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SMU-X Project Brief

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Reinvent Tomorrow

Introducing Y3

Y3 Technologies is a forward thinking organisation reinventing the way businesses respond to tomorrow's needs for a positive future.

Solutions that supports **700,000sqm** & half a million pallet space and growing

50,000
orders
weekly

50,000 transactions
per day from **11,000**
connected POS

Over
200
Global Talents

Management of **120,000** different SKU
at any point in time

1.8M
members

USD50 billion

worth of annual flow
through managed

Our Offices:



Chennai

Jakarta

Shanghai

Singapore

Tianjin

Who we are

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The Power of 3

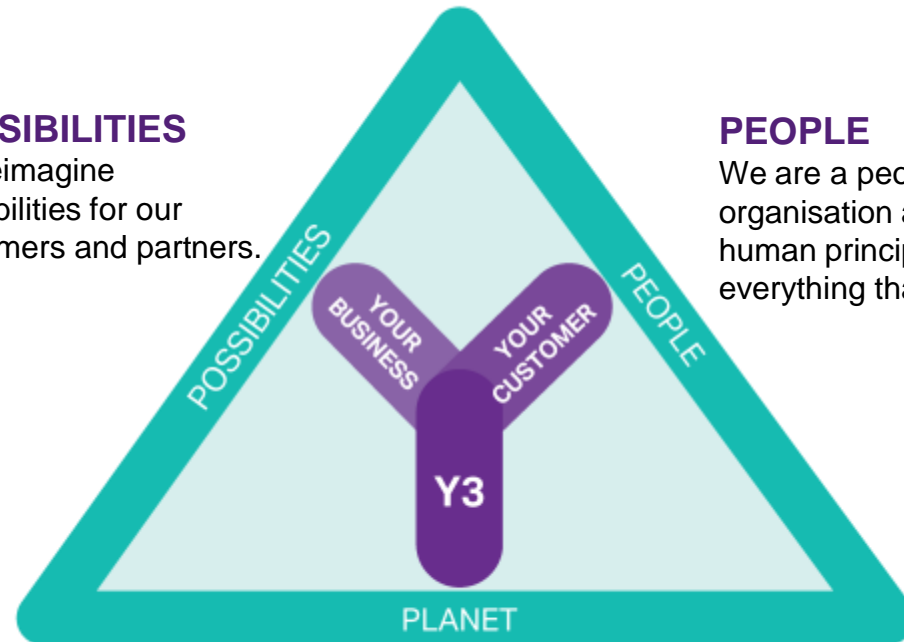
We exist to serve our customers in remarkable ways. 3 stands for Y3, our dedication to our customers and to their end customers.

POSSIBILITIES

We reimagine possibilities for our customers and partners.

PEOPLE

We are a people centric organisation and embrace human principles in everything that we do.



PLANET

We believe in our social responsibility to build a better future.

SMU SIS & Y3

BOARD OF ADVISORS (CURRENT TERM, 2017)

CHAIRMAN, SMU SIS BOARD OF ADVISORS



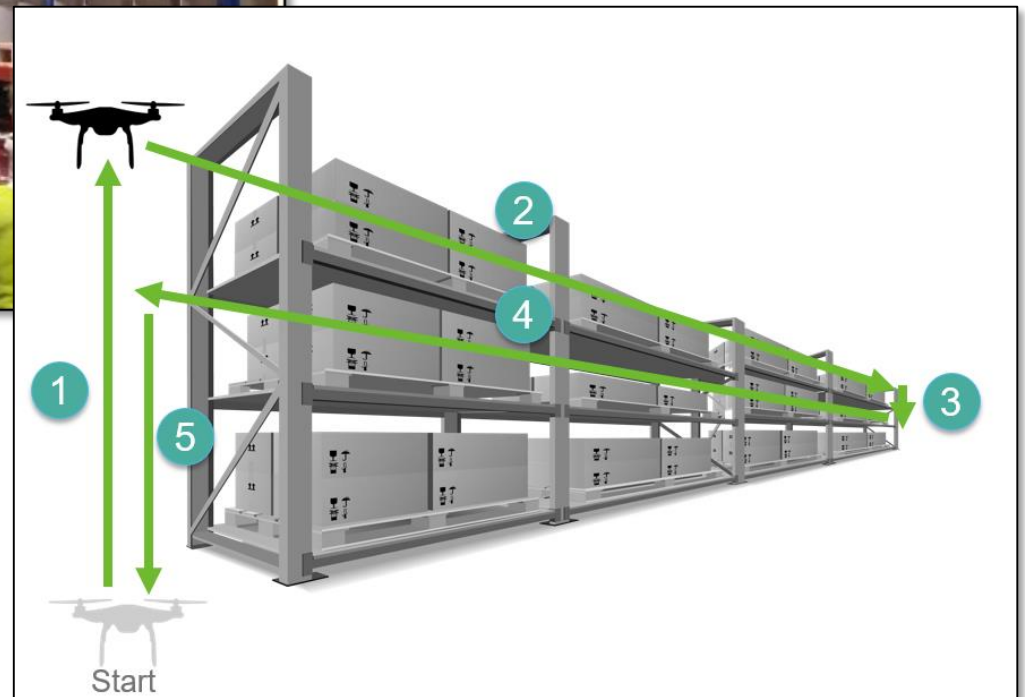
Mr Robert YAP Min Choy

Deputy Chairman & Executive Director, Y3 Technologies

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Analytics & Robotics Innovation



Ascentis: Introduction

2003

Incorporation of
Ascentis Pte Ltd - a CRM
and Loyalty Agency

2013

Marketing Interactive
Loyalty Marketing Agency

2015

Marketing Interactive
Loyalty Marketing Agency
Local Hero of the Year

2009

Provision of Marketing /
Outsource Services



2014

Incorporation of
Meet Isaac Pte Ltd -
a Digital Marketing and
Creative Agency

Marketing Interactive
Loyalty Marketing Agency

2016

Joined the
YCH Group
Family

Ascentis: Awards

Loyalty Agency of the Year in 2016

1. Best CRM Strategy(GOLD)
2. Best Loyalty Programme – Retailer (GOLD)
3. Best Innovative Loyalty Programme (GOLD)
4. Best Use of Rewards & Incentives (GOLD)
5. Best Card-Based Loyalty Programme (SILVER)
6. Best Use of Technology (SILVER)
7. Best Customer Experience (BRONZE)
8. Loyalty Programme of the Year (BRONZE)



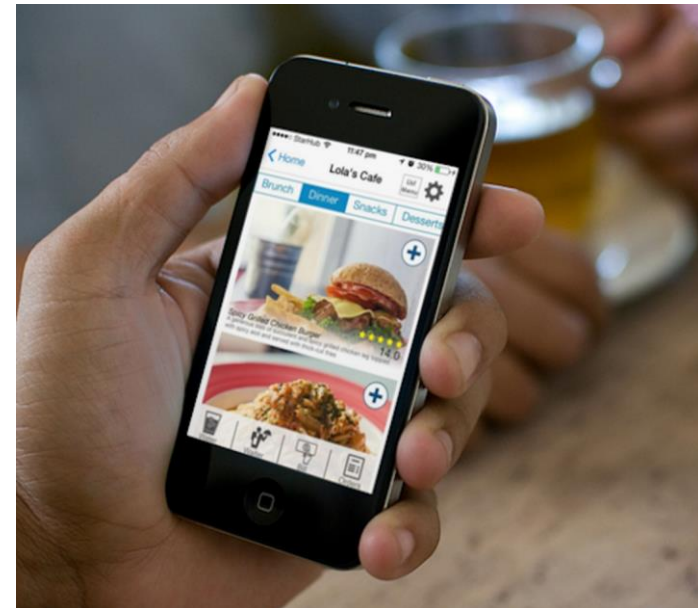
Today's F&B Technology Landscape

Merchant's Menu



- *Static, non-personalized content*
- *Not linked to existing CRM/Loyalty system*

Menu in Personal Mobile Phone



- *Sub-optimal UX*
- *Not linked to existing CRM/Loyalty system*
- *Lack historical data*

Objective

Help **F&B merchants** who are open to digital menu to deepen their customer engagement profitably by using a **recommendation engine** that optimizes **customer satisfaction** and **merchant revenue**



Possible Approach

- Collaborative Filtering + Content-based Filtering



- Multi-Objective Optimization



Recommendation(s)

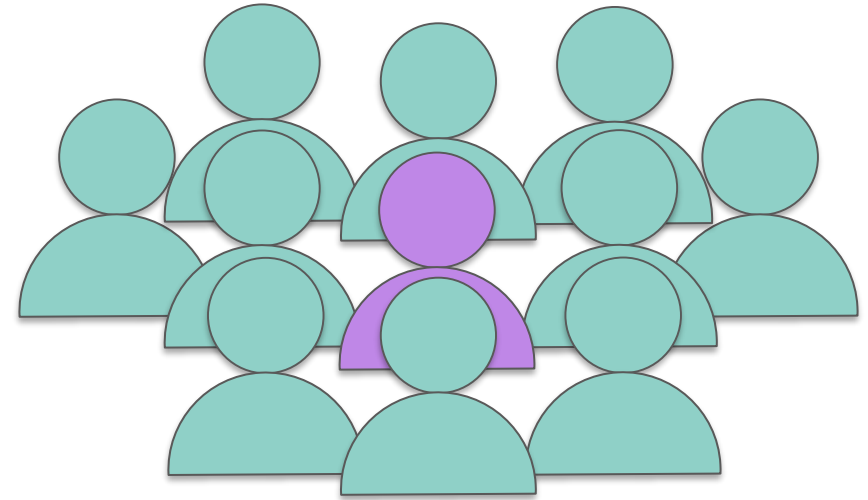
Modeling Constraints

- **Maximum Cash Outlay**
(e.g. total bill hardly crosses \$200)
- **Maximum Quantity of Food**
(e.g. a single person hardly orders more than one main course)



Segmentation to Consider

- **Member vs Non-Member**
- **Individual vs Group**
- **Breakfast vs Lunch vs Dinner**
- **Young vs Middle-Age vs Elderly**
- **Heartland vs CBD**



Deliverables

- **Robust Model**

- ☐ Increase in customer satisfaction
- ☐ Increase revenue

- **Scalable Model**

- ☐ Written in Python or Java
- ☐ Clear documentation/commenting
- ☐ Able to incorporate new parameters



X-Factors

- Consider the impact of weather (temperature/rainfall) on the product choices
- Promote the model's recommendation by tagging it with endorsement from social media
- Recommend untried products to make the meal more experimental and delightful than norm
- Promote slow-moving products



Data Available

- **Type: Anonymized CRM**
 - **Time Period: 1 Year**
 - **Number of Outlet: ~20**
 - **Number of Customer: ~20,000**
- **Characteristics:**
 - Member ID
 - Age
 - Gender
 - Transaction ID
 - Transaction Date
 - Transaction Time
 - Outlet
 - SKU Description
 - Quantity
 - Price
 - Spending



Questions?



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