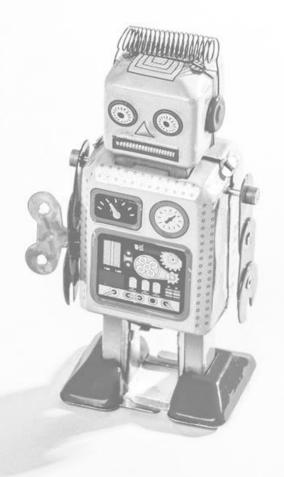
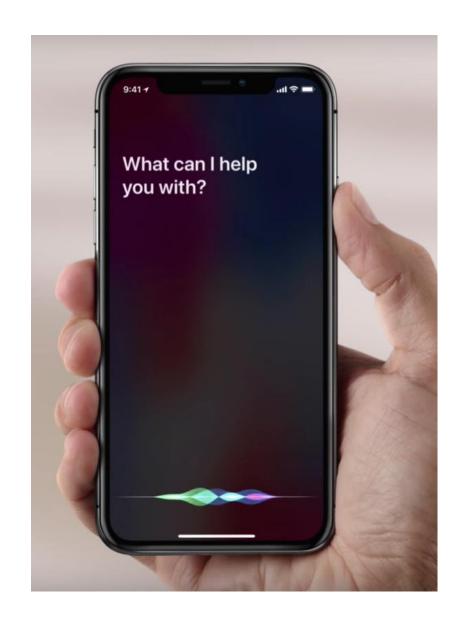
Production Ready Chat Bots



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Flo from Progres... Typically replies instantly







insurance-y questions. e.g. What is liability? Or we could just chit chat about our hopes and dreams. It's up to you!



What's your favorite ice cream flavor?

I could try to pick a favorite but we'd be here until next Tuesday.

















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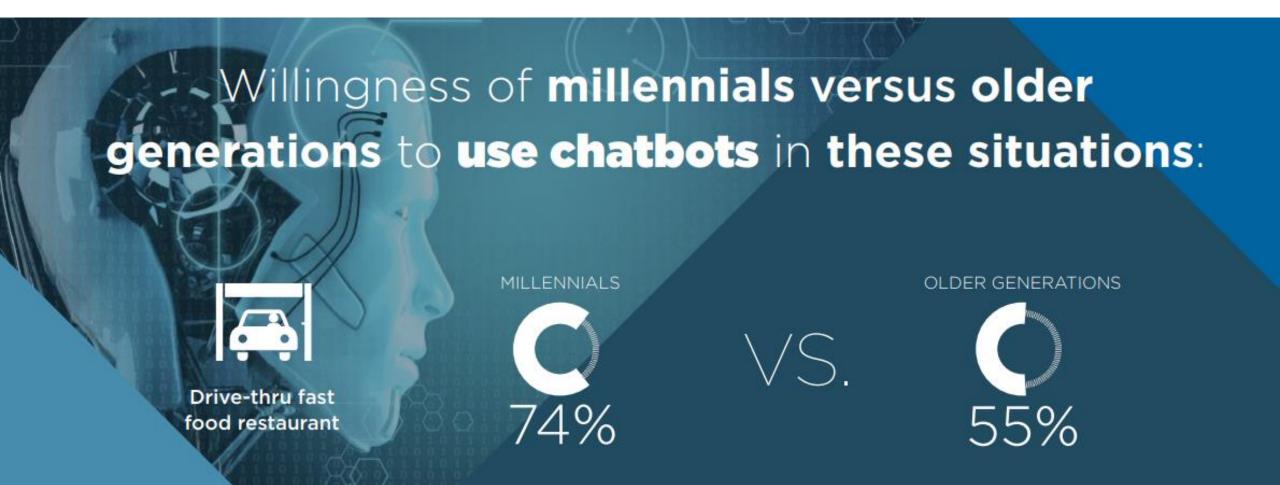


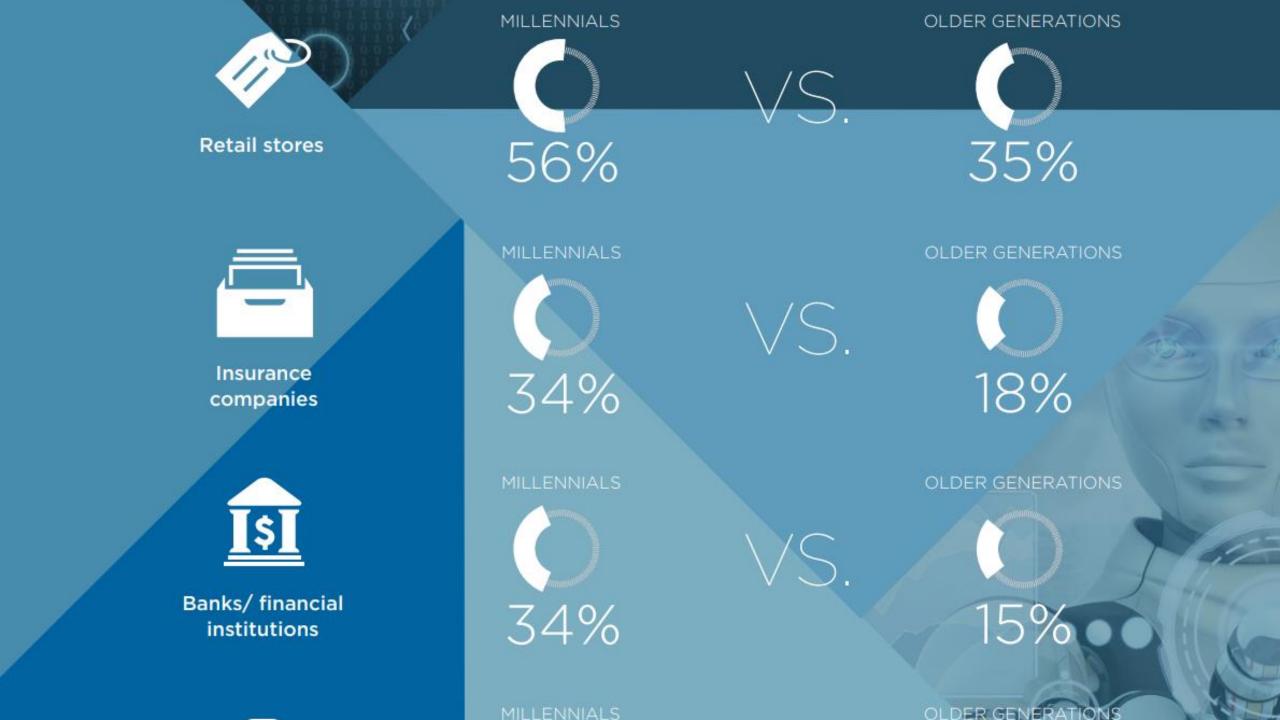












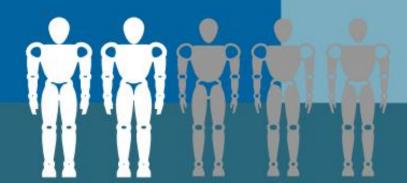




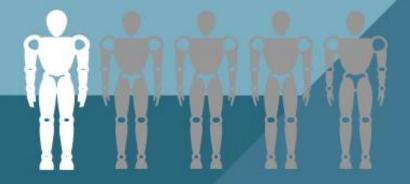






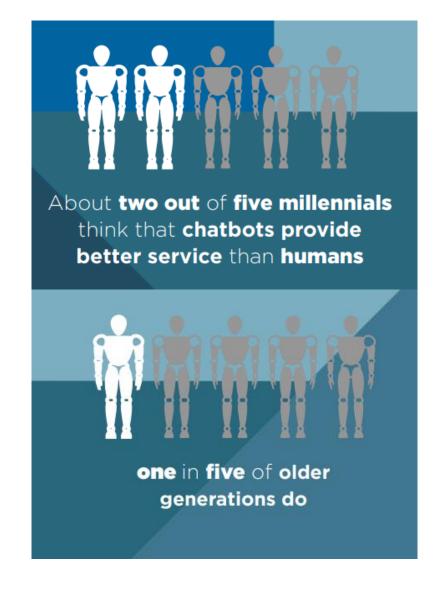






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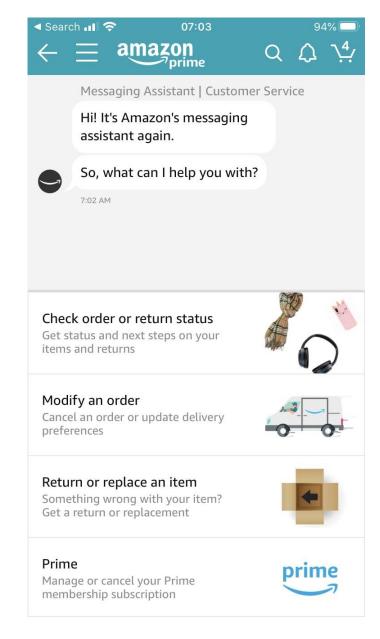








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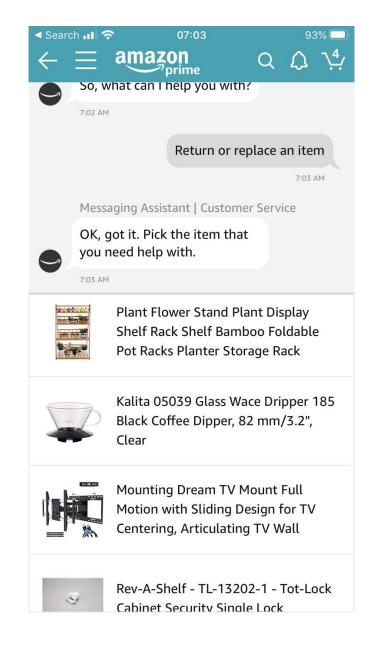








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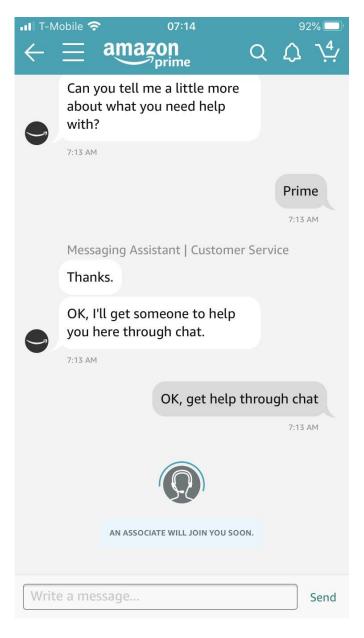








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- Triage











Anatomy of a Chat Bot

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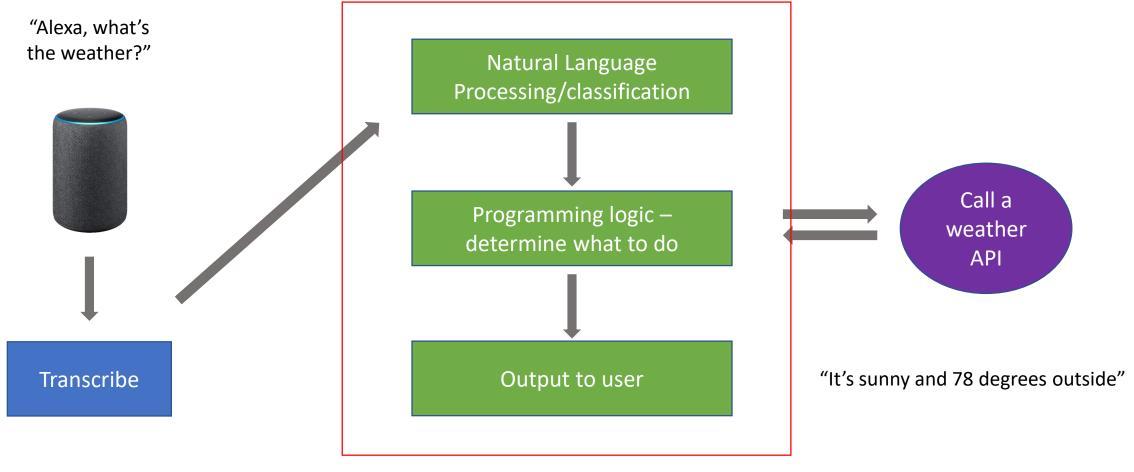








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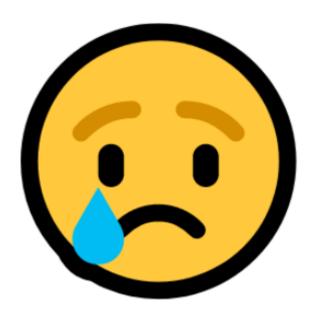








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- Capture multiple inputs all at once









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- Are you in the cloud?
- Who will *own* this bot?

- What's your tech stack?
- What's your infrastructure stack?









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Demos





