

EDITH — Complete Technical Architecture Report

EDITH — *Elite Digital Intelligence & Task Handler* A Chrome Extension-based AI agent with autonomous browser automation, multi-tab parallel research, and intelligent document processing.

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1. Technology Stack

1.1 Chrome Extension — Core Agent

Technology	Version	Purpose
WXT	0.20.17	Chrome extension framework (Manifest V3)
TypeScript	5.7.3	Type-safe logic across all modules

Technology	Version	Purpose
React	18.3.1	Sidepanel & New Tab UI
React DOM	18.3.1	DOM rendering for extension pages
OpenAI SDK	4.86.2	LLM API calls directly from browser context
TailwindCSS	3.4.17	Utility-first styling for extension UI
PostCSS	8.5.3	CSS processing pipeline
Chrome Debugger API	CDP	DOM automation via Chrome DevTools Protocol

Chrome Extension Permissions: `debugger · sidePanel · storage · tabs · activeTab · scripting · alarms · notifications · <all_urls>`

1.2 Document Intelligence Module

Technology	Purpose
FastAPI + Uvicorn	REST API server
Sentence-Transformers (intfloat/e5-large-v2)	Text embedding model
FAISS (CPU)	Vector similarity search
PyMuPDF (fitz)	PDF parsing with hyperlink extraction
python-docx	Word document parsing
python-pptx	PowerPoint parsing + embedded image OCR
OpenPyXL + Pandas	Excel/CSV parsing & analysis
Pillow + pytesseract	OCR for images and embedded visuals
Google GenAI (gemini-2.5-flash)	Primary LLM for Q&A
OpenAI (gpt-5-nano)	Fallback LLM
LangChain + LangGraph	Interactive reasoning agent orchestration
BeautifulSoup4	Web scraping for linked documents

1.3 External AI Services

Service	Model	Role
OpenAI	gpt-5-nano (configurable)	Primary agent LLM — reasoning, tool-calling, intent
OpenAI	gpt-4	Interactive reasoning agent (Document Intelligence)
Google Gemini	gemini-2.5-flash	Primary LLM for document Q&A (with key rotation)

2. High-Level System Architecture

EDITH is composed of **two independent systems** that together form the project:

```
graph TB
    subgraph "Core Agent - Chrome Extension"
        SP["Sidepanel UI<br/>(React + TailwindCSS)"]
        NT["New Tab Page"]
        BG["Background Service worker<br/>(Message Router + Agent Loops)"]
        AM["Automation Layer<br/>(CDP Protocol)"]
        LLM_EXT["LLM Client<br/>(OpenAI SDK)"]
        RES["Research Orchestrator<br/>(Multi-Tab Parallel)"]
        STR["Storage Layer<br/>(chrome.storage.local)"]
        TABS["Browser Tabs<br/>(Real Chrome)"]

        SP -->|"chrome.runtime.sendMessage"| BG
        NT --> BG
        BG -->|"callLLM()"| LLM_EXT
        BG -->|"agent loop"| AM
        BG -->|"research plan"| RES
        RES -->|"parallel tabs"| AM
        AM -->|"chrome.debugger<br/>CDP commands"| TABS
        BG --> STR
    end

    subgraph "Document Intelligence - FastAPI Microservice"
```

```

API["FastAPI Server<br/>POST /api/v1/hackrx/run"]
DP["Document Parser<br/>(PDF/DOCX/PPTX/XLSX/IMG)"]
EMB["Embedding Engine<br/>(e5-large-v2)"]
FAISS["FAISS Vector Index"]
RAG["RAG Pipeline<br/>(Gemini / OpenAI)"]
AGENT["Interactive Agent<br/>(LangGraph + GPT-4)"]

API --> DP --> EMB --> FAISS
API --> RAG
FAISS --> RAG
RAG -->|"if interactive"| AGENT
end

LLM_EXT -->|"OpenAI API"| OAI["OpenAI<br/>gpt-5-nano"]

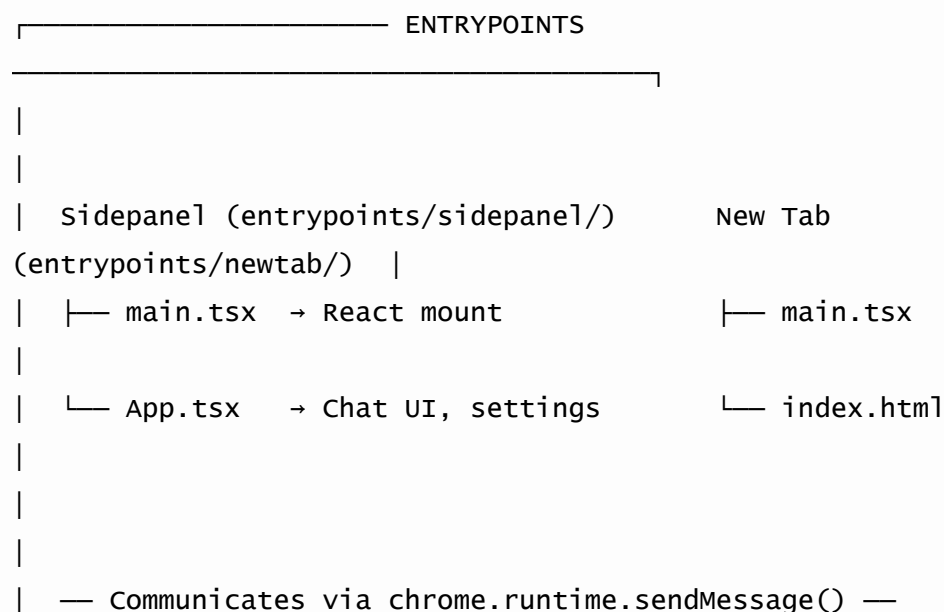
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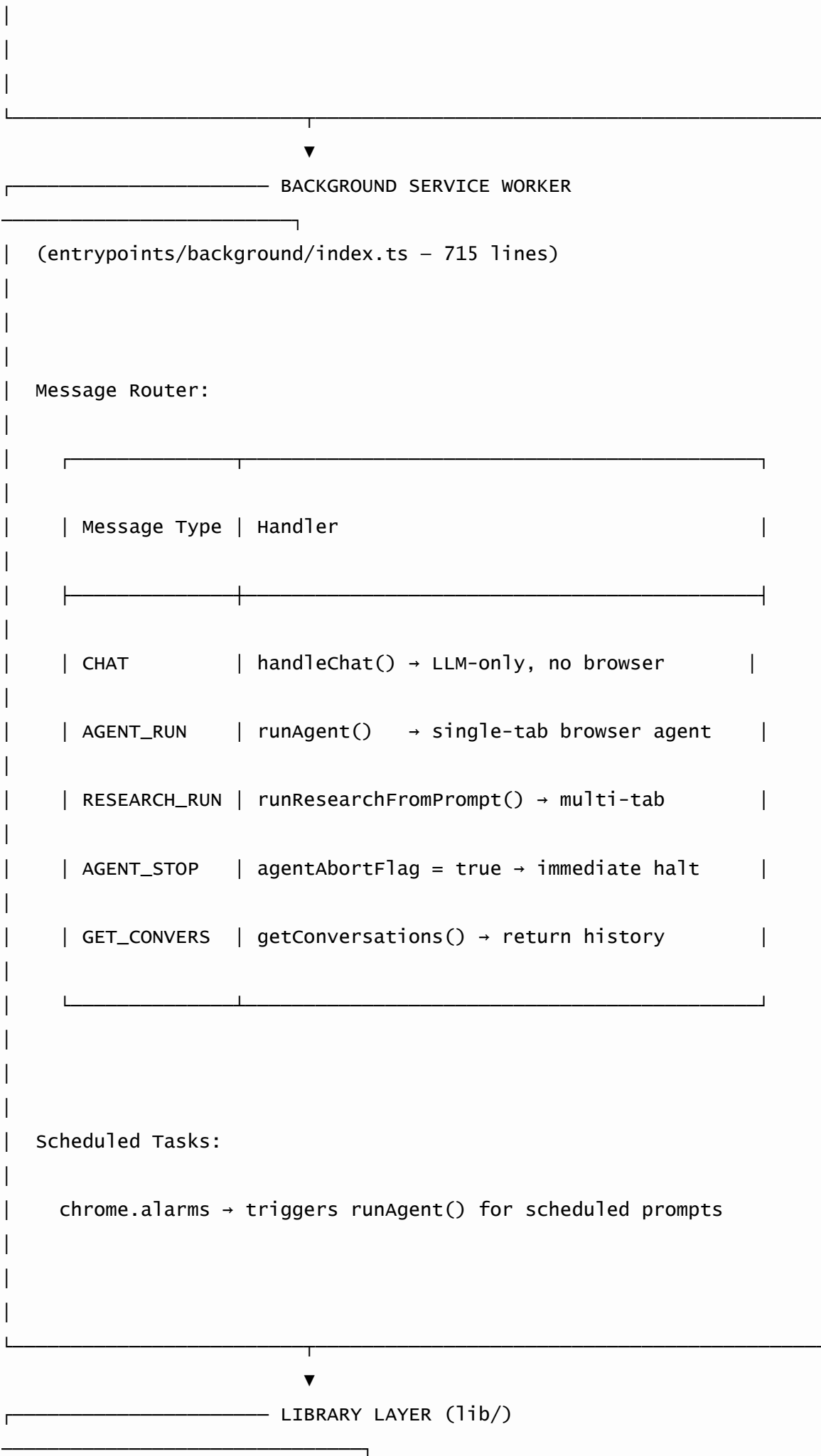
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3. Extension Architecture — The Core Agent

The extension follows a **3-layer architecture**: UI → Background Service Worker → Automation Layer.

3.1 Layer Breakdown





```

|
|
|  agent.ts          → System prompt, browser tool definitions, snapshot
fmt |
|  automation.ts     → CDP-based DOM automation (1186 lines)
|
|  research.ts       → Multi-tab research decompose/execute/aggregate
|
|  llm.ts            → OpenAI SDK wrapper (callLLM, message formatting)
|
|  storage.ts        → chrome.storage.local CRUD for
settings/conversations |
|  tab_manager.ts    → Tab lifecycle: create, detach, track active tabs
|
|
|
|

```

3.2 Key Source Files & Responsibilities

File	Lines	Role
<u>background/index.ts</u>	715	Service worker: message routing, agent loop, research runner, alarm handler
<u>agent.ts</u>	398	System prompt (140 lines), BROWSER_TOOLS definitions (15 tools), <u>formatSnapshot()</u> , <u>pruneHistory()</u>
<u>automation.ts</u>	1186	CDP automation: takeSnapshot() (JS injection), clickElement(), typeText(), pressKey(), scrollPage(), selectOption(), hoverElement(), setValue()

File	Lines	Role
<u>research.ts</u>	523	<u>decomposeTask()</u> , <u>runSubTask()</u> , <u>aggregateResults()</u> . — MapReduce-style parallel research
<u>llm.ts</u>	99	OpenAI SDK client, message format conversion, tool schema mapping
<u>storage.ts</u>	134	Typed CRUD for settings, conversations (100 max), MCP servers, scheduled tasks
<u>tab_manager.ts</u>	~100	<u>createTab()</u> , <u>detachAll()</u> , multi-tab lifecycle for research

4. Modes of Operation

Every user message enters the background service worker and is routed to one of **four execution modes**:

4.1 CHAT Mode — Simple Conversation

```
sequenceDiagram
    participant U as User (Sidepanel)
    participant BG as Background worker
    participant LLM as OpenAI API

    U->>BG: { type: "CHAT", prompt: "Hello!" }
    BG->>BG: Load settings + conversation
    BG->>LLM: callLLM(prompt, history, tools=[])
    Note over BG,LLM: No browser tools provided<br/>Pure text
    conversation
        LLM-->>BG: "Hi! I can help you browse..."
        BG->>BG: Save to chrome.storage.local
        BG-->>U: sendResponse({ ok: true })
```

Characteristics: - **No browser tools** are passed to the LLM (empty tools array) - Synchronous response — sidepanel waits for sendResponse - Conversation persisted to `chrome.storage.local` - Used for: greetings, questions about capabilities, general chat

4.2 AGENT_RUN Mode — Single-Tab Browser Automation

sequenceDiagram

```
participant U as User (Sidepanel)
participant BG as Background Worker
participant LLM as OpenAI API
participant CDP as Chrome Debugger
participant TAB as Browser Tab
```

```
U->>BG: { type: "AGENT_RUN", prompt: "Search Amazon for laptop" }
```

```
BG-->>U: { ok: true } (immediate ack)
```

```
Note over U: Sidepanel now listens<br/>for broadcastEvent()
```

```
loop Agent Loop (max 30 steps)
```

```
  BG->>LLM: callLLM(SYSTEM_PROMPT, history, BROWSER_TOOLS)
```

```
  alt LLM returns tool_calls
```

```
    LLM-->>BG: [{ name: "open_browser", args: {url:
"amazon.com"} } ]
```

```
    BG->>BG: progress("🔧 open_browser: ...")
```

```
    BG->>CDP: openBrowser("https://amazon.com")
```

```
    CDP->>TAB: chrome.debugger.attach + Page.navigate
```

```
    CDP-->>BG: tabId
```

```
    BG->>BG: sleep(1500ms)
```

```
    Note over BG: Next iteration...
```

```
  else LLM returns tool: take_snapshot
```

```
    BG->>CDP: takeSnapshot(tabId)
```

```
    CDP->>TAB: Runtime.evaluate(SNAPSHOT_JS)
```

```
    TAB-->>CDP: { url, title, elements[], rawText }
```

```
    CDP-->>BG: PageSnapshot
```

```
    BG->>BG: formatSnapshot(snapshot)
```

```
    Note over BG: Elements formatted with
```

```
UIDs<br/>Prioritized: inputs → buttons → links
```

```
  else LLM returns tool: click(uid)
```

```
    BG->>CDP: clickElement(uid, snapshot, tabId)
```

```
    CDP->>TAB: Input.dispatchEvent(x, y)
```

```
    BG->>BG: sleep(1200ms)
```

```
    BG->>CDP: auto-takeSnapshot()
```



```

        Note over BG: Auto-snapshot after every action
    else LLM returns task_complete
        LLM-->>BG: { name: "task_complete", args: {summary:
"Done!"} }
        BG->>BG: Save final message
        BG->>CDP: detachDebugger(tabId)
        BG->>U: broadcastEvent({ type: "agent_done" })
        Note over BG: EXIT agent loop
    else LLM returns text (no tools)
        LLM-->>BG: "Task completed."
        BG->>U: broadcastEvent({ type: "agent_done" })
        Note over BG: EXIT agent loop
    end
end
end

```

Characteristics: - **Asynchronous** — sends immediate ack, then broadcasts progress events - **Max 30 steps** per run - **15 browser tools** provided via BROWSER_TOOLS from [agent.ts](#) - **Auto-snapshot** after every mutating action (click, type_text, press_key, hover, select_option, set_value) - **Snapshot loop detection** — warns after 3 consecutive snapshots without action - **New tab detection** — automatically switches activeTabId when clicks open new tabs - **Abort support** — agentAbortFlag checked before each iteration and each tool execution

4.3 RESEARCH_RUN Mode — Multi-Tab Parallel Research

sequenceDiagram

```

    participant U as User (Sidepanel)
    participant BG as Background Worker
    participant LLM as OpenAI API
    participant TM as Tab Manager
    participant T1 as Tab 1
    participant T2 as Tab 2
    participant T3 as Tab 3

```

```

U->>BG: { type: "RESEARCH_RUN", prompt: "Compare iPhone 16 prices"
}

```

```

BG-->>U: { ok: true } (immediate ack)

```

```

rect rgb(240, 248, 255)

```

```

    Note over BG,LLM: Phase 1: Task Decomposition

```

```

    BG->>LLM: decomposeTask(prompt)

```

```

    LLM-->>BG: { isResearch: true, subTasks: [<br/> {url:

```

```

"amazon.com", goal: "iPhone 16 price"},<br/> {url: "flipkart.com",
goal: "iPhone 16 price"},<br/> {url: "apple.com", goal: "official
price"}<br/>] }
    end

    rect rgb(255, 248, 240)
        Note over BG,T3: Phase 2: Parallel Execution
        BG->>TM: createTab(amazon.com) → tabId1
        BG->>TM: createTab(flipkart.com) → tabId2
        BG->>TM: createTab(apple.com) → tabId3
        BG->>BG: sleep(2000ms)

        par Run all tabs simultaneously
            BG->>T1: runSubTask(settings, subTask1, tabId1)
            Note over T1: Agent loop: snapshot → type → search →
extract
            and
                BG->>T2: runSubTask(settings, subTask2, tabId2)
                Note over T2: Agent loop: snapshot → type → search →
extract
            and
                BG->>T3: runSubTask(settings, subTask3, tabId3)
                Note over T3: Agent loop: snapshot → type → search →
extract
            end
        end
    end

    rect rgb(240, 255, 240)
        Note over BG,LLM: Phase 3: Result Aggregation
        BG->>LLM: aggregateResults(prompt, subTaskResults[])
        LLM-->>BG: "iPhone 16 prices:\n• Amazon: ₹79,900\n• Flipkart:
₹78,999\n• Apple: ₹79,900"
    end

    BG->>TM: detachAll()
    BG->>U: broadcastEvent({ type: "agent_done" })

```

Characteristics: - **MapReduce pattern** — decompose → parallel execute → synthesize - **Max 5 concurrent tabs** (configurable via MAX_RESEARCH_TABS) - Each sub-task tab runs its own independent agent loop with extract_data as the terminal tool (instead of task_complete) - **Minimum 2 sub-tasks** required — otherwise falls back to Agent mode - Uses Promise.allSettled() — partial failures don't kill the entire research - Tabs remain open after research so the user can manually review sources

4.4 AGENT_STOP Mode — Emergency Halt

sequenceDiagram

```
participant U as User
participant BG as Background Worker
participant LOOP as Agent/Research Loop
```

```
U->>BG: { type: "AGENT_STOP" }
BG->>BG: agentAbortFlag = true
BG-->>U: { ok: true }
```

```
Note over LOOP: Next iteration checks flag
LOOP->>LOOP: if (agentAbortFlag) break
LOOP->>BG: detachDebugger()
LOOP->>U: broadcastEvent("agent_done")
```

Characteristics: - Sets a global agentAbortFlag boolean - Checked at the **top of each agent iteration** and **before each tool execution** - Gracefully saves conversation state before stopping - Detaches CDP debugger to free browser resources

5. Data Flow

5.1 End-to-End Agent Flow

flowchart TD

```
A["👤 User types in Sidepanel"] --> B["chrome.runtime.sendMessage()"]
B --> C["Message Router<br/>(background/index.ts)"]

C -->| "type: CHAT" | D["handleChat()"]
C -->| "type: AGENT_RUN" | E["runAgent()"]
C -->| "type: RESEARCH_RUN" | F["runResearchFromPrompt()"]
C -->| "type: AGENT_STOP" | G["Set abort flag"]

D --> H["callLLM(prompt, [], no tools)"]
H --> I["Save response → chrome.storage"]
I --> J["sendResponse to sidepanel"]

E --> K["callLLM(SYSTEM_PROMPT,<br/>pruneHistory(messages),<br/>BROWSER_TOOLS)"]
```

```

K --> L{"LLM Response"}
L -->|"tool_calls"| M["Execute via CDP"]
M --> N["Auto-snapshot"]
N --> O["Append result to history"]
O --> K
L -->|"task_complete"| P["Save + broadcast done"]
L -->|"text only"| P

F --> Q["decomposeTask(prompt)"]
Q --> R["tabManager.createTab() × N"]
R --> S["Promise.allSettled(<br/>runSubTask per tab)"]
S --> T["aggregateResults(results)"]
T --> P

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```

5.2 Snapshot Lifecycle

The snapshot is the **central data structure** that bridges the LLM and the browser:

flowchart LR

```

    A["Chrome Tab<br/>(real webpage)"] --
>|"chrome.debugger<br/>Runtime.evaluate"| B["SNAPSHOT_JS<br/>(injected
script)"]
    B -->|"Scans DOM"| C["PageSnapshot"]
    C --> D["formatSnapshot()"]
    D --> E["Prioritized Text<br/>for LLM"]
    E -->|"Sent as tool result"| F["LLM"]
    F -->|"Returns: click(uid: 42)"| G["clickElement(42, snapshot)"]
    G -->|"Lookup uid → x,y coords"| H["CDP:
Input.dispatchMouseEvent"]
    H --> A

```

```

subgraph PageSnapshot
    C
    C1["url: string"]
    C2["title: string"]
    C3["elements: SnapshotElement[]"]
    C4["rawText: string (5000 chars)"]

```

```

end

subgraph SnapshotElement
  C3
  E1["uid: number"]
  E2["tag, role, name"]
  E3["x, y, width, height"]
  E4["context (parent section)"]
  E5["value, placeholder"]
  E6["checked, disabled, options[]"]
end
end

```

Snapshot processing pipeline: 1. **Inject** `SNAPSHOT_JS` into the page via CDP `Runtime.evaluate` 2. **Scan** all DOM elements — filter by clickable tags, actionable ARIA roles, and input elements 3. **Classify** each element's type: `INPUT`, `BUTTON`, `LINK`, `CHECKBOX`, `SELECT`, `RADIO`, etc. 4. **Assign UUIDs** — sequential numeric IDs based on position 5. **Extract context** — walk up to 5 parent levels for `aria-label`, `id`, `class` hints 6. **Prioritize** — Tier 1 (inputs) → Tier 2 (buttons/checkboxes) → Tier 3 (product cards) → Tier 4 (links) 7. **Format** as a flat text string with `uid | TYPE | "label" [in: section-context]` 8. **Append** the page's `rawText` (first 5000 chars) for context

6. Browser Automation Engine (CDP)

The automation layer in [automation.ts](#) uses the **Chrome DevTools Protocol** via `chrome.debugger`:

6.1 CDP Architecture

flowchart TD

```

subgraph "Extension Process"
  A["automation.ts"]
  B["ensureAttached(tabId)"]
  C["cdp(tabId, method, params)"]
end

subgraph "Chrome Debugger Bridge"
  D["chrome.debugger.attach(tabId, '1.3')"]
  E["chrome.debugger.sendCommand(tabId, method, params)"]
end

subgraph "CDP Domains Used"

```

```

    F["Page.navigate"]
    G["Runtime.evaluate"]
    H["Input.dispatchEvent"]
    I["Input.dispatchEvent"]
    J["DOM.getDocument"]
    K["Page.captureScreenshot"]
    L["Network events"]
end

A --> B --> D
A --> C --> E --> F & G & H & I & J & K & L

```

6.2 Key Automation Functions

Function	CDP Method	What It Does
<code>openBrowser(url)</code>	<code>chrome.tabs.create + <u>ensureAttached</u></code>	Opens new tab, attaches debugger, navigates
<code><u>navigateTo(url)</u></code>	<code>Page.navigate</code>	In-tab navigation
<code>takesSnapshot()</code>	<code>Runtime.evaluate(SNAPSHOT_JS)</code>	Injects 300-line JS scan interactive DOM elements
<code>clickElement(uid)</code>	<code>Input.dispatchEvent</code>	Maps UID → (x,y) from snapshot, dispatches mouse events
<code>typeText(text, uid)</code>	<code>Runtime.evaluate (focus) + Input.dispatchEvent</code>	Character-by-character typing with 30-80ms delays
<code>pressKey(key)</code>	<code>Input.dispatchEvent (keyDown + keyUp)</code>	Simulates Enter, Tab, Escape, arrows
<code>scrollPage(dir)</code>	<code>Runtime.evaluate (window.scrollBy)</code>	Scroll up/down/top/bottom
<code>selectOption(uid, value)</code>	<code>Runtime.evaluate</code>	Programmatically sets select value + fires change event
<code>hoverElement(uid)</code>	<code>Input.dispatchEvent (mouseMoved)</code>	Triggers hover state for dropdown menu
<code>setValue(uid, value)</code>	<code>Runtime.evaluate</code>	Direct <code>.value</code> injection for numerical

Function	CDP Method	What It Does
		fields
takeScreenshot()	Page.captureScreenshot	PNG screenshot of visible viewport
waitForNetworkIdle()	Network event monitoring	Waits until no pending network requests
<u>waitForLoad()</u>	Page.loadEventFired	Waits for page load completion
detachDebugger()	chrome.debugger.detach	Releases debugger from tab

6.3 Multi-Tab Support

The automation layer tracks attached tabs via `attachedTabs: Set<number>`: - Multiple debugger sessions can be active simultaneously (for research) - `lastSingleTabId` provides backward compatibility for single-tab agent runs - `detachAllDebuggers()` cleans up all sessions at once

7. Multi-Tab Research Orchestrator

Defined in research.ts, the research system uses a **3-phase MapReduce** architecture:

7.1 Phase 1: Task Decomposition (decomposeTask)

An LLM call analyzes the user’s prompt and decides: - **Is this a research task?** (`isResearch: boolean`) - **What sub-tasks are needed?** Each with: `description`, `url`, `extractionGoal`

The LLM is given strict criteria for what counts as research: > Genuine research requiring **2+ different websites** — NOT simple browsing, messaging, or single-site tasks.

7.2 Phase 2: Parallel Execution (runSubTask)

Each sub-task gets: - Its own Chrome tab via `tabManager.createTab(url)` - Its own agent loop (similar to runAgent but with `extract_data` as terminal tool) - Its own LLM conversation context - An abort signal connection to the global abort flag

Sub-task tools are the same as `BROWSER_TOOLS` but with `task_complete` replaced by `extract_data` (which captures findings instead of ending the run).

7.3 Phase 3: Aggregation (aggregateResults)

An LLM call receives all extracted data and the original prompt, then synthesizes:

- Key findings from each source
- Differences and similarities across sources
- Source citations for every data point
- Tables or bullet points for comparisons

8. Tool Ecosystem

8.1 Browser Tools (defined in agent.ts)

Tool	Description	Auto-Snapshots?
<code>task_complete</code>	Signals task completion — stops the agent immediately	—
<code>open_browser</code>	Opens URL in new tab	No (manual snapshot needed)
<code>take_snapshot</code>	Gets all interactive elements with UIDs	—
<code>click</code>	Clicks element by UID	✓ Auto-snapshot after
<code>type_text</code>	Types text char-by-char into field by UID	✓ Auto-snapshot after
<code>press_key</code>	Keyboard events (Enter, Tab, Escape, etc.)	✓ Auto-snapshot after
<code>scroll</code>	Scrolls page up/down	No
<u>screenshot</u>	Captures visual screenshot	No
<code>select_option</code>	Selects dropdown option by value	✓ Auto-snapshot after
<code>hover</code>	Triggers hover/mouseover on element	✓ Auto-snapshot after
<code>set_value</code>	Direct value injection for inputs	✓ Auto-snapshot after
<code>wait_for_page_update</code>	Waits for AJAX/network idle	✓ Auto-snapshot after

Tool	Description	Auto-Snapshots?
navigate	In-tab URL navigation	No

8.2 Research-Only Tools

Tool	Description
<code>extract_data</code>	Terminal tool for research sub-tasks — captures extracted information

9. Document Intelligence Module

A standalone FastAPI microservice for intelligent document Q&A, located at `Document Intelligence/doc_intel/`.

9.1 Architecture

flowchart TD

```

    A["POST /api/v1/hackrx/run<br/>{documents: url, questions: [...]}"]
    B["Token Authentication<br/>(Bearer token)"]
    A --> B

    B --> C{"URL Type Detection"}
    C -->|"Has file extension"| D["download_and_parse_document()"]
    C -->|"No extension"| E["HEAD request → detect_file_type_from_response()"]
    E -->|"API/JSON"| F["handle_api_link()"]

    D --> G{"Format?"}
    G -->|"PDF"| H["parse_pdf()<br/>(PyMuPDF + link extraction)"]
    G -->|"DOCX"| I["parse_docx()"]
    G -->|"PPTX"| J["parse_pptx()<br/>(+ OCR for embedded images)"]
    G -->|"XLSX"| K["parse_excel()<br/>(Pandas → string)"]
    G -->|"Image"| L["parse_image()<br/>(Pytesseract OCR)"]

    H & I & J & K & L --> M["pages: string[]"]

    M --> N["expand_pages_with_linked_content()<br/>(extract URLs → fetch linked docs)"]
    N --> O["get_embeddings(pages)<br/>(e5-large-v2 model)"]
  
```

```

O --> P["build_faiss_index(embeddings)"]
P --> Q["save_to_cache()<br/>(pickle + FAISS)"]

Q --> R["ThreadPoolExecutor<br/>(8-16 workers)"]
R --> S["process_question() × N"]

S --> T["FAISS search: top-15 chunks"]
T --> U{"Contains URLs/API links?"}

U -->|"No"| V["Standard RAG<br/>TEMPLATE.format(clauses, question)
<br/>→ Gemini 2.5 Flash"]
U -->|"Yes"| W["Interactive Agent<br/>(LangGraph + GPT-4)"]

V --> X["Gemini fails?"]
X -->|"Yes"| Y["Fallback: OpenAI gpt-5-nano"]
X -->|"No"| Z["Return answer"]
Y --> Z
W --> Z

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```

9.2 Dual-Path Processing

The system dynamically chooses between two processing paths:

Path A: Standard RAG Pipeline

For regular documents without interactive instructions: 1. Parse document → chunks 2. Embed with e5-large-v2 → FAISS index 3. For each question: semantic search → top-15 chunks → LLM prompt 4. Gemini 2.5 Flash (primary) → OpenAI (fallback)

Path B: Interactive Reasoning Agent

For documents containing URLs, API endpoints, or multi-step instructions: 1. Detects that relevant chunks contain URLs/API references via `contains_api_or_url()` 2. Activates the **LangGraph ReAct agent** with two tools: - `document_retriever` — searches the loaded document via FAISS - `web_scraper_tool` — fetches data from external URLs/APIs 3. The agent reasons through multi-step instructions autonomously

9.3 Key Features

Feature	Implementation
Multi-format support	PDF, DOCX, PPTX, XLSX/XLS, JPG/PNG/GIF (OCR)
Linked document expansion	Auto-extracts URLs from document text, fetches and indexes linked content
Embedding caching	MD5-hashed filenames in pdf_cache/ — persistent across requests
Concurrent Q&A	ThreadPoolExecutor with 8-16 workers for batch question processing
LLM key rotation	3 Gemini API keys cycled via <code>itertools.cycle()</code>
OneDrive/SharePoint	Auto-converts sharing URLs to direct download URLs
OCR for images in PPTX	Extracts embedded images from slides and runs Pytesseract
Prompt engineering	Domain-specific template for insurance, legal, HR documents

9.4 Document Intelligence File Structure

Document Intelligence/doc_intel/

```
├─ app/
│   └─ main.py                # FastAPI app, token auth, request
                                logging
│   └─ document_parser.py     # parse_pdf, parse_docx, parse_pptx,
                                parse_excel, parse_image
│   └─ embeddings.py          # SentenceTransformer (e5-large-v2) +
                                FAISS index builder
│   └─ retrieval.py           # RAG pipeline, caching, linked doc
                                expansion, question processing
│   └─ interactive_agent.py    # LangGraph ReAct agent with
                                document_retriever + web_scraper tools
│   └─ prompt_template.py     # Domain-specific RAG prompt template
│   └─ utils.py               # clean_response(),
                                contains_api_or_url()
├─ pdf_cache/                 # Persistent embedding cache (pickle +
                                FAISS)
└─ requirements.txt           # 23 Python dependencies
```

— Dockerfile	# Docker containerization support
— .env	# Gemini keys (x3), OpenAI key, Groq key

10. Storage & State Management

10.1 Extension Storage (chrome.storage.local)

```
graph LR
    subgraph "chrome.storage.local"
        A["edith_api_key<br/>(OpenAI API key)"]
        B["edith_api_base_url<br/>(default: api.openai.com/v1)"]
        C["edith_model<br/>(default: gpt-4o-mini)"]
        D["edith_conversations<br/>(last 100 conversations)"]
        E["edith_mcp_servers<br/>(MCP server configs)"]
        F["edith_schedules<br/>(scheduled tasks)"]
    end
end
```

10.2 Data Structures

```
interface Conversation {
    id: string;           // UUID
    title: string;        // First 60 chars of prompt
    messages: Message[]; // Full message history
    createdAt: number;
    updatedAt: number;
}

interface Message {
    id: string;
    role: 'user' | 'assistant' | 'tool';
    content: string;
    toolCalls?: ToolCall[]; // For assistant messages with tool calls
    toolCallId?: string;    // For tool response messages
    toolName?: string;
    timestamp: number;
}

interface ScheduledTask {
    id: string;
    name: string;
```

```

    prompt: string;           // Agent prompt to execute
    cronExpression: string;
    enabled: boolean;
    lastRun?: number;
}

```

10.3 Document Intelligence Caching

- **In-memory cache:** pdf_cache dict (keyed by document URL)
 - **Persistent cache:** pdf_cache/ directory with pickled pages + embeddings
 - **Cache key:** MD5 hash of the document URL
 - **FAISS index:** Rebuilt from cached embeddings on load (fast)
-

11. LLM Integration

11.1 Extension LLM Client

The extension calls OpenAI-compatible APIs directly from the browser via the **OpenAI SDK**:

```

const client = new OpenAI({
  apiKey: settings.apiKey,
  baseURL: settings.apiUrl,           // User-configurable
  dangerouslyAllowBrowser: true,      // Required for extension
  context
});

const response = await client.chat.completions.create({
  model: settings.model,              // User-configurable (default:
  gpt-4o-mini)
  messages: [system, ...history],
  tools: browserTools,
  tool_choice: 'auto',
  max_completion_tokens: 4096,
});

```

11.2 System Prompt Architecture

The SYSTEM_PROMPT in agent.ts (140 lines) contains: - **Workflow**

instructions: open → snapshot → interact → verify → complete - **Snapshot**

reading guide: How to interpret UIDs, types, and section context - **Site-**

specific intelligence: YouTube, WhatsApp, Gmail, Amazon, e-commerce

patterns - **Forbidden actions:** Never re-open sites, never click navigation links when searching - **Completion criteria:** URL-based verification for each task type

11.3 Conversation History Pruning

pruneHistory() keeps only the **last 6 tool exchange rounds** to manage token costs: - User/assistant text messages are always kept - Only the most recent tool call/response pairs are retained

11.4 Document Intelligence LLM Strategy

Question → FAISS top-15 chunks → prompt template

Primary: Gemini 2.5 Flash (3 API keys rotated)

↓ on failure

Fallback: OpenAI gpt-5-nano

↓ on failure

Return: "Unable to process this query"

If interactive (URLs/APIs detected):

→ LangGraph Agent with OpenAI GPT-4

12. Project File Structure

```
EDITH - Final yr project/
|
├── EDITH-main/EDITH-main/
|   ├── extension/
|       ├── wxt.config.ts
|       ├── package.json
|       ├── tsconfig.json
|       ├── tailwind.config.js
|       ├── postcss.config.js
|       ├── entrypoints/
|       |   ├── background/
|       |   |   └── index.ts
|       └── permissions
|       └── React, WXT, TS)
|       └── lines)
|       └── loop,
```

★ CORE AGENT

Manifest V3 config +

Dependencies (OpenAI,

TypeScript configuration

TailwindCSS theme

PostCSS plugins

★ Service worker (715

Message router, agent

			# research runner, alarm
handler			
		— sidepanel/	
		— main.tsx	# React mount
		— App.tsx	# Chat UI + settings
		— index.html	
		— newtab/	
		— main.tsx	# New tab page
		— index.html	
		— lib/	
		— agent.ts	# ★ System prompt (140
lines) +			
			# BROWSER_TOOLS
definitions +			
			# formatSnapshot() +
pruneHistory()			
		— automation.ts	# ★ CDP automation (1186
lines)			
			# Snapshot JS, click,
type, scroll,			
			# hover, select, multi-
tab attach			
		— research.ts	# ★ Research orchestrator
(523 lines)			
			# decomposeTask,
runSubTask,			
			# aggregateResults
		— llm.ts	# OpenAI SDK wrapper (99
lines)			
		— storage.ts	# chrome.storage CRUD (134
lines)			
		— tab_manager.ts	# Multi-tab lifecycle
(~100 lines)			
		— assets/	
		— global.css	
— Document Intelligence/			
		— doc_intel/	★ DOCUMENT Q&A MODULE
		— app/	
		— main.py	# FastAPI app + auth
middleware			
		— document_parser.py	# PDF/DOCX/PPTX/XLSX/Image
parsers			

```

|   |— embeddings.py           # e5-large-v2 + FAISS
builder
|   |— retrieval.py           # RAG pipeline + caching +
linked docs
|   |— intractive_agent.py    # LangGraph ReAct agent
|   |— prompt_template.py     # Domain-specific prompt
template
|   |— utils.py               # utilities
|   |— pdf_cache/             # Persistent embedding
cache
|   |— requirements.txt        # 23 dependencies
|   |— Dockerfile             # Docker support
|   |— .env                   # API keys (Gemini x3,
OpenAI, Groq)

```

13. Security Architecture

Layer	Mechanism	Details
Extension Permissions	Manifest V3	Scoped: debugger, sidePanel, storage, tabs, scripting, alarms
API Key Storage	<code>chrome.storage.local</code>	User's OpenAI key stored locally, never transmitted to any server except OpenAI
LLM Calls	Direct browser → OpenAI	No intermediary — extension calls API directly with <code>dangerouslyAllowBrowser: true</code>
Agent Safety	Abort flag	User can immediately stop any running agent via <code>AGENT_STOP</code>
Snapshot Loop Prevention	Counter + warning	Detects 3+ consecutive snapshots without action
New Tab Tracking	<code>activeTabId</code> switch	Automatically follows cross-tab navigation
CDP Cleanup	<code>finally</code> block	<code>detachDebugger()</code> always called, even on errors

Layer	Mechanism	Details
Doc Intel Auth	Bearer token	Static token validation on all API requests
Gemini Key Rotation	<code>itertools.cycle()</code>	3 keys rotated to avoid rate limits
Conversation Limits	100 max conversations	Prevents unbounded storage growth
History Pruning	Last 6 tool rounds	Prevents token overflow on long agent runs

Report generated from exhaustive source code analysis of every file in the extension and Document Intelligence modules. All architecture diagrams and data flows are derived directly from the actual implementation.