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EVENT MINING DRIVEN

CONTEXT-AWARE

PERSONAL

FOOD PREFERENCE

MODELLING



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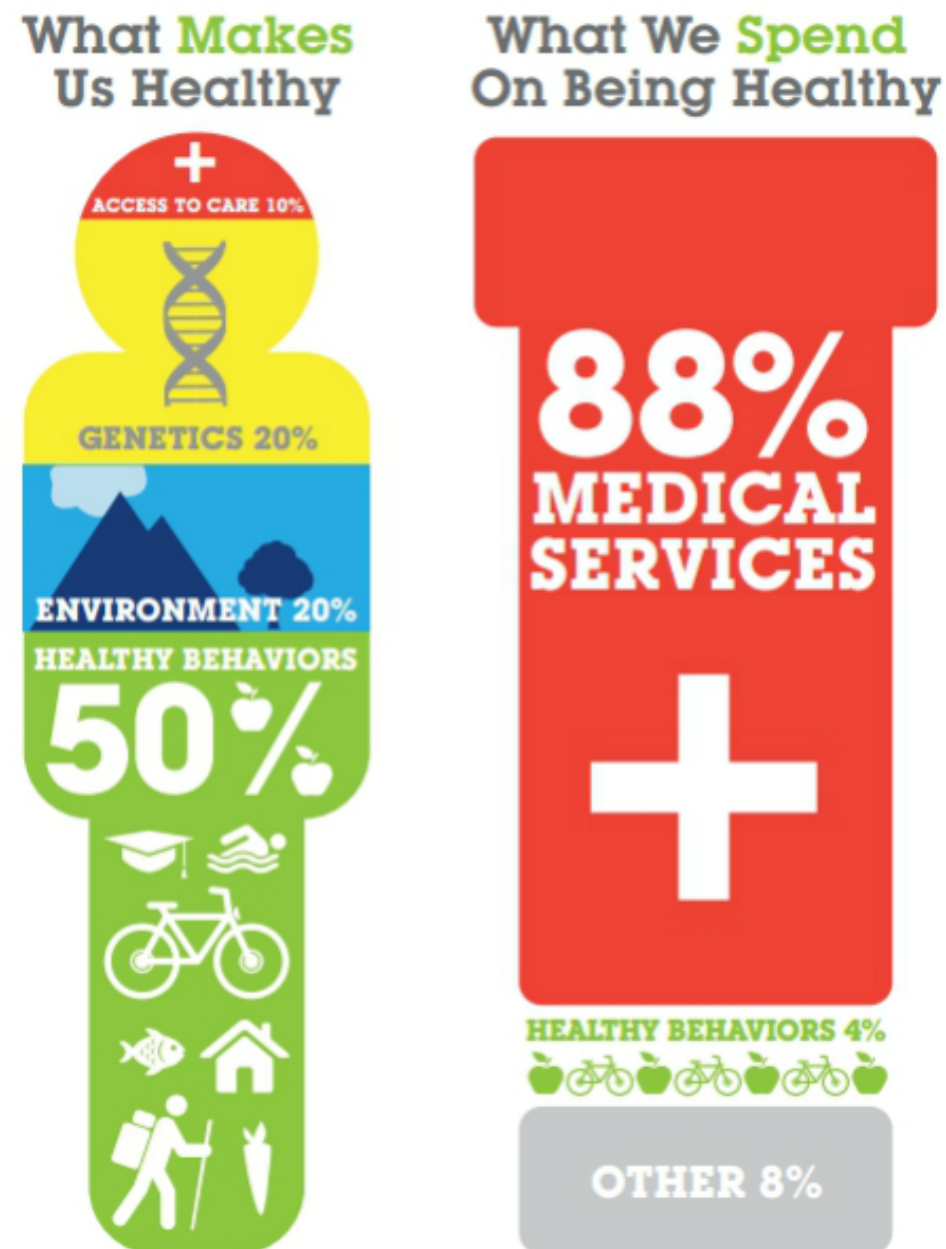
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MOTIVATION

— Promote healthy habits



Diseases

Cardiovascular diseases account for most non-communicable deaths, followed by cancers, respiratory diseases, and diabetes.

Unhealthy Diet

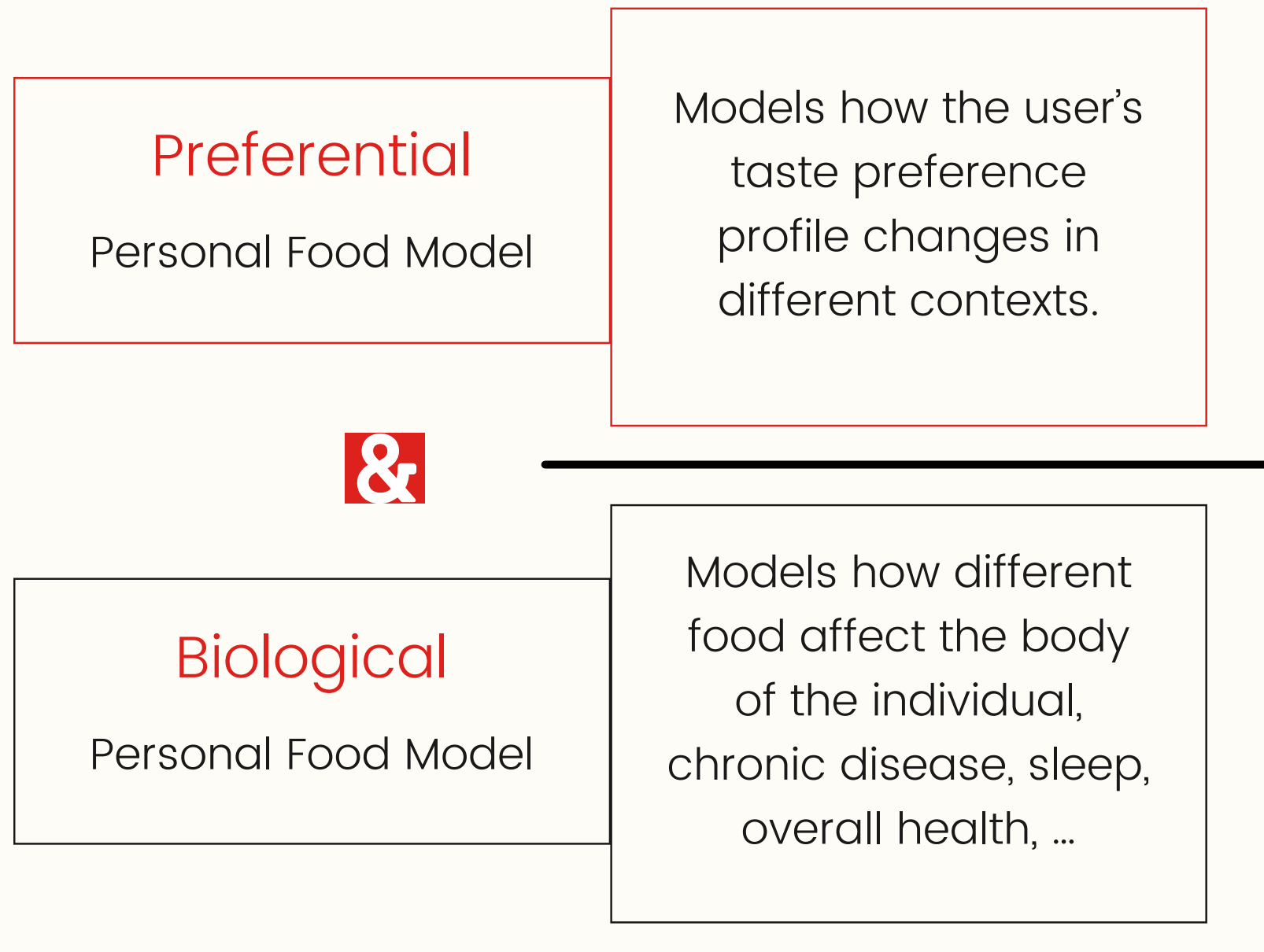
An unhealthy diet is one of the major causes of NCD deaths.

Technology: a solution

It is possible to guide users towards a healthier lifestyle by understanding their underlying taste profile and their daily lifestyles to provide healthier recommendations that still appeal to the user's tastes

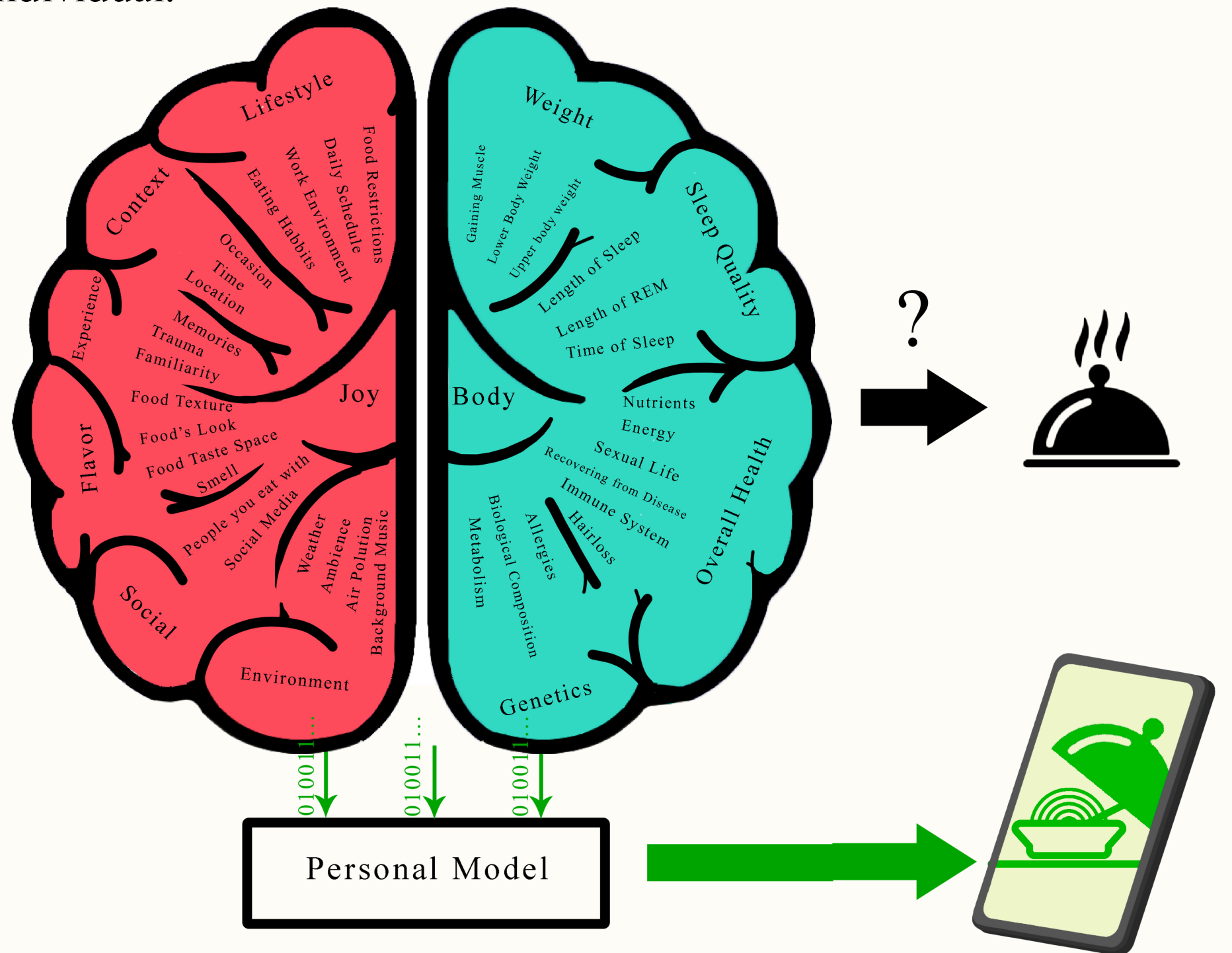
PERSONAL FOOD MODEL

A model which represents the food-related characteristics of an individual.



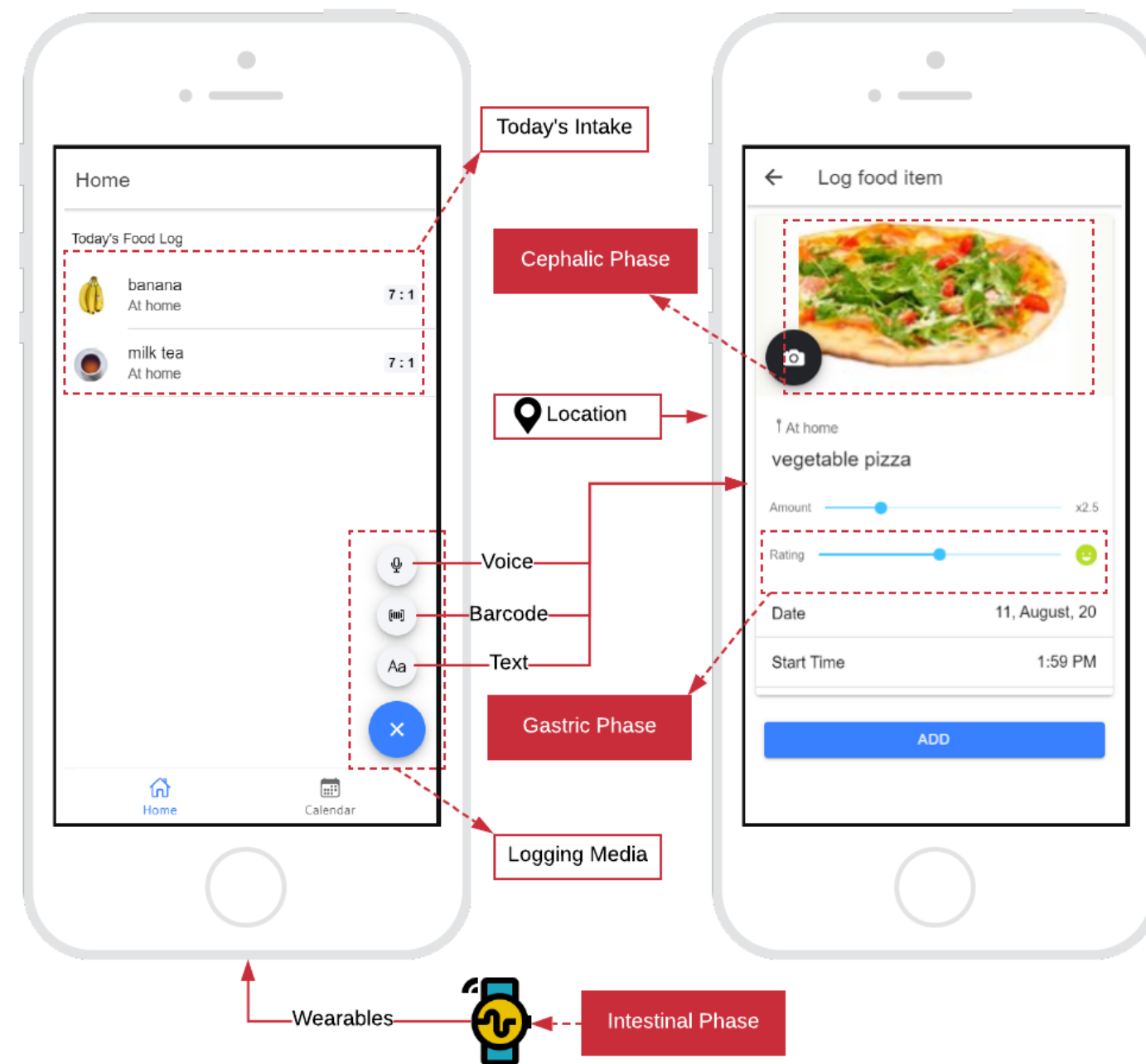
Models how the user's taste preference profile changes in different contexts.

Models how different food affect the body of the individual, chronic disease, sleep, overall health, ...



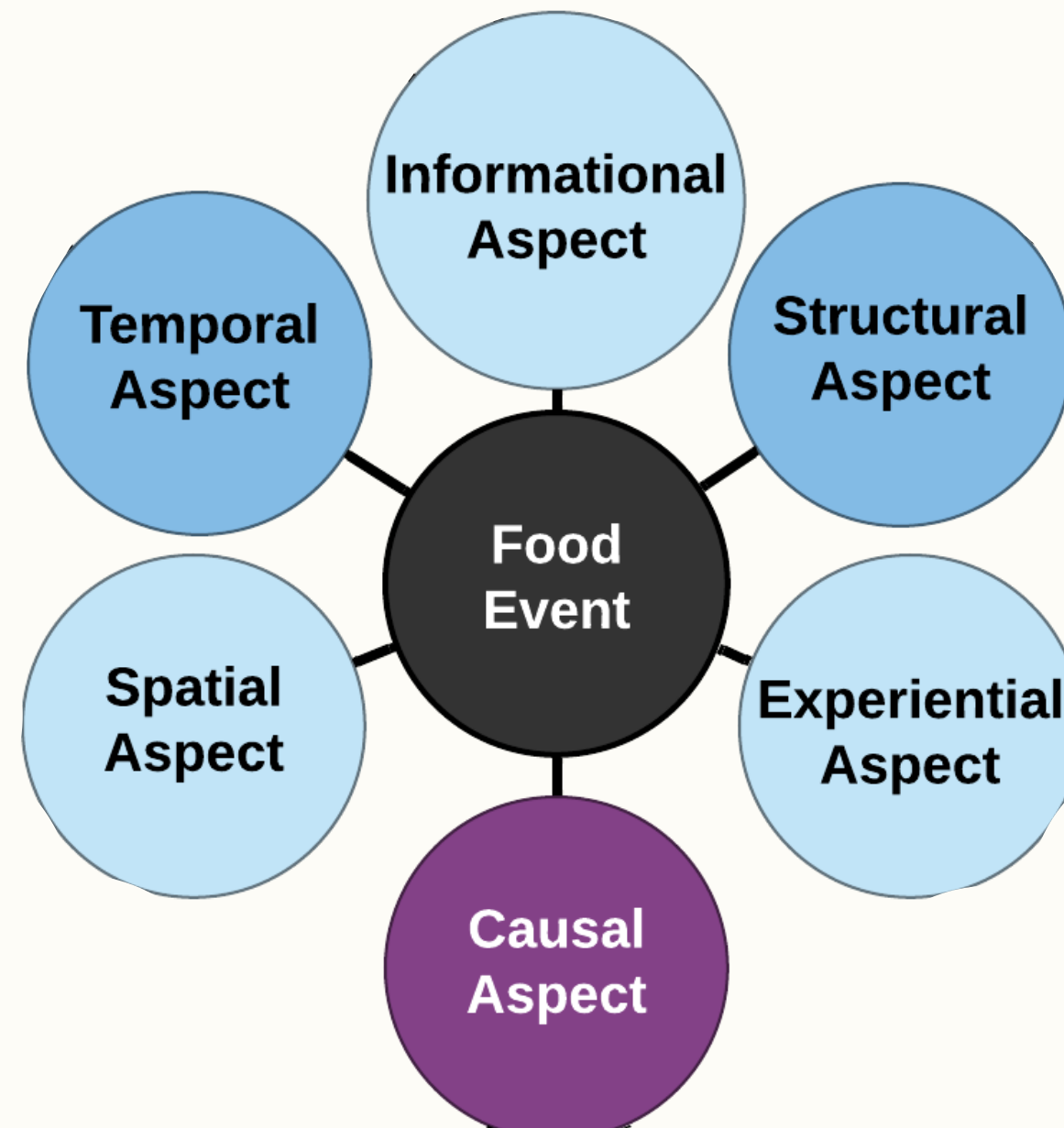
MULTIMODAL FOOD LOGGING

Multiple logging modalities



Food item
Nutritional values
Preference/Rating

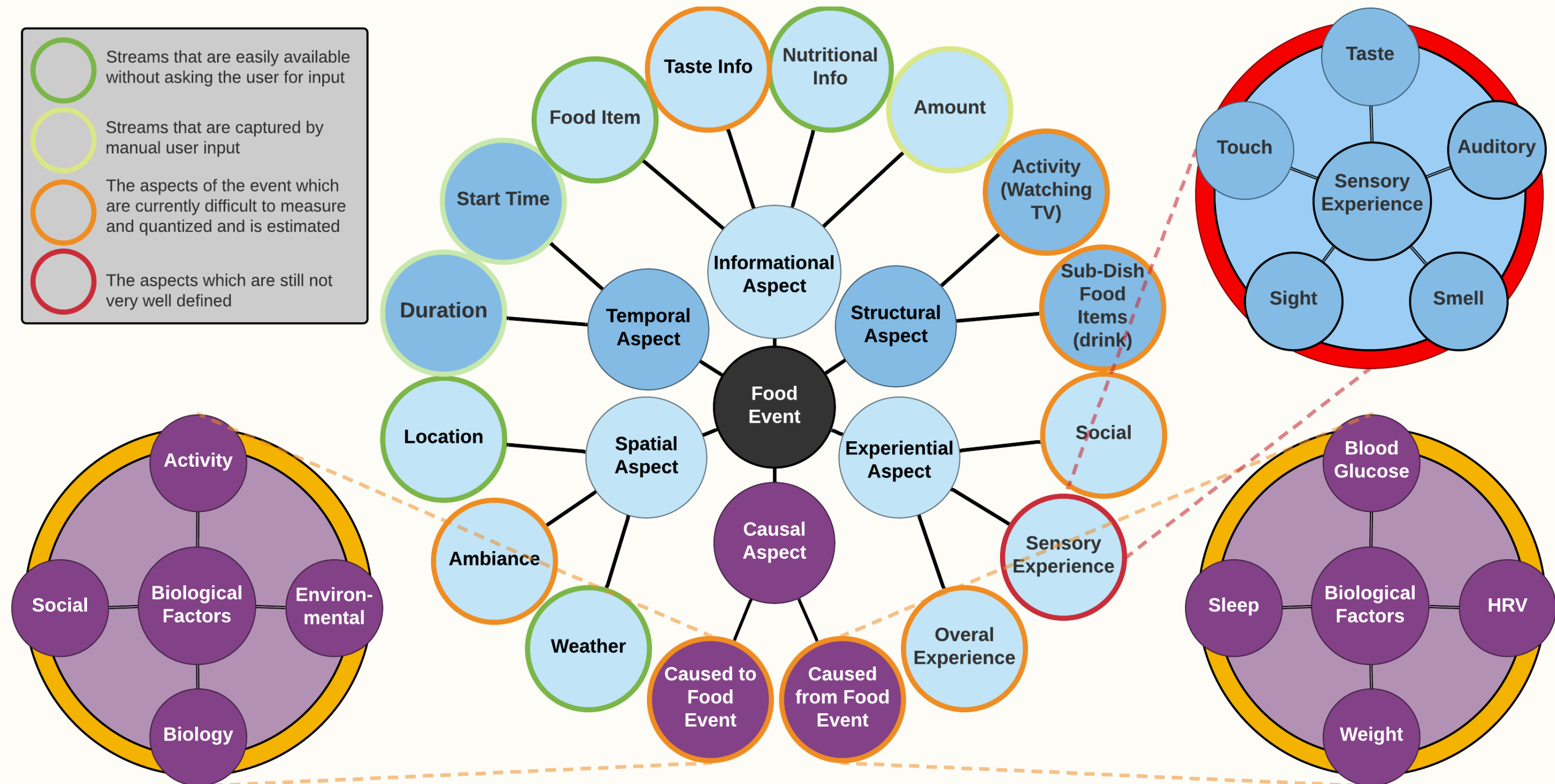
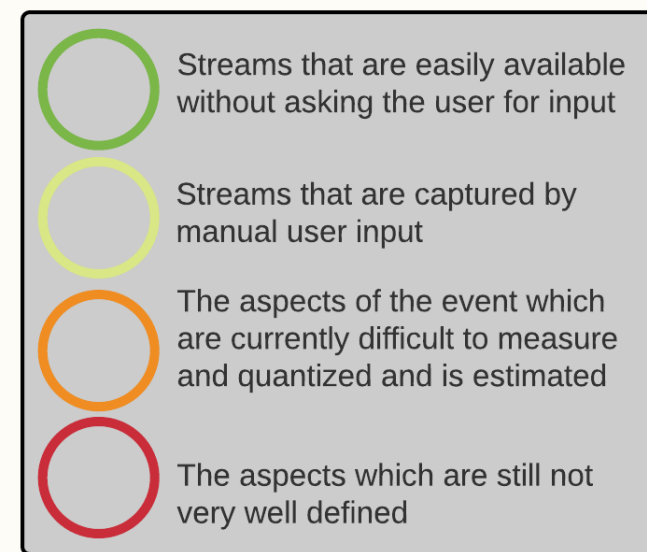
CORE ASPECTS OF A FOOD EVENT



A STANDARD FOOD EVENT STRUCTURE

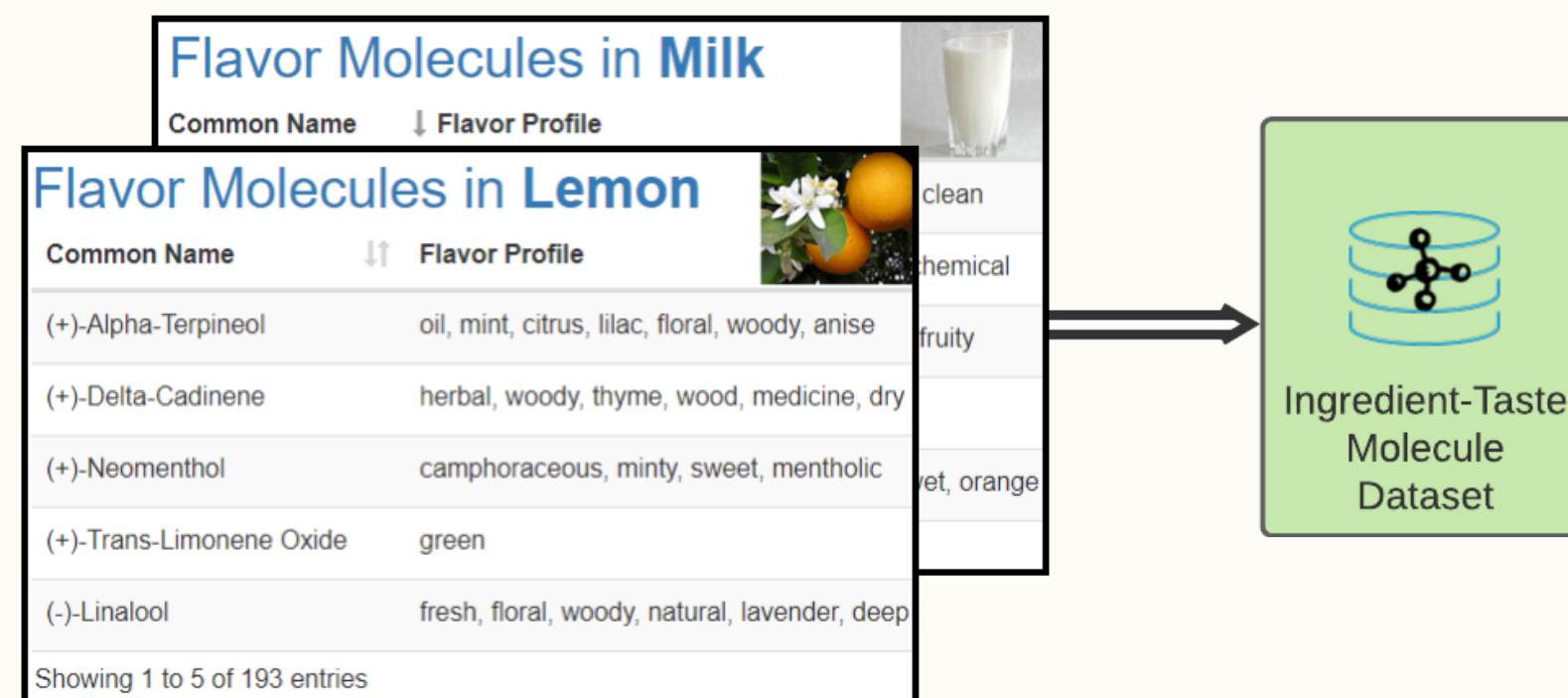


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THE US₄B TASTE SPACE

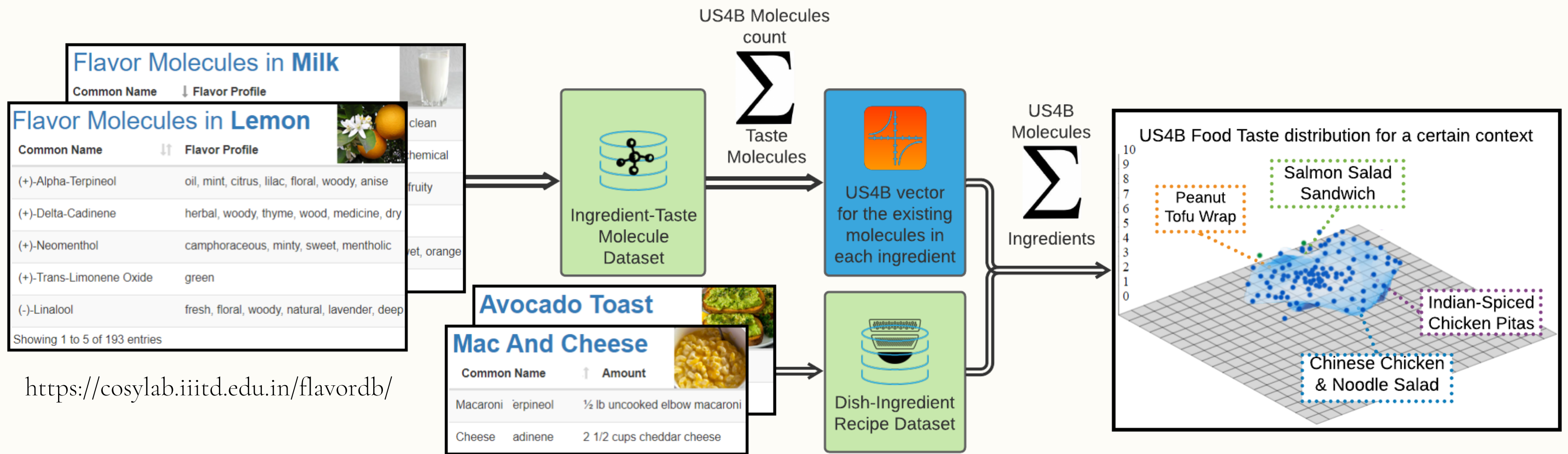
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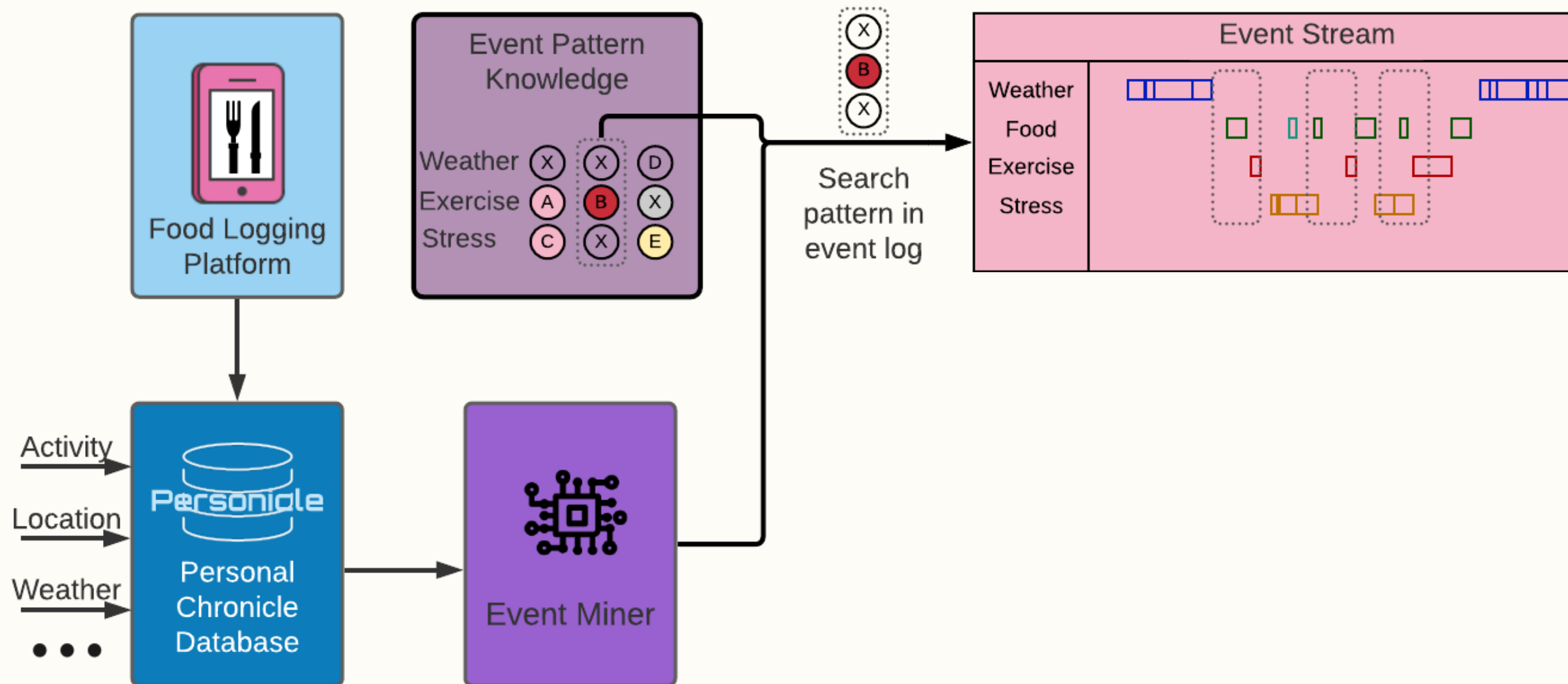
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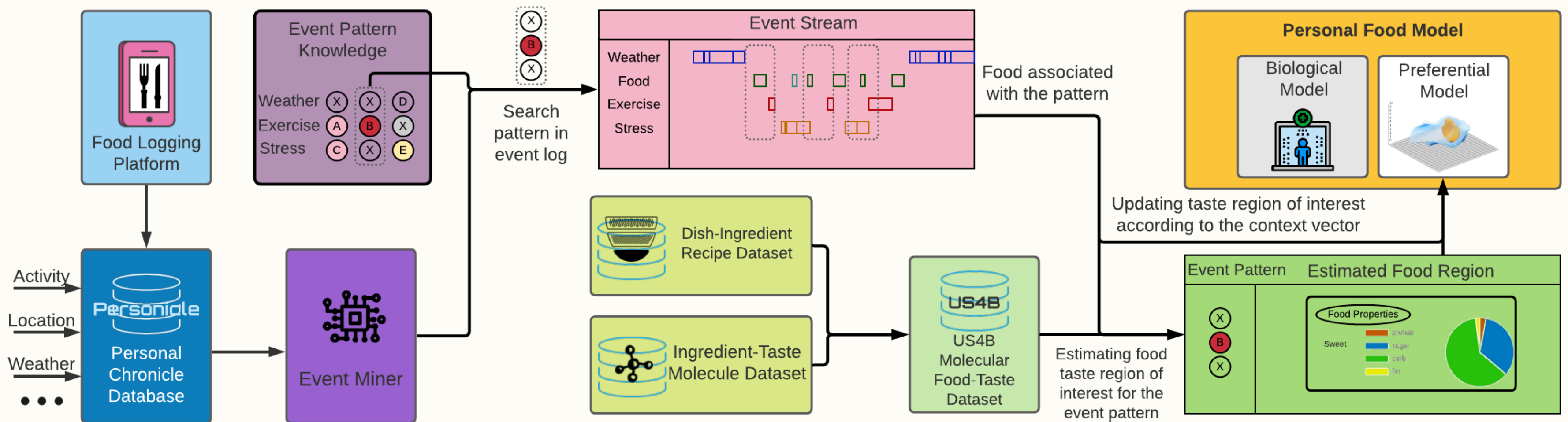
Event Mining for Food Preferences

Finding patterns in events



CAUSAL PREFERENTIAL MODEL

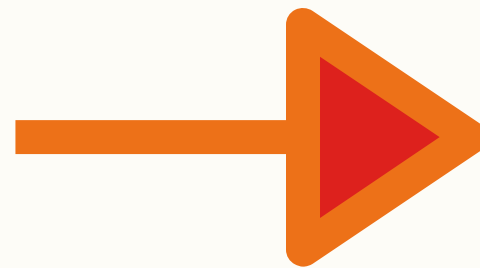
Architecture



Event Pattern Language

Specifying event patterns

Relation	Illustration	Interpretation
$X < Y$ $Y > X$		X takes place before Y
$X m Y$ $Y mi X$		X meets Y (<i>i</i> stands for <i>inverse</i>)
$X o Y$ $Y oi X$		X overlaps with Y
$X s Y$ $Y si X$		X starts Y
$X d Y$ $Y di X$		X during Y
$X f Y$ $Y fi X$		X finishes Y
$X = Y$		X is equal to Y



PollutionExposure → *DifficultyBreathing*

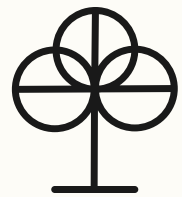
High Humidity ⊥ *SleepInterruptions*

Alcohol $\delta_{[3,4 \text{ hrs}]}$ *SleepInterruptions*

Exercise := *Run* | *Walk* | *Cycling* | *Swimming*

USING SYNTHESISED DATA

—— To Illustrate The Context-Aware Preferential Personal Food Model



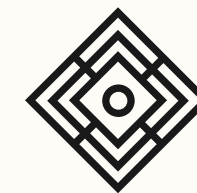
Ground Truth

We opted to utilize synthesized data for the experiments because we can use the ground truth of contextual factors' impact on taste to validate the model.



Resembling Live Data

The synthesised data must somewhat resemble the original data statistically to ensure realism and keep problems engaging for data scientists.

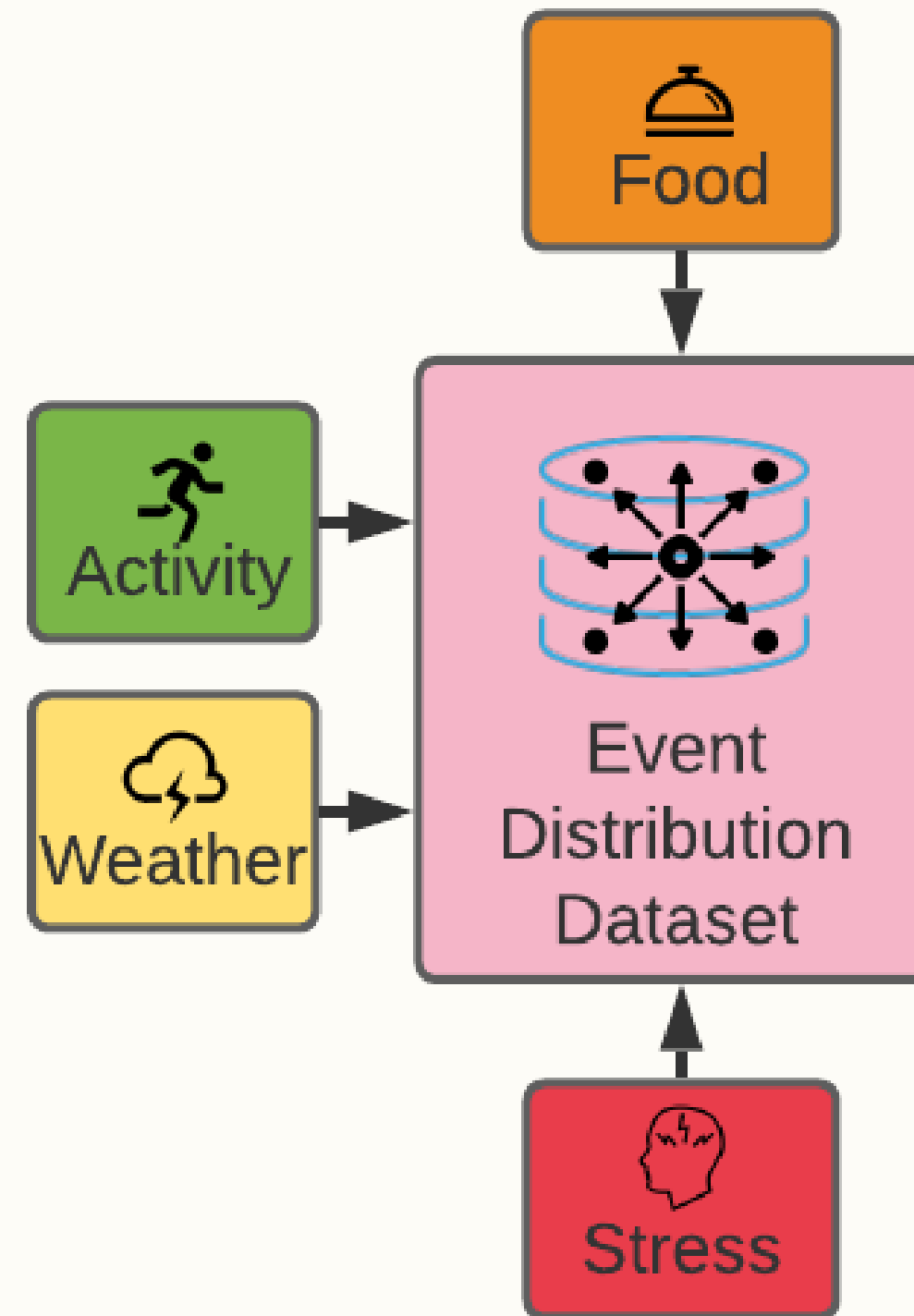


Original Data Structure

Also, the synthesised data must formally and structurally resemble the original data so that any software written on top of it can be reused.

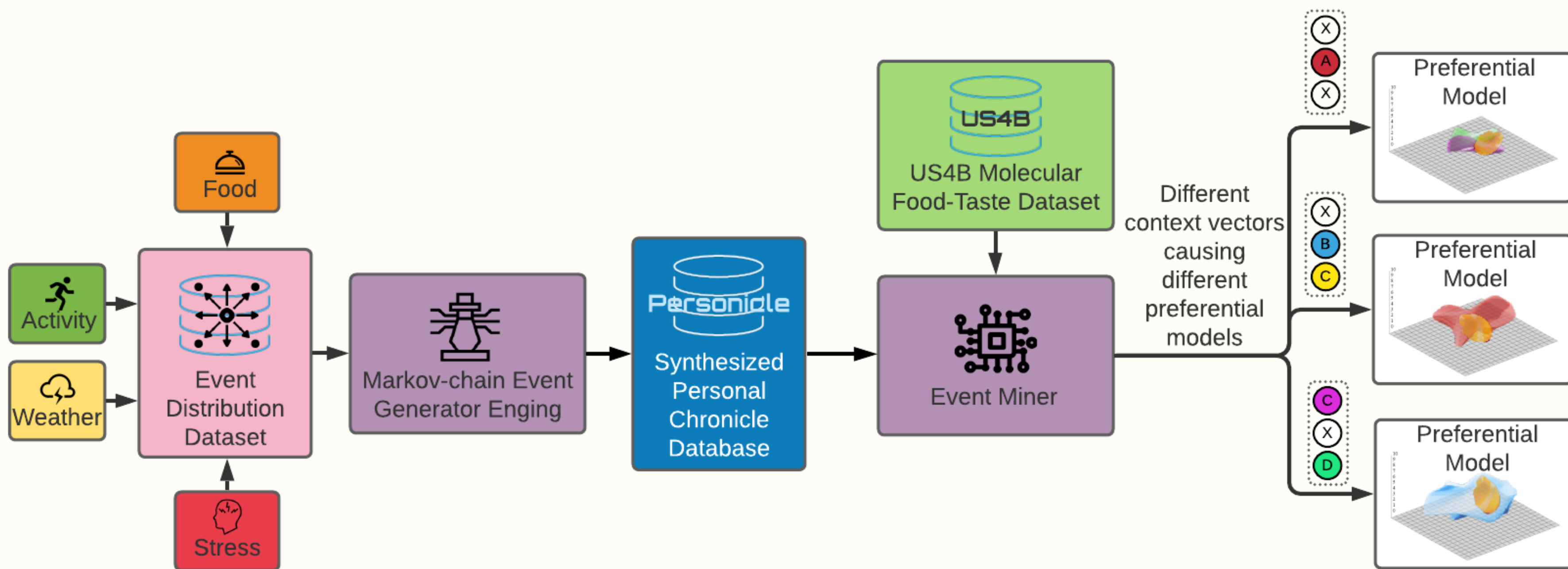
SYNTHETIC DATA GENERATION

— Carefully Designed **Markov-Chain** Parameters set in the config file.



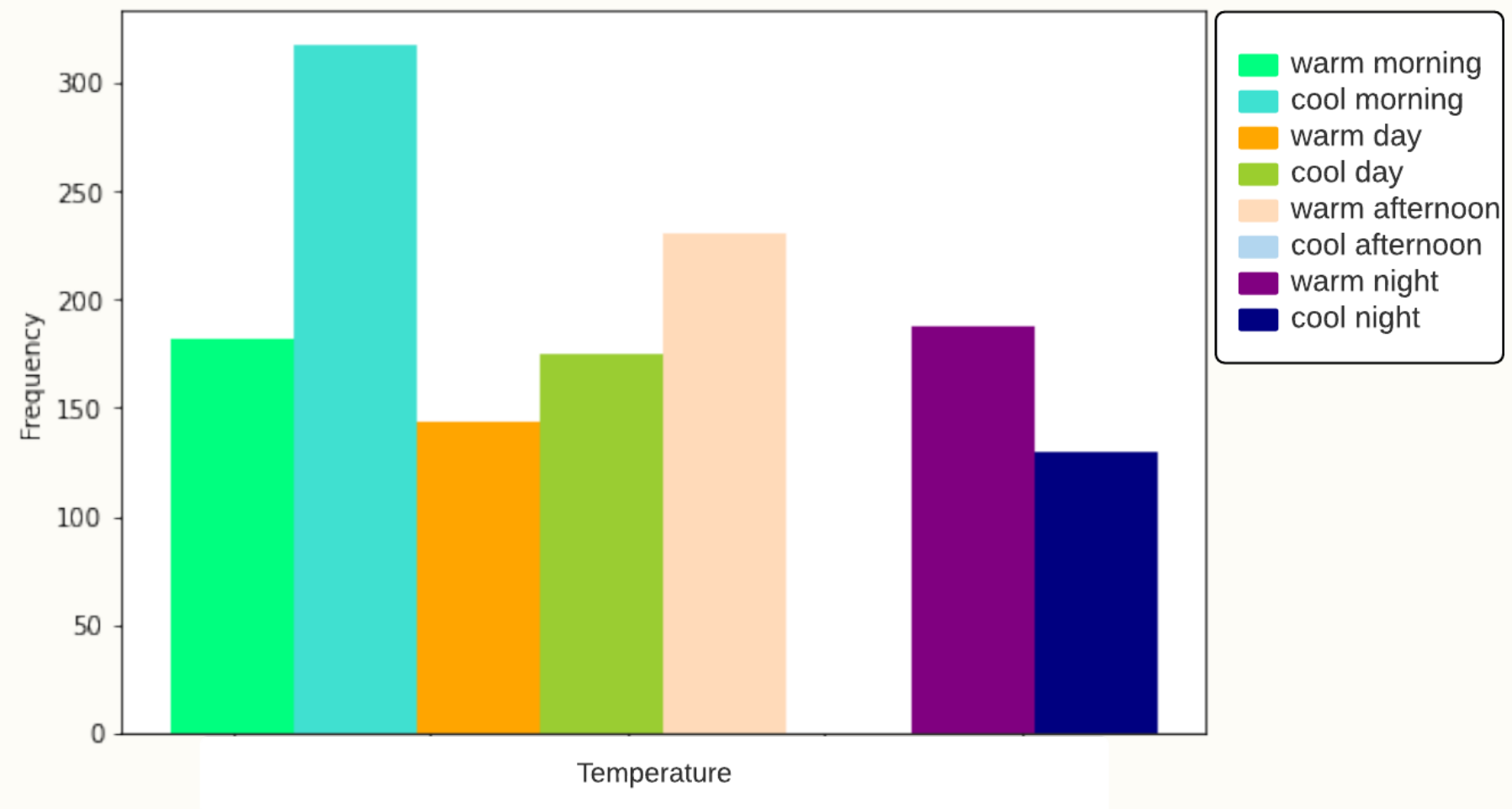
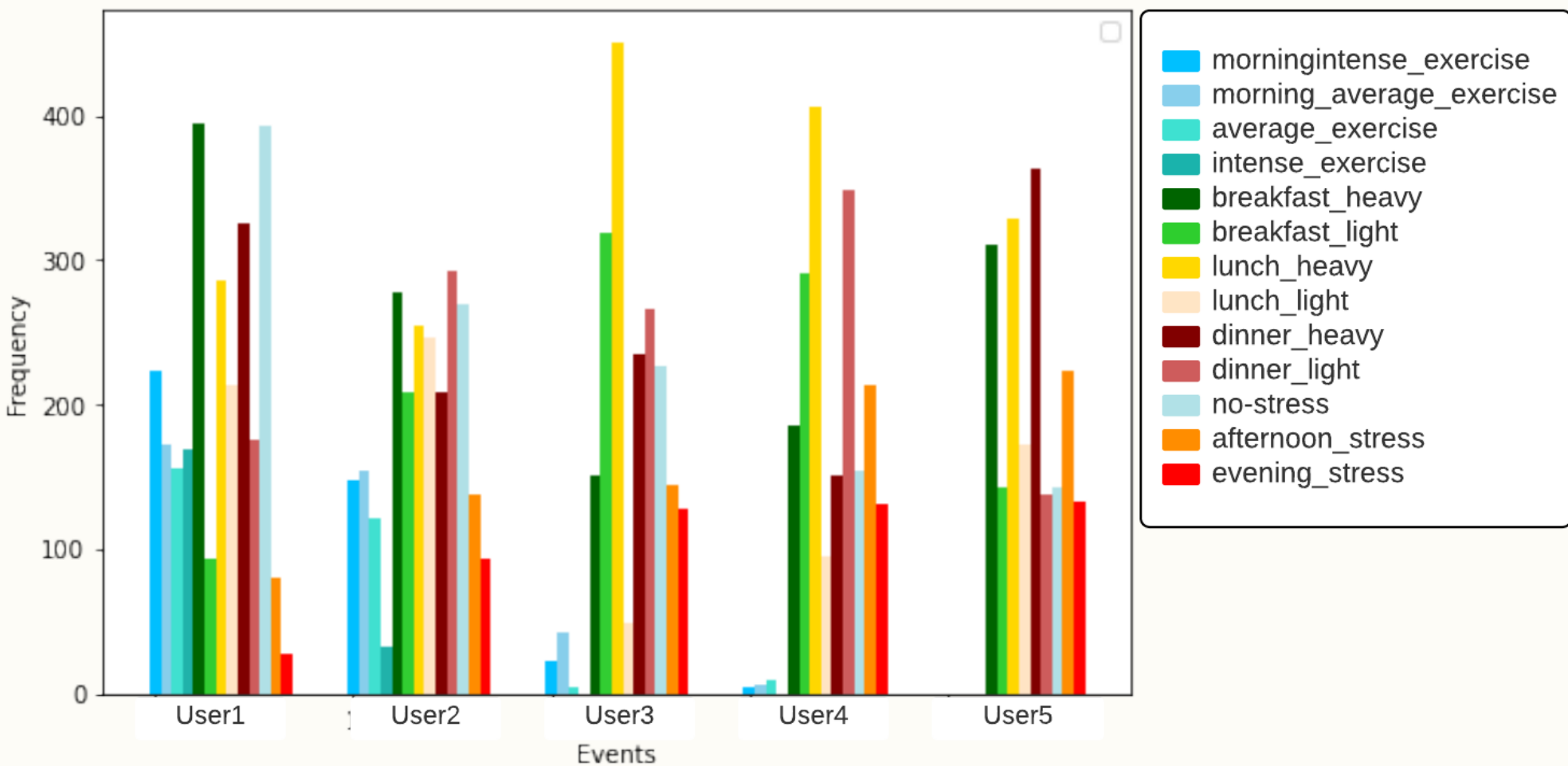
EXPERIMENTAL SETUP

Preference Model: Contextual taste preference vector



DATA DISTRIBUTION HISTOGRAM

— Synthetic data generation



EXPERIMENT

A. Contextual taste preferences

1. Identify changing taste preferences in different contextual situations
2. Demonstrate prediction improvement with contextual features

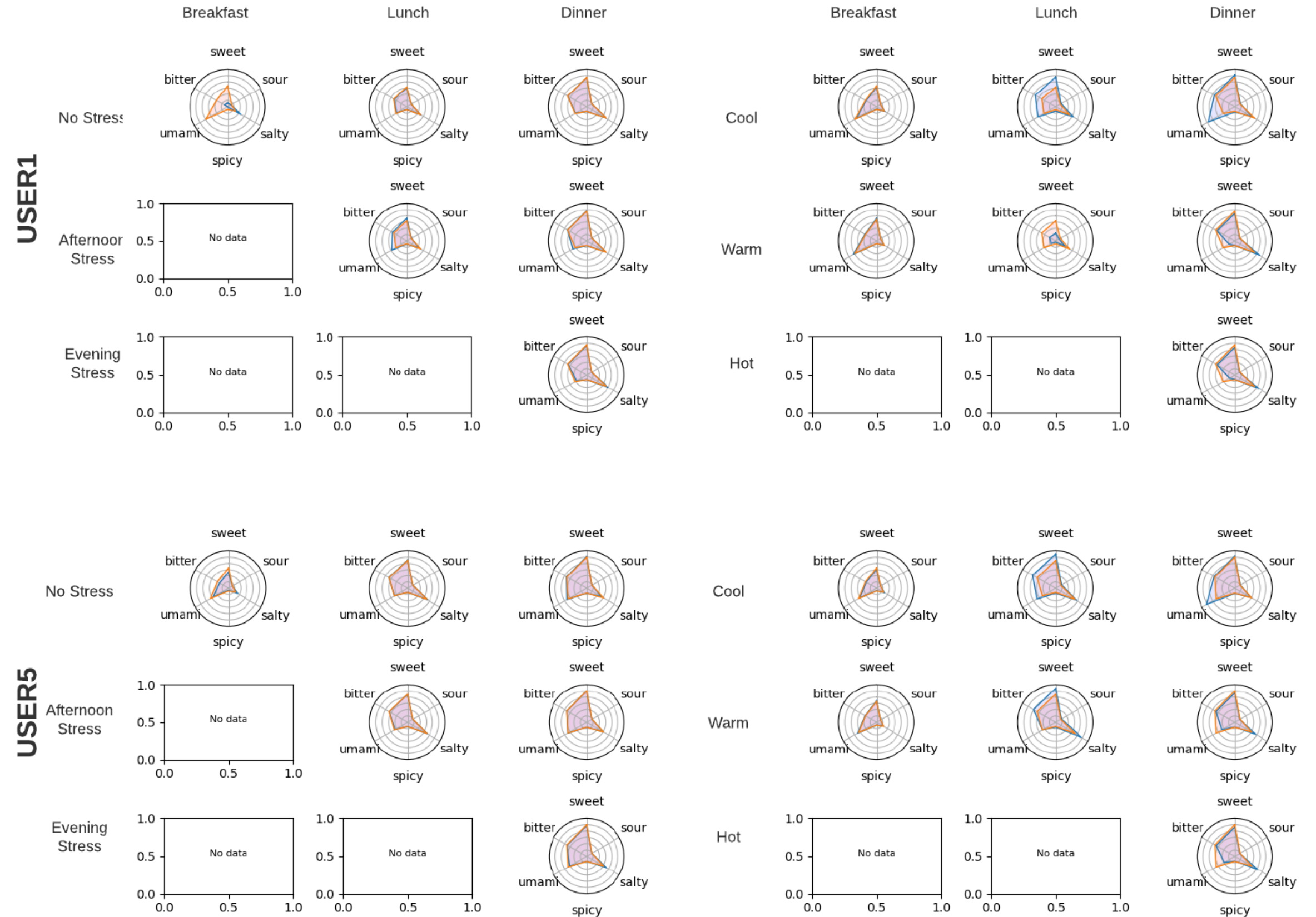
B. Longitudinal prediction model

Demonstrate improvement in contextual prediction performance over time

RESULTS

— Contextual Taste Profile

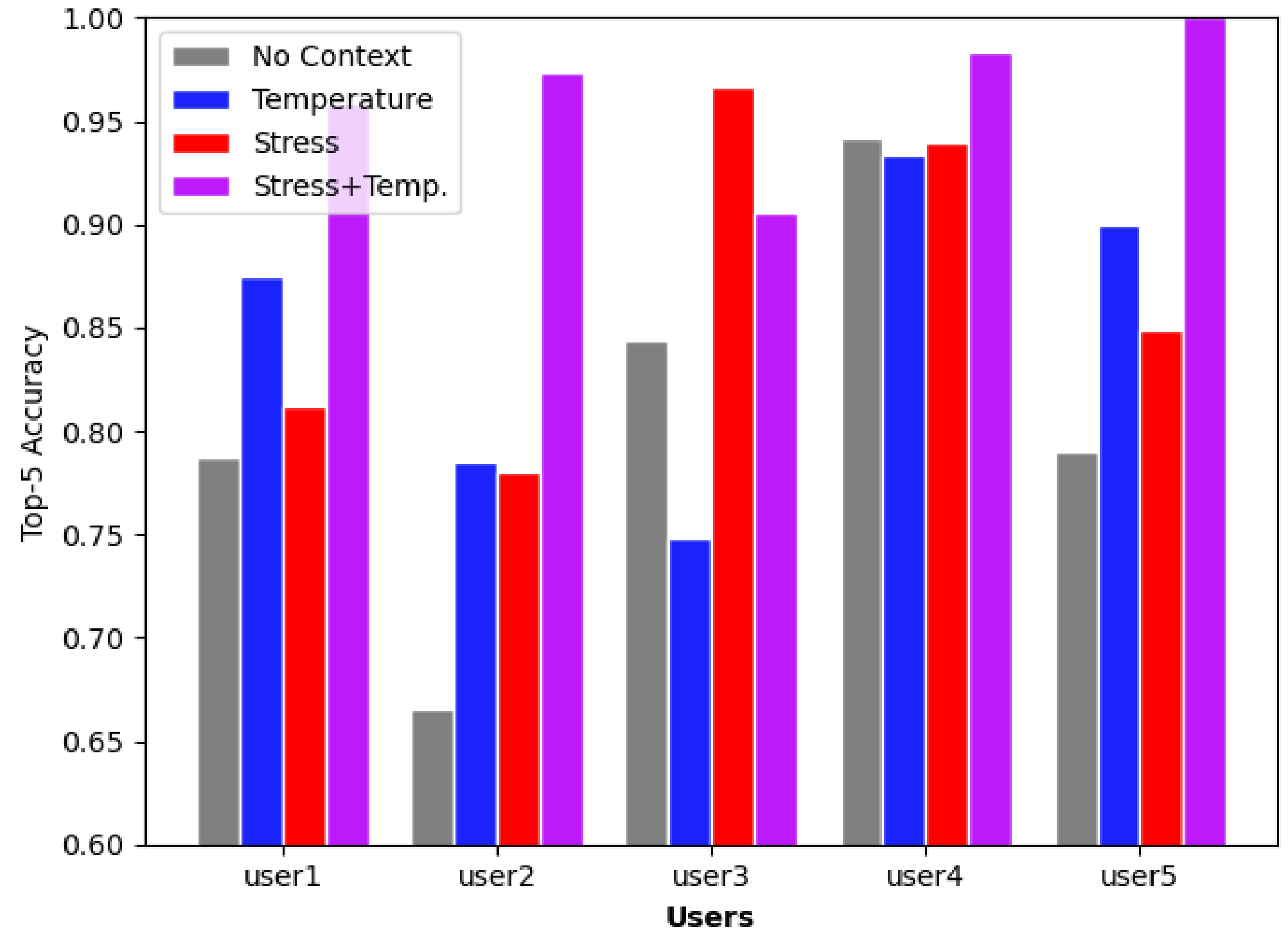
- Changing user preferences in different contexts
- Context is defined by temperature and stress in these experiments



RESULTS

— Prediction: **Contextual vs Average taste vectors**

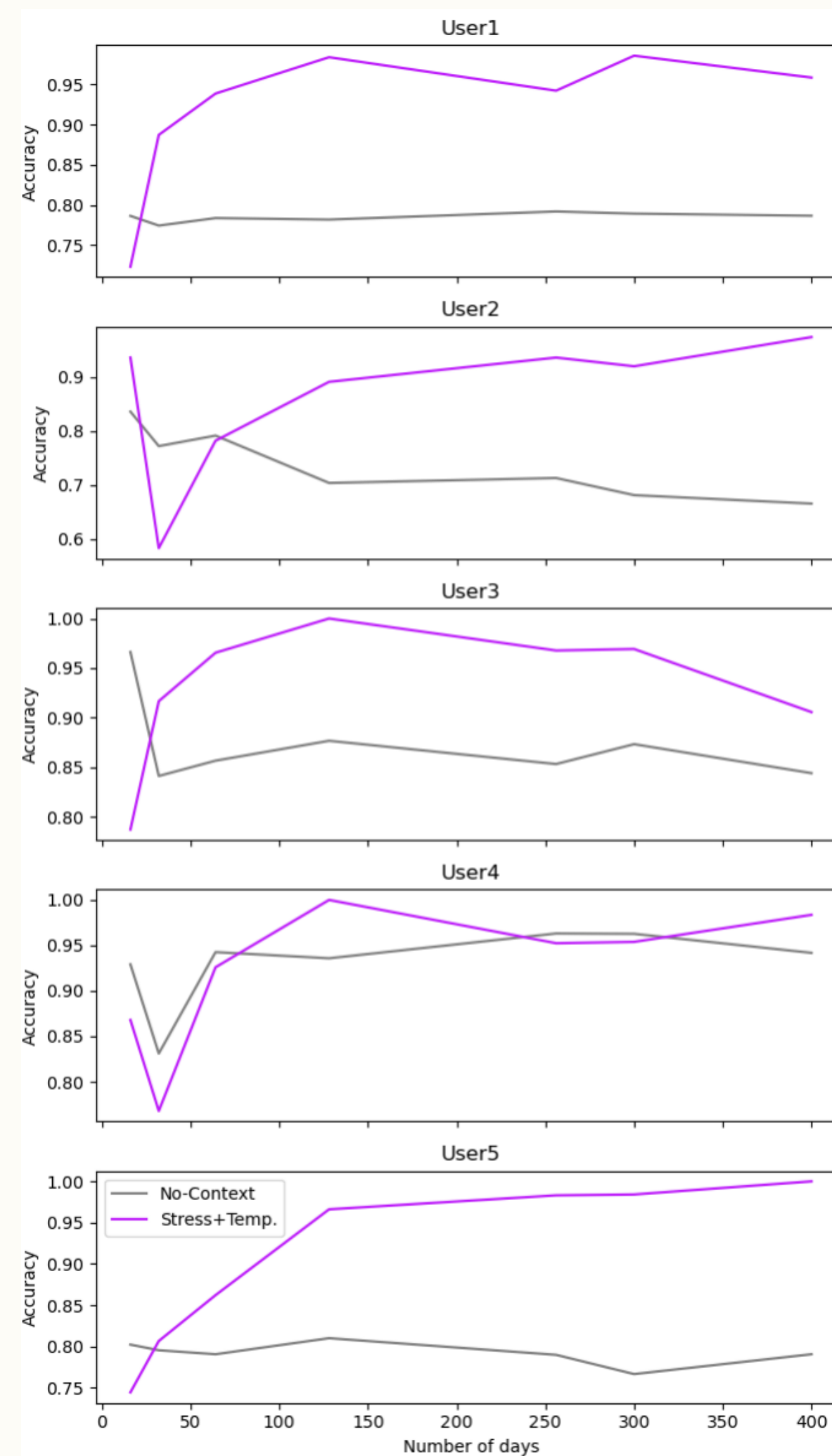
- Nearest neighbor model for predicting meal items
- Compared performance for average vs contextual vectors using top-5 accuracy metric.



RESULTS

— Longitudinal Performance: Cold Start Problem

- Initially, the average models outperform the contextual models
- This can be explained by a lack of data in certain contextual situations
- After collecting sufficient data, the contextual models consistently outperform the average models



GOING FORWARD



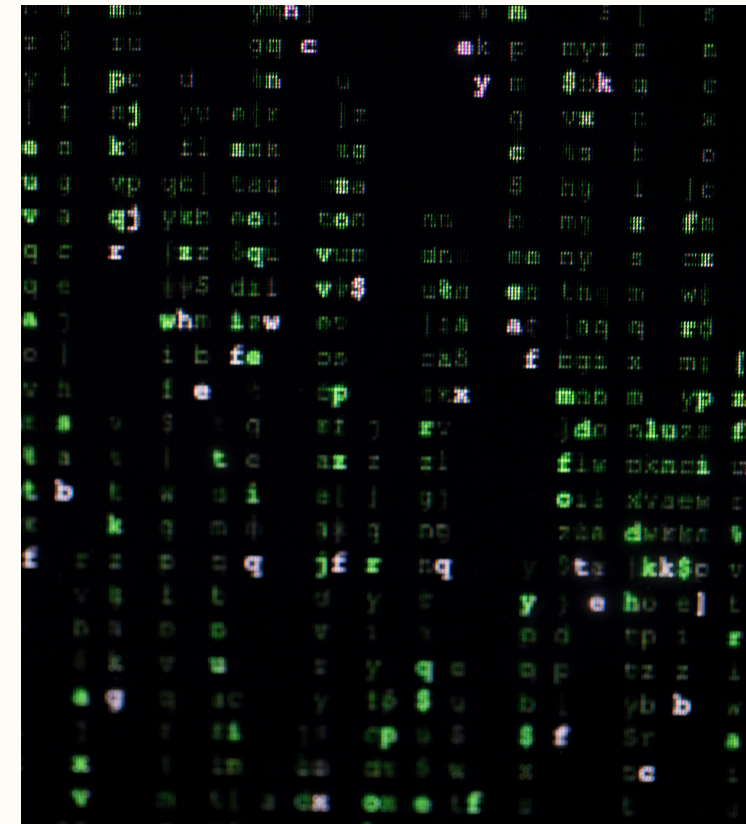
Food Events

As discussed in the paper, many aspects of a food event is currently difficult to capture and the future research needs to fill the gap in food event capturing.



Personal Food Modeling

State of the art research in Personal Food Modeling has a lot to accomplish. Different biological and preferential factors need to be modeled in a practical manner.



Event Mining

Event mining research allows us to effectively leverage multiple data streams. Discovering behavioral patterns and identifying causal impact on our health is critical for effective health estimation and navigation.



Behavioural Change

The research community has a lot to achieve to create future contextual recommendation systems which promote effective behaviour change in our personal diet and lifestyle.

THANK YOU



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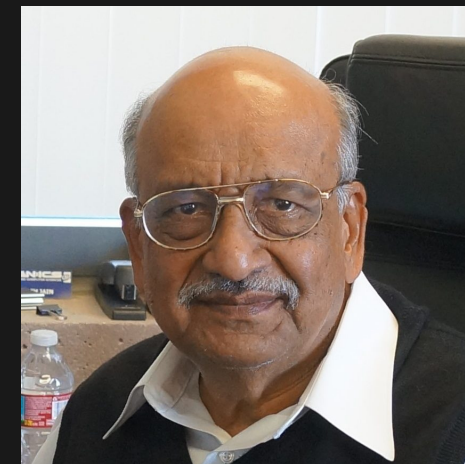
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