Chainlit: How to Build a ChatGPT-like User Interface in Python

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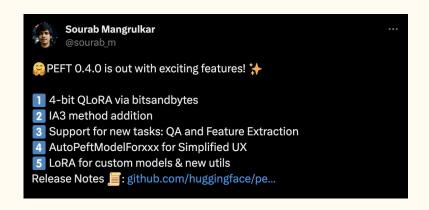
Outline

• **Land State** Chainlit + arXiv

- Chainlit
 - Chain of Thought
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 - AskArXiv with LangChain

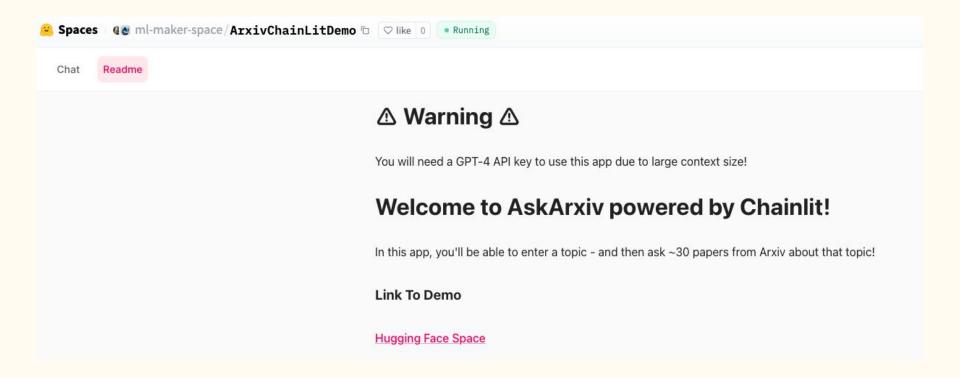
• Q&A

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Let's AskArxiv!



Chain of Thought Prompting

Standard Prompting

Model Input

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.

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

Model Input

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

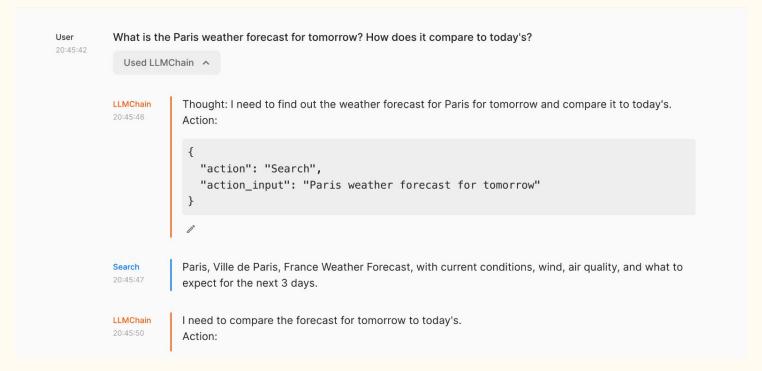
Q: The cafeteria had 23 apples. If they used 20 to make lunch and bought 6 more, how many apples do they have?

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.

Wei et al. (2022)

Chain of Thought Reasoning



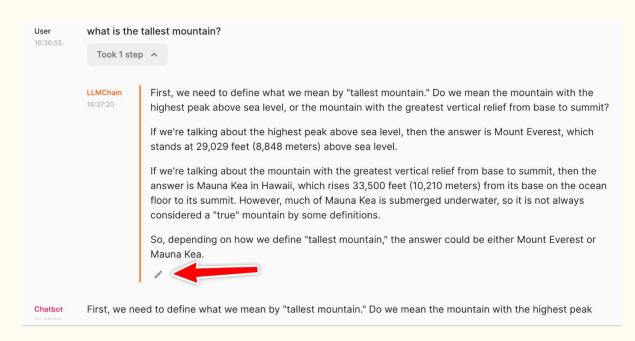
https://docs.chainlit.io/examples/mrkl

Prompt Playground

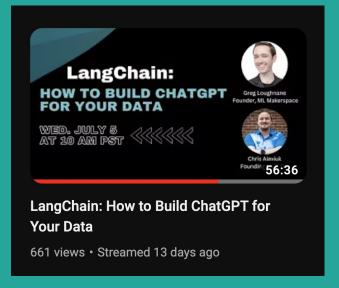
• Beyond visualization

• Check specific prompts

• Improve them



LangChain



youtube.com/@MLMakerspace/streams

"The real power comes when you can combine [LLMs] with other sources of computation and knowledge." ~ Harrison Chase, Creator of LangChain

Building a Chainlit Application with LangChain

- 1. Create app.py
- 2. Write application logic
- 3. Run it!

chainlit run app.py

```
import os
from langchain import PromptTemplate, OpenAI, LLMChain
import chainlit as cl
os.environ["OPENAI API KEY"] = "YOUR OPEN AI API KEY"
template = """Question: {question}
Answer: Let's think step by step."""
@cl.langchain factory(use async=True)
def factory():
    prompt = PromptTemplate(template=template, input variables=["question"])
    llm chain = LLMChain(prompt=prompt, llm=OpenAI(temperature=0), verbose=True)
    return llm_chain
```

And don't forget a README.md

chainlit.md



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You will need a GPT-4 API key to use this app due to large context size!

Welcome to AskArxiv powered by Chainlit!

In this app, you'll be able to enter a topic - and then ask ~30 papers from Arxiv about that topic!

Link To Demo

Hugging Face Space

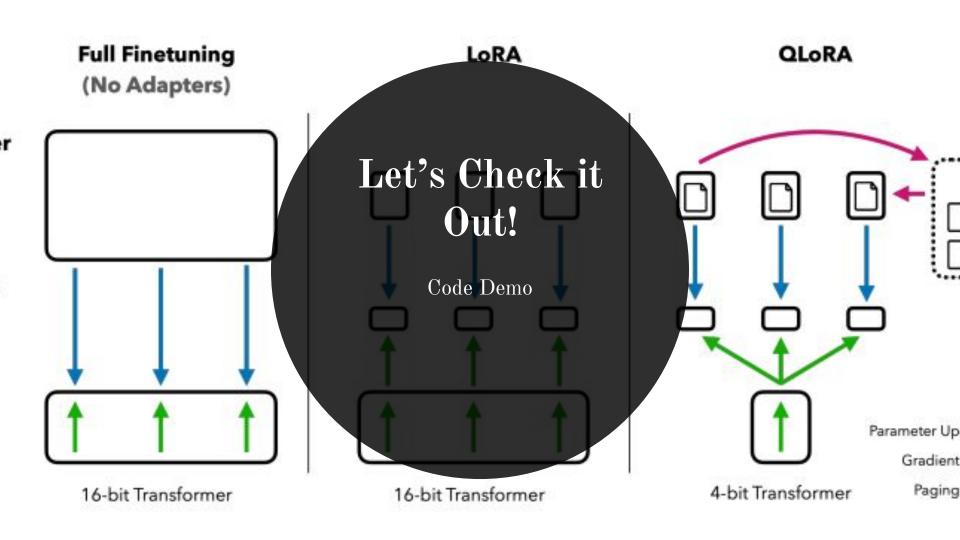
Our Chainlit-arXiv Application Flow



- 1. Specify topic for arXiv to search for papers on
 - a. "Please enter a topic to begin!"



- 2. Get top 3 papers (PDFs)
 - a. "Downloading and chunking articles..."
- 3. Convert papers to document embeddings and store in Vector Database
- 4. Ask specific questions related to content
 - a. "We found a few papers about {X} you can now ask questions!"
- 5. Return answers to questions with sources



Conclusions, Chainlit

- A new best-practice tool for LLM UI MVPs
- CoT Reasoning & Prompt Playground help you dial in flows and performance
- Built with LangChain in mind!
- App.py + chainlit.md is all you need to get going!







Thank You!

- GitHub Repository
 - Introduction to Chainlit (AskArXiv)
- AskArXiv Demo App!
 - o <u>Demo!</u>
- Reach out directly with any questions!
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