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Strategies to generate utterances



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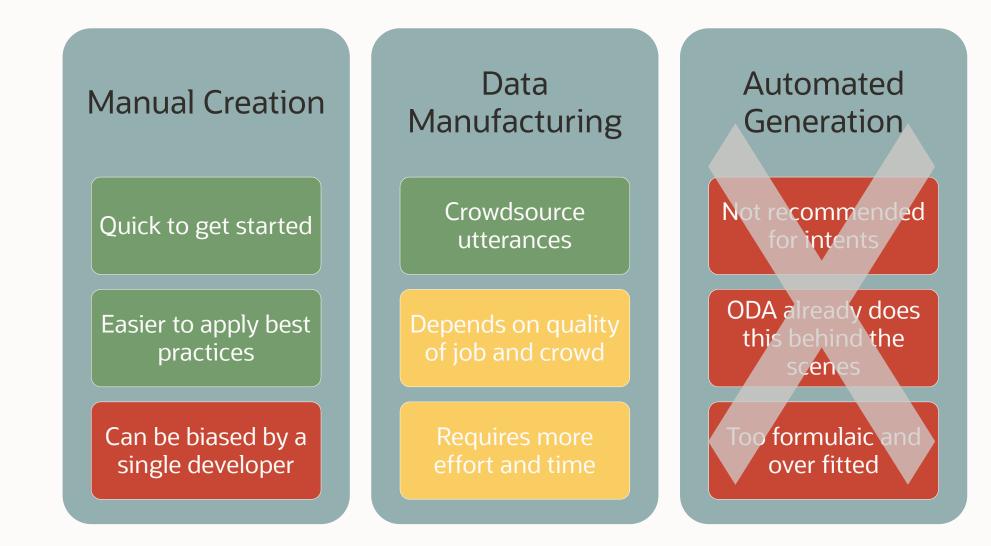
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Crowd sourcing

Data sourcing helps to put the theory of good utterances into practice

Data sources

- Customer support systems
 - Unlabeled data
- Crowd-sourcing
 - Labeled data
- "Insights" in Oracle Digital Assistant
 - Incrementally available after first roll-out

Crowd sourcing in Oracle Digital Assistant with data manufacturing

A native feature of Oracle Digital Assistant skills

Allows you to create paraphrasing, annotation and validation jobs for

- Intents
- ML Entities

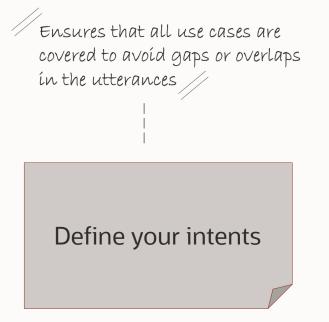
A "job" results in a URL you share with crowd workers

• URL displays form for crowd workers to complete their task

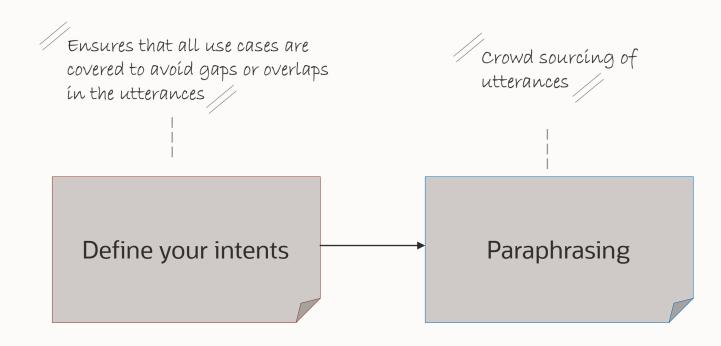
At the end of each job

• You can review the collected data and download them for editing

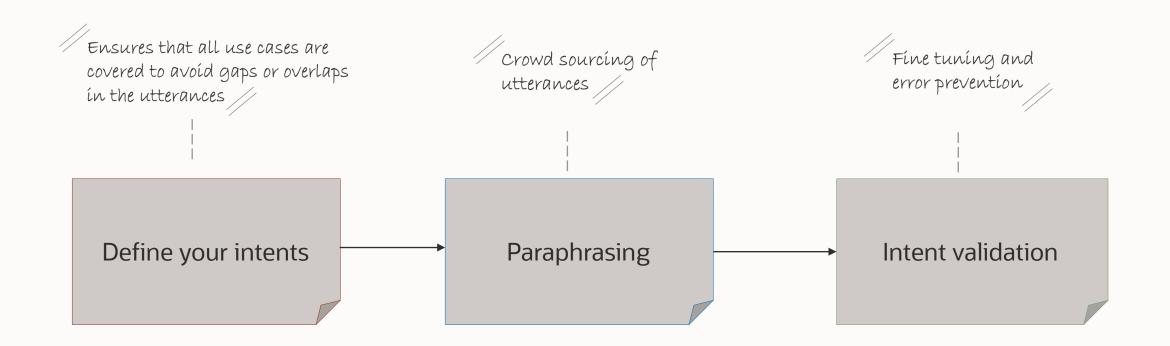
Data manufacturing for intents



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There is no point in overloading crowd workers. Consider multiple crowd sourcing jobs.

Creating a data manufacturing job for intent paraphrasing

Job Configuration	
Intent Paraphrasing	Paraphrasing, annotation, validation
Job Name	
Expenseltems_Find	
Language ⑦	
English	
Paraphrases per Intent	
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Select intents or upload a CSV sheet.	Care re-ranged stater of ase adda found the insights
Select Upload	
Add intents	
find expense items \times	A job can handle one or many intents
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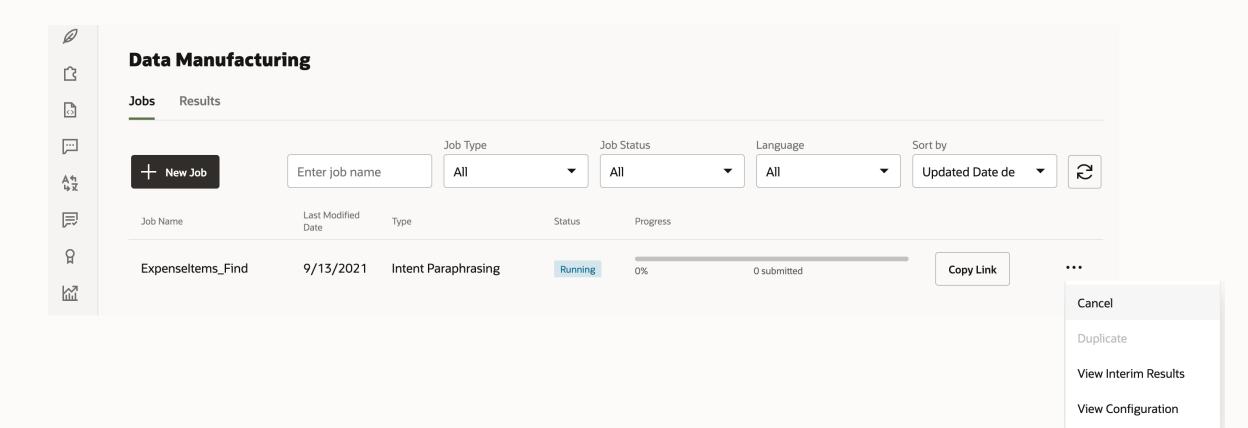
Job Configuration

Select all 7 intents

Edit Prompts and Hints ×					
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Job Review					
Intent	Prompt (required) ①	Hint (optional) ①			
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reg.expenseitem.find	How would you search for an expense item using a question?	"Can you show me the expense I submitted for a purchase from Apple last week?", or "Could you list expenses from last week that still show as pending?"	⊿ 団 +		
reg.expenseitem.find	How would you search for an expense item in a demanding voice?	"Show Internet expenses from last month", or "Print expenses that are not paid yet"	ℓ 団 +		

Create multiple prompts to guide crowd workers //

Monitoring a data manufacturing job for intent paraphrasing



Paraphrasing form

Intent Paraphrasing You have submitted 0 paraphrases so far	🖽 🕜 Skip	Submit
Read Task and Hint. Provide utterances you would use to achieve the task.		
Language English		
Task How would you search for an expense item using a statement?		
Hint "I need a list of all expenses from last week that I filed on gas", or "Help me with a list of expenses I filed	yesterday"	
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I require an overview of items I filed last week on breakfast	+ Add Another Utterance	J
We need a summary of what we have filed last week for dinner	Delete	
I am looking for an expense item from last month for gas	Delete	
I am in the need to see the the expense I did 7 days ago for gasoline	Delete	
I need you to show a list of expense items from this month that cover Internet access	Delete	
I want you to show me an overview of non-food expenses I did vesterday	Delete	

Seeing results

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The next steps show case how quickly and easily a developer can create utterances to fast-track development

Bootstrapping utterances - start with a couple of key phrases Password Request Intent

l want to reset my password

I can't log into email

Create variations around the key words

I want to reset my password

I want to reset my password

I want to reset my password I'd like to reset my password I need to be able to reset my password Can you reset my password

Duplicate those and change some of the keywords

I want to reset my password

I want to reset my password

I want to reset my password I'd like to reset my password I need to be able to reset my password Can you reset my password I want to change my password I'd like to change my password I need to be able to change my password Can you change my password

And again, this time changing the object of the sentence

I want to reset my password

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I want to change my credentials I'd like to change my credentials I need to be able to change my credentials Can you change my credentials

Sort your phrases

I want to reset my password

Can you change my credentials

Can you change my password

Can you reset my password

I need to be able to change my credentials

I need to be able to change my password

I need to be able to reset my password

I want to change my credentials I want to change my password I want to reset my password I'd like to change my credentials I'd like to change my password I'd like to reset my password

Change some words to bring in natural variance

I want to reset my password

Can you change my credentials Can you change my password Can you reset my password

I need to be able to change my credentials

I need to be able to change my password

I need to be able to reset my password

I want to change my credentials I want to change my password I want to reset my password I'd like to change my credentials I'd like to change my password I'd like to reset my password Can you change my logon credentials Change my password Please reset my password I need to be able to change my credentials I wanna to change my password I need to be able to reset my password We want to change the credentials How do I change my password I want to reset my password How would you change my credentials I'd like to change my password We'd like to reset a password

Duplicate some phrases and add new key terms

I want to reset my password

Can you change my credentials Can you change my password Can you reset my password

I need to be able to change my credentials

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I'd like to **alter** my password We'd like to **modify** a password

Duplicate some phrases and add new key terms

Sort and look for any patterns or repetition

Can you change my credentials Can you change my password Can you reset my password

I need to be able to change my credentials

I need to be able to change my password

I need to be able to reset my password

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Now repeat for your other seed phrases Or do you?

l want to reset my password

I can't log into email

Password on my account needs to be changed

I forgot my password

Someone has access to my email

My email password was exposed on the internet

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Why not bring the best of both approaches together?

Mixed

Manual generation

- Start your project with this approach
- It will fast track development as it removes any bottleneck in utterance generation
- Fast track development with manual generation
- Can be merged into a production set later in the project

Crowd sourcing

- Create the paraphrasing jobs at the beginning of the project
- Once the jobs are completed and the utterances validate, add 80% of them to the intents. Keep 20% for testing
- Before production mix both data sets (crowd sourcing and manual)

