

API

As of 2019, TasteDive has joined forces with Qloo to bring the best privacy-centric taste-based personalization to developers and enterprises.

For information on the most up to date API, please visit [Qloo.com](https://qloo.com).

Please see below for the legacy TasteDive API, which will continue to be supported until full migration occurs.

ACCESS

Feel free to make a few requests to experiment with the API. If you decide to use it, you have to [request an access key](#). Using this key, you can perform 300 requests per hour. Please provide a description of your product, together with some usage estimates. This allows us to increase the quota of certain applications that need it and get a better understanding of how the service is being used.

BASE ENDPOINT AND EXAMPLE

This retrieves recommendations for **Red Hot Chili Peppers** and **Pulp Fiction**:

<https://tastedit.com/api/similar?q=red+hot+chili+peppers%2C+pulp+fiction>

PARAMETERS

- **q**: the search query; consists of a series (at least one) of bands, movies, TV shows, podcasts, books, authors and/or games, separated by commas. Sometimes it is useful to specify the type of a certain resource in the query (e.g. if a movie and a book share the same title). You can do this by using the "band:", "movie:", "show:", "podcast:", "book:", "author:" or "game:" operators, for example: "band:underworld, movie:harry potter, book:trainpotting". Don't forget to encode this parameter.
- **type**: query type, specifies the desired type of results. It can be one of the following: music, movies, shows, podcasts, books, authors, games. If not specified, the results can have mixed types.
- **info**: when set to 1, additional information is provided for the recommended items, like a description and a related Youtube clip (when available). Default is 0.
- **limit**: maximum number of recommendations to retrieve. Default is 20.
- **k**: Your API access key.
- **callback**: add when using JSONP, to specify the callback function.

RESPONSE

The output of the API uses the JSON/JSONP format. To use JSONP, add a callback parameter.

The returned object contains, under the **Similar** key, the item(s) that were searched for (a list in the **Info** key) and the recommended items (a list in the **Results** key). Each item in a list has the **Name** and **Type** keys. The type can be music, movie, show, book, author or game.

When **verbose=1** in the request, each item can also contains the following additional keys:

- **wTeaser**: item description
- **wUrl**: item Wikipedia URL

- **yUrl**: item Youtube clip URL
- **yID**: item Youtube clip ID

QUESTIONS?

If you have questions, please [contact us](#).

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