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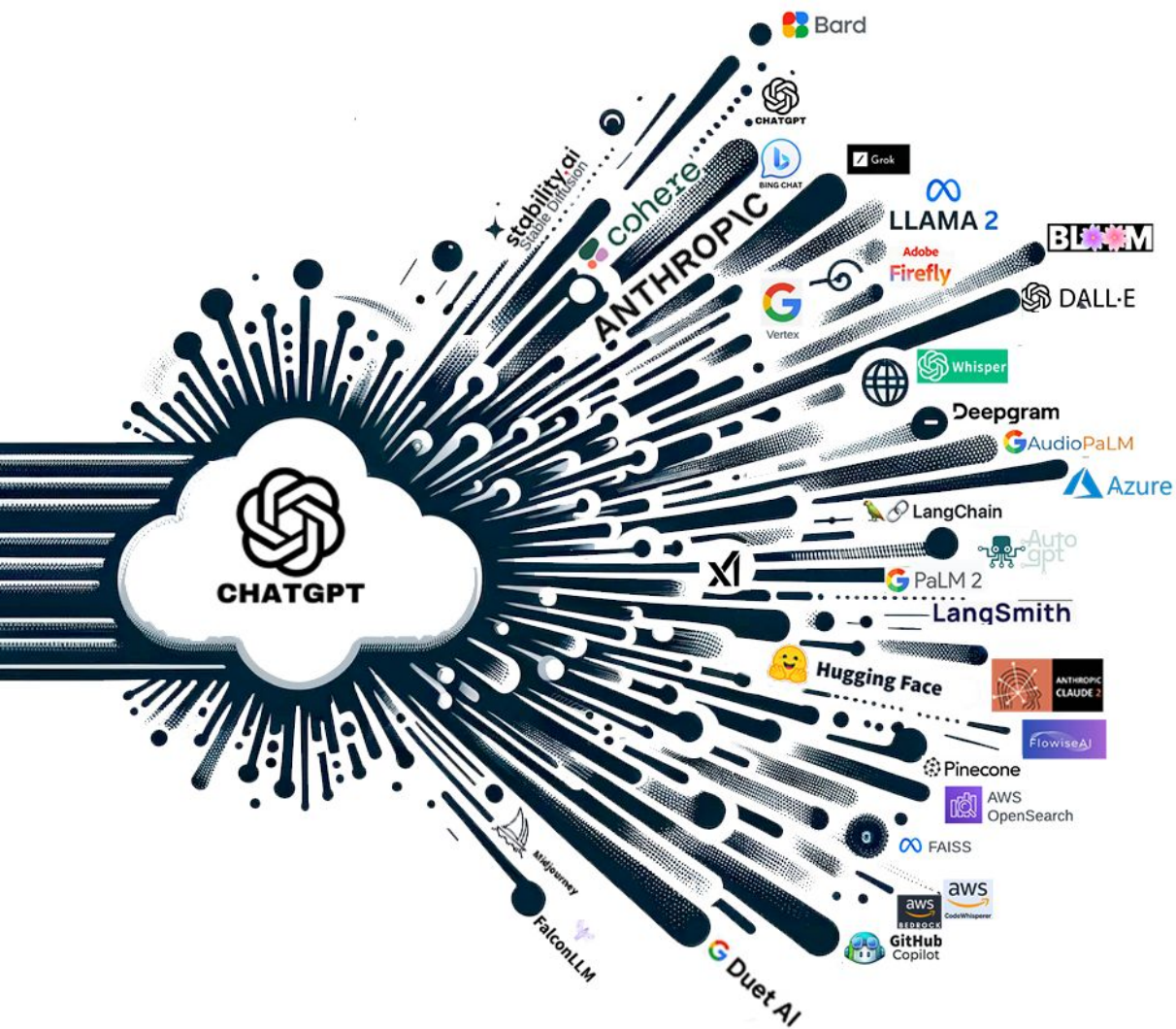
What I'll cover

1. New @ OpenAI
2. LLM Landscape
3. Prompt Engineering Techniques
4. Demos

new @ 

- Developer Day last Monday
- GPT-4 with 128k token context length
- “GPTs”
- Assistants
- Update to “Training cut off”
- GPT-4 Vision & Fine Tune APIs





LLM Landscape

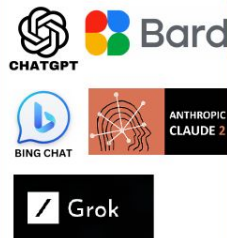
Commercial LLMs



OSS LLMs



Chat



Model Hosting & White-label LLMs



Voice Models



Image Models



Code Assist



OSS Frameworks



Vector DBs



Embedding Algs



Prompt Engineering 101

What is Prompt Engineering?

The art of crafting input to an LLM in order to direct the model towards a specific output enables LLMs to achieve more complex tasks.

Principals of Prompt Engineering:

- Instructions should be **Clear & Specific**

Write something about dogs

=>

Describe the **benefits** of having a dog as a pet for a **family** living in an **urban environment**

- Describe a role to play:

You are a nutritionist working for a leading research institute. Evaluate this meal plan for.....

- Iterate & refine prompts

Write about Napoleon Bonaparte

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Write a detailed account of Napoleon's impact on their society

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Explain the economic reforms enacted by Napoleon and there long-term effects on French society

- Use delimiters

The following is a transcript between an agent and a customer:

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14:00 Agent: Hi, how can I help you?

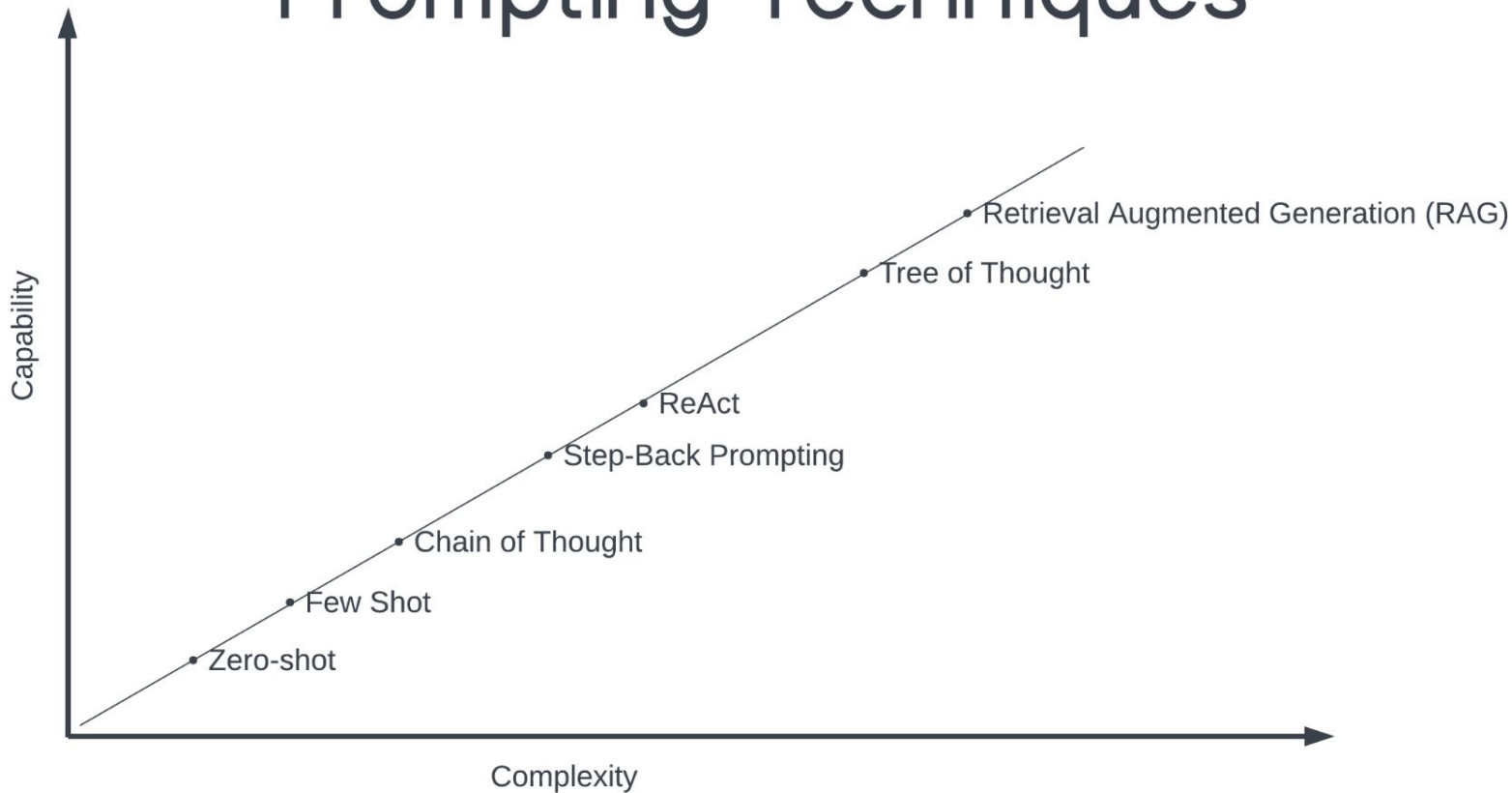
14:01 Customer: I need a refund

14:05 Agent: No, gway

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Evaluate the interaction for friendliness, professionalism and responsiveness.

Prompting Techniques



Prompting Techniques

Zero Shot

Have the LLM attempt a task "zero shot" without any training examples. Most prompts users enter to ChatGPT are "zero shot"

Classify the text into positive, neutral or negative:

Text: Pure deadly

Classification:

Neutral

Chain of Thought

Provide the LLM with reasoning steps in order to arrive at the correct solution

Few shot: Provide example reasoning of a similar problem statement to assist an LLM in arriving at a correct solution

One shot: Tell the LLM "Let's think step by step"

Few Shot

Supply some previous turns in context to help the LLM generate a correct response

Classify the text into positive, neutral or negative:

Text: That's deadly

Classification: Positive

Text: Fair play

Classification: Positive

Text: Zero craic

Classification: Negative

Text: Pure deadly

Classification:

Positive

Tree of Thoughts

Have an LLM explore several different trees of thoughts, with a variety of strategies potentially used to then decide on the most promising result (BFS, DFS, custom)

Imagine three different experts are answering this question.

All experts will write down 1 step of their thinking, then share it with the group.

Then all experts will go on to the next step, etc.

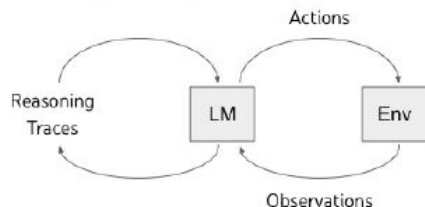
If any expert realises they're wrong at any point then they leave.

The question is {question}

Prompting Techniques

ReAct

Combines "Acting" and "Reasoning" to allow the LLM to achieve complex reasoning tasks



ReAct (Reason + Act)

Example (from ReAct paper):

Question: How many rooms are in the hotel that is home to the Cirque du Soleil show Mystere?

HotpotQA label: 2,664

Outdated **X**

(1d) ReAct (Reason + Act)

Thought 1: I need to search Cirque du Soleil show Mystere, find the hotel it is in, then find the number of rooms in the hotel.

Act 1: `Search`[Cirque du Soleil show Mystere]

Obs 1: Could not find Cirque du Soleil show Mystere.

Similar: ['Cirque du Soleil' ...

Thought 2: To find the hotel, I can search Mystere (Cirque du Soleil).

Act 2: `Search`[Mystere (Cirque du Soleil)]

Obs 2: Mystère (my-steer) is ... Held in a custom theatre at the Treasure Island Hotel and Casino ...

Thought 3: Mystere is held in a custom theatre at the Treasure Island Hotel and Casino. So I need to search Treasure Island Hotel and Casino next and find the number of rooms in the hotel.

Act 3: `Search`[Treasure Island Hotel and Casino]

Obs 3: Treasure Island Hotel and Casino ... with 2,884 rooms and 220 suites ...

Thought 4: Treasure Island Hotel and Casino has 2,884 rooms and 220 suites. So the answer is 3,104.

Act 4: `Finish`[3,104]

Up-to-date **✓**

Prompting Techniques

Retrieval Augmented Generation (RAG)

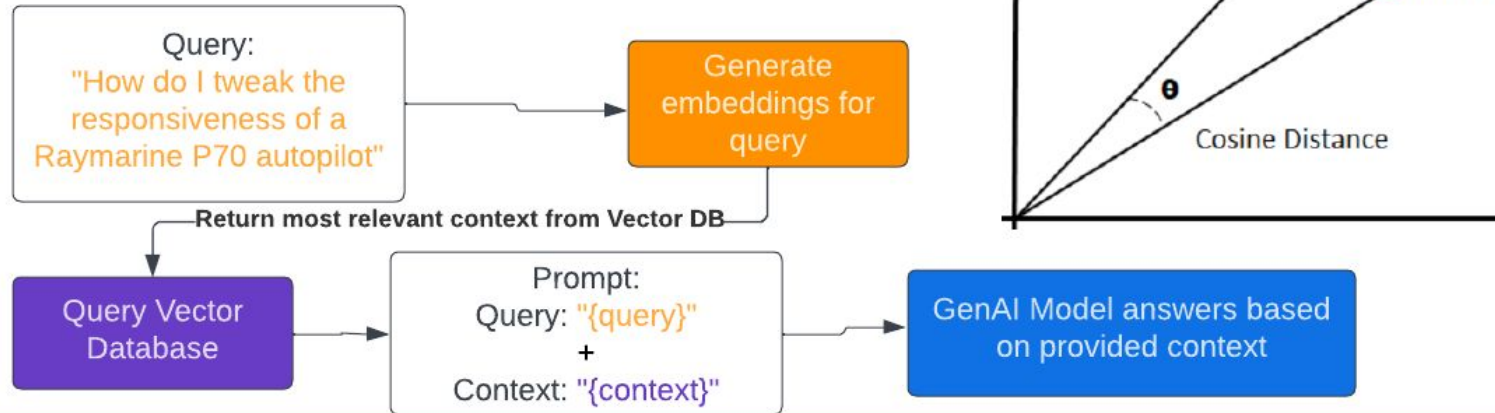
When asking a complex question which relies on obscure, or often proprietary knowledge, an LLM will often

- refuse to answer (best outcome) - OR
- hallucinate a false answer (most likely, most harmful)

RAG reduces the likelihood of this scenario by incorporating a knowledge retrieval capability from a store of documents, in turn providing this context to an LLM to phrase more accurate answers.

Enables:

- * Ingesting of knowledge beyond "training cutoff"
- * Query custom knowledge about a company/customer
- * Search of own documents



Who to follow & Other Resources?

- Discord
 - Langchain, OpenAI, AutoGPT, Midjourney
- <https://cobusgreyling.medium.com>
- <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ruben-hassid/>
- <https://www.promptingguide.ai/techniques>
- https://huggingface.co/spaces/HuggingFaceH4/open_llm_leaderboard

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