

Food Waste, Champagne, and Artificial Intelligence in Aviation

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Who is ZEROG?

We're here to answer one simple question: What if we could reimagine the world of aviation through the power of analytics?







Outstanding choice of wines!



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Type of FAC 99%	Severity 99%
Compliment	minor
Functional area 42%	Department 49%
H - Last Mile Transport	Transport
Object category / Service 23%	Cause
Beverages	
Detailed Cause	Affected product 46%
	Wine

This champagne is not cooled properly



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Type of FAC 100%	Severity 100%
Complaint	minor
Functional area 33%	Department 80%
G - Outbound Dock	Other
Object category / Service 57%	Cause 99%
Beverages	Food Quality - Temperature Deficiency
Detailed Cause 99%	Affected product 47%
too warm	Champagne

Natural Language Processing

Real-time

Route-specific catering optimization

Product enhancements



"All beverages hadn't been cooled correctly. As the cooler had not been working, dry ice should have been used to keep beverages cold." *Complaint, outbound dock, trolley, temperature, too warm*



AF459 CDG-GRU "The passengers really liked Amuse Bouche Guacamole. It was very praised." *Compliment, cold food production, starter*



Hot Food Production/Poultry: "Presentation of chicken did not look very good, very messy and a lot of sauce spilled." *Complaint, hot food production, food quality, portion defect*

4 years NLP research

2018: 40,000 data points heavy preprocessing translated

2022: O labeled data points no preprocessing multilingual similar accuracy

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El champan ha estado tibia. No hay hielo.

< > Sentiment

Beschwerde 59%

Thema

Getränke 35%

Kategorie Nonfoodbereich bord 65%

Oberbegriff

Service am boden 8%

Begriff Champagner 20%

Merkmalskategorie Besonderes vorkommnis 49%

Merkmalsthema

Inhalt/stauort 37%

Merkmal

Temperatur 37%





















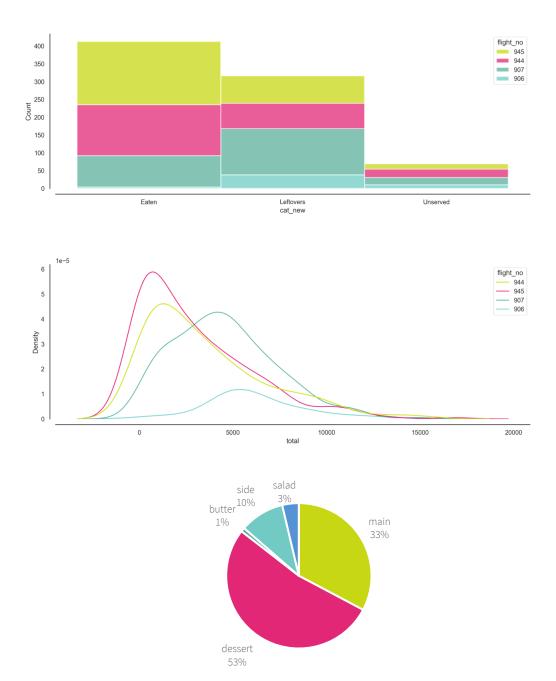




DeepCatering Insights

Food Waste Reduction Weight and Fuel Reduction

Portion Adjustments



AI within the Lufthansa Group

Deep learning

Machine learning

Revenue management

Natural Language Processing

Autonomous decision support

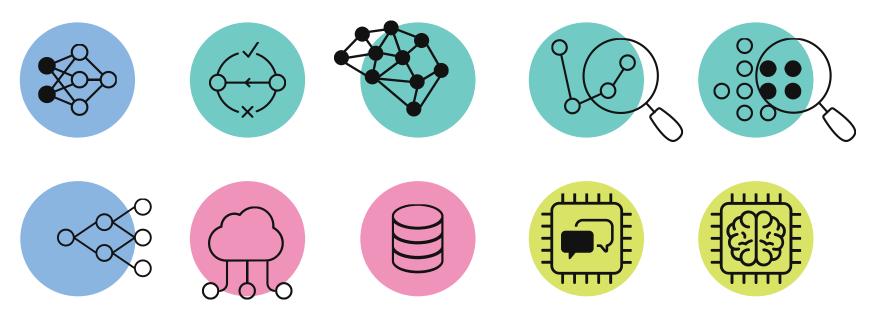
Forecasting

Reinforcement learning

Pattern recognition (Computer vision)

Predictive analytics & maintenance

Procurement & cash flow analytics





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Thank you!

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