

A
Project Report
on
DocuQuery - AI-Powered PDF
Knowledge Assistant

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3. Introduction

DocuQuery is an innovative **AI-powered application** designed to revolutionize the way users interact with PDF documents. By leveraging cutting-edge **Natural Language Processing (NLP)** and **Machine Learning (ML)** techniques, DocuQuery enables users to extract, analyze, and query information from PDFs with unparalleled accuracy and efficiency. The application provides a **conversational interface** where users can ask questions in natural language and receive context-aware responses based on the content of their uploaded documents.

Built with **Streamlit** for the front-end, DocuQuery offers a user-friendly and intuitive interface. The backend integrates **Google Generative AI** (using the Gemini-Pro model) and **LangChain** to handle text processing, conversational memory, and retrieval tasks.

DocuQuery is particularly useful for professionals, researchers, and students who need to quickly extract insights from large PDF documents, such as research papers, reports, or manuals. By

automating the process of knowledge extraction, DocuQuery saves time and enhances productivity, making it a valuable tool in today's data-driven world.

4. Objective

The primary objective of DocuQuery is to:

- Enable users to upload PDF documents and extract text from them.
- Provide a conversational interface for users to ask questions and receive answers based on the content of the uploaded PDFs.
- Simplify the process of knowledge extraction from large documents using AI.

5. Features

- **PDF Upload:** Users can upload multiple PDF files for processing.
- **Text Extraction:** The application extracts text from uploaded PDFs.
- **Text Chunking:** Extracted text is split into smaller chunks for efficient processing.
- **Vector Embeddings:** Text chunks are converted into vector embeddings using **Hugging Face Embeddings**.
- **Conversational AI:** Users can interact with the application using natural language queries.
- **Chat History:** The application maintains a chat history for each session.

6. Technologies Used

Streamlit: For building the user interface.

PyPDF2: For extracting text from PDF files.

LangChain: For managing conversational chains and memory.

Google Generative AI: For generating responses using the **Gemini-Pro** model.

FAISS: For creating and managing vector stores.

Hugging Face Embeddings: For generating text embeddings.

Sentence Transformers: For text similarity and embeddings.

7. System Architecture

The system architecture of DocuQuery consists of the following components:

1.**Front-End:** Built using Streamlit, allowing users to upload PDFs and interact with the application.

2.**Back-End:**

✓Text extraction and chunking using **PyPDF2** and **LangChain**.

✓Vector embeddings using **Hugging Face Embeddings** and **FAISS**.

✓Conversational AI using **Google Generative AI** and **LangChain**.

3.**Database:** Vector stores are created and managed in memory for each session.

8. Implementation Details

Key Functions

1. Text Extraction:

- ✓ The `get_pdf_text` function extracts text from uploaded PDFs using **PyPDF2**.
- ✓ Handles cases where text extraction fails (e.g., image-based PDFs).

2. Text Chunking:

- ✓ The `get_text_chunks` function splits the extracted text into smaller chunks using **LangChain's RecursiveCharacterTextSplitter**.

3. Vector Store Creation:

- ✓ The `get_vector_store` function converts text chunks into vector embeddings

using **Hugging Face Embeddings** and stores them in a **FAISS** vector store.

4. Conversational Chain:

- ✓ The `get_conversational_chain` function sets up a conversational retrieval chain using **Google Generative AI** and **LangChain**.

5. User Interaction:

- ✓ The `user_input` function handles user queries and generates responses using the conversational chain.

9. Challenges Faced

- **Text Extraction:** Some PDFs (e.g., image-based or scanned documents) could not be processed due to the lack of extractable text.
- **API Key Management:** Ensuring secure handling of the Google Generative AI API key.
- **Memory Management:** Managing chat history and session state in Streamlit.

10. Results and Outcomes

- Successfully built a functional AI-powered PDF knowledge assistant.
- Users can upload PDFs, extract text, and ask questions in natural language.
- The application provides accurate and context-aware responses based on the content of the uploaded documents.

11. Future Scope

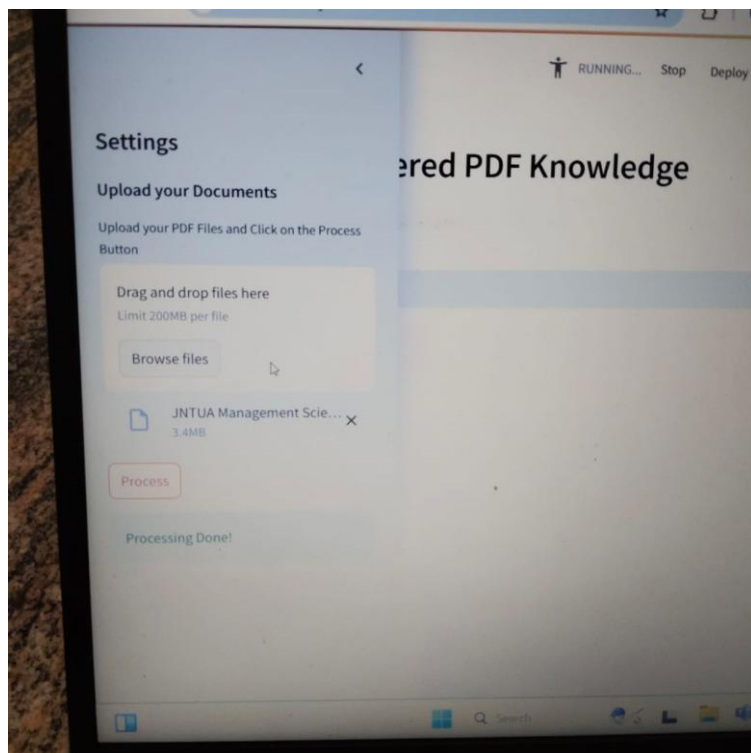
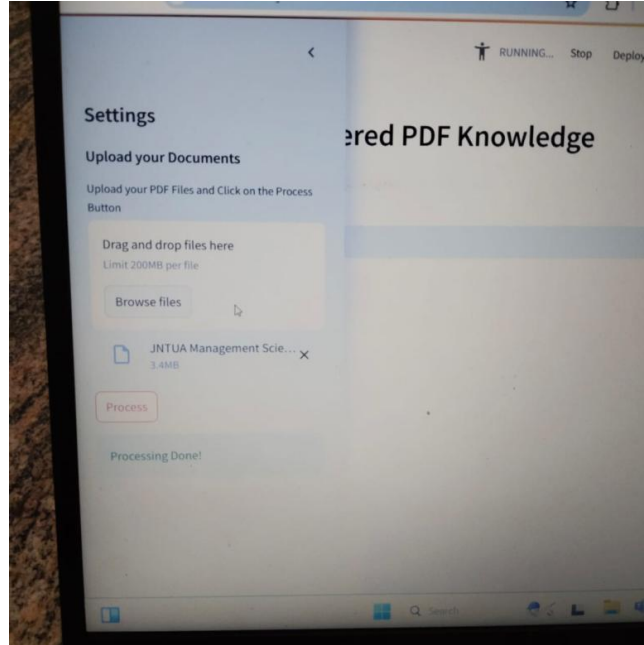
- **OCR Integration:** Add support for image-based PDFs using Optical Character Recognition (OCR).
- **Multi-Language Support:** Extend the application to support multiple languages.
- **Cloud Deployment:** Deploy the application on platforms like **Streamlit Community Cloud** or **Snowflake** for wider accessibility.
- **Enhanced UI:** Improve the user interface with additional features like document preview and search.

12. Conclusion

DocuQuery is a powerful tool for extracting and querying information from PDF documents using AI. It simplifies the process of knowledge extraction and provides a user-friendly interface for interacting with document content. The application demonstrates the potential of AI in document processing and opens up possibilities for future enhancements.

Appendices

Appendix A: Screenshots of the Application



Appendix B: Sample Code

```
import os

import streamlit as st

from PyPDF2 import PdfReader

from langchain.text_splitter import RecursiveCharacterTextSplitter

from langchain_community.embeddings import HuggingFaceEmbeddings #
Corrected Import

from langchain.vectorstores import FAISS

from langchain_google_genai import GoogleGenerativeAI # Corrected Import

from langchain.chains import ConversationalRetrievalChain

from langchain.memory import ConversationBufferMemory


# Set API Key for Google Generative AI

os.environ["GOOGLE_API_KEY"] = "AIzaSyCeWYwsdLuoue4tqdG-
y3TyIKLloug0Q-s" # Replace with your actual API key


# Function to extract text from PDFs

def get_pdf_text(pdf_docs):

    text = ""

    for pdf in pdf_docs:

        pdf_reader = PdfReader(pdf)

        for page in pdf_reader.pages:

            page_text = page.extract_text()

            if page_text:

                text += page_text

            else:
```

```
        st.warning(f"Text extraction failed for a page in {pdf.name}. The PDF  
may be image-based or unreadable.")
```

```
    return text
```

```
# Function to split text into chunks
```

```
def get_text_chunks(text):
```

```
    text_splitter = RecursiveCharacterTextSplitter(chunk_size=1000,  
chunk_overlap=200)
```

```
    return text_splitter.split_text(text)
```

```
# Function to create vector store from text chunks
```

```
def get_vector_store(text_chunks):
```

```
    embeddings = HuggingFaceEmbeddings(model_name="all-MiniLM-L6-  
v2") # Fixed embedding model
```

```
    vector_store = FAISS.from_texts(texts=text_chunks, embedding=embeddings)
```

```
    return vector_store
```

```
# Function to set up conversational retrieval chain
```

```
def get_conversational_chain(vector_store):
```

```
    llm = GoogleGenerativeAI(model="gemini-pro") # Updated model
```

```
    memory = ConversationBufferMemory(memory_key="chat_history",  
return_messages=True)
```

```
    conversation_chain = ConversationalRetrievalChain.from_llm(  
    llm=llm,  
    retriever=vector_store.as_retriever(),  
    memory=memory  
)
```

```
    return conversation_chain

# Function to handle user input and generate responses
def user_input(user_question):
    response = st.session_state.conversation({'question': user_question})
    st.session_state.chat_history = response['chat_history']
    for i, message in enumerate(st.session_state.chat_history):
        st.write("Human: " if i % 2 == 0 else "Bot: ", message.content)

# Main function to set up Streamlit UI
def main():
    st.set_page_config(page_title="DocuQuery: AI-Powered PDF Knowledge Assistant")
    st.header("DocuQuery: AI-Powered PDF Knowledge Assistant")

    # Initialize session state variables
    if 'conversation' not in st.session_state:
        st.session_state.conversation = None
    if 'chat_history' not in st.session_state:
        st.session_state.chat_history = []

    # Sidebar for document upload
    with st.sidebar:
        st.title("Settings")
        st.subheader("Upload your Documents")
        pdf_docs = st.file_uploader("Upload your PDF Files and Click on the Process Button", accept_multiple_files=True)
```



```

if st.button("Process"):
    with st.spinner("Processing"):
        # Extract text from PDFs
        raw_text = get_pdf_text(pdf_docs)

        if not raw_text:
            st.error("No text could be extracted from the uploaded PDFs. Please
upload valid PDFs.")
        else:
            # Split text into chunks
            text_chunks = get_text_chunks(raw_text)

            # Create vector store
            vector_store = get_vector_store(text_chunks)

            # Set up conversational chain
            st.session_state.conversation =
get_conversational_chain(vector_store)

            st.success("Processing Done!")

# User input for questions
user_question = st.text_input("Ask a question from the PDF files:")

if user_question:
    if 'conversation' not in st.session_state or st.session_state.conversation is
None:
        st.warning("Please upload and process documents first.")
    else:
        user_input(user_question)

# Run the application

```

```
if __name__ == "__main__":  
    main() # Removed the unnecessary period
```

Appendix C: Deployment Options

