

IBM HACKATHON PROJECT

AI-POWERED LATEX DIAGRAM GENERATOR FOR ACADEMIC RESEARCH

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PROBLEM STATEMENT

Researchers and academic writers often face significant challenges when creating diagrams in LaTeX, especially using the TikZ package. Writing TikZ code manually is time-consuming, requires technical expertise, and is prone to errors. This slows down the research documentation process and creates a steep learning curve for those unfamiliar with LaTeX graphics. There is a strong need for a user-friendly, intelligent tool that can simplify and automate this task.

Proposed Solution:

I propose an AI-powered intelligent agent that automatically converts natural language descriptions and sketches into professional TikZ code for LaTeX documents. This agent will support real-time feedback, accept refinement commands in plain English, and produce publication-ready diagrams, eliminating the need for manual coding and significantly enhancing productivity for academic researchers.

TECHNOLOGY USED

IBM cloud lite services

Natural Language Processing (NLP)

Retrieval Augmented Generation (RAG)

IBM Granite model

IBM CLOUD SERVICES USED

- IBM Cloud Watsonx AI Studio
- IBM Cloud Watsonx AI runtime
- IBM Cloud service
- IBM Granite (via watsonx.ai studio)
- IBM Cloud Object Storage IBM AI Tools

WOW FACTORS

Natural Language to TikZ: Generate LaTeX diagrams from plain English.

Sketch Recognition: Turn rough hand-drawn sketches into structured TikZ code.

Real-Time Refinement: Update diagrams instantly with plain English commands.

Publication-Ready: Produces clean, high-quality diagrams for academic papers.

No Coding Needed: No prior LaTeX or TikZ experience required.

Deploy Anywhere: Web, desktop, or Overleaf-integrated support.

END USERS

- **Academic Researchers**

For thesis, paper, and journal diagram automation.

- **Professors & Educators**

For creating lecture notes, slides, and visual explanations.

- **Students (UG/PG/PhD)**

For simplifying LaTeX assignments and project reports.

- **Research Institutions & Universities**

For streamlining documentation and publication workflows.

- **Technical Writers & LaTeX Enthusiasts**

For enhancing productivity and accuracy in LaTeX graphics.

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Create a flowchart that explains the process of supervised learning.

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As a LaTeX Diagram Generator AI, I can help you create a TikZ code for a flowchart that explains the process of supervised learning. Here's a basic outline of the steps involved:

1. **Data Collection:** Gather a labeled dataset for training.

2. **Data Preprocessing:** Clean and format the data, handle missing values, normalize/standardize features.

3. **Model Selection:** Choose a suitable supervised learning algorithm (e.g., linear regression, decision trees, support vector machines).

4. **Training:** Feed the preprocessed data into the selected model. The model learns to map inputs to outputs.

5. **Model Evaluation:** Assess the model's performance using appropriate metrics (e.g., accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score).

6. **Hyperparameter Tuning:** Optimize model parameters for better performance.

7. **Prediction:** Use the trained model to predict outcomes for new, unseen data.

8. **Model Deployment:** Integrate the model into a production environment for real-world use.

Here's a simple TikZ code snippet to get you started:

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\documentclass{article}
\usepackage{tikz}
\usetikzlibrary{shapes,arrows}

\begin{document}

\begin{tikzpicture}[node distance = 2cm, auto]
\tikzstyle{block} = [rectangle, draw, fill=blue!20, text width=5em,
text centered, rounded corners, minimum height=4em]
\tikzstyle{line} = [draw, -latex']

\node [block] (data) {Data Collection};
\node [block, below of=data] (preprocess) {Data Preprocessing};
\node [block, below of=preprocess] (select) {Model Selection};
\node [block, below of=select] (train) {Training};
\node [block, below of=train] (evaluate) {Model Evaluation};
\node [block, below of=evaluate] (tune) {Hyperparameter Tuning};
\node [block, below of=tune] (predict) {Prediction};
\node [block, below of=predict] (deploy) {Model Deployment};

\path [line] (data) -- (preprocess);
\path [line] (preprocess) -- (select);
\path [line] (select) -- (train);
\path [line] (train) -- (evaluate);
\path [line] (evaluate) -- (tune);
\path [line] (tune) -- (predict);
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Generate a Venn diagram showing the overlap between AI, ML, and Deep Learning.



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As a text-based AI, I'm unable to directly generate visual content such as Venn diagrams. However, I can certainly guide you on how to create one using TikZ in LaTeX, which you can then compile to generate the diagram.

Here's a basic TikZ code snippet for a Venn diagram illustrating the relationship between Artificial Intelligence (AI), Machine Learning (ML), and Deep Learning (DL):

```
\documentclass{article}
\usepackage{tikz}
\usetikzlibrary{shapes,backgrounds}

\begin{document}

\begin{tikzpicture}[scale=1.5]
  % Outer circle (AI)
  \draw[fill=gray!30] (0,0) circle (2cm) node[text centered, above]
{Artificial Intelligence};

  % Middle circle (ML)
  \draw[fill=gray!70] (1.5,0) circle (1.5cm) node[text centered, above]
{Machine Learning};

  % Innermost circle (DL)
  \draw[fill=gray!90] (1,1) circle (0.5cm) node[text centered, above]
{Deep Learning};
\end{tikzpicture}

\end{document}
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\draw[fill=gray!30] (0,0) circle (2cm) node[text centered, above]
{Artificial Intelligence};

% Middle circle (ML)
\draw[fill=gray!70] (1.5,0) circle (1.5cm) node[text centered, above]
{Machine Learning};

% Innermost circle (DL)
\draw[fill=gray!90] (1,1) circle (0.5cm) node[text centered, above]
{Deep Learning};
\end{tikzpicture}

\end{document}
```

This code will create a Venn diagram with three overlapping circles representing AI, ML, and DL. Deep Learning is depicted as the innermost concept, fully contained within Machine Learning, which in turn is fully contained within Artificial Intelligence. This reflects the understanding that Deep Learning is a subset of Machine Learning, which is itself a subset of Artificial Intelligence.

Remember to compile this LaTeX code to generate the actual diagram. You might need to adjust the scale and sizes of the circles to better fit your document or personal preference.

For more complex diagrams or if you need to customize the appearance further, you might consider using dedicated diagramming tools and then converting the result to TikZ code if necessary.

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Sketch a neural network with 3 input nodes, 2 hidden layers, and 1 output node

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As a text-based AI, I can't directly create visual diagrams, but I can certainly provide you with a TikZ code snippet to represent a neural network with 3 input nodes, 2 hidden layers, and 1 output node. Here's a basic representation:

```
\documentclass{article}
\usepackage{tikz}
\usetikzlibrary{shapes,arrows}

\begin{document}

\begin{tikzpicture}[node distance = 2cm, auto]
  % Define styles
  \tikzstyle{block} = [rectangle, draw, fill=blue!20, text width=5em,
text centered, rounded corners, minimum height=4em]
  \tikzstyle{arrow} = [thick,->,>=stealth]

  % Nodes
  \node [block] (input) {Input Layer};
  \node [block, below of=input] (hidden1) {Hidden Layer 1};
  \node [block, below of=hidden1] (hidden2) {Hidden Layer 2};
  \node [block, below of=hidden2, text centered] (output) {Output
```

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```
\tikzstyle{arrow} = [thick,->,>=stealth]

% Nodes
\node [block] (input) {Input Layer};
\node [block, below of=input] (hidden1) {Hidden Layer 1};
\node [block, below of=hidden1] (hidden2) {Hidden Layer 2};
\node [block, below of=hidden2, text centered] (output) {Output
Layer};

% Connections
\path [arrow] (input.east) -- ++(1,0) node [near start, above] {3
neurons};
\path [arrow] (input) -- (hidden1);
\path [arrow] (hidden1) -- (hidden2);
\path [arrow] (hidden2) -- (output);
\end{tikzpicture}

\end{document}
```

This code will generate a simple diagram showing a neural network with an input layer containing 3 nodes, two hidden layers, and an output layer with 1 node. The connections between layers are indicated with arrows.

Remember to compile this LaTeX code to generate the actual diagram. You can adjust the sizes, colors, and text as needed to better fit your document's style. For more complex diagrams, consider using dedicated diagramming tools and converting the result to TikZ code if necessary.

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Make an ER diagram showing Students, Courses, and Instructors with relationships.

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Based on the search results, I was unable to find the exact ER diagram showing Students, Courses, and Instructors with relationships. However, the search results provide some useful information and resources that can help you create an ER diagram for a university database.

Here are some key points to consider when creating an ER diagram for a university database:

- Entities: Students, Courses, Instructors
- Relationships:
 - A student can enroll in many courses (one-to-many).
 - A course can be taken by many students (one-to-many).
 - An instructor can teach many courses (one-to-many).
 - A course is taught by one instructor (one-to-one).

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About this agent

Name

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Description

Change this particular agent's description.

Deployment

Deployment name: AI-Powered LaTeX Diagram Generator for Academic Research
Serving name: No serving name
Software stack: runtime-24.0.0
Hardware specification: Extra extra specification
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Tags

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Associated

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- Once the AI Agent generates the TikZ code, you can visualize the corresponding diagram by pasting the code into a LaTeX editor such as Overleaf, which renders the diagram from the TikZ instructions.

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The screenshot displays the Overleaf LaTeX editor interface. The left sidebar shows the 'main.tex' file and a 'File outline' section with a message: 'We can't find any sections or subsections in this file. Find out more about the [file outline](#)'. The main editor area shows the following TikZ code:

```
1 \documentclass{article}
2 \usepackage{tikz}
3 \usetikzlibrary{shapes,arrows}
4
5 \begin{document}
6
7 \begin{tikzpicture}[node distance = 2cm, auto]
8   \tikzstyle{block} = [rectangle, draw, fill=blue!20,
9     text width=5em, text centered, rounded corners, minimum height=4em]
10   \tikzstyle{line} = [draw, -latex']
11
12   % Input layer
13   \node [block] (input) {Input};
14   \node [block, right of=input] (input2) {Input};
15   \node [block, right of=input2] (input3) {Input};
16
17   % Hidden layer 1
18   \node [block, below of=input] (hidden1) {Hidden Layer 1};
19   \node [block, below of=input2] (hidden12) {Hidden Layer 1};
20   \node [block, below of=input3] (hidden13) {Hidden Layer 1};
21
22   % Hidden layer 2
23   \node [block, below of=hidden1] (hidden2) {Hidden Layer 2};
24   \node [block, below of=hidden12] (hidden22) {Hidden Layer 2};
25   \node [block, below of=hidden13] (hidden23) {Hidden Layer 2};
26
27   % Output layer
28   \node [block, below of=hidden2] (output) {Output};
29
30   % Connections
31   \path [line] (input) -- (hidden1);
32   \path [line] (input2) -- (hidden12);
33   \path [line] (input3) -- (hidden13);
```

The right sidebar shows the rendered diagram, which is a neural network structure. It consists of three input nodes at the top, two hidden layers (each with three nodes), and one output node at the bottom. The nodes are connected by arrows, representing the flow of information from input to hidden layers and then to the output.

CONCLUSION

- **Simplifies Complex Tasks:** Eliminates the need to manually write TikZ code by converting natural language or sketches into LaTeX diagrams.
- **Boosts Research Productivity:** Saves time and effort for researchers, students, and educators by automating high-quality diagram generation.
- **Enhances Accessibility:** Makes professional diagram creation accessible to non-technical users with real-time feedback and plain English commands.

GITHUB LINK

<https://github.com/Adityasen-cmd/Edunet-Hackathon-Project-.git>

FUTURE SCOPE

- **Voice-to-Diagram Generation**
Enable hands-free diagram creation using speech-to-text for accessibility and faster interaction.
- **Multilingual Support**
Accept input and commands in multiple languages to support global researchers.
- **Overleaf Integration**
Direct integration with Overleaf for real-time diagram preview and editing within LaTeX environments.
- **Auto-Diagram Suggestions**
Automatically suggest diagrams based on surrounding LaTeX text or content analysis.
- **Collaborative Editing**
Allow multiple users to co-edit and refine diagrams in real time for group research projects.
- **AI-Powered Diagram Optimization**
Intelligent suggestions for better layout, aesthetics, and labeling of diagrams.
- **Export to Multiple Formats**
Support PNG, SVG, and PDF exports alongside TikZ for broader use in presentations and publications.

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