# Food Advisor Chatbot

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# Why we choose the topic

- Intimately connect with business scenario: meet customer's needs;
- High Efficiency: Using chatbot instead of service employee
- NLP development: Can understand customer more clearly



Chatbot for Restaurant

chatfuel

## Data Source and EDA

#### Conclusion:

- 1. chatbot can deliver 3 parameters for recommendatic value, can only for partly fitting customers' requirements
- 2. recommendation mainly focus on rank, and can get
- 3. can return address, mail to chatbot, and some restra

```
df.to csv('cleaned tripadvisor.csv')
df['primary cus'].value counts()
Unknown
                    37972
Japanese
                     7903
French
                     6995
Italian
                     5609
                     3110
Bar
Beijing cuisine
Balti
Fruit parlours
Southwestern
Burmese
Name: primary cus, Length: 120, dtype: int64
```

#### Data Source: Kaggle, link

https://www.kaggle.com/mikhailpustovalov/scraped-data-from-ta

#### **EDA**

- Delete inactive, colsed and name\_changed restaurants
- 2. Delete city with null value
- 3. rating, primary\_cus, city fields are useful for recommendation
- 4. About 50% cus rank is null, can't help to recommend
- 5. some restaurants have the same rank(mainly in 22500-25000)
- 6. .....



Got Data Characteristic

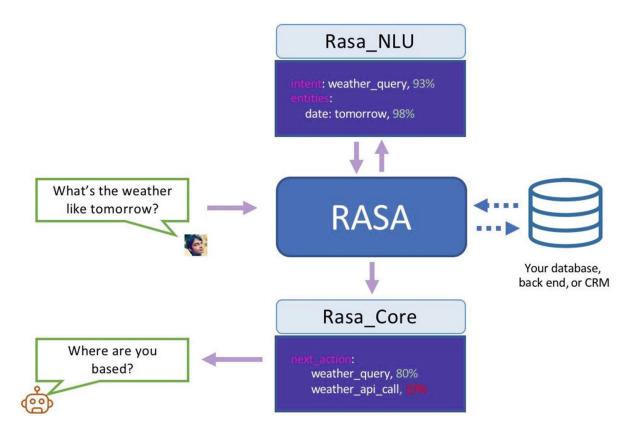


Cleaned Data

## Main Functions of the Chatbot

- Search information about restaurants and recipes.
- Recommend restaurants and recipes according customer's requirements and historical transactions.
- Book restaurants
- Rate or commend after consumption

# The main development tools: RASA



## **RASA NLU**

Intents: 33

Entities: 24

Stories: increase as training continue

Rules: 12

#### intents:

- affirm
- answer\_date\_time
- answer\_city
- greet
- answer\_num\_people
- answer\_name
- search\_restaurant\_information
- goodbye
- deny
- mood\_great
- mood\_unhappy
- bot\_challenge
- search\_for\_food
- answer\_calories
- answer\_carbohydrate
- answer\_cholesterol
- answer\_sugar
- answer\_protein
- answer\_recipe\_category
- reject\_food\_choices
- accept\_food\_choices
- ask\_for\_food\_recommendation
- answer\_form
- complain\_about\_something
- complaint\_target
- complaint\_name
- complaint\_aspect
- recommend\_restaurant
- book\_restaurant
- cancel\_booking
- rate\_restaurant

## RASA CORE and appended Database

Slots: 36

**Customised Actions: 11** 

#### Database:

- 1. Transaction.csv
- 2. User\_record.csv
- 3. user\_complain\_record.csv

#### actions:

- action\_book\_restaurant
- action\_cancel\_booking
- action\_get\_history\_record
- action\_provide\_other\_food\_choices
- action\_rating
- action\_recommend\_food
- action\_recommend\_restaurant
- action\_record\_complaint
- action\_search\_restaurant
- action\_select\_food
- action\_suggest\_food

## The interaction between Customised Actions and Database

#### **Customised Actions**

- 1. Slots value get and assign
- 2. Direct Response
- 3. Condition Judgement
- Recommendation according Domain Knowledge
  - a. Distance Recommendation
  - b. Random Recommendation
  - c. Conditional Recommendation
  - d. .....

#### **Actions and Database**

- Search Information
- 2. Store Information

# OUR FUTURE PLAN



- 1. More close to business scenario and logic
- 2. More Training to improve accuracy
- 3. Deploying with multiple communication tools