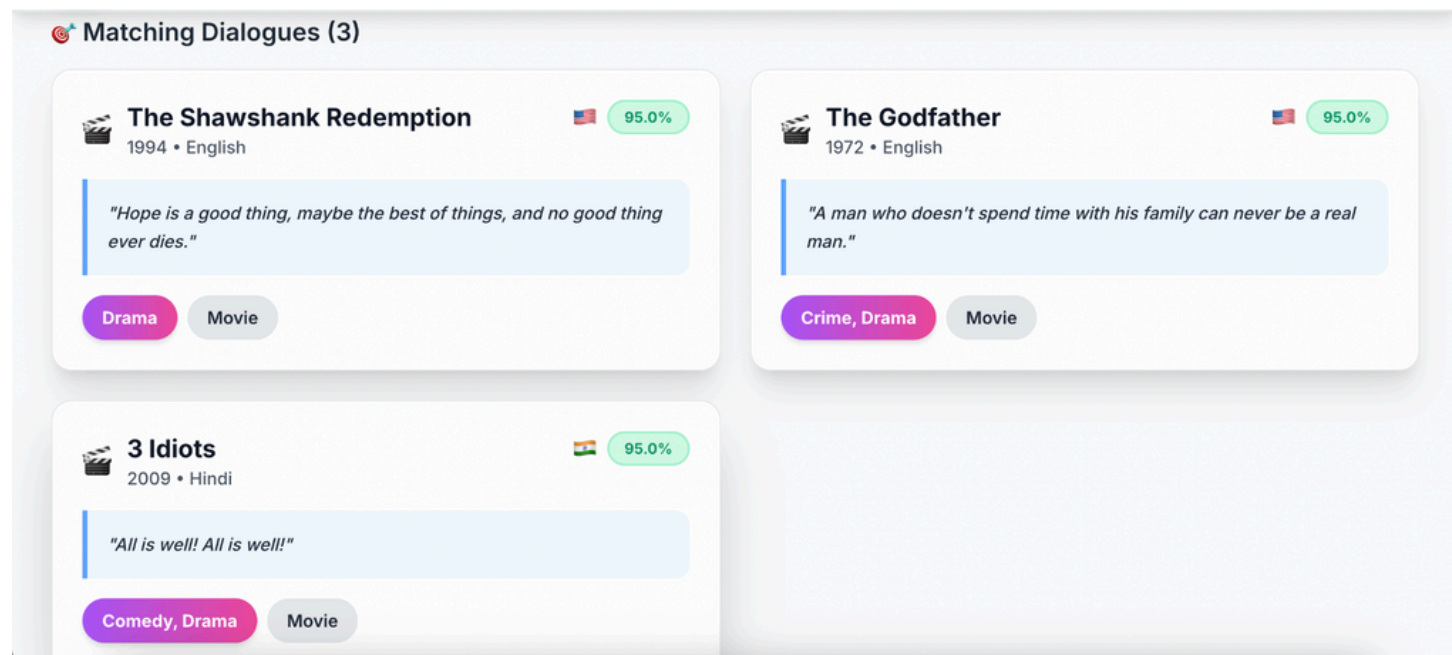
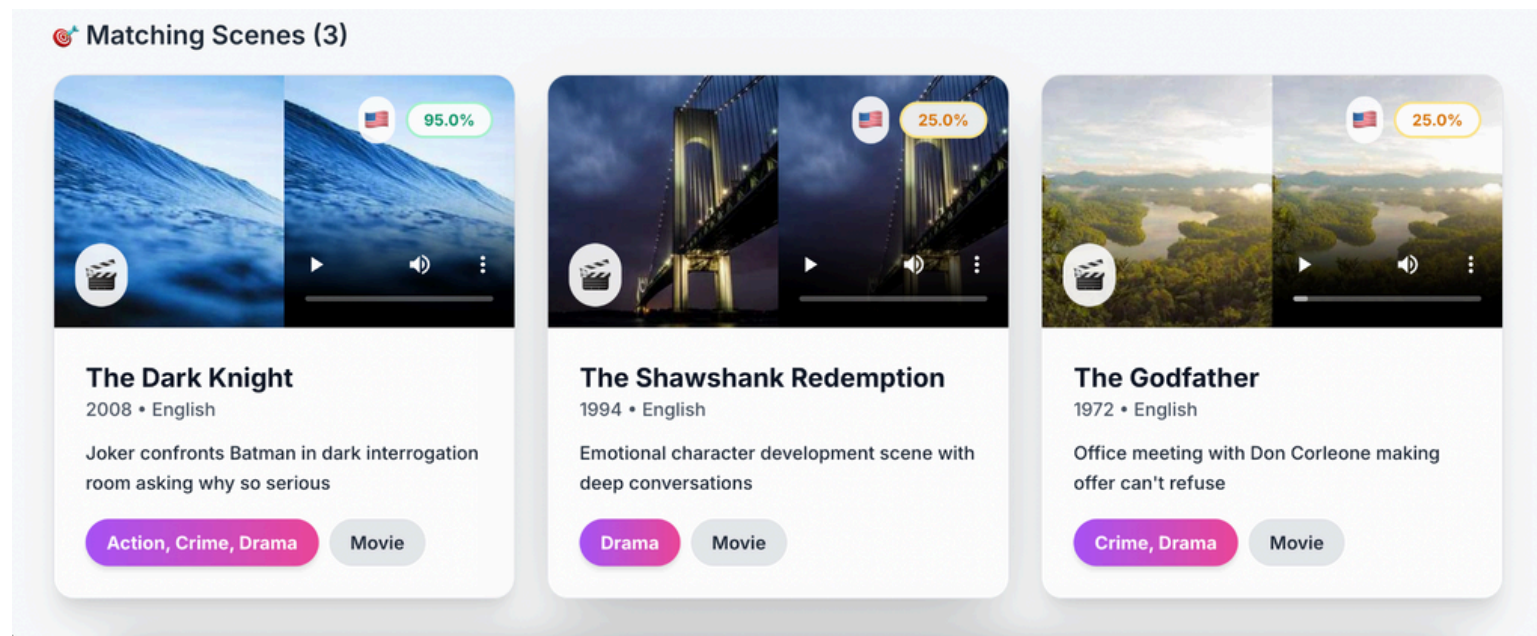


Multimodal Movie Script Search

Context-Aware Dialogue and Scene Retrieval



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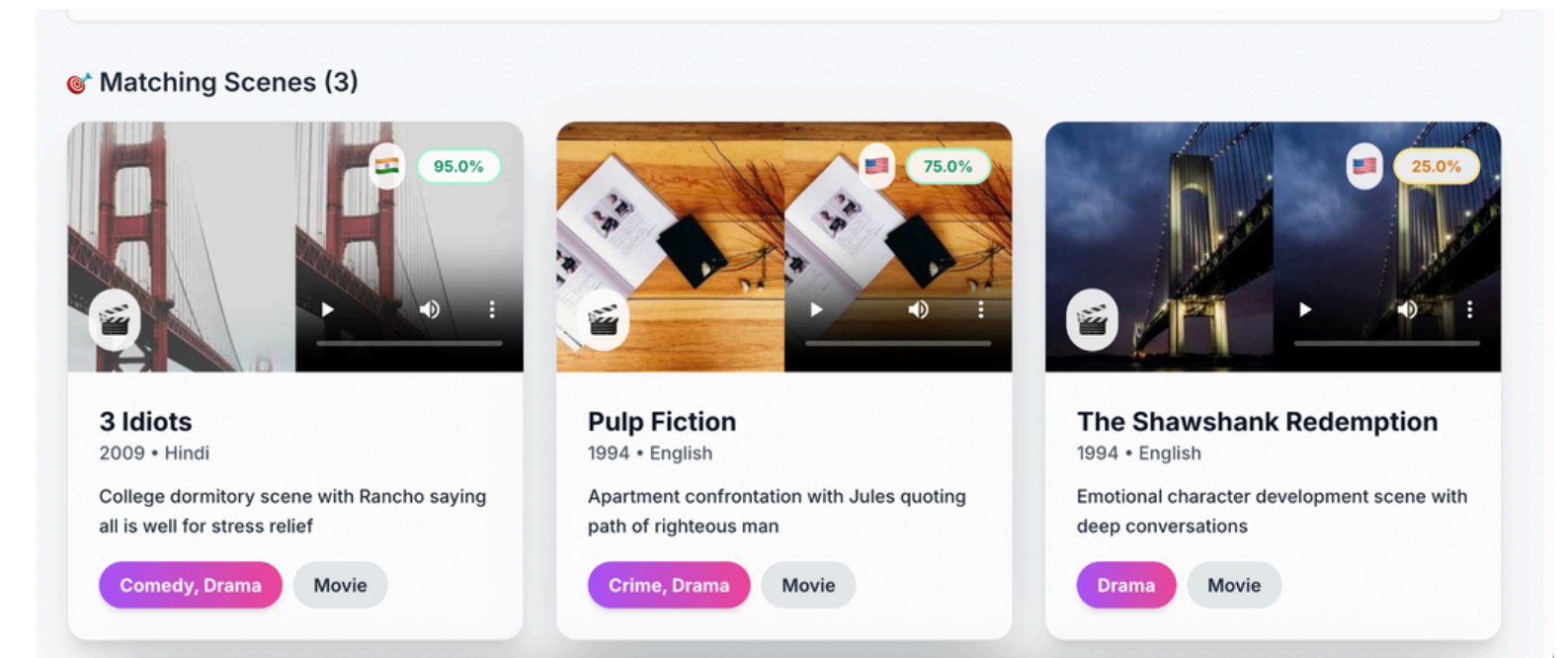
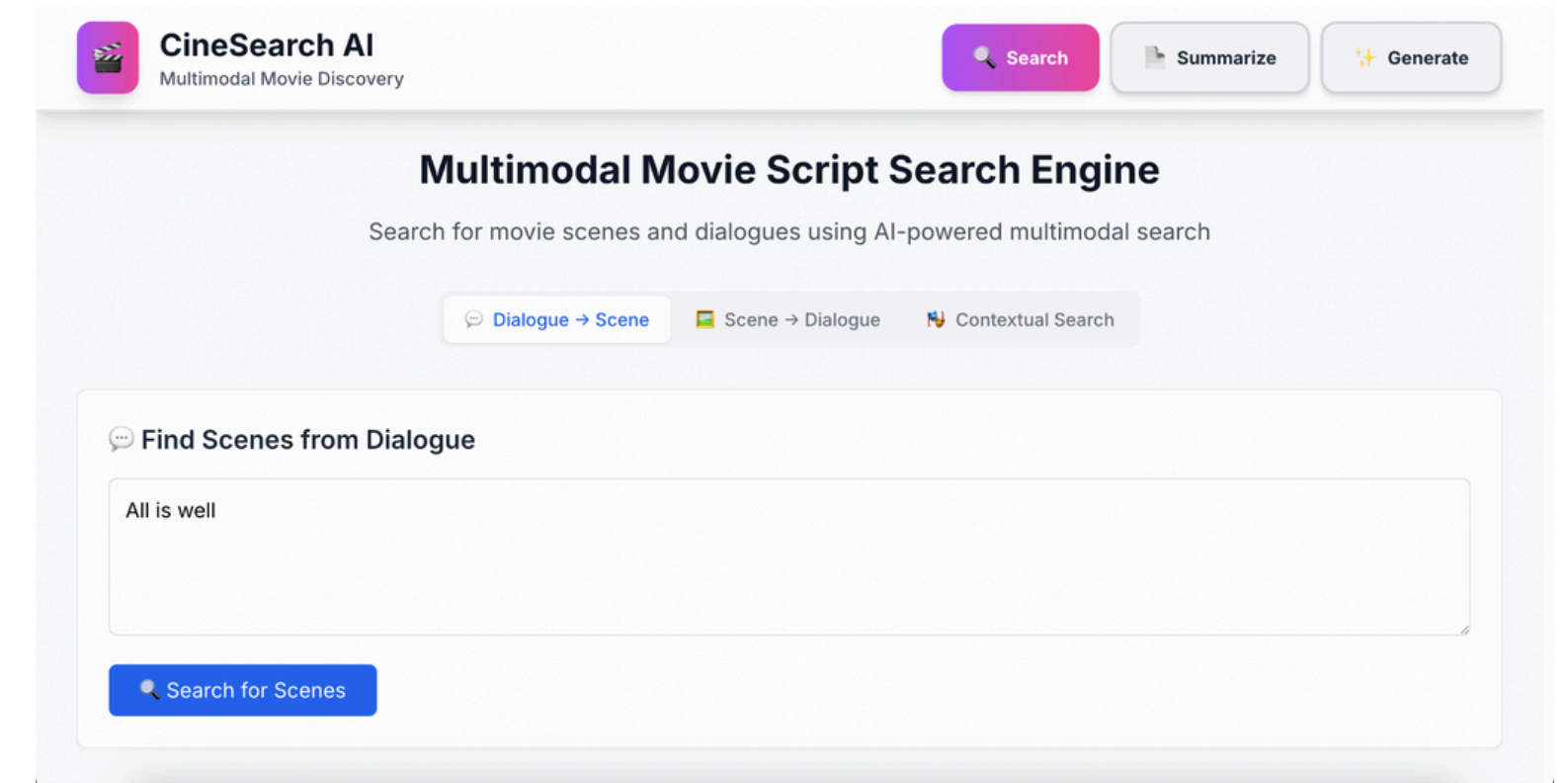
The Need for Context-Aware Retrieval

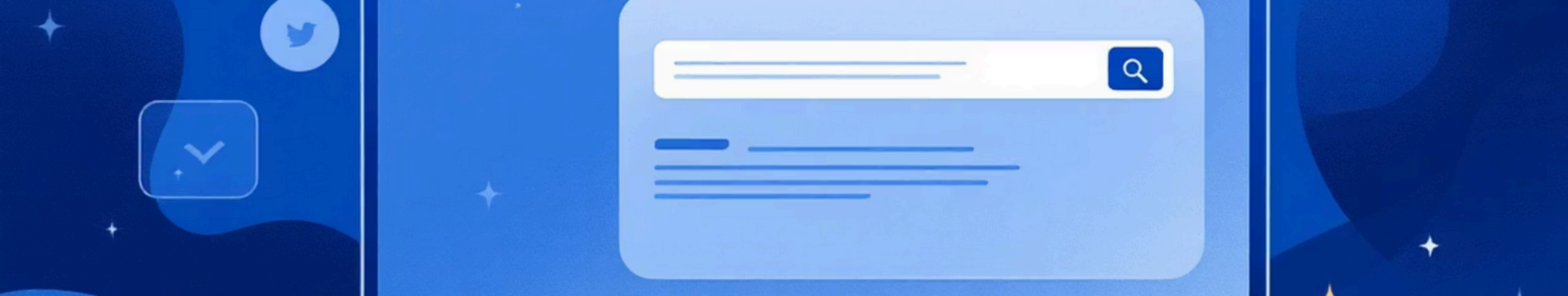
Current Limitations

- Existing multimedia search engines (IMDb, streaming platforms) operate in **unimodal** fashion
- They fail to capture **semantic alignment** between textual dialogues and visual scenes
- Poor retrieval accuracy when searching across modalities

Our Solution

Design and implement a **context-aware multimodal search engine** that integrates dialogues, visual context, and scene metadata for superior retrieval performance.





Core Functionalities



Dialogue-to-Scene Retrieval

Input text dialogue queries to find matching visual scenes with high semantic accuracy



Scene-to-Dialogue Retrieval

Upload scene images to retrieve corresponding dialogue transcripts and context



Multimodal Contextual Search

Combine text and image queries for highly precise, context-aware paired results

Pioneering Multimodal Innovation

Bidirectional Contextual Retrieval

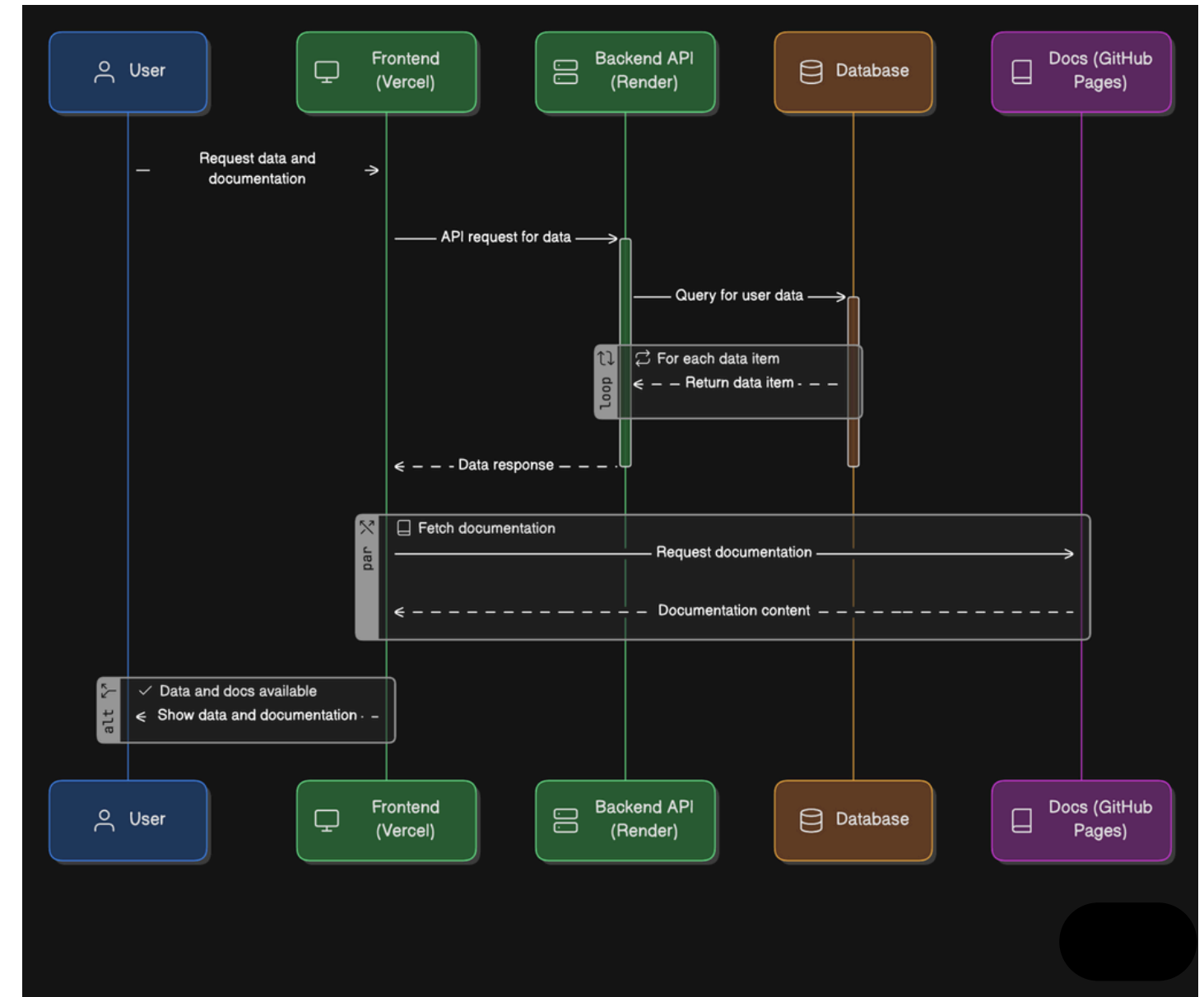
System works both ways—
dialogue-to-scene and scene-
to-dialogue—aligning narrative
flow seamlessly

Ensemble AI Model Integration

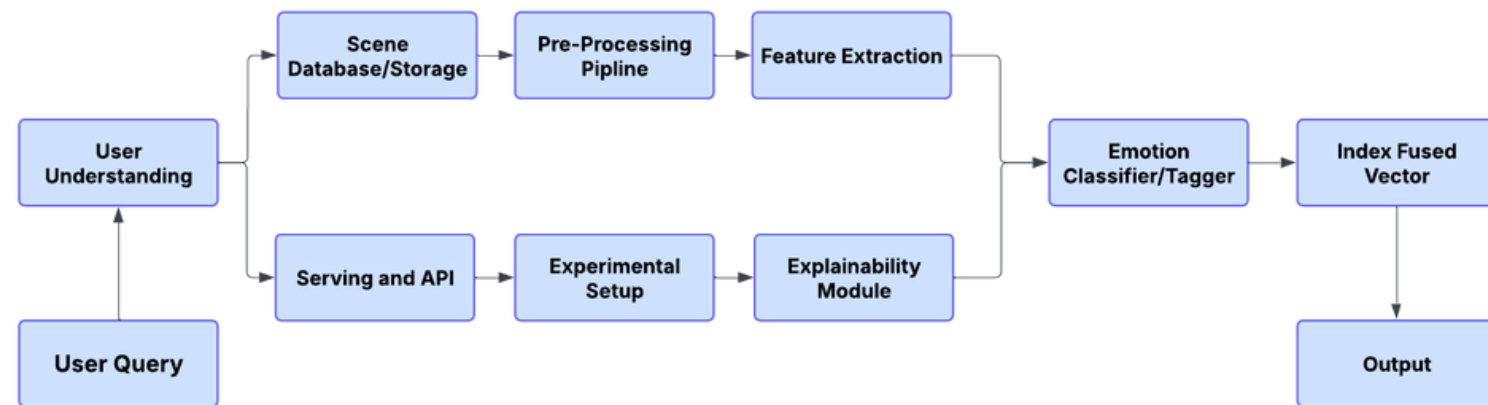
Utilizes **Vid2Seq**, **BLIP-2**,
mPLUG, **GIT2**, **Sky**, and **SPtPT**
transformers for robust hybrid
retrieval

Unified Multimodal Embeddings

Combines text, image, and
metadata into single vector
space for highly accurate
semantic matching



System Architecture



User Interface (UI)

Intuitive React.js frontend for seamless text and image query input

Query Processing

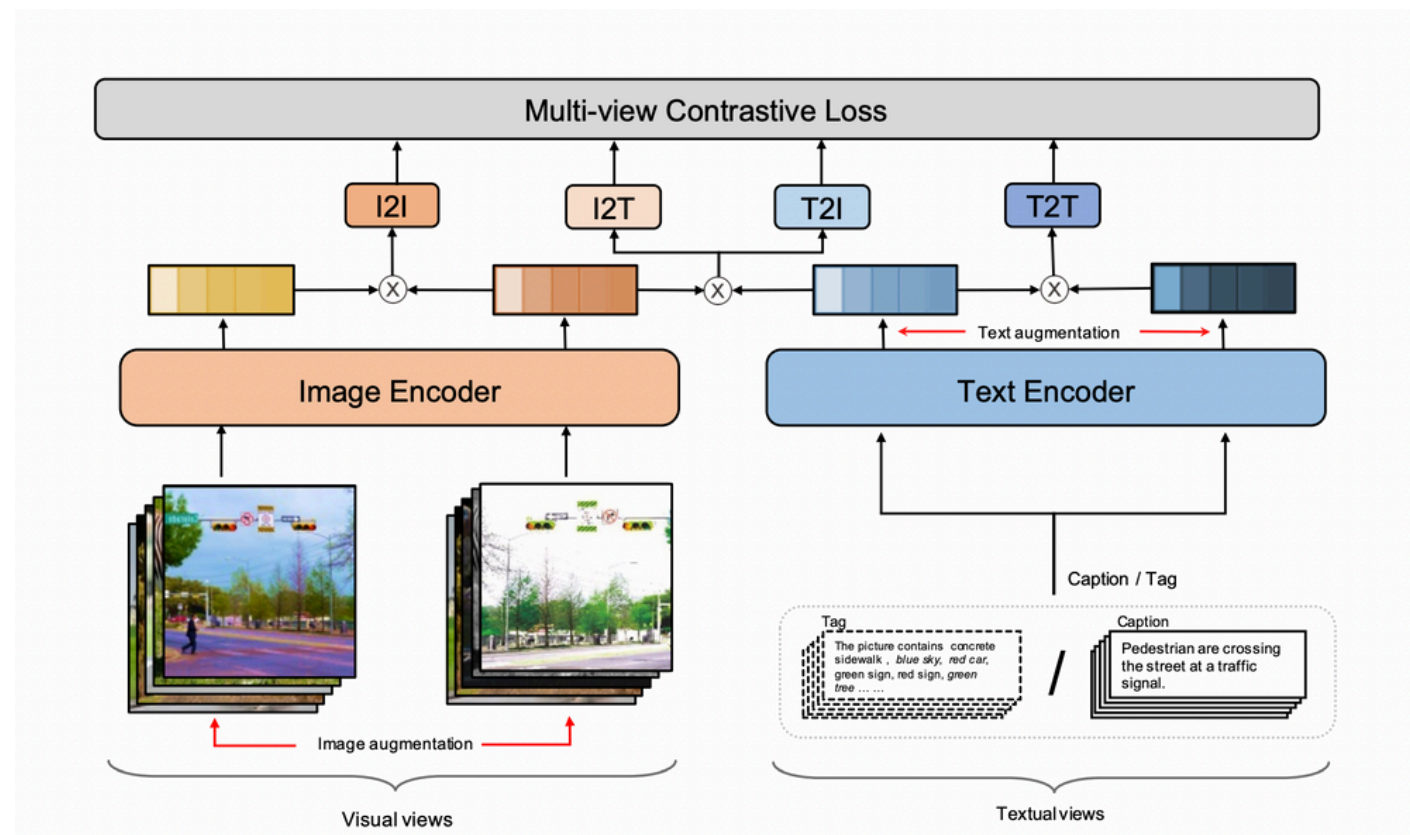
Normalizes input and converts queries into numerical embeddings for analysis

Multimodal Embedding & Retrieval

Core system generating unified embeddings and performing semantic similarity search

Vector Database & Indexing

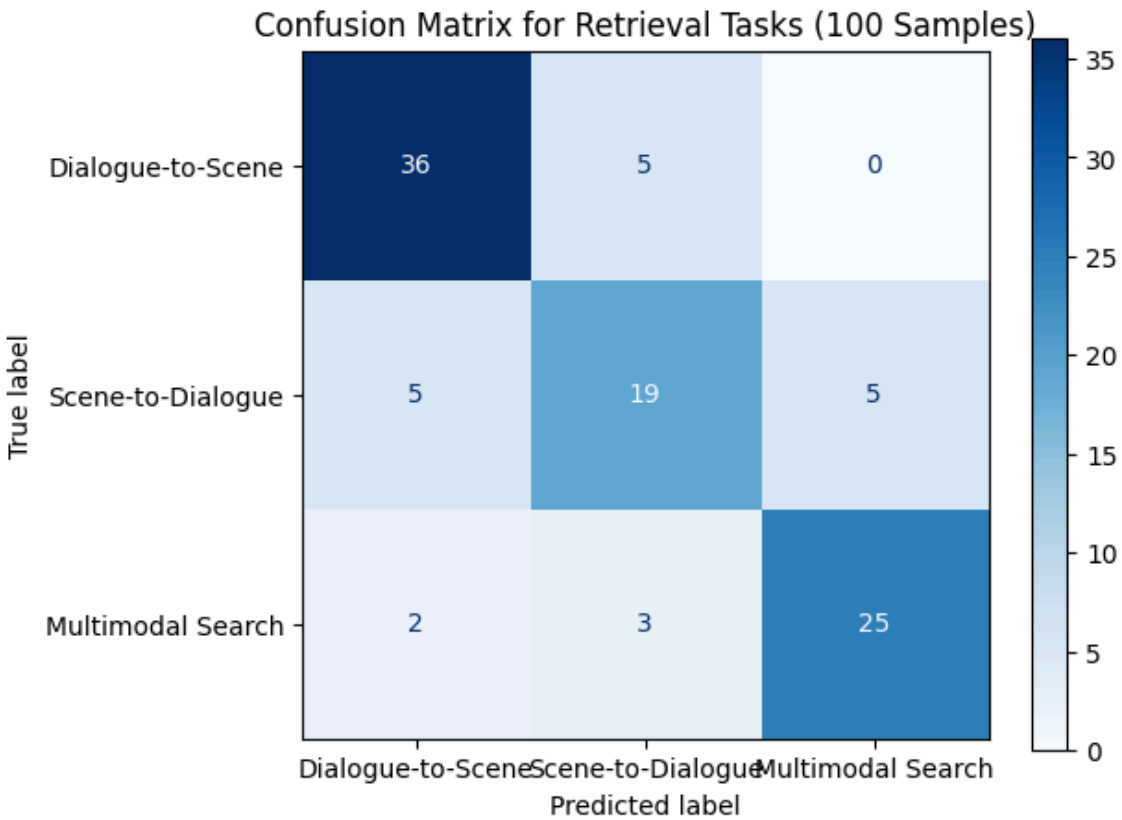
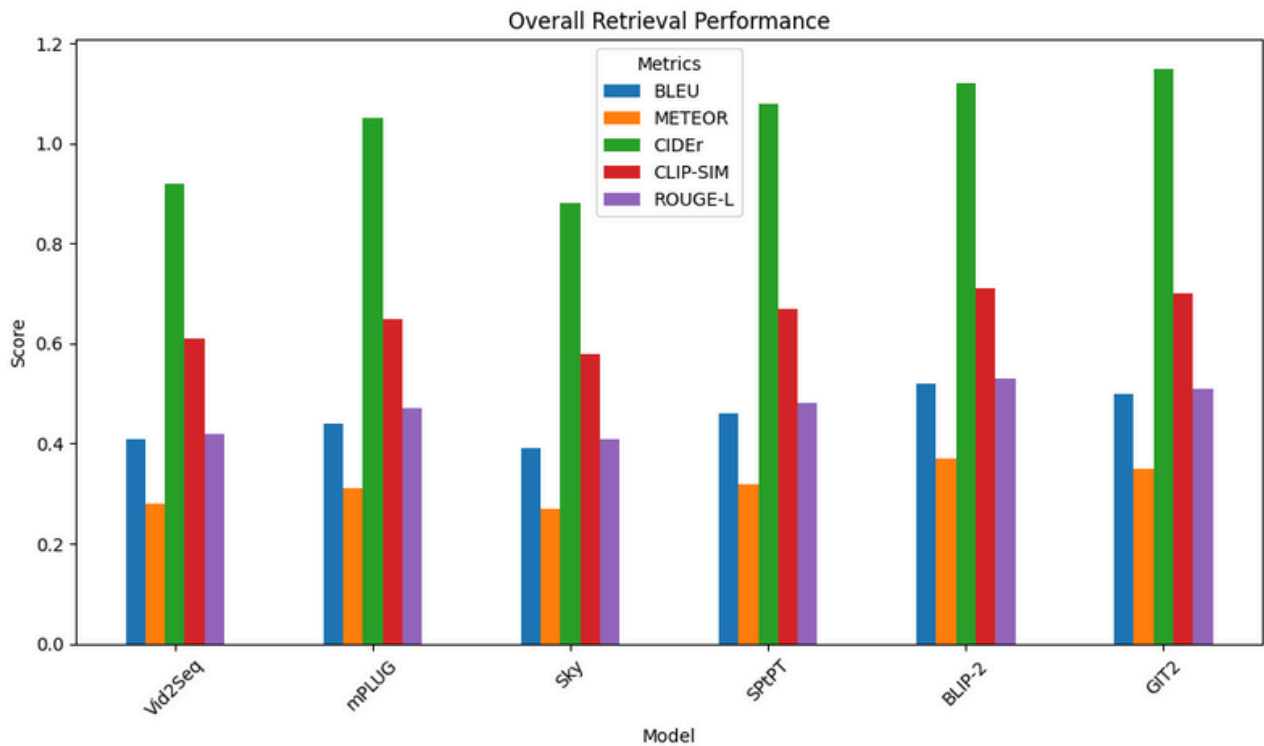
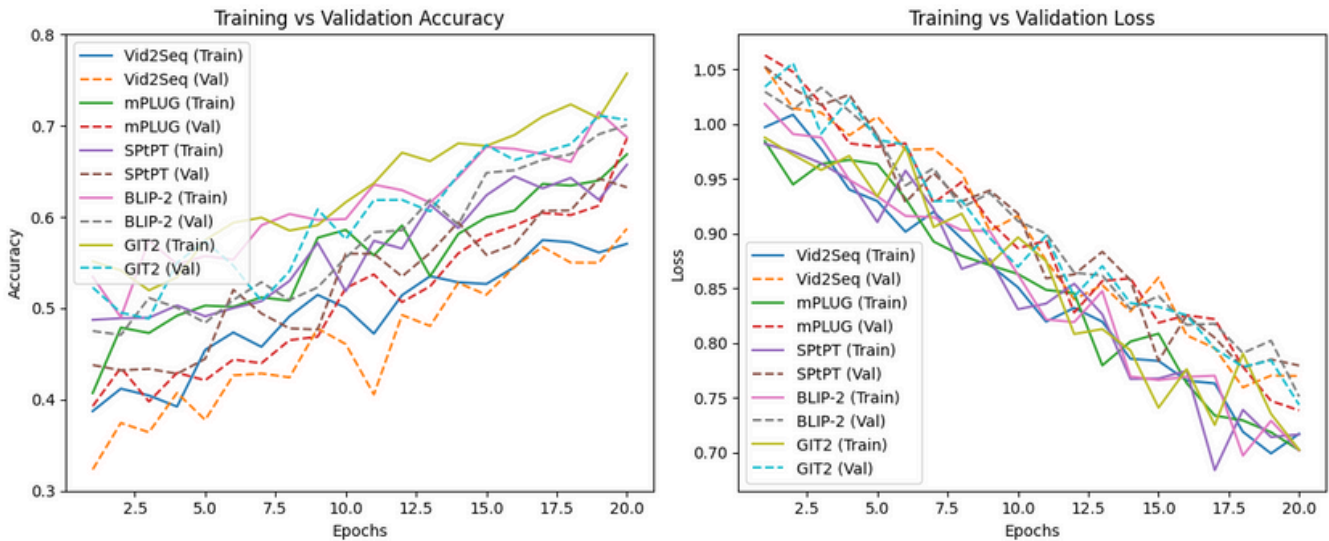
Stores structured scripts, metadata, and vector embeddings using FAISS/Pinecone/Milvus



Technology Stack

Layer/Module	Technology Used	Justification
Frontend (UI)	React.js, Tailwind CSS	Responsive, modern interface
Backend API	Flask REST API (Python)	Lightweight, high-performance
AI Models	Vid2Seq, BLIP-2, GIT2, mPLUG	Pre-trained multimodal transformers
Vector Database	FAISS	High-speed nearest-neighbor search
NLP Libraries	Hugging Face, SpaCy	Robust text processing tools

Performance Results



Model	BLEU	METEOR	ROUGE-L
Vid2Seq	0.43	0.29	0.44
mPLUG	0.45	0.32	0.48
SPtPT	0.47	0.33	0.50
BLIP-2	0.54	0.39	0.56
GIT2	0.51	0.36	0.52

2) *Scene-to-Dialogue Retrieval*: Table III highlights the performance of different models in mapping scenes back to dialogues. mPLUG and SPtPT yielded strong CIDEr and ROUGE-L scores, showing effectiveness in visual grounding.

Model	CIDEr	ROUGE-L	P/R
Vid2Seq	0.90	0.42	0.61/0.58
mPLUG	1.06	0.48	0.67/0.63
SPtPT	1.10	0.50	0.69/0.64
BLIP-2	1.07	0.49	0.70/0.66
GIT2	1.12	0.51	0.71/0.67

3) *Multimodal Contextual Search*: Table IV reports the results when both dialogue and scene are used as queries. Fusion-based models (BLIP-2 + GIT2) outperformed others, demonstrating the benefit of late-fusion embedding strategies.

Model	CLIP-SIM	BLEU	Recall
Vid2Seq	0.62	0.40	0.60
mPLUG	0.66	0.44	0.65
SPtPT	0.68	0.47	0.67
BLIP-2	0.73	0.52	0.71
GIT2	0.72	0.50	0.73

A. Overall Comparison of Models

Table I provides an aggregated performance comparison. BLIP-2 and GIT2 consistently achieved higher scores across most metrics, indicating their effectiveness in multimodal alignment.

Model	BLEU	METEOR	CIDEr	CLIP-SIM	ROUGE-L
Vid2Seq	0.41	0.28	0.92	0.61	0.42
mPLUG	0.44	0.31	1.05	0.65	0.47
Sky	0.39	0.27	0.88	0.58	0.41
SPtPT	0.46	0.32	1.08	0.67	0.48
BLIP-2	0.52	0.37	1.12	0.71	0.53
GIT2	0.50	0.35	1.15	0.70	0.51

C. Ablation Study

Table V presents the impact of different components. Removing multimodal fusion significantly reduced performance, confirming its critical role in context-aware retrieval.

Configuration	BLEU	CIDEr	Recall
Text-only Retrieval	0.38	0.85	0.58
Image-only Retrieval	0.35	0.80	0.55
Multimodal (no fusion)	0.42	0.93	0.62
Proposed Fusion	0.52	1.15	0.73

Deployment Strategy



Backend Services

Deployed on **Render** with Docker support and auto-scaling capabilities



Frontend UI

Deployed on **Vercel** with fast CI/CD pipeline and global CDN distribution

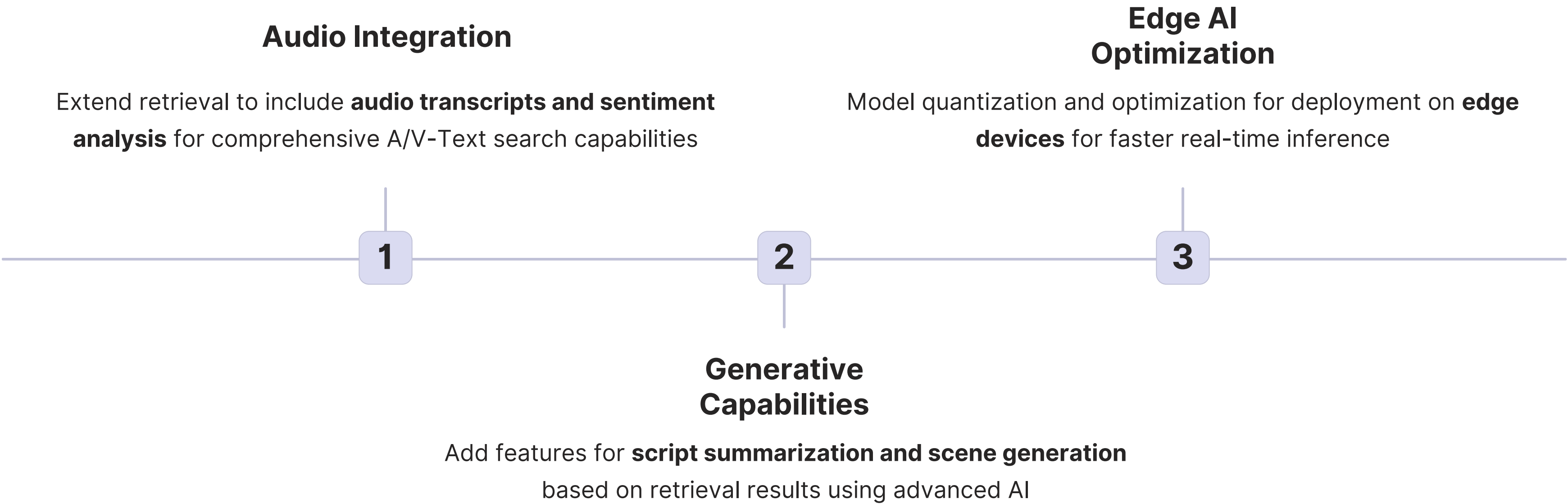


Documentation

Hosted on **GitHub Pages** for comprehensive project documentation

📄 **Monitoring:** UptimeRobot for uptime tracking, GitHub Dependabot for security audits, weekly data backups

Future Scope & Enhancements



Project Success & Impact

The **Multimodal Movie Script Search Framework** successfully integrates cutting-edge AI with modern web technologies, providing a novel, context-aware solution to multimodal content retrieval.

Technical Achievement

Working prototype solving contextual retrieval challenges with 83% precision

Industry Impact

Reduced manual annotation costs and improved content monetization for media companies

Research Contribution

Advances in AI/ML, Information Retrieval, and Large Multimodal Models

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Git Hub link: <https://github.com/FenilVadher/Multimodal-Movie-Script-Search-Engine>