CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A method for processing a service, the method comprising:

receiving a product order placed by a user, wherein the product order corresponds to the service and comprises one or more product identifiers (S101);

determining a supplier combination that matches the product identifiers, wherein the supplier combination comprises one or more suppliers (S102);

determining a recommendation rating for the supplier combination (S103); and

recommending, to the user, the supplier combination with the recommendation rating satisfying a predetermined condition (S104).

2. The method according to claim 1, wherein determining the supplier combination that matches the product identifiers comprises:

determining a set of suppliers within a predetermined distance from a delivery address (S202); and

determining the supplier combination that matches the product identifiers from the set of suppliers (S203).

3. The method according to claim 1, wherein the recommendation rating comprises a price recommendation rating and a review recommendation rating; and

recommending, to the user, the supplier combination with the recommendation rating satisfying the predetermined condition comprises: recommending, to the user, a first supplier combination with a price recommendation rating satisfying a first condition and a second supplier combination with a review recommendation rating satisfying a second condition (S204).

4. The method according to claim 3, wherein

if the recommendation rating is a price recommendation rating, determining a recommendation rating of each supplier combination comprises:

for products that correspond to all of the product identifiers in the product order, calculating a difference between a quoted price and an average price of the supplier combination, and using the difference as the price recommendation rating of the supplier combination.

5. The method according to claim 3, wherein

if the recommendation rating is a review recommendation rating, determining the recommendation rating of each supplier combination comprises:

for products that correspond to all the product identifiers in the product order, determining a product review score of the supplier combination; and

calculating an average review score of the supplier combination for all the products in the product order based on the product review score, and using the average review score as the review recommendation rating of the supplier combination.

6. The method according to any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein the product order comprises a food order and the one or more product identifiers comprise one or more dish identifiers.

7. The method according to any one of claims 1 to 6, wherein the supplier combination comprises a number of suppliers that is smaller or equal to a threshold number of suppliers.

8. A apparatus for processing a service, the apparatus comprising a plurality of modules configured to perform the method of any one of claims 1 to 7.