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- Time consuming
- Demanding
- Frustrating

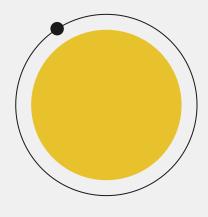
# Peer Reviews











# Enter re:vise

A writing feedback generating bot



## **Inspiration**



#### Standard Prompting

Q: Roger has 5 tennis balls. He buys 2 more cans of tennis balls. Each can has 3 tennis balls. How many tennis balls does he have now?

A: The answer is 11.

Input

Q: The cafeteria had 23 apples. If they used 20 to make lunch and bought 6 more, how many apples do they have?

#### **Model Output**

A: The answer is 27.



#### Chain of Thought Prompting

#### Input

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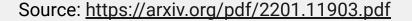
A: Roger started with 5 balls. 2 cans of 3 tennis balls each is 6 tennis balls. 5 + 6 = 11. The answer is 11.

Q: The cafeteria had 23 apples. If they used 20 to make lunch and bought 6 more, how many apples do they have?

#### **Model Output**

A: The cafeteria had 23 apples originally. They used 20 to make lunch. So they had 23 - 20 = 3. They bought 6 more apples, so they have 3 + 6 = 9. The answer is 9.

Figure 1: Chain-of-thought prompting enables large language models to tackle complex arithmetic, commonsense, and symbolic reasoning tasks. Chain-of-thought reasoning processes are highlighted.



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#### **Writing Feedback Generation**

This is a Cohere API powered contextualized bot!

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Input your text here

While doing these activities, I made sure to enhance my knowledge by taking challenging courses and doing well in them. I took a variety of computer science and mathematics courses to set myself up for success. For my performance in my coursework, I've consistently been given the distinction of being on the Dean's List. I am also a James Scholar, which is a selective invitation-only honors program at UIUC that engages students in challenging coursework, research projects, internships and other on-campus activities.

how does this sound?





This paragraph explains why you are an excellent student on top of your extracurriculars. You should consider elaborating on classes that you were able to apply to your other activities.

that's a good idea! a lot of my classes have taught me how to work with other people which is a skill I find valuable. do you think that is sufficient?

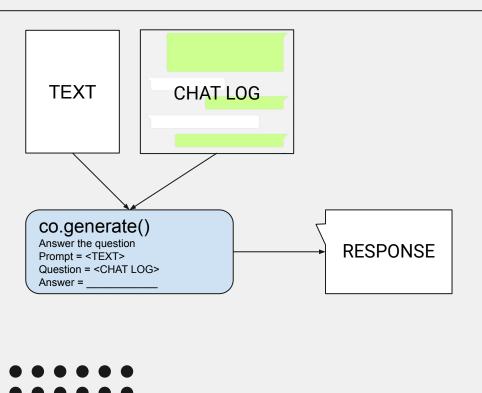


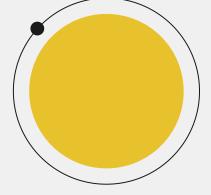


You should include that in your paragraph as it explains how taking difficult classes has been beneficial to you.

Ask me a question...like 'what are your thoughts on my writing

### **Under the Hood**

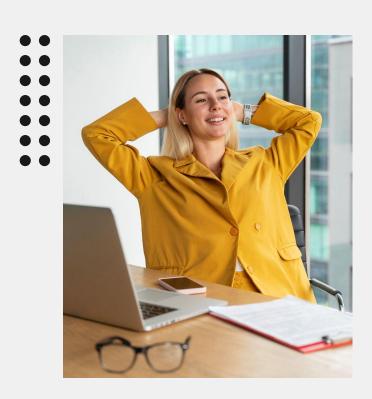




# **Applications**



## **Further Improvements**



- Feedback is dependent on context
  - Tailored prompts for each
  - Better quality prompts
- Visible suggestions from bot
  - Highlight text to imply action
  - Automated actions (i.e. delete)
- Grounded statement verification
  - Google can verify information
  - Write supported arguments

# Thanks!

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