Langserve

pip install fastapi

pip install uvicorn

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pip install sse_starlette

What is LangServe?

LangServe is a tool that helps you **turn your LangChain-based app into a website backend (an API)** that other apps (like your frontend, chatbot, or browser) can talk to.

LangChain chain (LLM app) → served as a web API endpoint → that you (or others) can call from anywhere (frontend, JS, curl, etc.)

What does "Serve as a Web API" mean?

- Imagine your chatbot is ready. But you want others to use it from their browser or frontend code.
- LangServe helps you expose your chain as a web URL (like http://localhost:8000/chat/invoke) that others can send data to.

This is called an **API endpoint**.

So the full idea is:

Your LangChain logic → exposed to the web using LangServe → now anyone can send questions and get answers using **URLs** or frontend code.



Why Use LangServe?

Feature	Explanation
Rapid Deployment	Serve chains as web APIs instantly with minimal code
Auto-generated Docs	FastAPI generates Swagger/OpenAPI docs automatically
Flexible	Accepts input/output schemas, handles batches, streaming, etc.
Auth, CORS, etc.	Inherits FastAPI's full power for security, rate limits, etc.

FastAPI

Imports:

from fastapi import FastAPI from langchain_core.prompts import ChatPromptTemplate from langchain_core.output_parsers import StrOutputParser from langchain_groq import ChatGroq import os from dotenv import load_dotenv from langserve import add_routes

load_dotenv() groq_api_key = os.getenv("GROQ_API_KEY")

Model:

```
model=ChatGroq(model="Gemma2-9b-It",groq_api_key=groq_api_key)
```

Langserve:

```
pip install "langserve[all]"
```

This installs:

- LangServe
- FastAPI
- Uvicorn (production server)
- Pydantic (input/output schemas)

from langserve import add_routes: Helps to create APIs

Write the previous translation code:

App Definition

Execute the program:

```
if __name__ == "__main__":
  import uvicorn
  uvicorn.run(app)
```



!!Do not run the above file in Jupyter Notebook

```
PROBLEMS ① OUTPUT DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS JUPYTER

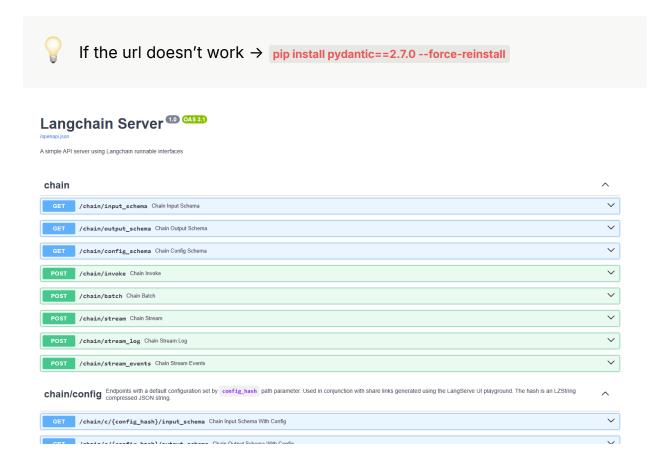
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(d:\Python_Env\LangChain\venv/python_Env\LangChain\venv/python_exe d:/Python_Env/LangChain/serve.py
INFO: Started server process [19772]
INFO: Waiting for application startup.

LANGSERVE: Playground for chain "/chain/" is live at:

LANGSERVE: > /chain/playground/
LANGSERVE: See all available routes at /docs/
INFO: Application startup complete.
INFO: Uvicorn running on http://127.0.0.1:8000 (Press CTRL+C to quit)
```

Go to $\rightarrow http://127.0.0.1:8000/docs$



Try it out:

```
{
    "input": {
        "language": "hindi",
        "text": "hello"
    },
    "config": {},
    "kwargs": {}
}
```

```
200

Response body

{
    "output": "नमस्ते (Namaste) \n",
    "metadata": {
        "run_id": "182ee0bb-549d-4aa1-b339-44c5154e9e36",
        "feedback_tokens": []
    }
}

Response headers
```