Reddit pediction model

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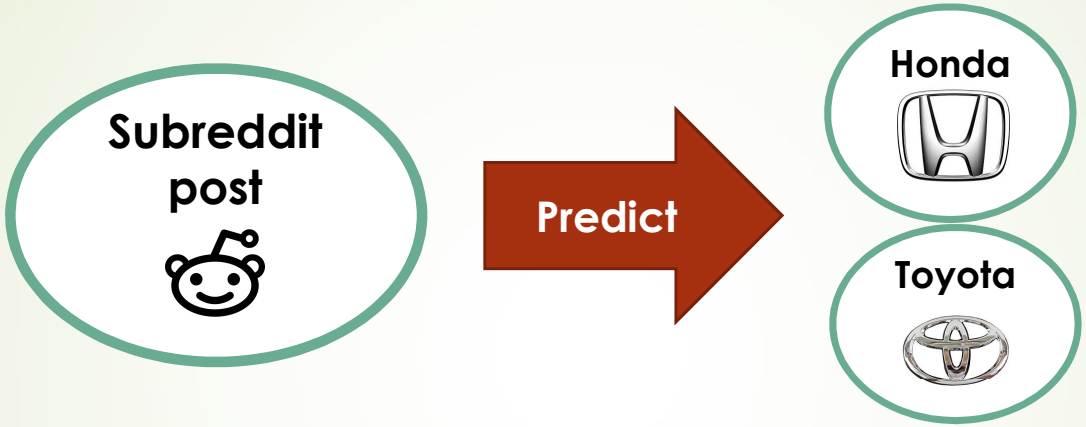
Problem:


Subreddit post
Predict
Honda
Toyota


COMMUNITY DETAILS
r/Honda
44.2k
Subscribers
214
Online
Honda & Acura enthusiasts.


COMMUNITY DETAILS
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20.2k
Drivers
124
On the road
All things Toyota.

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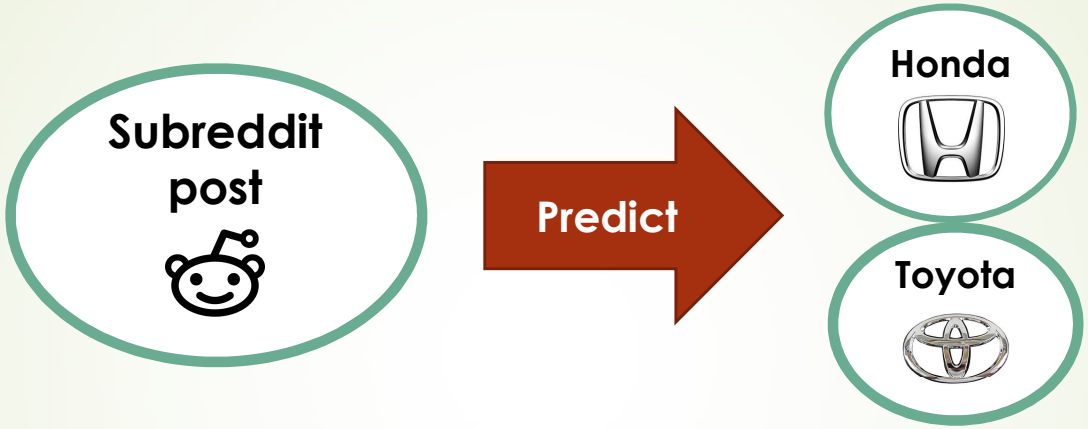
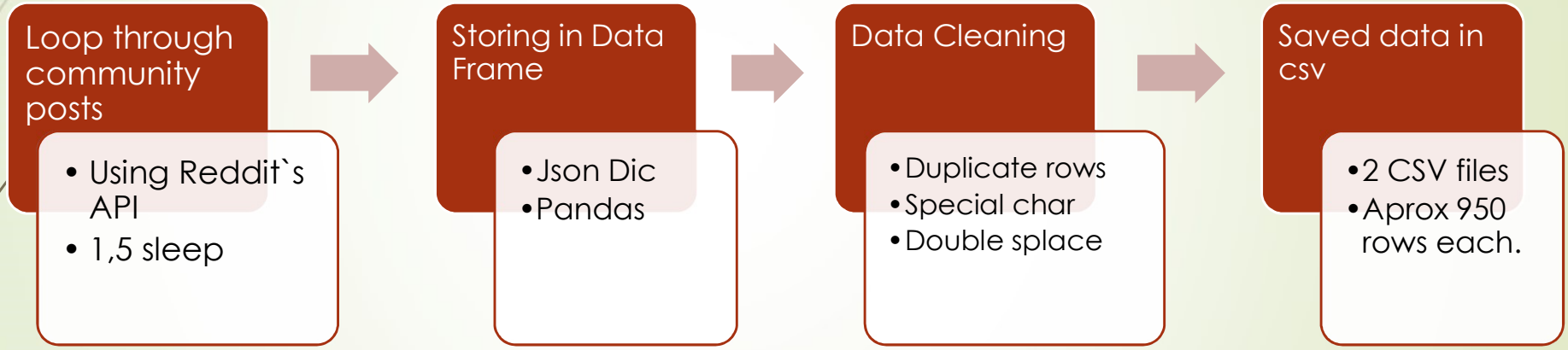


Stakeholder benefit:

Understand client`s preferences → Product improvement → More Sales $$$

Data Gathering and Cleaning:



Preprocessing:

Feature Engineering

- Post title
- Post body
- Post ups
- Number of comments in a post

Steam title and body words

- PorterStemmer
- LancasterStemmer
- WordNetLemmatizer

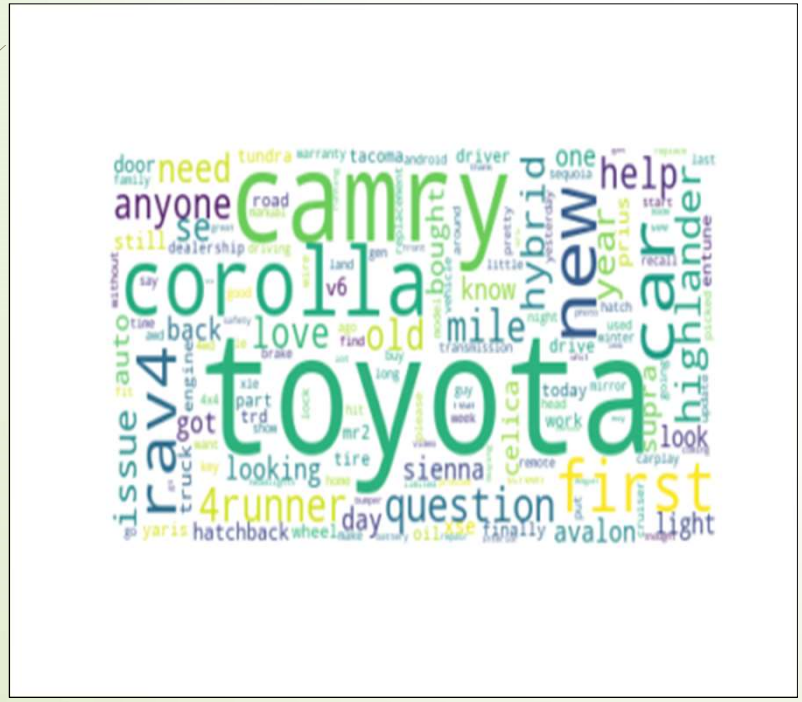
Split Train and Test Subsets

- Test subset with 25% of data.
- No need to Stratify (classes are balanced).

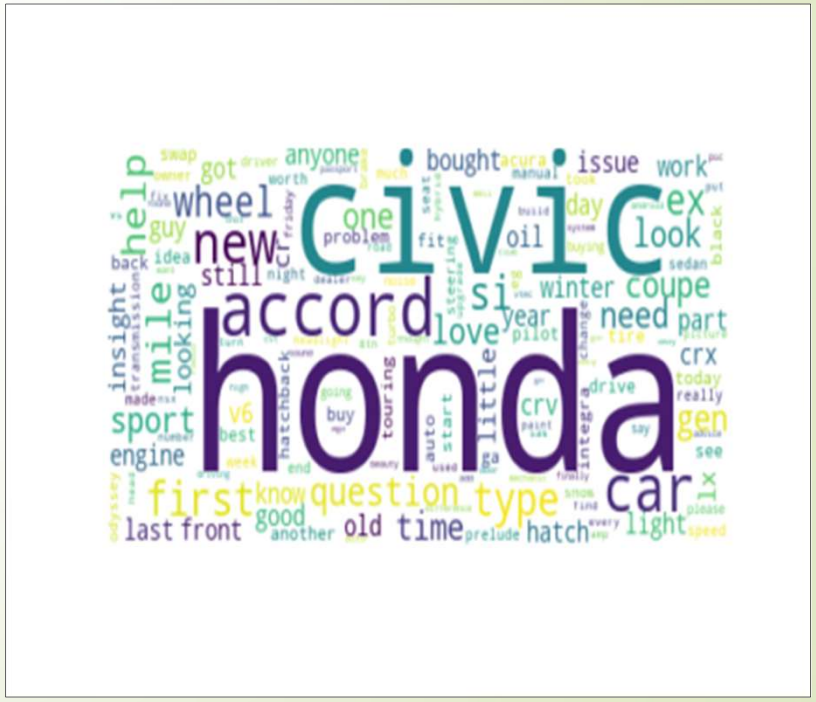
Exploring Data:

- Most frequent words:

Toyota:



Honda:



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Scored the model with 4 diferent steamming:

Stemming	Train Score	Test Score
none	0.81	0.78
PorterStemmer	0.80	0.78
LancasterStemmer	0.85	0.82
WordNetLemmatizer	0.81	0.78

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  Choosing features:

Features	Train Score	Test Score
title	0.84	0.81
body number of comments ups	0.84	0.71

Modeling:

Choosing model:

Model	Train Score	Test Score	CV
Multinomial Naive Bayes classifier	0.84*	0.81	-
Random Forest	0.99	0.80	0.80
Extra Trees	0.99	0.80	0.80
Baggin Classifier	0.96	0.75	0.78

Most models overfit.

Similar scores in test and cross validation.

Chose Random forest because of similar test scores.

* GridSearchCV score

Modeling:

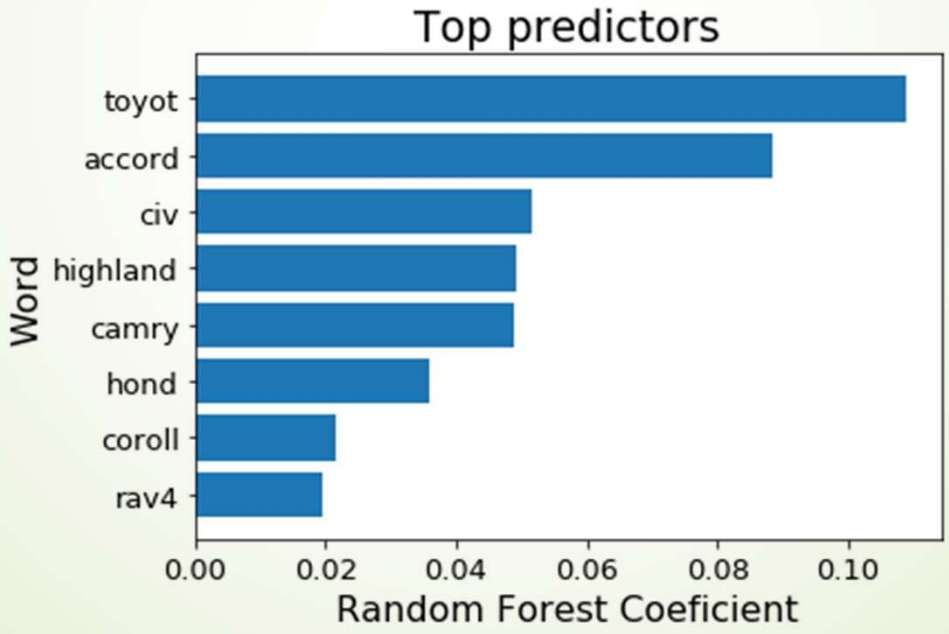
Tuning Hyper parameter:

- Max_depth = 68,
- Other parameters set as default

Model	Train Score	Test Score
Random Forest	0.94	0.82

Modeling:

- Random Forest biggest feature coefficients:



Best sellers cars vs best predictors:

Toyota best sellers 2017	Coef Rank
Rav4	7
Camry	4
Corolla	6

Honda best sellers 2017	Coef Rank
CR-V	14
Civic	2
Accord	1

- 2017 best sellers are among the best predicting features.
- CR-V Honda´s best selling Honda car, it´s coefficient rank is 14.

Improvements:

Business insights:

- Further examination if there is a difference in CR-V and Accord client engagement / satisfaction.
- Discuss and evaluate if model can be used to predict 2018 best sellers.

Model improvements:

- Include ‘Hond’ and ‘Toyot’ as stop words.
- Compare Naive Base coefficientes with Random Forest.
- Run Sentiment analysis in posts and group by car name.