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Abstract

Chatbots, or conversational interfaces as they are also known, present a new way for individuals to interact with computer systems. Traditionally, to get a question answered by a software program involved using a search engine, or filling out a form. A chatbot allows a user to simply ask questions in the same manner that they would address a human. The most well-known chatbots currently are voice chatbots: Alexa and Siri. However, chatbots are currently being adopted at a high rate on computer chat platforms. A simple chatbot can be created by loading an FAQ (frequently asked questions) into chatbot software. The functionality of the chatbot can be improved by integrating it into the organization's enterprise software, allowing more personal questions to be answered, like "What is my balance?", or "What is the status of my order?". Most commercial chatbots are dependent on platforms created by the technology giants for their natural language processing. These include Amazon Lex, Microsoft Cognitive Services, Google Cloud Natural Language API, Facebook Deep Text, and IBM Watson. Platforms where chatbots are deployed include Facebook Messenger, Skype, and Slack, among many others.

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