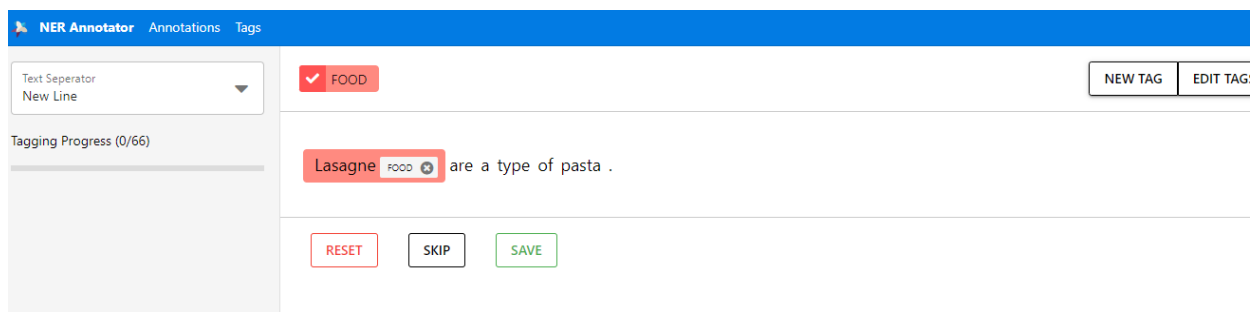# Custom Dataset Preparation

- Firstly, I collected texts with food names in it and saved it in text format. **Example:** Jhalmuri is a popular snack from Bangladesh and India prepared by simply tossing the selected ingredients together.

- Then I used an open-source NER annotator from here - https://tecoholic.github.io/ner-annotator/ to annotate my texts by properly labeling them and exported the annotated data in json format. **Example:**

- Finally, I got the annotated texts in json format like this – [["Lasagne are a type of pasta.\r",{"entities":[[0,7,"FOOD"],[22,27,"FOOD"]]}]