



Implementation of NLP and IR-Based Model on Jateng Gayeng Bot Tourism System (JAGABOTA)

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Abstract

Information Retrieval (IR) and Natural Processing Language (NLP) are important components in the development of several applications, one of which is a chat bot. The application of both models has been used for a wide range of cases especially for text data processing and text data automation. On the implementation of a bot application on one of the tourism agencies in Central Java that is being developed, using the NLP architecture and IR-Based Model for the development of a robot application named Jateng Gayeng Bot Tourism (JAGABOTA). This architectural model incorporates the concept of Bag of Words (BoW) for the IR Based Model in the process of collecting text data that will be processed into the question and answer data, then performs the data preprocessing process and performs application of NLP modeling with the Neural Network method so that the results of the question process and answers from the data already created can match and match the combination already given as well as facilitates the chat bot process in finding the combinations between question and response correctly and accurately. From the application of NLP architecture and IR Based model this makes tourism Central Java chat bot can do its job to provide information well and accurately to the user.

Key words: Architechture, Bot Chat, JAGABOTA, Information Retrieval, Natural Language Process

1. Introduction

Advanced information technology has driven the use of chatbot applications, which utilize artificial intelligence to perform tasks that would normally require human intelligence. Chatbots allow users to interact naturally and deliver information that meets user requests. Chatbots have become an essential tool in many fields, including customer service and education, thanks to technological advancements. However, despite their widespread use, creating and implementing an efficient chatbot architecture still presents a number of challenges. Ensuring optimal chatbot functionality requires a well-designed chatbot architecture. Natural language processing (NLP), conversation management, and backend system integration are some of the components that make up this architecture. Poor user experience, inability to understand user problems, and difficulty providing relevant answers are just a few of the problems that chatbots may face if they are not designed properly.

The presence of Information Retrieval (IR) can make chatbots able to provide more accurate and relevant answers. The application of IR itself can complement the chatbot's ability to understand questions from users, efficient information searches with the amount of

text data or documents used, and processing search results to find the right solution. The application of IR is divided into several features. One of them is the Bag of Words (BoW) concept for the process of representing a collection of words for modeling at the chatbot stage.

The development of the IR and NLP concepts is represented in the implementation of the Central Java city tourism chatbot application. The application of this chatbot uses the Information Retrieval architecture combined with the Natural Processing Language architecture. The data in this chatbot application has been designed using json data containing question and answer data about tourist areas in Central Java. Then the IR architecture uses the application of Bag of Words to reduce the dimension of data during the modeling process and the application of the NLP architecture with Neural Network as a model for forming the chatbot that will be used. With the application of this architecture, it is expected that the performance of the chatbot for providing Central Java tourism information will be better in terms of finding answers and the response time will be better for this Central Java tourism chatbot application (JAGABOTA).

2. Architecture Design

The architectural design for the implementation of the Central Java tourism chatbot application is divided into 3 architectural forms shown in Figure 1, namely Knowledge Domain, IR-Based Model, and NLP-Based Model.

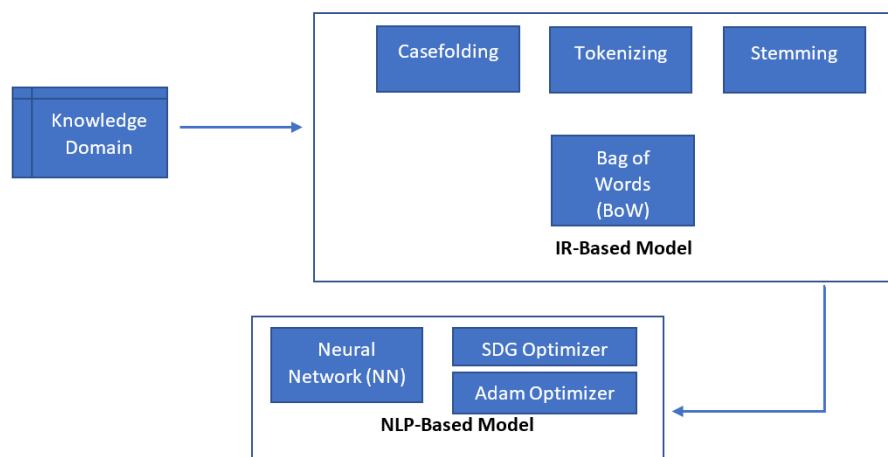


Figure 1. Chatbot Architecture

1. Knowledge Domain

At the Knowledge Domain stage, the determination of the data used and the design of the chatbot to be created are determined first. The data used is data originating from respondent questions called patterns, and the results of the chatbot's answers are obtained from the official tourism website of Central Java Province called responses. This dataset is then created manually

with the json type and the data used are tag, pattern, and response. From the data used, this dataset includes 2072 tag, 114506 pattern, and 2072 response. Then text data modeling will be carried out on the IR-Based Model.

2. IR-Based Model

Information Retrieval has become one of the models for processing text data, either to find information or as a feature for optimizing text data by reducing data dimensions before modeling. In the IR-Based Model used by the JAGABOTA chatbot, Bag of Words is used

for the process of reducing text data that is not needed for chatbot modeling. The stages carried out in the IR-Based Model process with Bag of Words include casefolding, tokenizing, stemming, and Bag of Words. Casefolding is a stage for changing the text data structure to lowercase. While tokenizing is used to separate words in a document into a smaller form called a token. Stemming functions to change the basic form of a word into a basic word, thereby reducing the form of a word. This stage is the architecture of the IR-Based Model for the text data preprocessing process before the chatbot modeling process is carried out with the NLP-Based Model on the JAGABOTA chatbot.

3. NLP-Based Model

The application of Natural Language Process for the modeling process has been widely used for text data processing. But in this case, it will be applied to the JAGABOTA chatbot modeling. Neural Network is chosen for the chatbot modeling process that will be used based on the availability of data and the desired results. In this study, the Neural Network functions to determine the chatbot prediction process to provide answers or responses based on the tags and patterns that have been created. For the performance of the Neural Network model to provide a better response, the addition of an optimizer for the Neural Network model is added to it. The addition of this optimizer helps in the process of selecting the best prediction based on the parameters used. Some of the parameters used in the NN model in the NLP-Based Model are num_epoch, batch_size, learning_rate, hidden_size, and the Relu activation model in this chatbot modeling architecture.

3. Implementation

1. Dataset

In the implementation of this chatbot system, there is a dataset that has been created for the chatbot application based on the explanation of the chatbot architecture above. This dataset is public and obtained from several sources. Among them are using questionnaire answers from respondents and tourist attraction information from the official tourism website of Central Java Province. This data is formed and made into a json data structure with a dictionary data structure for intent, tag, pattern, and response. Intent is a question or request made by the user. While the tag is used as a category or label given to each intent. Pattern is a combination of words or phrases used by users when interacting with the chatbot to better understand the user's intent, while response is the answer or response given by the chatbot based on intent. This dataset was collected collectively and contains 507 tourist attractions in Central Java in 34 districts and cities. From this collective data collection, it was designed by creating several questionnaires consisting of 7 questions displayed in Table 1.



Table 1. Question List

No	Question	Answer
1	Apakah mudah untuk memperoleh informasi seputar objek wisata Jawa Tengah?	• Sangat Susah • Susah • Mudah • Sangat Mudah
2	Apakah sarana teknologi didalam pemberian informasi mengenai objek wisata di Jawa Tengah sudah akurat?	• Sangat Tidak Akurat • Tidak Akurat • Akurat • Sangat Akurat
3	Apa informasi yang dibutuhkan jika anda pergi ke sebuah objek wisata yang baru dikunjungi pertama kali?	
4	Jika anda menggunakan <i>chatbot</i> , apa yang akan ditanyakan ketika ingin mengetahui informasi objek wisata yang dikunjungi? Tuliskan minimal 3 pertanyaan.	
5	Jika anda menggunakan <i>chatbot</i> , apa yang akan ditanyakan ketika ingin mengetahui harga tiket objek wisata yang dikunjungi? Tuliskan minimal 3 pertanyaan.	
6	Jika anda menggunakan <i>chatbot</i> , apa yang akan ditanyakan ketika ingin mengetahui alamat objek wisata yang dikunjungi? Tuliskan minimal 3 pertanyaan.	

7	Jika anda menggunakan <i>chatbot</i> , apa yang akan ditanyakan ketika ingin mengetahui jam operasional objek wisata yang dikunjungi? Tuliskan minimal 3 pertanyaan.	
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2. Evaluation

Evaluation of this chatbot application is carried out to see the results of the accuracy of the chatbot in answering and responding to user questions accurately and well. In the evaluation applied to this chatbot architecture by looking at the comparison of the performance of the Adams and SGD optimizers with several parameters used in this application. The results seen are based on the accuracy and loss of the training data used with the number of hidden_sizes 8 and 1024, epochs of 100 and 200 times, and learning_rates of 0.001 and 0.01. By looking at the results of this evaluation, it is expected to provide optimal and accurate results for the chatbot that has been created at this time and become the evaluation material for the development of this application.

4. Result and Explanation

From the results of the creation of the JAGABOTA chatbot application based on the architecture that has been created, here are the results of the application of the architecture for chatbots with Neural Networks for tourism with the use of the Adam and SDG optimizers that have been created. The optimizer comparison table is shown in tables 2 and 3.

Table 2. Comparison of Neural Network Performance with Adam Optimizer

No	Epoch	Batch Size	Learning Rate	Hidden Size	Accuracy Training Data	Loss Train Data
1	100	8	0.01	8	46.4	3.75
2	100	8	0.001	8	99.14	0
3	200	8	0.001	8	97.03	0
4	200	8	0.001	1024	99.92	0
5	100	8	0.001	1024	98.14	3.51

Table 3. Comparison of Neural Network Performance with SDG Optimizer

No	Epoch	Batch Size	Learning Rate	Hidden Size	Accuracy Training Data	Loss Train Data
1	100	8	0.01	8	86.88	0.17

2	100	8	0.001	8	97.98	0
3	200	8	0.001	8	97.31	0
4	200	8	0.001	1024	98.16	0
5	100	5	0.001	1024	98.12	0

Referring to tables 2 and 3, it is clear that the best results from the application of chatbots with IR-Based Model and NLP-Based Model for Neural Network with the application of Optimizer are by using Optimizer Adam. From the results of the experiment with epoch of 200, batch_size with a value of 8, learning_rate with a value of 0.001, and hidden_size of 1024, it has the highest accuracy results for training data, which is 99.92% and there is no loss in the training data that has been tried. While in the SGD Optimizer for improving prediction results, the highest value is in the fourth test with an accuracy value of 98.16%. So overall, Optimizer Adam is used as an optimizer for the Neural Network optimization process in the chatbot prediction process.

After testing the Chatbot model, this model is deployed in a website-based application. On the website page, information about tourist attractions in Central Java and chatbot services are displayed. The implementation of this web-based chatbot application can be seen in Figures 2.



Figure 2. User Interface Chatbot Application

5. Conclusion

This paper presents the architectural design and implementation review of the JAGABOTA chatbot application. The purpose of this review is to provide an overview of design practices and implementation strategies in chatbot systems. Based on the implementation of the chatbot application, it is in accordance with the architecture and parameters that are adjusted to meet the requirements of each system. With this, the JAGABOTA chatbot application can be used as an application to assist in providing information to tourism users in Central Java.

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