

GetMyFlight

Cheapest Flight Rates in No Time

Group No - 3

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Problem Statement

- ❖ Unpredictability and uncertainty of flight fares.
- ❖ 'The earlier you book, the cheaper you get' - is always not true.
- ❖ Flight Reservation websites are in a rush to provide their customers with the cheapest flights.
- ❖ Nobody is bothered how the rates will vary in the future. This is where our research is centered.

Our Proposal/Suggestion:

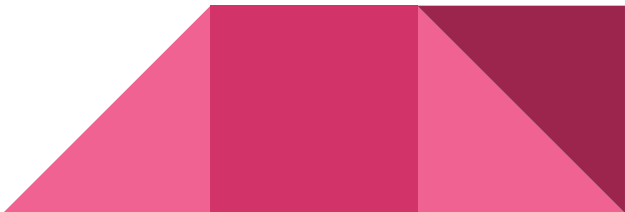
- ❖ Build a flight recommendation system -
 - To predict the flight rates for a particular destination during the proposed dates,
 - To predict the date on which flight rates may fall or increase

Actor/Use Cases

Actor

User is the sole actor of the system.

Use Case

- User will register and Login into the application.
 - User will input Preferred dates and Source-Destination.
 - System will predict the cheapest flights flight recommender.
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Milestones

Key Milestones	Start Date	End Date
A. Discusión on Relevant Factors (Feature Selection). B. Dataset Created with Relevant Factors. C. Decide the architecture of the application.	11/3/2016	11/10/2016
A. Data Analysis - Data Visualization, Data Cleansing / Manipulation B. Decide on the algorithm suitable for our application.	11/10/2016	11/17/2016
A. Build the Predictive algorithm/Model.	11/17/2016	11/24/2016
A. Application Integration , Backend Complete	11/24/2016	12/1/2016
A. Application Test Run Executed, FrontEnd Completed	12/1/2016	12/8/2016

Probable Factors

- ❖ Source - Destination
- ❖ Distance from source to destination.
- ❖ Number of unsold seats (and recent fluctuations on that number), as a measure of demand.
- ❖ State of competing options on the same route (number of available seats on similar flights, current price for those flights, recent price fluctuations) .
- ❖ Date/time of booking, especially days left until departure.
- ❖ Recent price for the same ticket, and recent fluctuations of the price
- ❖ Oil Rates

Scope

- ❖ Number of Rows - 100,000
- ❖ Round Trip/One-Way

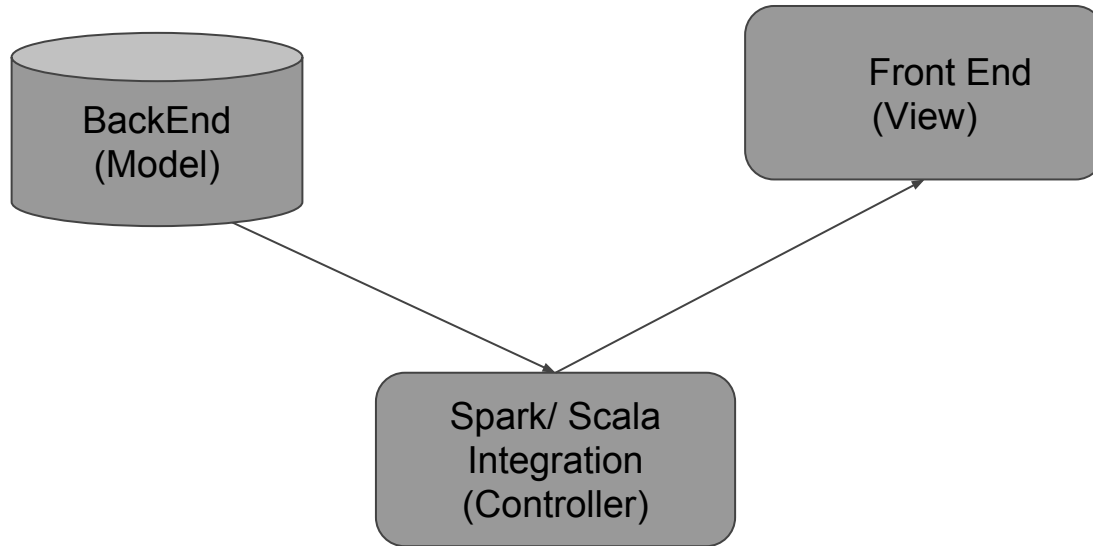


Acceptance Criteria

- ❖ Number Of Carrier (4)
- ❖ Number Of Cities to be Analysed(6)
- ❖ 3 successful predictions out of 5.



Architecture



Code Repository

https://github.com/ankurbag/CSYE7200_Scala_Project_Group3



Programming In Scala

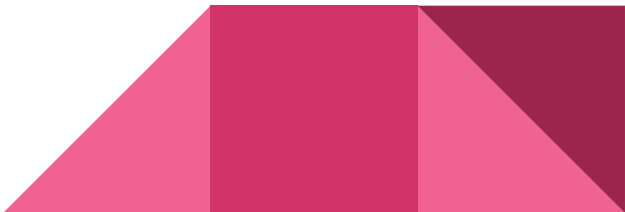
Apache Spark - data parsing, data cleaning, data manipulation

Zeppelin - scala notebook for data ingestion and collaboration

Play - create an application based on scala

Spark mllib - use machine learning algorithms supported by scala

*These is according to our current planning model. As we go ahead from here, this section might increase.





Thank You :)