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System Prerequisites

Python 3.10 or higher must be installed on your system.

Git must be installed to clone the repository.

## **Step 1: Clone the Project Repository**

First, clone the project code from the GitHub repository to your local machine. Open your command line terminal (like Command Prompt, PowerShell, or Terminal on Mac/Linux) and run the following command:

codeBash

git clone

Once cloning is complete, navigate into the project directory:

codeBash

cd adgm-agent

# Step 2: Create and Activate a Python Virtual Environment

It is strongly recommended to use a virtual environment to avoid conflicts with other Python projects.

### 1. Create the environment:

codeBash

python -m venv venv

#### 2. Activate the environment:

#### On Windows:

codePowershell

.\venv\Scripts\Activate.ps1

#### On macOS or Linux:

codeBash

source venv/bin/activate

After activation, you should see (venv) at the beginning of your terminal prompt.

## **Step 3: Install Required Dependencies**

All necessary Python libraries are listed in the requirements.txt file. Install them with a single command:

codeBash

pip install -r requirements.txt

This will download and install all required packages, including Streamlit and LangChain.

# Step 4: Configure the API Key

The application requires a Google Gemini API key to function. The repository includes a template file named .env.template.

1. Create your API key file: Make a copy of the .env.template file and rename it to .env.

## 2. Add your API Key:

Obtain your Google Gemini API key from .

Open the newly created .env file with a text editor.

Paste your key into the file, replacing the placeholder text. The file content should look like this:

codeCode

GOOGLE\_API\_KEY=Your\_Secret\_Gemini\_API\_Key\_Goes\_Here

Save and close the file.

# **Step 5: Build the Local Knowledge Base**

The project uses a local vector store as its knowledge base, which must be created from the documents provided in the /data folder.

Run the ingestion script from your terminal (ensure your virtual environment is still active):

codeBash

python ingest.py

You will see output indicating that documents are being loaded, split, and embedded. This process will create a vector\_store/ directory. This step is mandatory and only needs to be done once.

# **Step 6: Run the Application**

You are now ready to launch the web application.

# Run the following command in your terminal:

codeBash

streamlit run app.py

The application will automatically open in your default web browser. If it doesn't, navigate to the Local URL shown in the terminal (e.g., http://localhost:8501).

You can now test the application by uploading the sample .docx files provided in the repository. Thank you for your evaluation. (A STABLE INTERNET CONNECTION IS REQUIRED FOR RUNNING)