# Al Wellbeing Advisor: a personalized recommender for wellness & relaxation



Goal: Build a GPT-based recommender system with YouTube API integration

- Is it good?
- How can I make it better?

#### **Project Overview**

- Building the GPT-Powered Recommendation System to recommend mindfulness & Relaxation techniques based on users' queries
- Predefined categories for better personalization optional to select
- Prompt engineering to fine-tune GPT responses
- Integration with YouTube API to fetch videos
- Ranking most relevant videos per recommended technique
- Simulating queries to generate a dataset
- Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)
- Enhancing Response Relevance through Unsupervised Learning and Clustering

# Building the GPT system with YouTube video recommendations

#### Implementation details

#### **User Query Preprocessing**

- Lowercase
- Cleaned of special characters

#### Category detection

- Matching the query to one of the selected categories (in any):
- Mindfulness and Meditation
- Breathing Exercises
- Somatic Practices

#### GPT-4 prompt & Response generation

- Dynamic prompts based on category (if selected)
- Structured recommendations

(meaningful title + 2 - 3 techniques with description)

## Prompt Engineering for Better GPT-4 Responses

#### Response Format

- Title based on user's query and selected category
- At least 2 techniques
- For each technique:
  - Summary of the technique
  - How can it help based on user query
  - How to apply it

# From GPT recommendations to YouTube videos

## Techniques for Relieving Anxiety and Improving Focus

#### Recommendations

- Mindful Breathing: Mindful breathing is a simple yet effective technique for anxiety relief and focus
  improvement. The idea behind this method is to focus your attention on your breath, the inhale and
  exhale. This helps to anchor your mind in the present moment, alleviating feelings of anxiety and
  heightening focus. Here's how to do it:
  - Find a quiet, comfortable place to sit or lie down.
  - Close your eyes and take slow, deep breaths.
  - As you breathe in, feel your abdomen rise and as you breathe out, feel it fall.
  - Keep your attention focused on your breath. If your mind wanders, gently bring it back to your breathing.

#### Extracting <u>Keywords</u>

Filtering out short words from:

- Title
- Technique name

#### Fetching YouTube videos

Integration with YouTube API
 Max 10 results per query with keywords

#### Video Recommendations

 3 most relevant videos for each technique
 (TF-IDF & Cosine Similarity between query text and preprocessed video title+description)

Query = "What can I do to relieve anxiety and stay focused?"

# Exploring and improving the system

# Simulating Data for Exploration

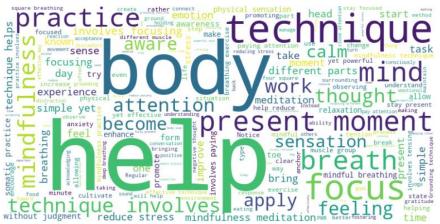
- Simulated 250 realistic user queries
- Generated GPT-4 recommendations for each query, for 3+1 categories (3 specific categories + 1 default "All" category)
- **■** Extracted:
  - Technique name
  - Description
  - Keywords
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Qı	iery ID	Query	Category	Technique	Description	Keywords
	183	Steps to make mindfulness part of your daily r	Somatic Practices	Body Scan Meditation	This is a powerful mindfulness technique that	body scan meditation integrating mindfulness i
	180	Ways to improve mindfulness while multitasking	Breathing Exercises	Box Breathing during Multitasking	This technique can help maintain a steady focu	breathing during multitasking enhancing mindfu
П	182	How to find calmness in unexpected disruptions	Mindfulness and Meditation	Meditative Breathing	This technique can be used to instantly bring	meditative breathing maintaining calm amidst u
	107	How to recognize and release tension in your body	Breathing Exercises	Box Breathing	This technique can help reduce stress and impr	breathing recognizing releasing body tension t
ш	155	Practical steps to develop a stronger sense of	All	Mindfulness Meditation	Mindfulness meditation helps you develop a str	mindfulness meditation developing stronger sen
Н	181	Tips for staying present when interacting with	Breathing Exercises	Mindful Breathing	This technique is a cornerstone of mindfulness	mindful breathing staying present grounded dur
	136	How to approach conflict resolution with mindf	All	Mindful Observation	This technique involves observing your own tho	mindful observation mindful conflict resolutio
	189	Tips for calming the mind before important events	Breathing Exercises	Deep Breathing	Deep breathing helps to slow down your heart $r_{\rm s.s.}$	deep breathing breathing techniques calm your
	142	Practical ways to strengthen your emotional aw	Breathing Exercises	Conscious Breathing	Conscious breathing is simply being aware of y	conscious breathing enhancing emotional awaren

#### Queries



#### Descriptions



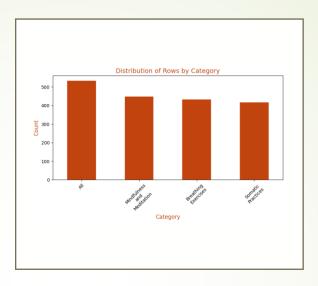
#### Techniques

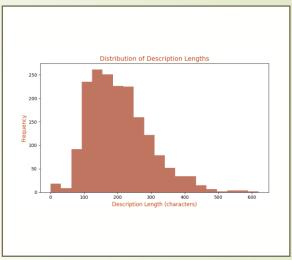


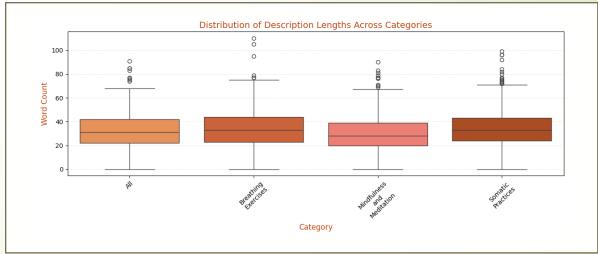
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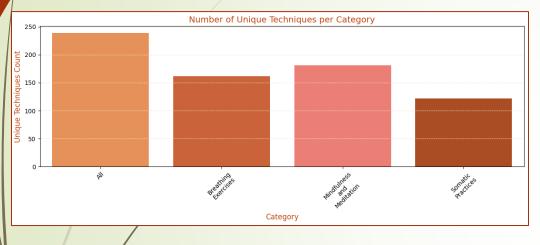
# Distribution of Data and Description Lengths







# Analysis of Techniques and Cosine Similarity Across Categories





TI-IDF vectorizer on techniques for specific categories Vs "All"

<u>ANOVA</u>
F-Statistic = 114,85
P-value = 1.20995e-46

## Can we enhance GPT recommendations using Clustering Techniques?

#### Unsupervised Learning Workflow

#### <u>Data</u> <u>Preprocessing</u>

Cleaning

Tokenization (wordtokenize) and Lemmatization (WordNetLemmatizer)

#### **Embedding Generation**

DistilBERT (SentenceTransformer)

#### <u>Dimensionality</u> <u>Reduction</u>

Applied PCA on scaled data to retain 90% variance

#### **Clustering**

Explored K-means and DBSCAN(eps=1.5, min\_samples=5, metric="euclidean")

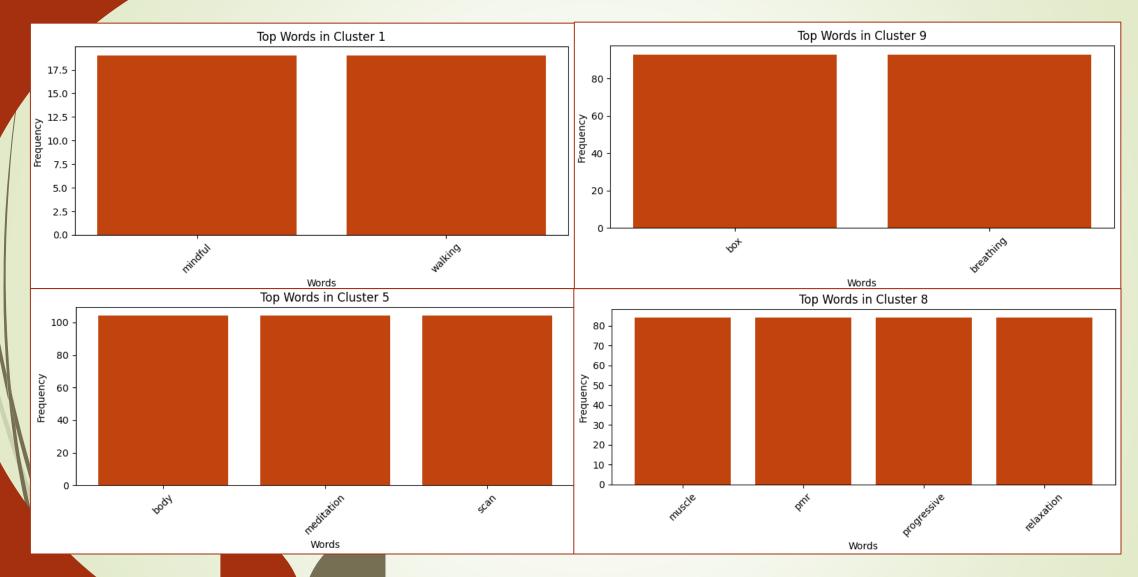
#### Model Evaluation

DBSCAN: 47 clusters; silhouette score = 0.53

#### **Cluster Analysis**

Merged small clusters into general "Other" cluster – 35 clusters

Extracted top keywords for each cluster



From 612 unique techniques to 35

# Key Insights

GPT-Based Recommender System with YouTube API integration

Impact of Categories on GPT Responses

Structured GPT recommended Techniques into Cohesive Clusters using Unsupervised Learning



#### **Next Steps**

- Integrate Clusters into GPT's workflow:
  - Leverage clustered techniques to provide more cohesive recommendations
  - Map user queries to cluster themes for more personalized outputs
- Enhance Queries Preprocessing (stop words and lemmatization)
- Refine prompt design
  - From a highly specific prompt architecture, focused on Mindfulness and Relaxation, to a broader prompt.
  - Expanding focus areas to include other domains of well-being
- Introduce new categories to broaden the spectrum of generated responses, leading to more varied and meaningful recommendations
- Simulate Queries with this generalized system
  - Trying a free model (DeepSeek)
- Repeat Clustering and evaluate the impact of these implementations

### Thank you

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