

Conversational Agent with RAG for Research Assistance

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PROJECT GOALS



Research assistance



Relevant context retrieval



Better model reasoning

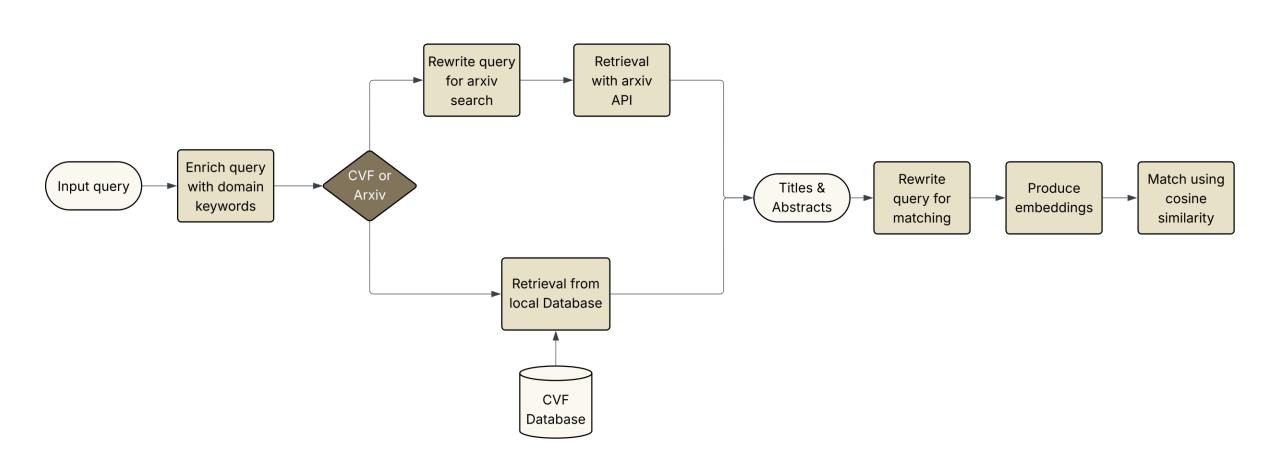
Baseline implementation

Article retrieval (arXiv)

Article & query embedding

Cosine distance matching

Improved pipeline



Results

Table 1. Retrieval performance for specific and broad queries

Specific Queries		
Method	MRR	nDCG
Current	0.361 ± 0.096	1.155 ± 0.272
Baseline	0.683 ± 0.090	2.056 ± 0.237
Broad Queries		
Method	MRR	nDCG
Current	0.236 ± 0.085	0.778 ± 0.244
Baseline	0.369 ± 0.078	1.309 ± 0.214