

CONFIGURATION

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Overview

Configuration is done via environment variables in `.env`.
Use `.example.env` as the template.

This project uses **three Postgres databases**:

- App DB (Prisma): participants, surveys, chat logs, etc.
- LangGraph checkpoint DB: agent state/checkpoints (schema-separated per agent)
- Dataset DB (ESG): read-only analytical source queried by the assistant

App secrets

- `AUTH_SECRET`
Used for authentication/session signing (management login + study session tokens).

Optional third-party keys

- `OPENAI_API_KEY`
Required for LLM calls used by the agents.
- `TAVILY_API_KEY` ("deprecated")
Only required if you run the dev-only `tavilyAgent`.

LangGraph checkpoint database

- `LANGGRAPH_POSTGRES_URL`
Connection string for the checkpoint DB.

- LANGGRAPH_POSTGRES_SCHEMA_TAVILY
Schema used by `tavilyAgent` to avoid collisions.
- LANGGRAPH_POSTGRES_SCHEMA_DATA_AWARE
Schema used by `dataAwareLLMSSystem` to avoid collisions.
- LANGGRAPH_DEFAULT_MODEL
Default model identifier used by agents unless overridden.

App database (Prisma)

- DATABASE_URL
Connection string for the app DB.

Notes:

- This DB stores the study structure for reproducibility (tasks + surveys), participants, timestamps/metrics, transcripts, and minimal tool-call logs.

Dataset database (ESG)

- DATASET_POSTGRES_URL
Connection string for the dataset DB.
- DATASET_SQL_MAX_ROWS
Safety/performance limit (max rows returned).
- DATASET_SQL_STATEMENT_TIMEOUT_MS
Query timeout for dataset SQL tool execution.

Mail (optional)

If SMTP variables are set, the system can send mails (e.g. unlock flows).
If not set, the app should fallback to logging.

- SMTP_HOST
- SMTP_PORT
- SMTP_SECURE
- SMTP_USER
- SMTP_PASS
- SMTP_FROM_NAME
- SMTP_FROM_ADDRESS

URLs / routing / integration

- APP_BASE_URL
Base URL used in generated links (local dev usually `http://localhost:3000`)
- NEXT_PUBLIC_API_URL
Public API route exposed by Next.js (often `/api/langgraph` or a full URL)
- NEXT_PUBLIC_ASSISTANT_ID
Which assistant is shown by default in the UI (for this study: `dataAwareLLMSSystem`)
- LANGGRAPH_API_URL
LangGraph server URL (healthcheck + streaming; typically `http://localhost:2024`)
- CORS_ALLOWED_ORIGINS
Allowed browser origins for CORS (local dev: `http://localhost:3000,http://localhost:3001`)

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