# Technical Assignment: Build a Mini LLM-Powered Question-Answering System Using RAG

## **Objective**

You are tasked with building a simple, functional prototype of a document-based Question-Answering (QA) system using Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG) powered by an open-source LLM.

This is a time-boxed challenge (4 hours) designed to evaluate your ability to:

- Think like a builder under pressure
- Design a clean RAG pipeline
- Integrate embeddings, vector search, and LLMs
- Use AI tools like ChatGPT or Copilot judiciously

#### **Provided Resources**

- Input Dataset: A text document or multiple documents will be provided by Wundrsight. These may include excerpts from clinical guidelines, mental health protocols, or structured medical text.
- No need to search or scrape external data sources.

### **Assignment Scope**

#### **Required Components**

Please implement the following in your solution:

- 1. Document Ingestion and Chunking
  - Load the provided text(s)
  - Split into manageable chunks for embedding (e.g., 200–500 tokens)
  - Clearly explain the chunking strategy in your code or documentation

#### 2. Embedding and Vector Store

- Generate embeddings using a pre-trained model (e.g., all-MiniLM-L6-v2 from Sentence Transformers)
- Store vectors using FAISS or ChromaDB
- o Ensure retrieval of top-k similar chunks for a given query

#### 3. Query Interface

- Accept a text query from the user (e.g., via command line or notebook input)
- Retrieve relevant context chunks using semantic search

## 4. LLM Integration

- Use a local or free-tier accessible open-source LLM (e.g., LLaMA2, GPT4All, Mistral-7B, or any suitable HuggingFace-hosted model)
- Use the retrieved context to generate an answer to the input query
- You may use LangChain or other wrappers if needed, but explain your approach

### 5. Output

- Display or print the generated answer
- Include a sample input and output using this test question:

Give me the correct coded classification for the following diagnosis: "Recurrent depressive disorder, currently in remission"

#### **Time Limit**

- You must complete the coding portion within 4 hours
- Use the README to note what is complete, what is skipped, and why
- You may use ChatGPT or Copilot to assist—but clearly call out where and how you used them

#### **Deliverables**

#### Please submit:

- 1. Code (in Jupyter Notebook or .py file) with clear structure and comments
- 2. README or explanatory note with:
  - o Tools and models used
  - o Where AI tools like ChatGPT/Copilot were used
  - o Your design decisions and any assumptions made
  - Limitations due to time or resource constraints
- 3. Sample output for the provided query

#### **Evaluation Criteria**

|                  | Area | Evaluation Focus  |
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| Functionality    |      | End-to-end working pipeline (document $\rightarrow$ retrieval $\rightarrow$ LLM $\rightarrow$ answer) |
| Technical Design |      | Soundness of architectural decisions and justification  |
| Use of Al Tools  |      | Responsible and smart use of ChatGPT or Copilot   |
| Code Quality     |      | Modular, readable, and logically organized  |

| Time Management | How well you prioritized features within time limit     |
|-----------------|---|
| Clarity         | Assumptions and design decisions are clearly documented |

# **Optional Bonus (if time permits)**

- Add a simple Gradio or Streamlit interface
- Allow for dynamic document uploads
- Implement basic caching for repeat queries
- Add relevance reranking logic (e.g., using Maximal Marginal Relevance)

# **Important Notes**

- If something is unclear, assume a reasonable approach and note it in the README.
- Do not overengineer. Focus on delivering a working, clean MVP.
- Do not exceed the 4-hour coding time limit—document anything left incomplete.