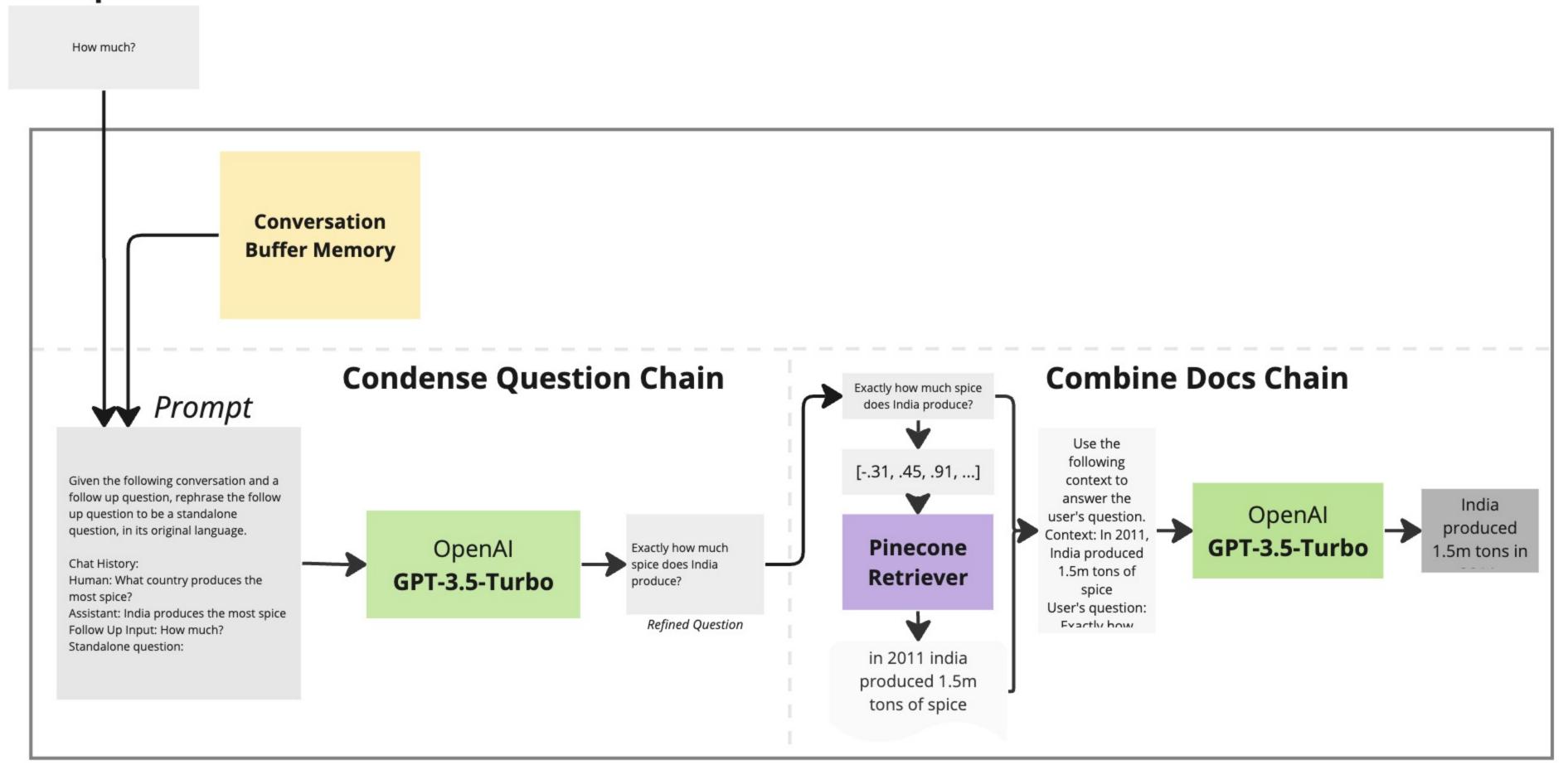
build_chat()

Builds and returns a Conversational Retrieval Chain to answer a user's question

The chain should support streaming text generation

The chain should use random variations of component parts

Input



RetrievalChain Retriever Memory LLM

Retrievers

Pinecone Retriever

Chroma Retriever

LLM

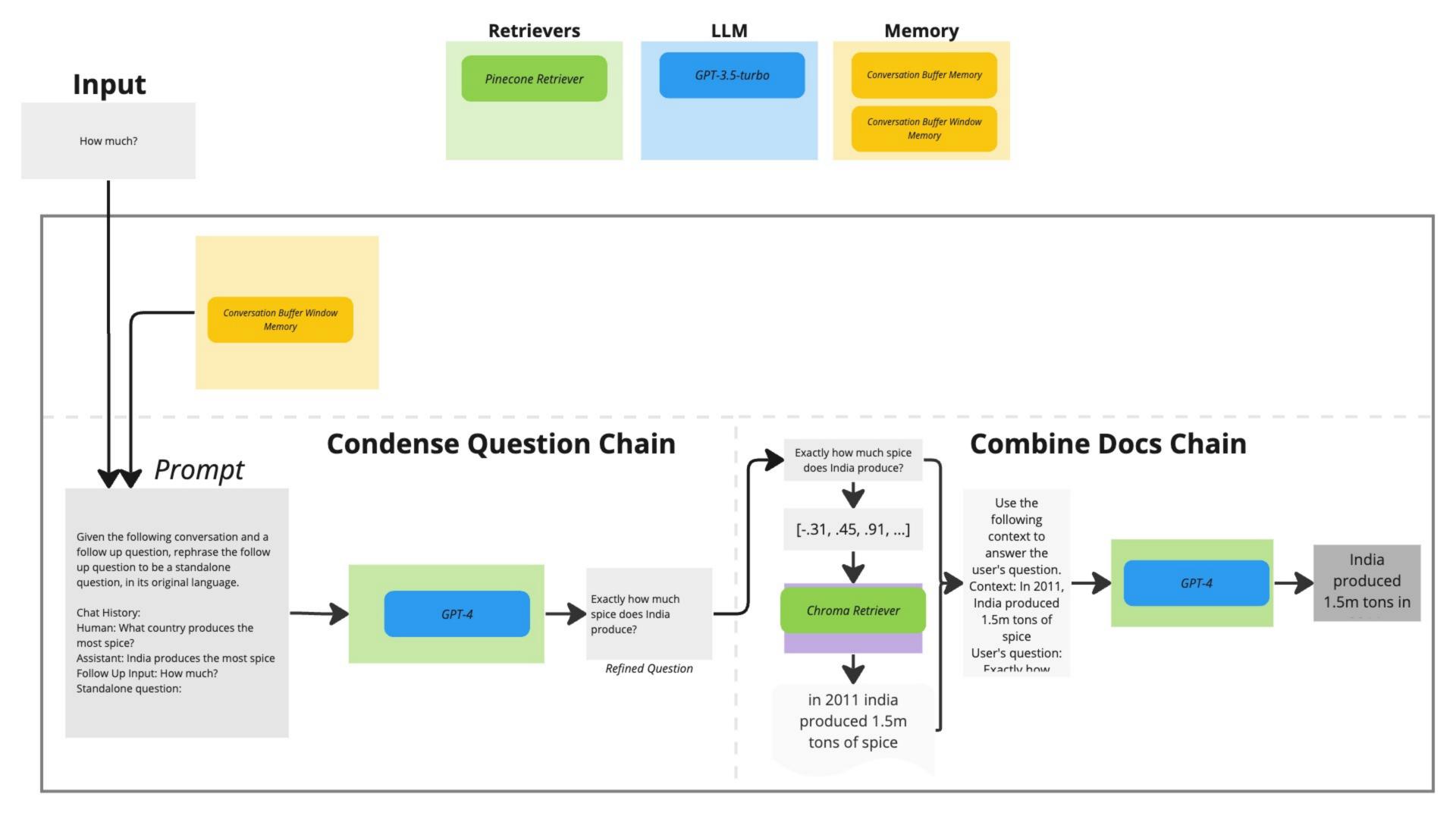
GPT-3.5-turbo

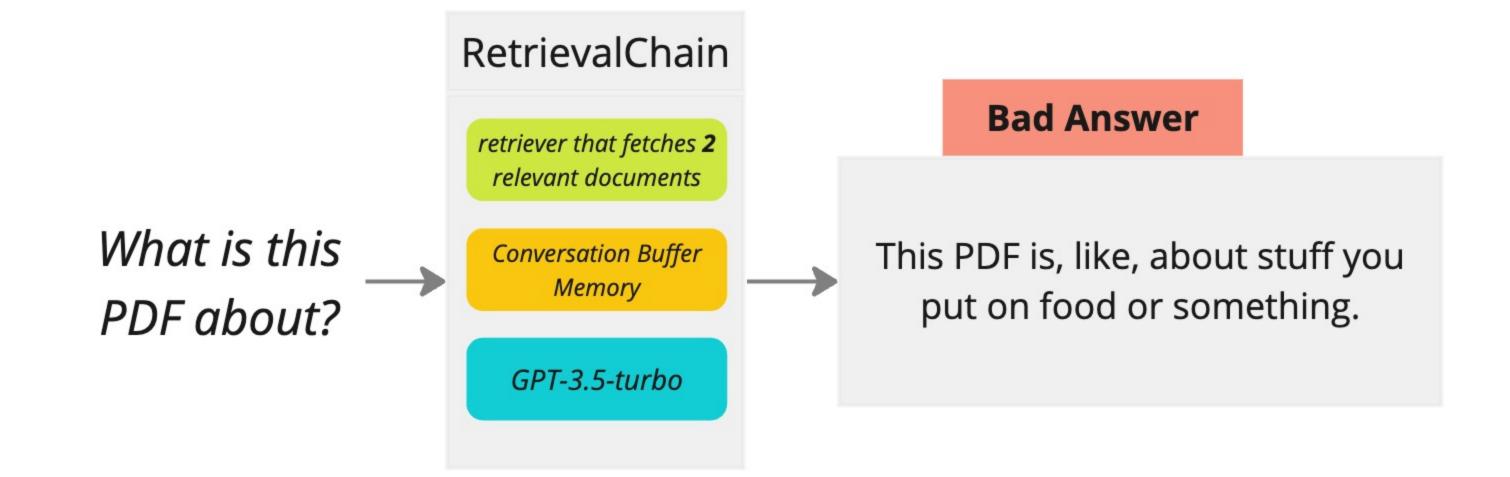
GPT-4

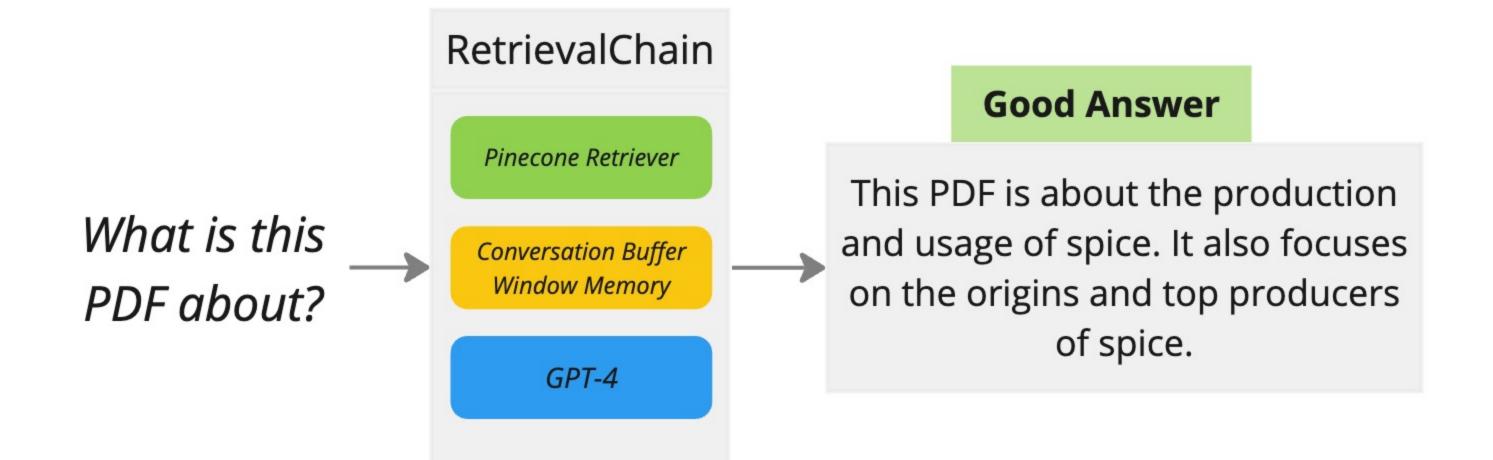
Memory

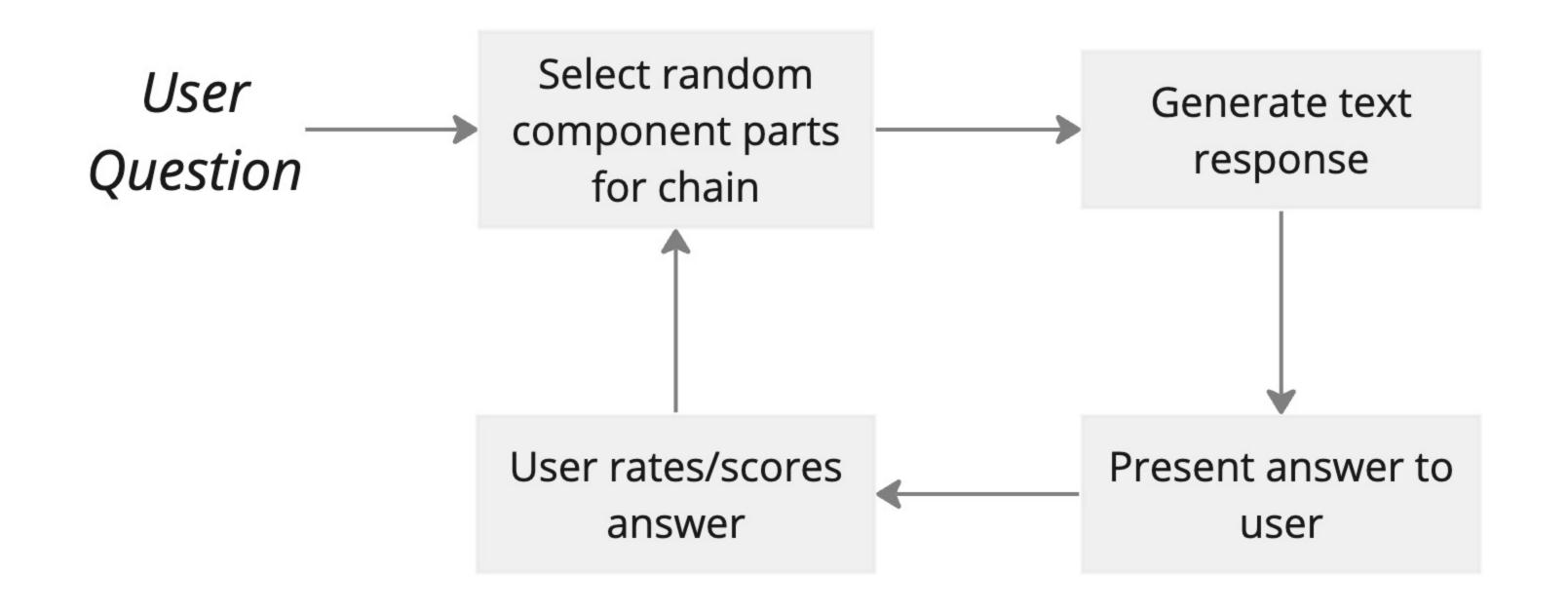
Conversation Buffer Memory

Conversation Buffer Window Memory









Component Maps

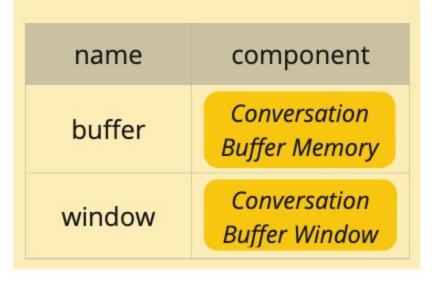
Retrievers

name component

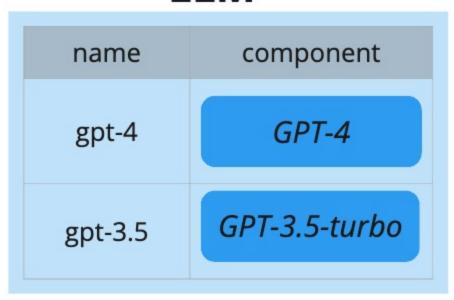
pinecone_2 Pinecone Retriever that fetches top 2 docs

pinecone_3 Pinecone Retriever that fetches top 3 docs

Memory

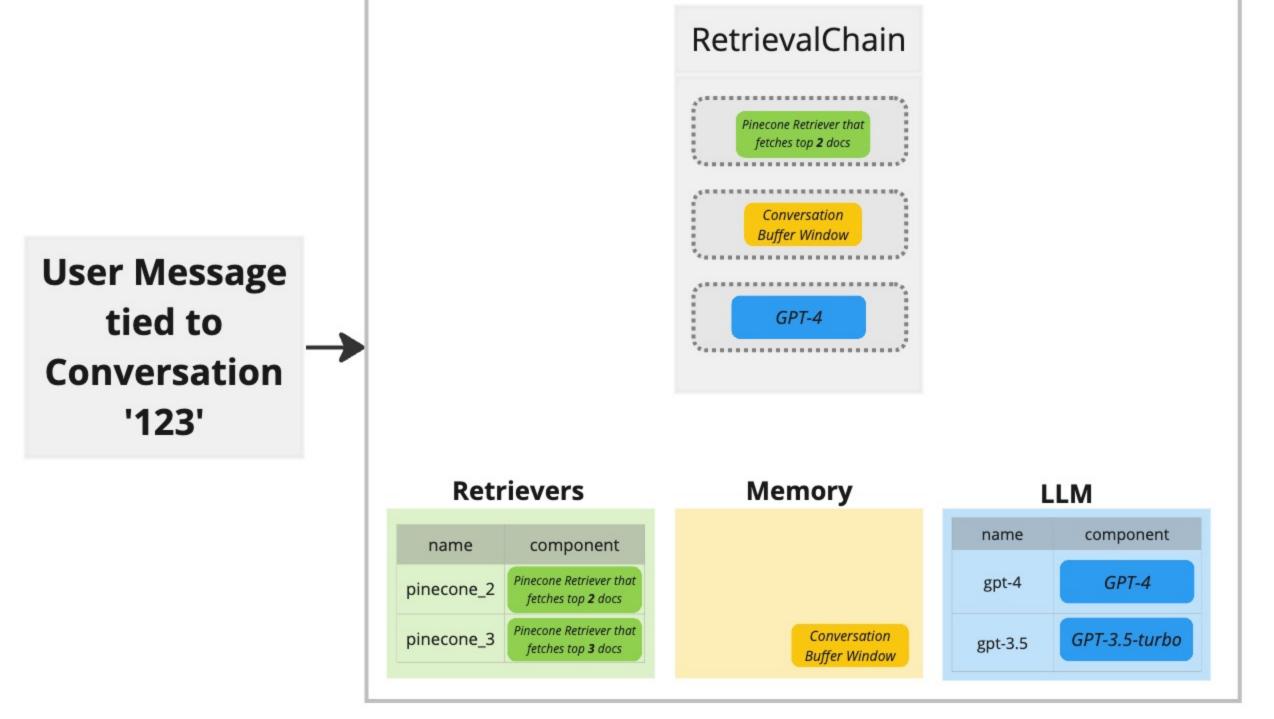


LLM



Dictionaries where the key is an identifier for a component configured in a particular way

First message of conversation

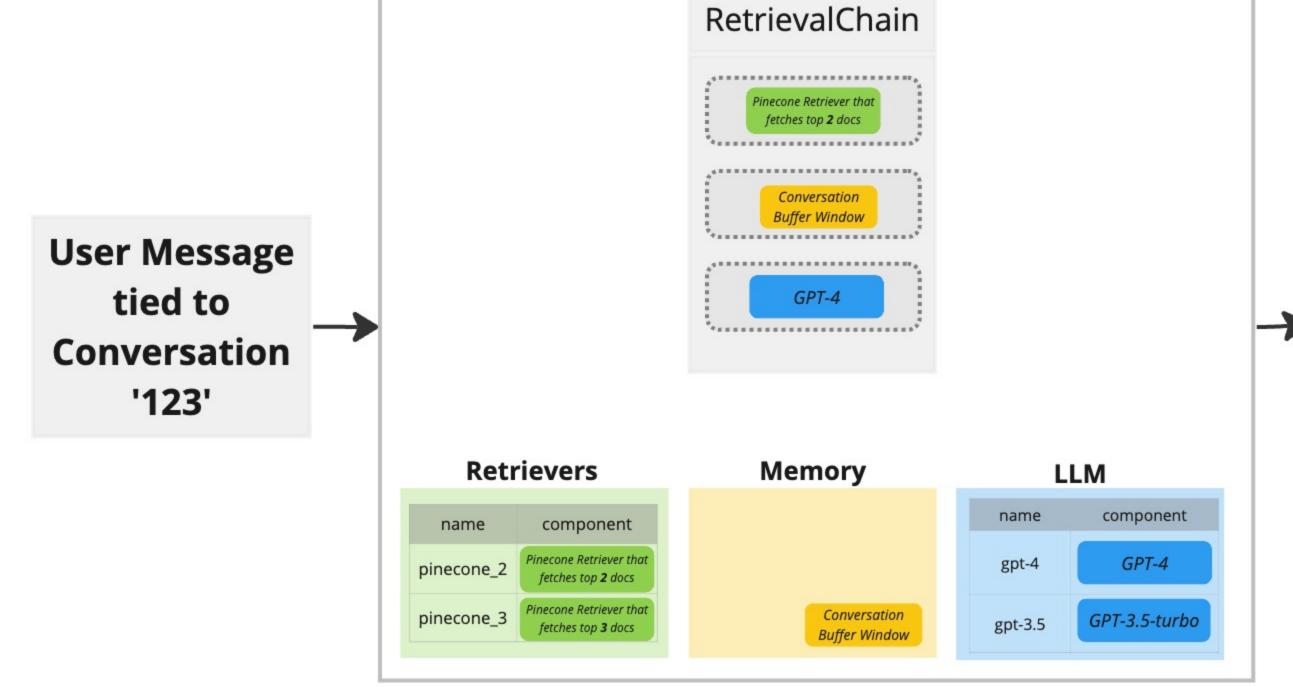


SQLite Database List of Conversations

id	llm	memory	retriever
123	gpt-4	window	pinecone_2

This table already exists in the database

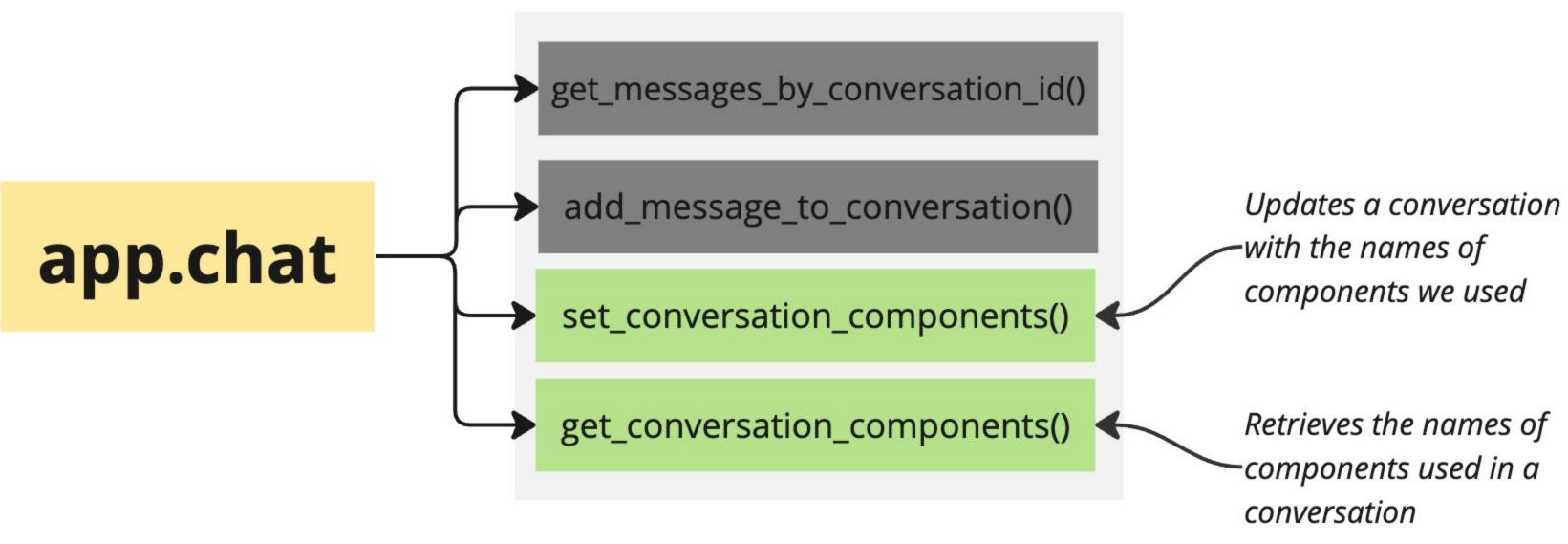
Second, third, fourth, etc message of conversation



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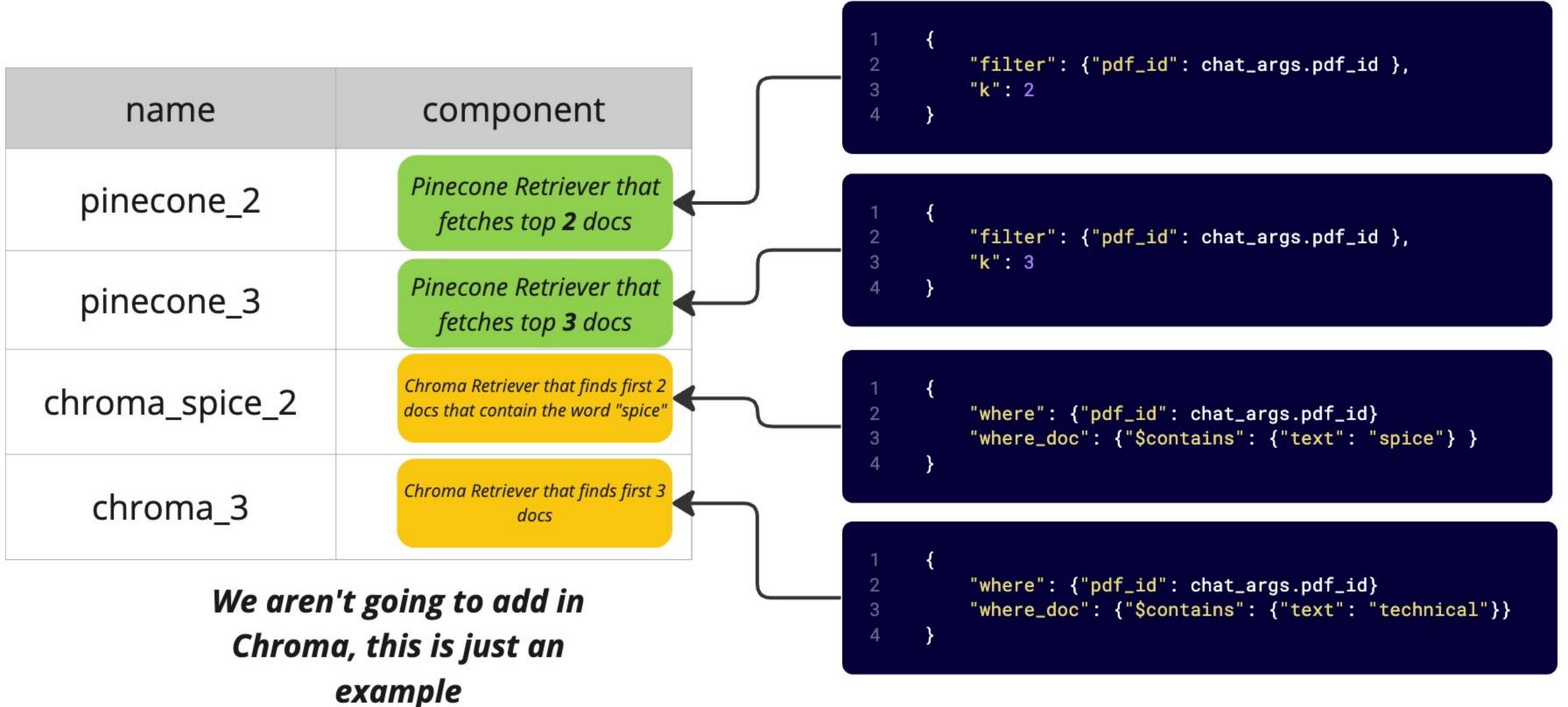
app.web Module



```
def build_chat(chat_args):
          # Assume it is a follow-up message
          components = get_conversation_components(chat_args.conversation_id)
          print(components) # -> { "llm": "gpt-3.5-turbo" }
          if components["llm"] == "gpt-3.5-turbo":
              retriever = build_retriever(
                  chat_args,
 9
10
                  k=2
11
          elif components["llm"] == "gpt-4":
12
              retriever = build_retriever(
13
14
                  chat_args,
15
                  k=3
16
```

```
def build_retriever(chat_args, k):
    search_kwargs = {
        "filter": { "pdf_id": chat_args.pdf_id },
        "k": k
}
return vector_store.as_retriever(
        search_kwargs=search_kwargs
)
```

Different Retrievers might require different config



```
def build_chat(chat_args):
 2
          conversation_id = chat_args.conversation_id
          # Assume it is a follow-up message
 3
          components = get_conversation_components(conversation_id
 5
          print(components) # -> { "retriever": "pinecone_2" }
 6
          if components["retriever"] == "pinecone_2":
 8
              retriever = build_pinecone_retriever(
 9
10
                  chat_args,
11
                  k=2
12
          elif components["retriever"] == "pinecone_3":
13
              retriever = build_pinecone_retriever(
14
15
                  chat_args,
16
                  k=3
17
          elif components["retriever"] == "chroma_spice_2"
18
              retriever = build_chroma_retriever(
19
                  chat_args,
20
                  n_results=2,
21
                  where_doc={"$contains": {"text": "spice" }}
22
23
          elif components["retriever"] == "chroma_3"
24
              retriever = build_chroma_retriever(
25
26
                  chat_args,
27
                  n_results=3
28
```

```
def build_pinecone_retriever(chat_args, k):
    search_kwargs = {
        "filter": { "pdf_id": chat_args.pdf_id },
        "k": k
}
return vector_store.as_retriever(
    search_kwargs=search_kwargs
}
```

```
def build_chroma_retriever(chat_args, n_results, where_doc):
    search_kwargs = {
        "where": { "pdf_id": chat_args.pdf_id },
        "n_results": n_results,
        "where_document": where_doc
}
return vector_store.as_retriever(
        search_kwargs=search_kwargs
)
```

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def build_chat(chat_args):
          conversation_id = chat_args.conversation_id
          # Assume it is a follow-up message
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          components = get_conversation_components(conversation_id
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          print(components) # -> { "retriever": "pinecone_2" }
          if components["retriever"] == "pinecone_2":
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Many arguments are hard coded and tied to the name of the component