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## LangChain Documents for Building RAG Applications

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# What you will learn

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Explore LangChain tool documents to build RAG applications

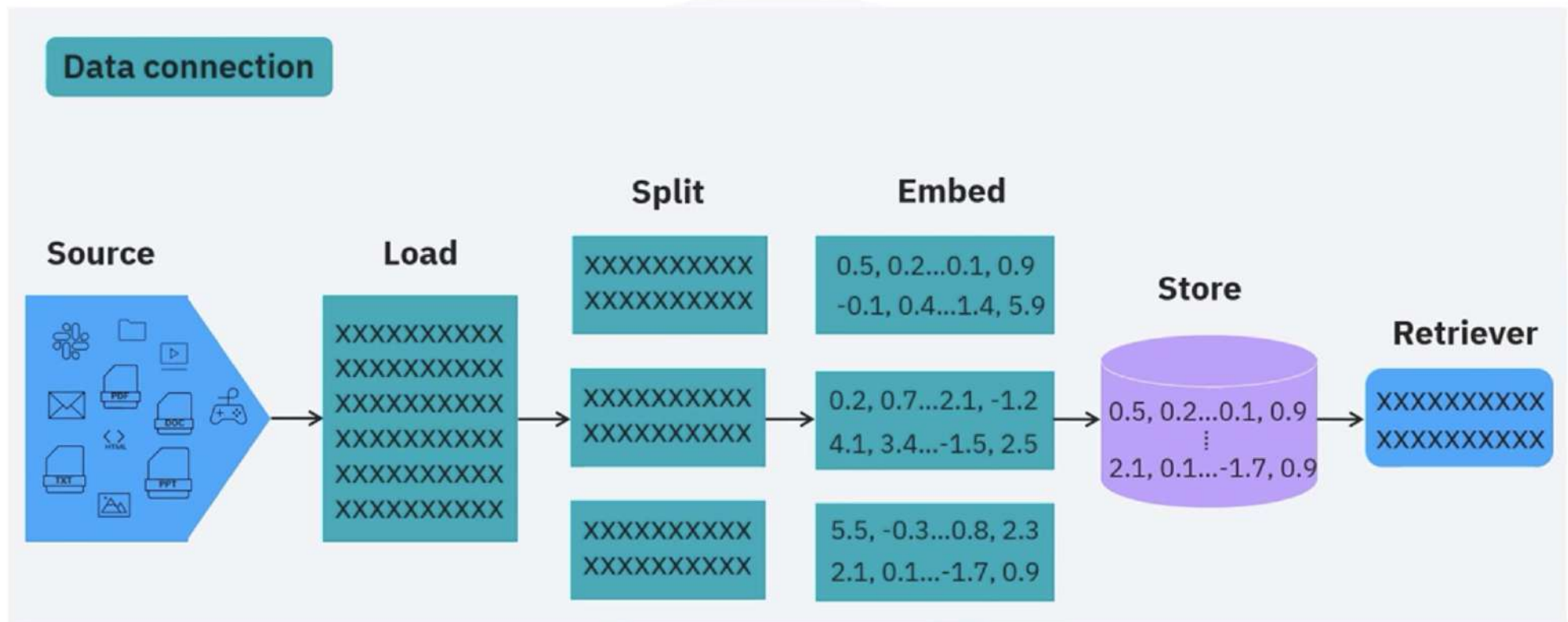


Explain the components of documents

# Introduction to building applications



# Documents

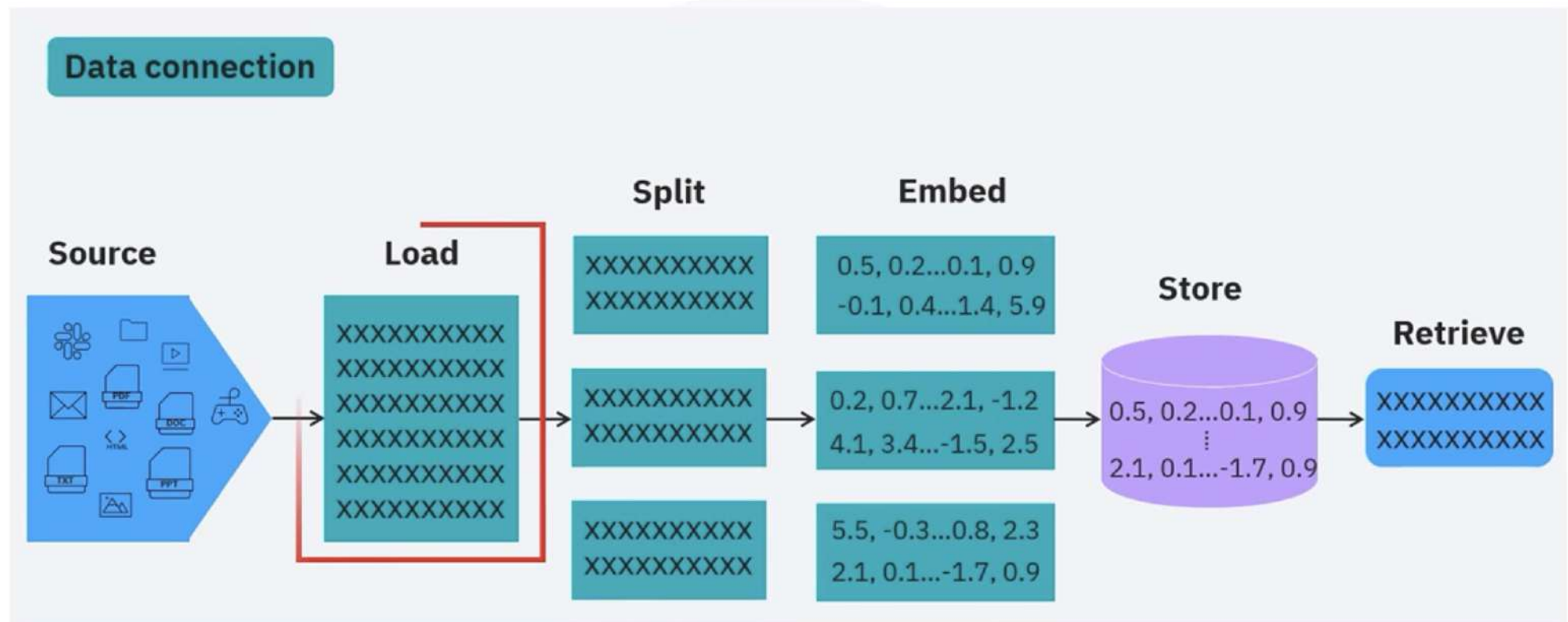


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# Documents source

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Document(page_content="""Python is an interpreted high-level general-  
purpose programming language.  
Python's design philosophy emphasizes code readability with its notable use of significant indentation."""  
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```

# Document loader



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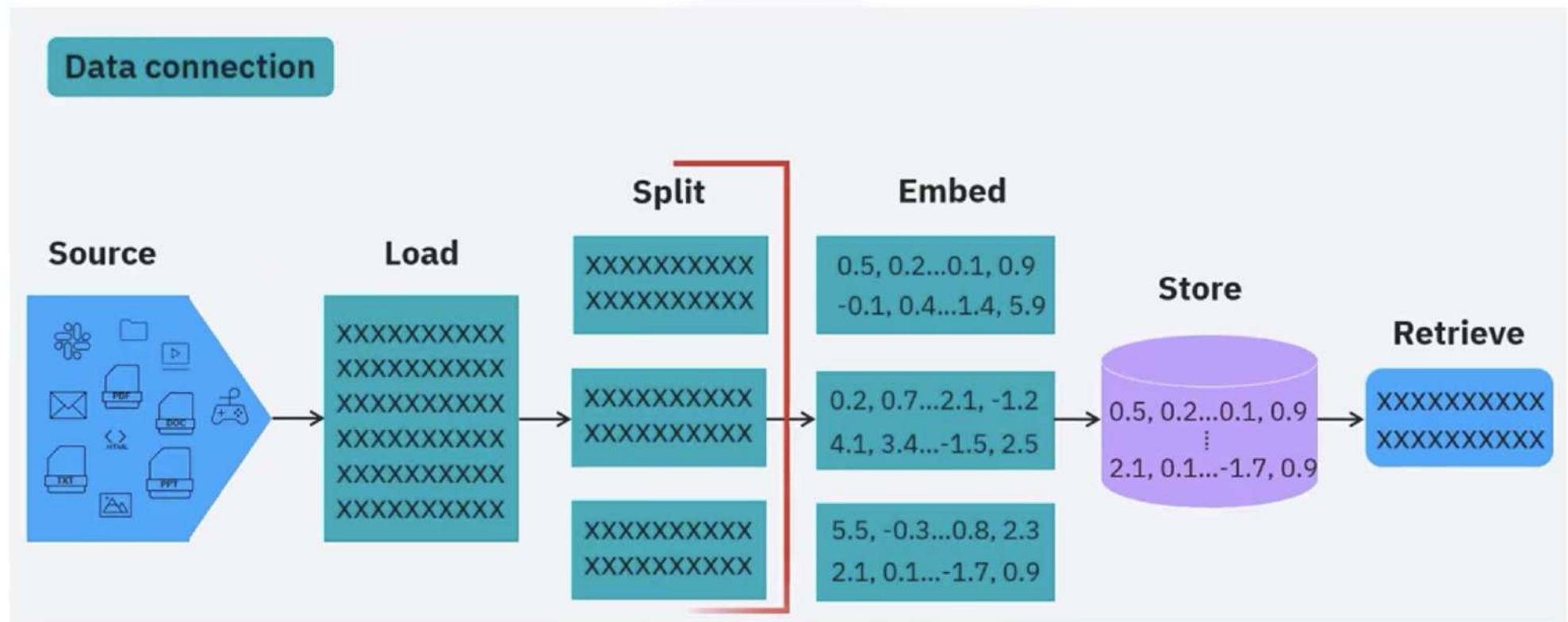
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```
loader = WebBaseLoader("https://python.langchain.com/v0.2/docs/introduction/")  
web_data = loader.load()
```



# Document transformation



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# Document transformation: Text splitter

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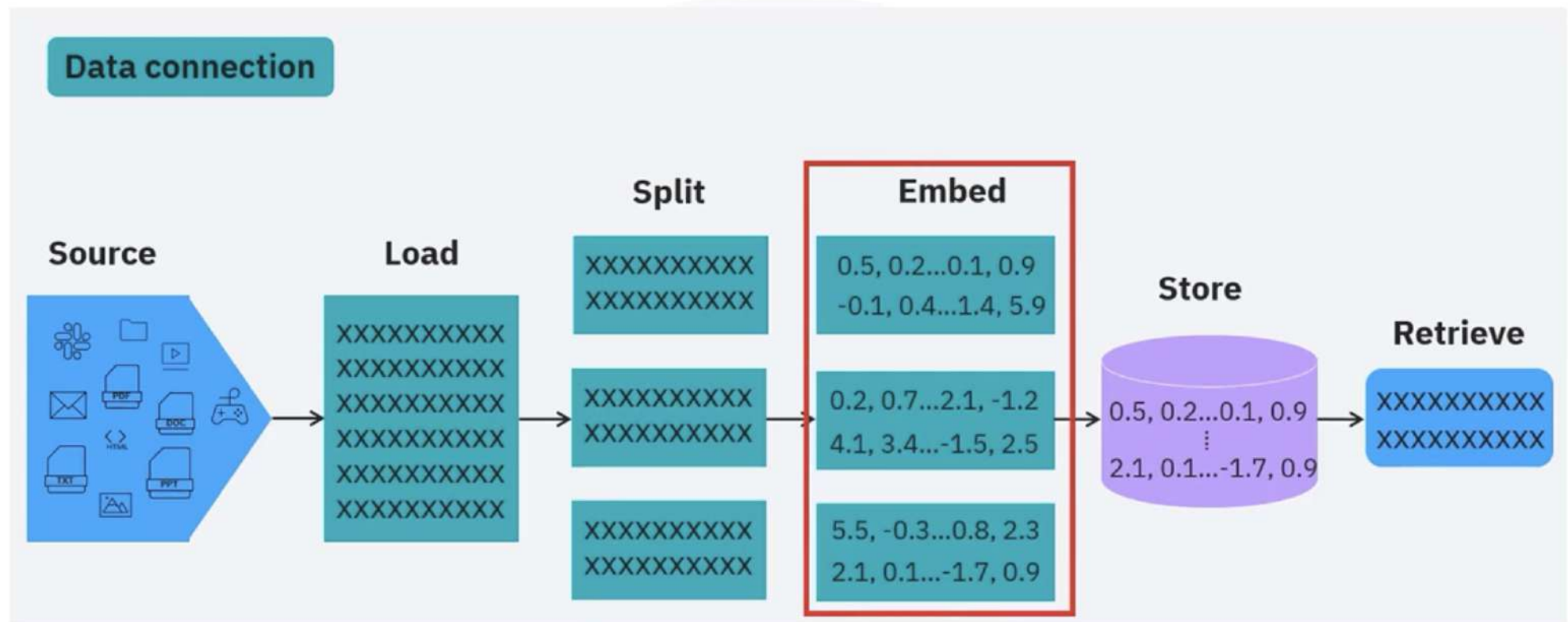
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from ibm_watsonx_ai.metanames import EmbedTextParamsMetaNames
from langchain_ibm import WatsonxEmbeddings

embed_params = {
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watsonx_embedding = WatsonxEmbeddings(
    model_id="ibm/slate-125m-english-rtrvr",
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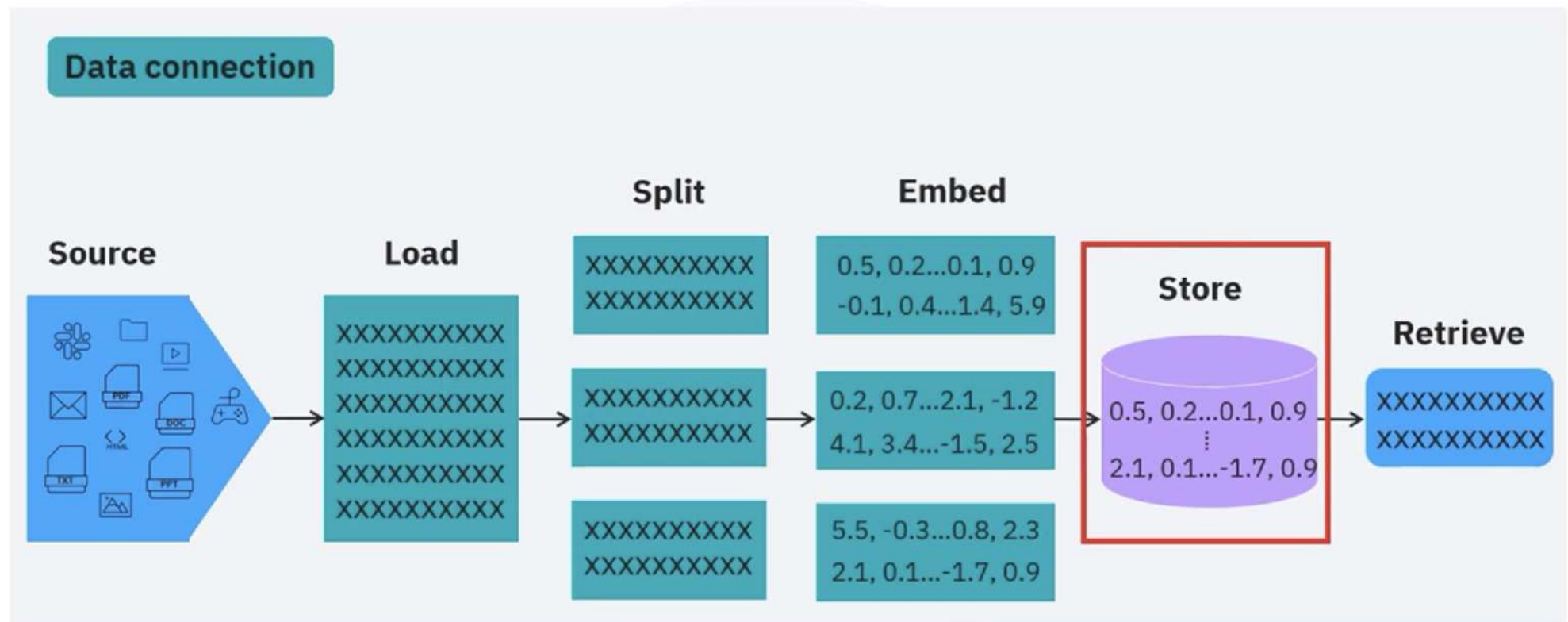
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texts = [text.page_content for text in chunks]  
  
embedding_result = watsonx_embedding.embed_documents(texts)
```



# Document storage



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# Document storage: Vector database

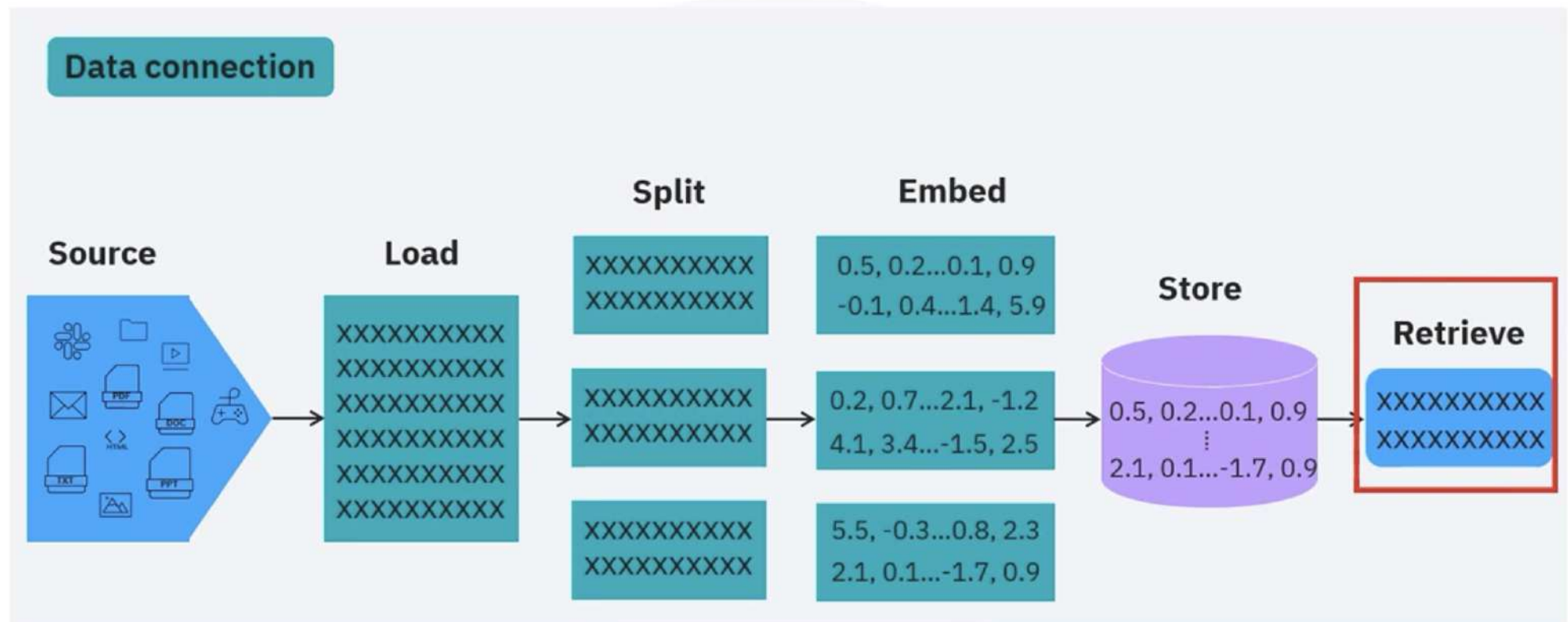
```
from langchain.vectorstores import Chroma

docsearch = Chroma.from_documents(chunks, watsonx_embedding)

query = "Langchain"
docs = docsearch.similarity_search(query)
print(docs[0].page_content)
```

LangChain helps us to unlock the ability to harness the LLM's immense potential in tasks such as document analysis, chatbot development, code analysis, and countless other

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retriever = docsearch.as_retriever()
```

```
docs = retriever.invoke("Langchain")
```

```
docs[0].page_content
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# Recap

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- LangChain facilitates comprehensive tools for RAG applications
- Document object in LangChain serves as a container for data information
- LangChain document loader handles various document types
- LangChain in document retrieves relevant isolated sections from the documents by splitting them into manageable pieces
- Embedding models embed documents and LangChain facilitates various retrievers