

Report on ChatGPT Labs

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Lab 1: Introduction to ChatGPT

Objective:

To understand the fundamentals of ChatGPT, including its origin, working principles based on transformer architecture, capabilities, and applications across various domains.

Activities:

- Explored the ChatGPT interface to familiarize with its user interactions.
- Studied transformer architecture using visualization tools to understand how ChatGPT processes language.
- Identified real-world use-cases in education, healthcare, business, and creative fields.

Output:

Submitted a one-page summary explaining ChatGPT's architecture, training on vast text data, and examples such as personalized tutoring in education, symptom-checking in healthcare, customer support automation in business, and creative writing assistance.

Lab 2: Types of Prompts and Prompt Engineering Basics

Objective:

To learn different prompt types—instructional, interrogative, zero-shot, and few-shot—and basics of prompt engineering for effective AI responses.

Activities:

- Experimented with zero-shot prompts (no examples given) vs few-shot prompts (provided examples) to observe differences in response quality.
- Designed prompts with increasing complexity by adding context, clear instructions, and formatting.

Output:

Compiled 5 examples each of zero-shot, few-shot, and instructional prompts, compared their results, and documented how few-shot prompting improved response relevance and accuracy.

Lab 3: Precision Prompting for Information Extraction

Objective:

To extract structured data from ChatGPT responses by precise prompt design.

Activities:

- Asked ChatGPT to format outputs in JSON and tabular formats.
- Extracted specific data like contact information, resume sections, and keywords from unstructured paragraphs.

Output:

Presented prompts alongside ChatGPT's structured outputs, evaluated accuracy of extracted data, and discussed formatting effectiveness for downstream processing.

Lab 4: Summarization and Text Transformation

Objective:

To apply ChatGPT for summarizing text and transforming writing style or tone.

Activities:

- Summarized news articles and research abstracts to capture key points.
- Rewrote emails in both formal and informal tones as per context.

Output:

Provided original texts alongside ChatGPT's summaries and tone-transformed versions, highlighting improvements in clarity and appropriateness.

Lab 5: ChatGPT in Code Generation and Debugging

Objective:

To explore ChatGPT's capability in generating and debugging programming code.

Activities:

- Generated code snippets in Python, C++, and Java based on prompts describing the functionality.
- Debugged provided faulty code snippets with ChatGPT's assistance.

Output:

Compared generated and debugged codes with expected outputs, demonstrating ChatGPT's usefulness in accelerating coding tasks.

Lab 6: Domain-Specific Applications

Objective:

To utilize ChatGPT in specialized tasks tailored to particular professional domains.

Activities (select one):

- Simulated a medical chatbot for patient interaction.
- Summarized complex legal documents into concise points.
- Generated educational quizzes on specified topics.

Output:

Documented prompt design strategy and evaluated output quality relevant to the chosen domain, showcasing ChatGPT's adaptability.

Conclusion

These labs collectively provide a comprehensive hands-on understanding of ChatGPT—from its theoretical foundation to practical applications across various fields. Mastery of prompt engineering and precise instruction significantly enhances interaction quality, enabling ChatGPT to serve as a powerful assistant in education, healthcare, business, creative writing, and software development.