

The Craft: AI-Powered GitHub Issue Assistant

Core Philosophy: "Agentic Thinking in a Box"

This craft is designed to be a microcosm of the actual work you'd do at Seedling. It's not just about building a model; it's about creating a small, useful AI agent that integrates different parts (LLMs, data, APIs) to solve a concrete business problem.

Problem Statement:

At Seedling Labs, we move fast. To maintain quality and speed in our development workflow, efficiently understanding and prioritizing new GitHub issues is crucial.

Your task is to build a simple web application that takes a GitHub repository URL and an issue number as input. The application should then use AI to analyze the issue and provide a structured summary.

Core Requirements:

1. **Input UI:** A simple user interface with fields for a public GitHub repository URL (e.g., <https://github.com/facebook/react>) and an Issue Number.
2. **Backend API:** A lightweight API endpoint (e.g., using FastAPI or Flask in Python) that triggers the analysis.
3. **AI Core:** The backend should:
 - Use the GitHub API to fetch the title, body, and comments of the specified issue.
 - Utilize a Large Language Model (LLM) to process this information.
 - Generate a structured output in a specific JSON format.
4. **Output Display:** The UI should display the generated analysis in a clean, readable format.

Required AI-Generated JSON Output Format:

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{
  "summary": "A one-sentence summary of the user's problem or request.",
  "type": "Classify the issue as one of the following: bug, feature_request, documentation, question, or other.",
  "priority_score": "A score from 1 (low) to 5 (critical), with a brief justification for the score.",
  "suggested_labels": ["An array of 2-3 relevant GitHub labels (e.g., 'bug', 'UI', 'login-flow')."],
  "potential_impact": "A brief sentence on the potential impact on users if the issue is a bug."
}
```

Tech Stack Suggestions (Flexibility Encouraged):

- **Backend:** Python (FastAPI, Flask)
- **Frontend:** Streamlit or a simple HTML/JS page that calls the API. (Streamlit is excellent for rapid prototyping).
- **LLM Interaction:** LangChain, LlamaIndex, or direct API calls (e.g., Google Gemini, OpenAI, or an open-source model via Hugging Face).

Submission:

The entire project should be submitted as a link to a public GitHub repository. Your repository **must** include a clear and comprehensive [README.md](#) file explaining how to set up and run your project in under 5 minutes. This demonstrates professionalism and empathy for other developers.

Evaluation Framework (The Rubric)

We will evaluate your submission based on the following criteria, reflecting Seedling Labs' core values of problem-solving, quality, speed, and communication:

1. Problem Solving & AI Acumen (40%)

- **Prompt Engineering:** How effectively did you craft the prompt for the LLM? Is it robust and does it reliably produce the desired JSON format? Did you consider techniques like few-shot prompting?
- **System Design:** How did you structure your code to fetch data, process it with the LLM, and return the result? Is the design logical and efficient?
- **Handling Edge Cases:** Did you consider scenarios like issues with no comments, or very long issue bodies? How did your solution account for these?

2. Code Quality & Engineering Practices (30%)

- **Clarity & Readability:** Is the code clean, well-commented, and easy to understand?
- **Project Structure:** Is the project organized logically into files and folders?
- **README:** Is your [README.md](#) clear and comprehensive, allowing for easy setup?
- **Dependency Management:** Did you use a [requirements.txt](#) or [pyproject.toml](#) file?

3. Speed & Efficiency (20%)

- **Tool Usage:** Did you leverage libraries (e.g., LangChain, FastAPI) effectively to avoid reinventing the wheel and accelerate development?
- **Functionality:** Is the final product snappy, usable, and does it fully address the problem statement?

4. Communication & Initiative (10%)

- **Git History:** Are your commit messages clear, descriptive, and do they tell a story of your development process?

- **Going the Extra Mile:** Did you add any small, thoughtful features not explicitly asked for (e.g., a button to copy the JSON, basic error pop-ups in the UI, caching results)?

Good luck!