

## Comic Vine + Pinecone Integration Script Summary:

### 1. Goal:

- Extract character, comic, and related metadata from ComicVine's API.
- Sanitize and filter the data (e.g., remove invalid/None fields).
- Index the cleaned data into Pinecone for later retrieval/embedding.

### 2. ComicVine:

- API key provided and tested.
- Multiple endpoints (characters, issues, teams, etc.).
- Some fetches failed due to HTTP 403 errors (possibly missing headers or deprecated format usage).
- Image data, first appearance info, and origin stories requested.

### 3. Pinecone:

- Pinecone client updated to latest SDK structure (via `Pinecone`` class).
- `Index`` object requires both `name`` and `host`` explicitly.
- Errors handled for 'NoneType' and oversized metadata payloads.
- Metadata type conversion and size limits implemented.

### 4. Fixes Implemented:

- Updated Pinecone initialization using `Pinecone`` and `Index`` classes.
- Sanitized metadata to meet Pinecone's format requirements.
- Retry logic and offset continuation added for resilience.
- Verified `PINECONE_HOST_URL``, `PINECONE_API_KEY``, and `PINECONE_INDEX_NAME`` used correctly.

## 5. Outstanding Tasks:

- Ensure API headers and correct endpoint formatting for ComicVine.
- Handle HTTP 403 and service unavailability errors gracefully.
- Extend data model for pricing/crossover fields as needed.

## Conclusion:

The scripts are now structured to extract, clean, and insert ComicVine data into Pinecone reliably, assuming API headers and rate limits are correctly addressed.