0.1 Semi-structured RAG

Blog post

Many documents contain a mixture of content types, including text and tables.

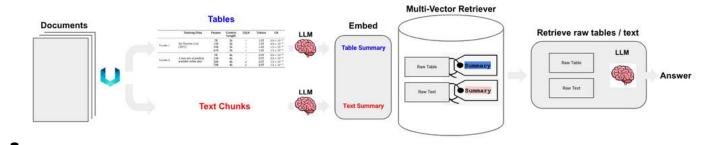
Semi-structured data can be challenging for conventional RAG for at least two reasons:

- Text splitting may break up tables, corrupting the data in retrieval
- Embedding tables may pose challenges for semantic similarity search

This cookbook shows how to perform RAG on documents with semi-structured data:

- We will use Unstructured to parse both text and tables from documents (PDFs).
- We will use the multi-vector retriever to store raw tables, text along with table summaries better suited for retrieval.
- We will use LCEL to implement the chains used.

The overall flow is here:



0.2 Packages

[]: %%capture

pip install langchain unstructured[all-docs] pydantic lxml langchainhub_afastapi kaleido uvicorn

The PDF partitioning used by Unstructured will use:

- tesseract for Optical Character Recognition (OCR)
- poppler for PDF rendering and processing
- []: #! brew install tesseract #! brew install poppler
- []: %%capture !sudo apt-get install poppler-utils tesseract-ocr

0.3 Data Loading

0.3.1 Partition PDF tables and text

Apply to the LLaMA2 paper.

We use the Unstructured partition_pdf, which segments a PDF document by using a layout model.

This layout model makes it possible to extract elements, such as tables, from pdfs.

We also can use Unstructured chunking, which:

- Tries to identify document sections (e.g., Introduction, etc)
- Then, builds text blocks that maintain sections while also honoring user-defined chunk sizes

```
[]: import urllib_request

url = "https://arxiv.org/pdf/2307.09288.pdf"
filename = "Llama2.pdf"
urllib.request.urlretrieve(url, filename)
```

[]: ('Llama2.pdf', <http.client.HTTPMessage at 0x7fa585f655a0>)

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[ ]: path = "/content/"
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[]: from lxml import html
     from pydantic import BaseModel
     from typing import Any, Optional
     from unstructured_partition_pdf import partition_pdf
     # Get elements
     raw_pdf_elements = partition_pdf(filename=path+"Llama2.pdf",
                                       # Unstructured first finds embedded image...
      ⇔blocks
                                       extract_images_in_pdf=False,
                                       # Use layout model (YOLOX) to get bounding_
      →boxes (for tables) and find titles
                                       # Titles are any sub-section of the document
                                       infer_table_structure=True.
                                       # Post processing to aggregate text once we_
      →have the title
                                       chunking_strategy="by_title",
                                       # Chunking params to aggregate text blocks
                                       # Attempt to create a new chunk 3800 chars
                                       # Attempt to keep chunks > 2000 chars
                                       max_characters=4000,
                                       new_after_n_chars=3800,
                                       combine_text_under_n_chars=2000,
                                       #image_output_dir_path=path
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[nltk_data] Downloading package punkt to /root/nltk_data...
[nltk_data] Unzipping tokenizers/punkt.zip.

[nltk_data] Downloading package averaged_perceptron_tagger to

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Some weights of the model checkpoint at microsoft/table-transformer-structure-recognition were not used when initializing TableTransformerForObjectDetection: ['model.backbone.conv_encoder.model.layer3.0.downsample.1.num_batches_tracked', 'model.backbone.conv_encoder.model.layer2.0.downsample.1.num_batches_tracked', 'model.backbone.conv_encoder.model.layer4.0.downsample.1.num_batches_tracked']

- This IS expected if you are initializing TableTransformerForObjectDetection from the checkpoint of a model trained on another task or with another architecture (e.g. initializing a BertForSequenceClassification model from a BertForPreTraining model).
- This IS NOT expected if you are initializing TableTransformerForObjectDetection from the checkpoint of a model that you expect to be exactly identical (initializing a BertForSequenceClassification model from a BertForSequenceClassification model).

We can examine the elements extracted by partition_pdf.

CompositeElement are aggregated chunks.

```
[]: #Create a dictionary to store counts of each type
category_counts = {}

for element in raw_pdf_elements:
    category = str(type(element))
    if category in category_counts:
        category_counts[category] += 1
    else:
        category_counts[category] = 1

# Unique_categories will have unique elements
unique_categories = set(category_counts.keys())
category_counts
```

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[]: {"<class 'unstructured.documents.elements.CompositeElement'>": 120, "<class 'unstructured.documents.elements.Table'>": 47, "<class 'unstructured.documents.elements.TableChunk'>": 2}
```

```
[ ]: class Element(BaseModel):
         type: str
         text: Any
     # Categorize by type
     categorized_elements = []
     for element in raw_pdf_elements:
         if "unstructured.documents.elements.Table" in str(type(element)):
             categorized_elements_append(Element(type="table", text=str(element)))
         elif "unstructured.documents.elements.CompositeElement" in

str(type(element)):
             categorized_elements.append(Element(type="text", text=str(element)))
     # Tables
     table_elements = [e for e in categorized_elements if e.type == "table"]
     print(len(table_elements))
     # Text.
     text_elements = [e for e in categorized_elements if e.type == "text"]
     print(len(text_elements))
```

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0.4 Multi-vector retriever

Use multi-vector-retriever to produce summaries of tables and, optionally, text.

With the summary, we will also store the raw table elements.

The summaries are used to improve the quality of retrieval, as explained in the multi vector retriever docs.

The raw tables are passed to the LLM, providing the full table context for the LLM to generate the answer.

0.4.1 Summaries

```
[]: from langchain_chat_models import ChatOpenAl from langchain_prompts import ChatPromptTemplate from langchain_schema_output_parser import StrOutputParser
```

We create a simple summarize chain for each element.

You can also see, re-use, or modify the prompt in the Hub here.

```
from langchain import hub
obj = hub.pull("rlm/multi-vector-retriever-summarization")
```

```
[ ]: %%capture
     !pip install openai
[ ]: import openai
     import os
     # find API key in console at https://platform.openai.com/account/api-keys
     os.environ["OPENAI_API_KEY"] = "YOUR_OPENAI_API_KEY"
     openai.api_key = os.environ["OPENAI_API_KEY"]
[]: os_environ["LANGCHAIN_TRACING_V2"]="true"
     os_environ["LANGCHAIN_ENDPOINT"]="https://api.smith.langchain.com"
     os_environ["LANGCHAIN_API_KEY"] = "YOUR_LANGCHAIN_API_KEY"
     os_environ["LANGCHAIN_PROJECT"]="langchain_semi_structured_RAG"
[ ]: # Prompt
     prompt_text="""You are an assistant tasked with summarizing tables and text. \
     Give a concise summary of the table or text. Table or text chunk: {element} """
     prompt = ChatPromptTemplate.from_template(prompt_text)
     # Summary chain
     model = ChatOpenAI(temperature=0,model="gpt-4")
     #model = ChatOpenAI(temperature=0,model="gpt-3.5-turbo")
     summarize_chain = {"element": lambda x:x} | prompt | model | StrOutputParser()
[ ]: # Apply to tables
     tables = [i.text for i in table_elements]
     table_summaries = summarize_chain.batch(tables, {"max_concurrency": 5})
[ ]: # Apply to texts
     texts = [i.text for i in text_elements]
     text_summaries = summarize_chain.batch(texts, {"max_concurrency": 5})
    0.4.2 Add to vectorstore
    Use Multi Vector Retriever with summaries:
       • InMemoryStore stores the raw text, tables
       • vectorstore stores the embedded summaries
[]: %%capture
     !pip install chromadb tiktoken
[ ]: import uuid
     from langchain_vectorstores import Chroma
```

from langchain_storage import InMemoryStore

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from langchain_schema_document import Document
from langchain_embeddings import OpenAlEmbeddings
from langchain_retrievers_multi_vector import MultiVectorRetriever
# The vectorstore to use to index the child chunks
vectorstore = Chroma(
    collection_name="summaries",
   embedding_function=OpenAlEmbeddings()
)
# The storage layer for the parent documents
store = InMemoryStore()
id_key = "doc_id"
  # The retriever (empty to start)
retriever = MultiVectorRetriever(
   vectorstore=vectorstore,
    docstore=store,
    id_key=id_key,
)
# Add texts
doc_ids = [str(uuid.uuid4()) for _ in texts]
summary_texts = [Document(page_content=s,metadata={id_key: doc_ids[i]}) for i,__
 s in enumerate(text_summaries)]
retriever.vectorstore.add_documents(summary_texts)
retriever.docstore.mset(list(zip(doc_ids, texts)))
# Add tables
table_ids = [str(uuid.uuid4()) for _ in tables]
summary_tables = [Document(page_content=s,metadata={id_key: table_ids[i]}) for_
 ₄i, s in enumerate(table_summaries)]
retriever.vectorstore.add_documents(summary_tables)
retriever.docstore.mset(list(zip(table_ids, tables)))
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0.5 RAG from LangChain Expression Language.

Run RAG pipeline.

```
[]: from operator import itemgetter
from langchain_schema_runnable import RunnablePassthrough

# Prompt template
template = """Answer the question based only on the following context, which_
_can include text and tables:
{context}
Question: {question}
```

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prompt = ChatPromptTemplate.from_template(template)
     # LLM
     model = ChatOpenAI(temperature=0,model="qpt-4")
     #model = ChatOpenAI(temperature=0,model="gpt-3.5-turbo")
     # RAG pipeline
     chain = (
         {"context": retriever, "question": RunnablePassthrough()}
          prompt
          model
          StrOutputParser()
     )
[ ]: chain_invoke("What is the number of training tokens for LLaMA2?")
[]: 'LLaMA 2 was pretrained on 2 trillion tokens of data from publicly available
     sources.'
[ ]: chain_invoke("What is the average tokens in prompt for Stanford SHP?")
[]: 'The average number of tokens in the prompt for Stanford SHP is 338.3.'
[]: chain_invoke("What is the average tokens in responses for Meta?")
[]: 'The average number of tokens in responses for Meta is 234.1.'
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- []: 'The average tokens in responses for Meta is 31.4.'
- []: chain_invoke("What is the Pretraining data ?")

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WARNING:urllib3.connectionpool:Retrying (Retry(total=2, connect=None, read=None, redirect=None, status=None)) after connection broken by 'RemoteDisconnected('Remote end closed connection without response')': /runs/9be6bdb4-0933-4777-b41a-438c4441da8d

[]: 'The pretraining data for Llama 2 models includes a new mix of data from publicly available sources, which does not include data from Meta's products or services. Efforts were made to remove data from certain sites known to contain a high volume of personal information about private individuals. The training was performed on 2 trillion tokens of data, up-sampling the most factual sources in an effort to increase knowledge and dampen hallucinations. The pretraining data has a cutoff of September 2022.'

We can check the trace to see what chunks were retrieved.

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