 24      |
| fats and oils                                     | 0.50      | 0.50   | 0.50     | 4       |
| feed materials                                    | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 3<br>1  |
| food contact materials                            | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     |         |
| fruits and vegetables                             | 0.81      | 0.79   | 0.80     | 112     |
| herbs and spices                                  | 0.54      | 0.44   | 0.48     | 16      |
| honey and royal jelly                             | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 1       |
| ices and desserts                                 | 0.92      | 0.88   | 0.90     | 56      |
| meat, egg and dairy products                      | 0.90      | 0.93   | 0.91     | 282     |
| non-alcoholic beverages                           | 0.96      | 0.84   | 0.90     | 31      |
| nuts, nut products and seeds                      | 0.76      | 0.81   | 0.78     | 63      |
| other food product / mixed                        | 1.00      | 0.11   | 0.20     | 9       |
| pet feed  | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 6       |
| prepared dishes and snacks                        | 0.56      | 0.49   | 0.52     | 90      |
| seafood   | 0.87      | 0.95   | 0.91     | 56      |
| soups, broths, sauces and condiments              | 0.66      | 0.72   | 0.69     | 43      |
| sugars and syrups                                 | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 1       |
|   |           |        |          |         |
| accuracy  |           |        | 0.79     | 1017    |
| macro avg   | 0.57      | 0.52   | 0.53     | 1017    |
| weighted avg                                      | 0.78      | 0.79   | 0.78     | 1017    |
|   |           |        |          |         |



# Early Stopping

| Classification Report for ST1 - H | Hazard Categ | gory with I         | Early Stopp | ping:                                  |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|-------------|--|
| t t                               | orecision    | recall <sup>.</sup> | f1–score    | support                                |
| -11                               | a 02         | a 02                | 0.07        | 106                                    |
| allergens                         | 0.82         | 0.92                | 0.87        | 186                                    |
| biological                        | 0.93         | 0.89                | 0.91        | 175                                    |
| chemical                          | 0.90         | 0.66                | 0.76        | 29                                     |
| food additives and flavourings    | 0.00         | 0.00                | 0.00        | 2                                      |
| foreign bodies                    | 0.81         | 0.77                | 0.79        | 56                                     |
| fraud                             | 0.69         | 0.65                | 0.67        | 37                                     |
| organoleptic aspects              | 0.00         | 0.00                | 0.00        | 5                                      |
| other hazard                      | 0.50         | 0.64                | 0.56        | 14                                     |
| packaging defect                  | 0.60         | 0.60                | 0.60        | 5                                      |
|                                   |              |                     |             |  |
| accuracy                          |              |                     | 0.84        | 509                                    |
| macro avg                         | 0.58         | 0.57                | 0.57        | 509                                    |
| weighted avg                      | 0.83         | 0.84                | 0.83        | 509                                    |
|                                   |              |                     |             | ······································ |



# Class Weights

| Classification Report for ST1 - Hazard Category: |           |        |              |         |  |  |  |
|--|-----------|--------|--------------|---------|--|--|--|
|  | precision | recall | f1-score     | support |  |  |  |
| allergens  | 0.88      | 0.85   | 0.87         | 371     |  |  |  |
| biological                                       | 0.90      | 0.90   | 0.90         | 348     |  |  |  |
| chemical   | 0.68      | 0.72   | 0.70         | 57      |  |  |  |
| food additives and flavourings                   | 0.43      | 0.60   | 0.50         | 5       |  |  |  |
| foreign bodies                                   | 0.81      | 0.79   | 0.80         | 112     |  |  |  |
| fraud  | 0.63      | 0.65   | 0.64         | 74      |  |  |  |
| migration  | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00         | 1       |  |  |  |
| organoleptic aspects                             | 0.29      | 0.36   | 0.32         | 11      |  |  |  |
| other hazard                                     | 0.47      | 0.52   | 0.49         | 27      |  |  |  |
| packaging defect                                 | 0.54      | 0.64   | 0.58         | 11      |  |  |  |
| accuracy   |           |        | 0.82         | 1017    |  |  |  |
| accuracy   | 0.56      | 0.60   | 0.58         | 1017    |  |  |  |
| macro avg<br>weighted avg                        | 0.82      | 0.82   | 0.38<br>0.82 | 1017    |  |  |  |
| weighted avg                                     | 3132      | 0.02   | - 0102       | 1017    |  |  |  |



# Learning Rate Scheduling

| Classification Report:         |           |        |          |         |
|--------------------------------|-----------|--------|----------|---------|
|                                | precision | recall | f1-score | support |
| allergens                      | 0.85      | 0.90   | 0.87     | 186     |
| biological                     | 0.89      | 0.92   | 0.91     | 175     |
| chemical                       | 0.74      | 0.69   | 0.71     | 29      |
| food additives and flavourings | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 2       |
| foreign bodies                 | 0.82      | 0.75   | 0.79     | 56      |
| fraud                          | 0.66      | 0.68   | 0.67     | 37      |
| organoleptic aspects           | 1.00      | 0.60   | 0.75     | 5       |
| other hazard                   | 0.69      | 0.64   | 0.67     | 14      |
| packaging defect               | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 5       |
|                                |           |        |          |         |
| accuracy                       |           |        | 0.84     | 509     |
| macro avg                      | 0.63      | 0.58   | 0.60     | 509     |
| weighted avg                   | 0.83      | 0.84   | 0.83     | 509     |



# Augmentation using Synonyms

| Classification Report:         |           |        |              |         |
|--------------------------------|-----------|--------|--------------|---------|
|                                | precision | recall | f1-score     | support |
| allergens                      | 0.95      | 0.92   | 0.93         | 286     |
| biological                     | 0.96      | 0.96   | 0.96         | 275     |
| chemical                       | 0.98      | 0.94   | 0.96         | 129     |
| food additives and flavourings | 0.99      | 1.00   | 1.00         | 102     |
| foreign bodies                 | 0.86      | 0.96   | 0.91         | 157     |
| fraud                          | 0.92      | 0.93   | 0.93         | 137     |
| migration                      | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00         | 100     |
| organoleptic aspects           | 1.00      | 0.99   | 1.00         | 105     |
| other hazard                   | 1.00      | 0.95   | 0.97         | 113     |
| packaging defect               | 0.98      | 0.99   | 0.99         | 105     |
| accuracy                       |           |        | 0.96         | 1509    |
| accuracy                       | 0.96      | 0.96   | 0.96<br>0.96 | 1509    |
| macro avg<br>weighted avg      | 0.96      | 0.96   | 0.96         | 1509    |
|                                |           |        |              |         |



### Result on SemEval

| steliosg23   | 24 | 11/26/24 |       | 0.7060 (16) | 0.0000 (1) | View |
|--------------|----|----------|-------|-------------|------------|------|
| msaadg       | 5  | 11/06/24 |       | 0.7006 (17) | 0.0000 (1) | View |
| Alex_goodman | 7  | 11/06/24 |       | 0.6944 (18) | 0.0000 (1) | View |
| meesuma5     | 2  | 11/24/24 |       | 0.6907 (19) | 0.0000 (1) | View |
| BenPhan      | 9  | 11/20/24 | Ryder | 0.6877 (20) | 0.0000 (1) | View |

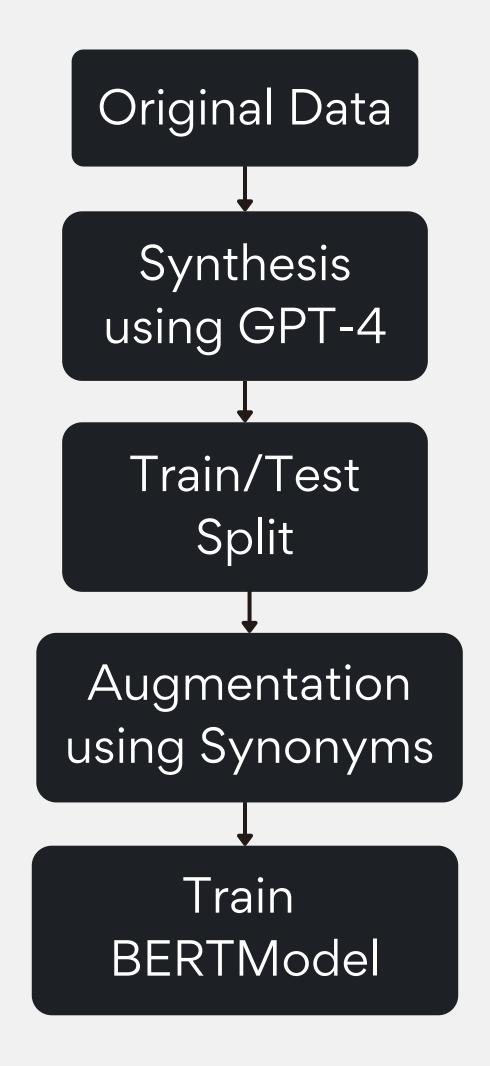


#### Correction

- Synthesis for minority classes
- Train/Test Split
- Augmentation
- Threshold 600. Num\_Augmentations 800



# Task Pipeline





# Synthesis + Augmentation

| <b>→</b>                       | precision | recall | f1-score | support |  |
|--------------------------------|-----------|--------|----------|---------|--|
| allergens                      | 0.94      | 0.98   | 0.96     | 341     |  |
| biological                     | 0.97      | 0.99   | 0.98     | 352     |  |
| chemical                       | 0.90      | 0.99   | 0.94     | 71      |  |
| food additives and flavourings | 0.83      | 0.83   | 0.83     | 6       |  |
| foreign bodies                 | 0.97      | 0.97   | 0.97     | 112     |  |
| fraud                          | 0.81      | 0.68   | 0.74     | 77      |  |
| migration                      | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 7       |  |
| organoleptic aspects           | 0.91      | 0.83   | 0.87     | 12      |  |
| other hazard                   | 0.81      | 0.69   | 0.75     | 32      |  |
| packaging defect               | 1.00      | 0.68   | 0.81     | 22      |  |
| accuracy                       |           |        | 0.94     | 1032    |  |
| macro avg                      | 0.92      | 0.86   | 0.89     | 1032    |  |
| weighted avg                   | 0.94      | 0.94   | 0.94     | 1032    |  |
| weighted dvg                   | 0154      | 0134   | 0134     | 1032    |  |



## Comparison

• [5] [2022] - BERTSEQ 0.597

• [5] [2022] - BERTARE 0.491

• [2] [2023] - BERT 0.85



#### **Future Directions**

- Ensembling Training 2 BERTs and Averaging
- More Data Synthesis T5



# Models, Experiments, Explainers ST2



#### **Class Distribution**

- 128 Hazards
- 1022 Products



## Researched Approaches

- Explainability Models
- LIME/SPLIME
- SHAP

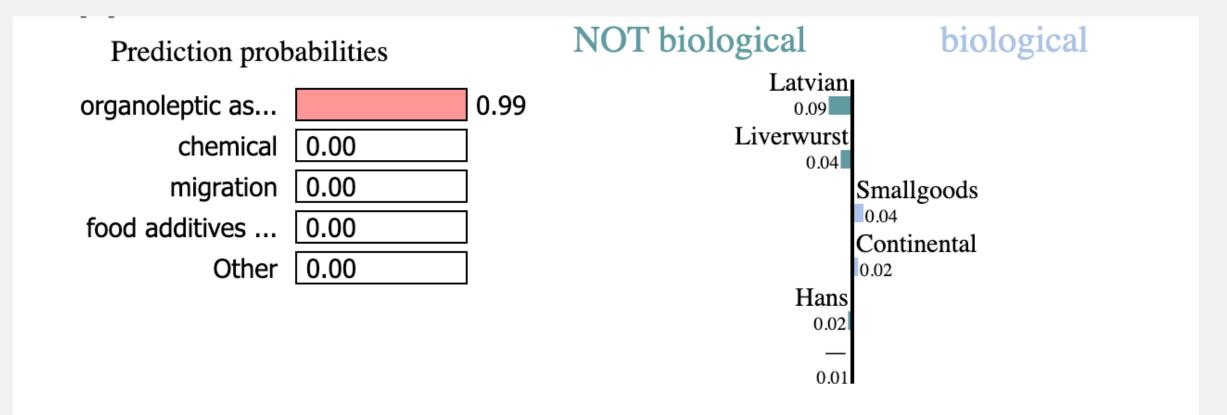


# Issues faced with Researched Approach

- Computationally very expensive
- Difficulty in finding implicit products/hazards.
- Complex in Implementing



#### LIME



#### **Text with highlighted words**

```
Hans Continental Smallgoods—Latvian Liverwurst
INFO:root:Example 3/5051 start
['Recall', 'Notification', 'FSIS', '-011-98']
Recall Notification: FSIS-011-98
['Recall', 'Notification', ':', 'FSIS', '-011-98']
```



## Our Approach

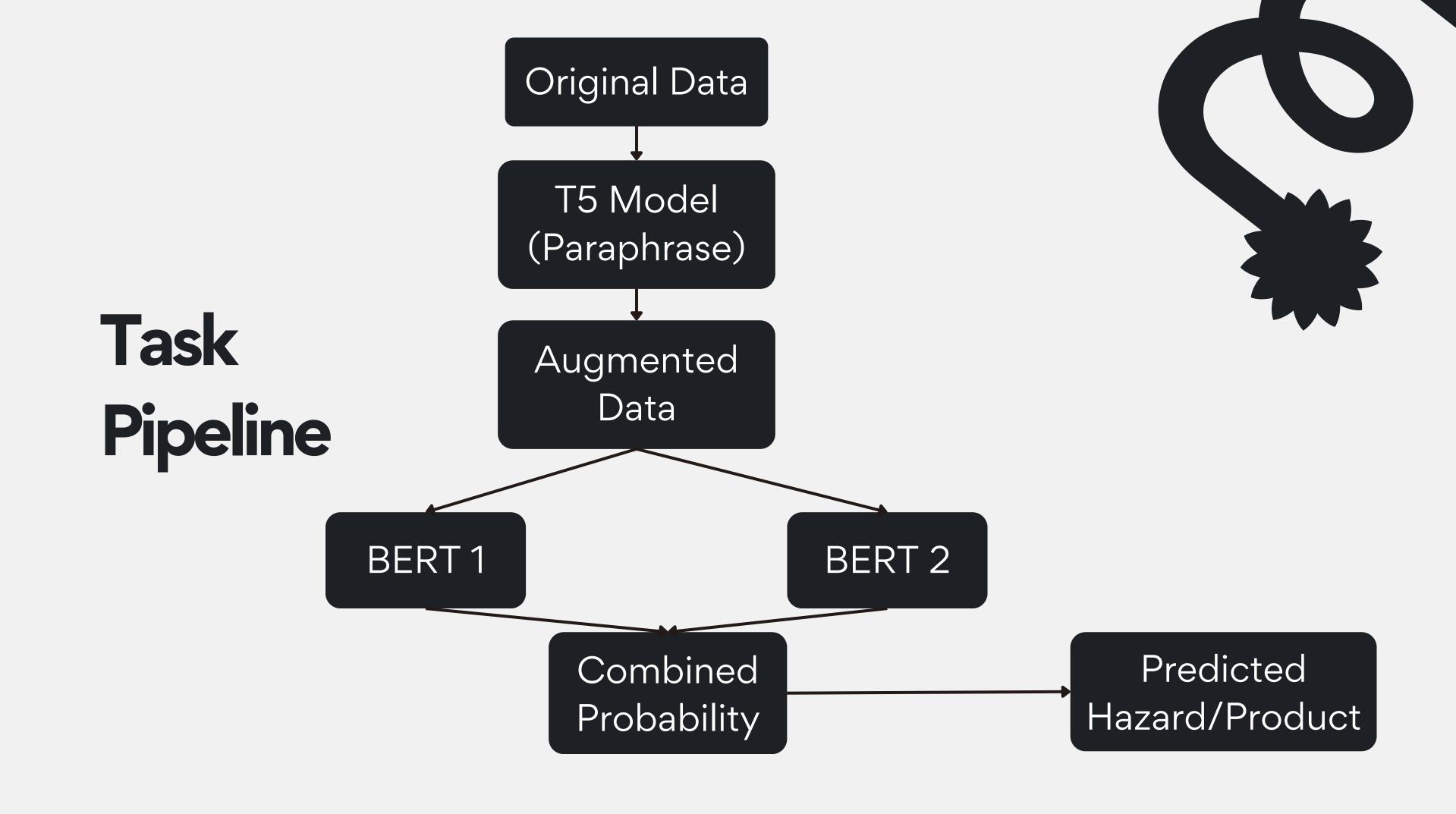
- Augment upto a threshold for each class
- T5 model for paraphrasing
- Classification using BERT
- Ensembling



### Augmentation Sizes

- 2,120 Rows for Hazard
- 5,111 Rows for Product





# Baseline BERT Outputs - Hazard

|   | precision                            | recall                               | f1-score   | support                                  |
|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| Aflatoxin<br>alcohol content<br>alkaloids<br>allergens<br>almond                        | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>1.00 | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00         | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.13                 | 4<br>1<br>2<br>4<br>14                   |
| undeclared additive undeclared constituent virus walnut accuracy macro avg weighted avg | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.40<br>0.45 | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.40<br>0.11<br>0.52 | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.40<br>0.52<br>0.09<br>0.43 | 2<br>1<br>1<br>5<br>1017<br>1017<br>1017 |



# Enhanced Local Outputs - Hazard

|  | precision | recall | f1-score | support     |  |
|--|-----------|--------|----------|-------------|--|
| Aflatoxin                                      | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3           |  |
| abnormal smell                                 | 1.00      | 0.67   | 0.80     | 3           |  |
| alcohol content                                | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3<br>3<br>3 |  |
| alkaloids                                      | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3           |  |
| allergens                                      | 0.67      | 0.67   | 0.67     | 3           |  |
| almond   | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 7           |  |
| altered organoleptic characteristics           | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3           |  |
| amygdalin                                      | 1.00      | 0.67   | 0.80     | 3           |  |
| antibiotics, vet drugs                         | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3           |  |
| bacillus spp.                                  | 1.00      | 0.33   | 0.50     | 3<br>3      |  |
| bad smell / off odor                           | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3           |  |
| bone fragment                                  | 1.00      | 0.67   | 0.80     | 3           |  |
| brazil nut                                     | 1.00      | 0.67   | 0.80     | 3           |  |
| bulging packaging                              | 0.60      | 1.00   | 0.75     | 3           |  |
| cashew   | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3<br>3      |  |
| celery and products thereof                    | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3           |  |
| cereals  | 1.00      | 1.00   | 1.00     | 3           |  |
| cereals containing gluten and products thereof | 0.91      | 0.95   | 0.93     | 21          |  |

| accuracy     |      |      | 0.90 | 721 |  |
|--------------|------|------|------|-----|--|
| macro avg    | 0.86 | 0.85 | 0.84 | 721 |  |
| weighted avg | 0.90 | 0.90 | 0.89 | 721 |  |



# Baseline BERT Outputs - Product

|                          | precision | recall | f1-score | support |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------|----------|---------|
| Catfishes (freshwater)   | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 5       |
| Fishes not identified    | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 6       |
| Not classified pork meat | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 3       |
| whisky                   | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 1       |
| white lasagna sauce      | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 1       |
| wine                     | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 2       |
| wraps                    | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 4       |
| yoghurt                  | 0.00      | 0.00   | 0.00     | 5       |
| accuracy                 |           |        | 0.09     | 1017    |
| macro avg                | 0.00      | 0.01   | 0.00     | 1017    |
| weighted avg             | 0.02      | 0.09   | 0.03     | 1017    |



# Enhanced Local Outputs - Product

|                          | precision    | recall | f1-score | support |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------|----------|---------|
| Catfishes (freshwater)   | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 1       |
| Dried pork meat          | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 1       |
| ·                        |              |        |          |         |
| Fishes not identified    | 0.67         | 1.00   | 0.80     | 4       |
| Groupers (generic)       | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 1       |
| Not classified pork meat | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 2       |
|                          |              |        |          |         |
| white mustard seeds      | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 1       |
| whole chicken            | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 1       |
| wine                     | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 2       |
| wraps                    | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 2       |
| yellow peas              | 1.00         | 1.00   | 1.00     | 1       |
| yoghurt                  | 0.75         | 1.00   | 0.86     | 3       |
| yogurt raisins           | 0.00         | 0.00   | 0.00     | 1       |
|                          |              |        |          |         |
| accuracy                 |              |        | 0.83     | 1232    |
| macro avg                | 0.77         | 0.81   | 0.78     | 1232    |
| weighted avg             | 0.77<br>0.77 | 0.83   | 0.79     | 1232    |
| weighted avg             | 0.77         | 0.03   | 0.79     | 1232    |



### SemEval Score - ST2

| # | User             |    | Date of Last<br>Entry | Team Name       | Score Sub-Task 1 | Score Sub-Task 2 | Detailed<br>Results |
|---|------------------|----|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | pinganxiaofendui | 19 | 11/26/24              | Pingan Al Team  | 0.0000 (1)       | 0.5118 (1)       | View                |
| 2 | polarisshi       | 16 | 11/27/24              | PingAn AI - NLP | 0.0000 (1)       | 0.4791 (2)       | View                |
| 3 | jerryk42         | 3  | 11/26/24              |                 | 0.0000 (1)       | 0.4515 (3)       | View                |
| 4 | meesuma5         | 5  | 11/27/24              |                 | 0.0000 (1)       | 0.4510 (4)       | View                |



#### **Future Directions**

- Try to map hazard/product-categories to hazard/product and limit possibilities.
- Synthesize more data for both hazards and products.



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# Thank You Q & A

