Structured Extraction Pipeline

Objective

Build an **end-to-end LLM-powered structured extraction pipeline** that takes a short document, applies a prompt template, validates the output against a JSON schema, and saves the structured result.



Architecture Overview

 $\mbox{Document} \ \ \ \ \mbox{Prompt Template} \ \ \ \ \ \mbox{LLM Inference} \ \ \ \ \ \mbox{Output Validation} \ \ \ \ \mbox{Structured JSON}$ $\label{eq:csv} \ \ \ \mbox{CSV Report}$

Stage	Description	Purpose
Input Validation	Checks for banned words & PII	Safety before inference
Prompt Template	Provides consistent structure & task definition	Guides the LLM
LLM Extraction	GPT-4o-mini model generates structured output	Information extraction
Schema Validation	Ensures JSON matches required fields	Structural integrity
Output Storage	Saves to CSV for analysis or downstream processing	Reusability

Components

YInput Validation

Rejects unsafe input containing: - Banned words (password, confidential, credit card) - PII patterns (emails, phone numbers)

Normal Template

Guides the model to output JSON with keys:

```
{"title", "summary", "keywords", "category"}
```

LLM Inference

- Uses OpenAI GPT-4o-mini
- Parameters:

```
• temperature=0.0 \rightarrow deterministic
```

• top_p=0.9 → focused sampling

• max_tokens=300 → concise output

Schema Validation

Ensures the model output conforms to a strict JSON schema using | jsonschema |.

Output Logging

- Valid results displayed as a DataFrame
- Stored in structured_output.csv

Example Output

```
{
  "title": "Azure Cloud Services Overview",
  "summary":
"Azure helps businesses deploy and scale applications securely with AI and data
management capabilities.",
  "keywords": ["Azure", "Cloud", "AI", "Data", "Security"],
  "category": "Cloud Computing"
}
```

Schema Validated Output Stored as CSV

How to Run

- $1. \ Open \ the \ notebook \Big[structured_extraction_pipeline.ipynb \Big] in \ \textbf{Google Colab}.$
- 2. Add your API key securely:

```
from google.colab import userdata
userdata.set('OPENAI_API_KEY', 'sk-your-key-here')
```

- 3. Run all cells sequentially.
- 4. View structured output in CSV.



Tools	
OpenAI GPT-4o-mini	
jsonschema, regex	
Pandas CSV export	
Google Colab	

Best Practices

- Keep temperature = 0.0 for deterministic extraction
- Always apply input sanitization before calling LLMs
- Use JSON schema validation to ensure data reliability
- Integrate this pipeline with Airflow or LangChain for production

Project Structure

```
/structured_extraction_pipeline/
├── structured_extraction_pipeline.ipynb
├── README.md
└── structured_output.csv
```

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- Project: LLM Pipeline Foundations (Days 8-14)