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Empowering Mankind

Open Source and the Final Frontier of Al

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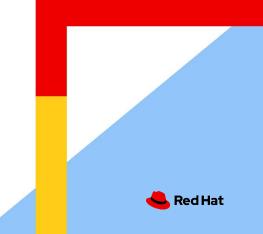
Statistics, machine learning and bioinformatics





Agenda

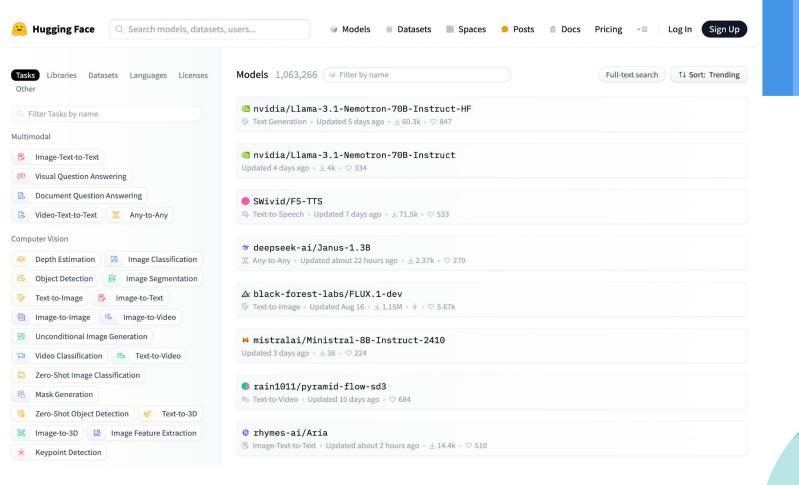
- Why is Open Source relevant in the field of AI?
- How can we collaborate with the InstructLab methodology?
- What does it solve and not solve?
- Call to action



"In order to maintain and increase the renown of these discoveries, it appears to me necessary... to have the truth seen and recognized, by the means of the effect themselves, by as many people as possible."

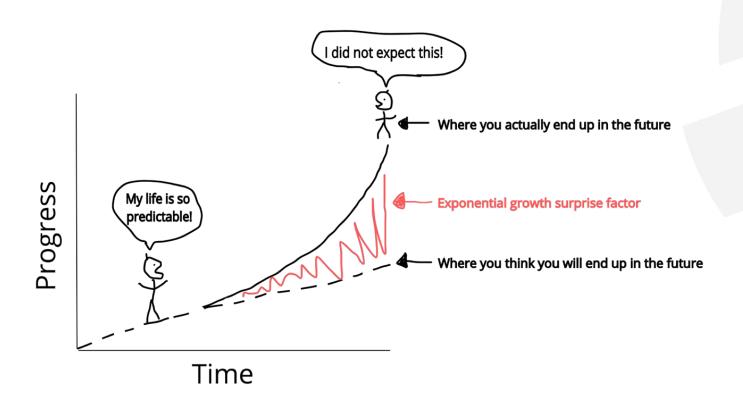
- Galileo Galilei







The future is exponential





Open source development



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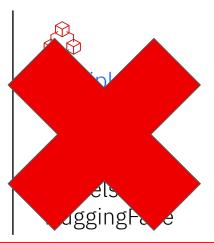


No way to contribute to one model



Not community driven

No way to share LLMs enhancements





FROM SCRATCH (cost, data) COMPLEXITY FINE TUNING RAG **QUALITY**

The balancing act of using foundation models

Foundation models will still need more work to be useful

- Prompt tuning
- Retrieval augmented generation (RAG)

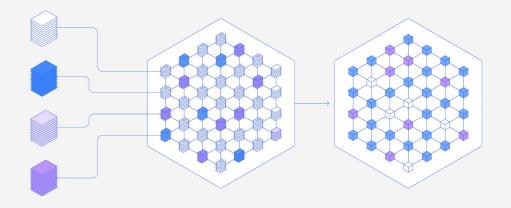
- Fine tuning foundation models
- Training a Foundation Model from scratch



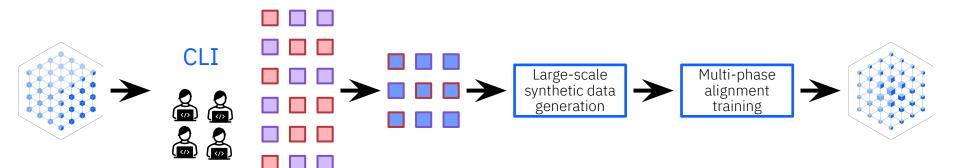
InstructLab: A new methodology!

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- → Makes LLMs truly open-source with collaborative model development
- → Allows LLMs to learn as humans do, using knowledge and skills
- → Enables incremental skill teaching



InstructLab Workflow

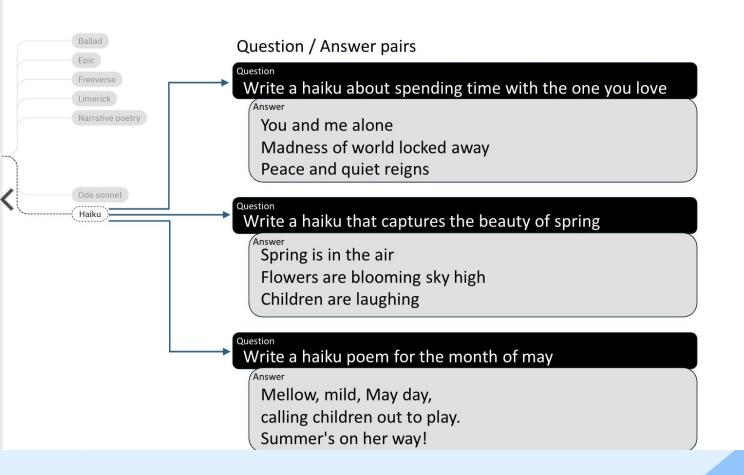


Base model version N

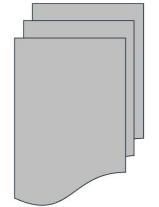
Developers use CLI to develop, test, and submit skills/knowledge as pull requests.

Pull requests are reviewed for quality and a subset is chosen for this round Back-end pipeline executes the steps in the LAB technique to "merge" skills/knowledge and update the model.

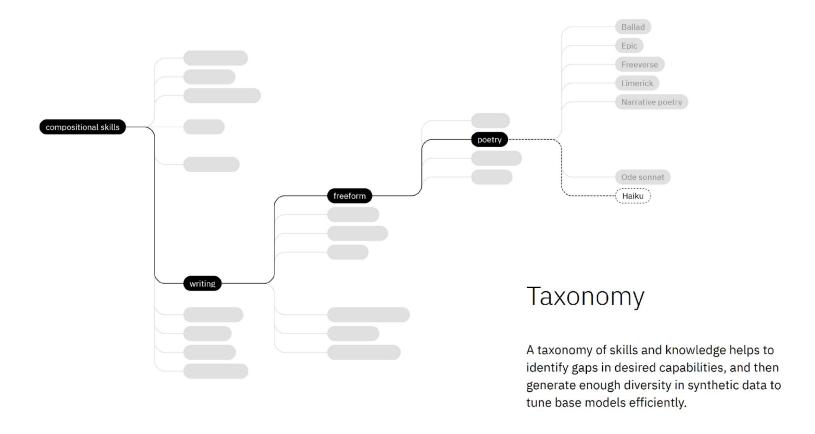
Base model version N+1



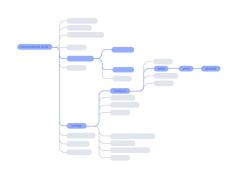
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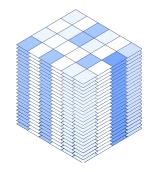


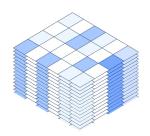


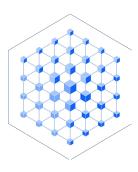


LAB (Large-scale Alignment for ChatBots) Method









Taxonomy-based skill & knowledge representation

https://arxiv.org/abs/2403.01081 Represent any missing model knowledge or skills in a hierarchical taxonomy, providing 5+ exemplifying data points of the missing behavior per missing skill.

Synthetic data generation with teacher model

A teacher model generates a "curriculum" of millions of questions and answers across the taxonomy.

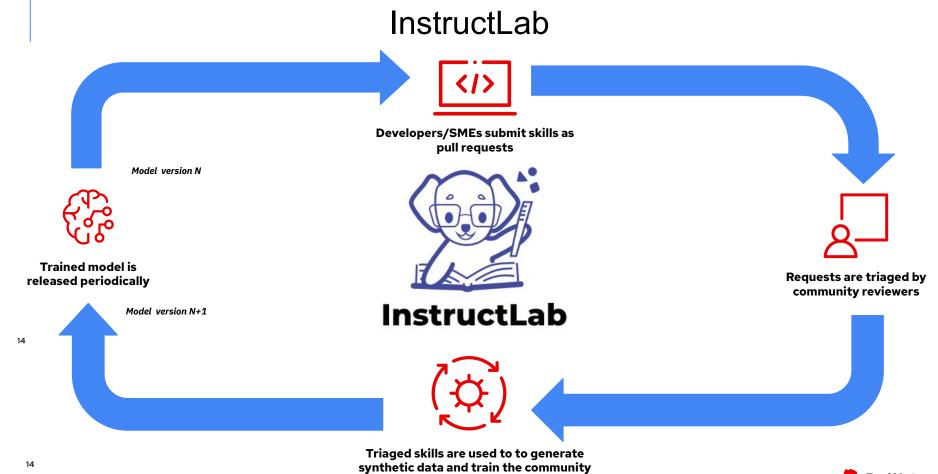
Synthetic data validation with critic model

Critic models filter the questions for correctness and quality. Synthetic data is scanned for prohibited material.

Skill and knowledge training on top of student model(s)

The student model is trained with the curriculum using a novel training approach.





model





What does InstructLab solve?

Reduces expensive human annotation and proprietary models

Transparency of data

Subject matter knowledge without mathematical skills

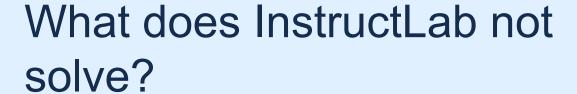
Uncertainty of models

Incremental knowledge addition

Community collaboration of one model









Infrastructure

User access and management

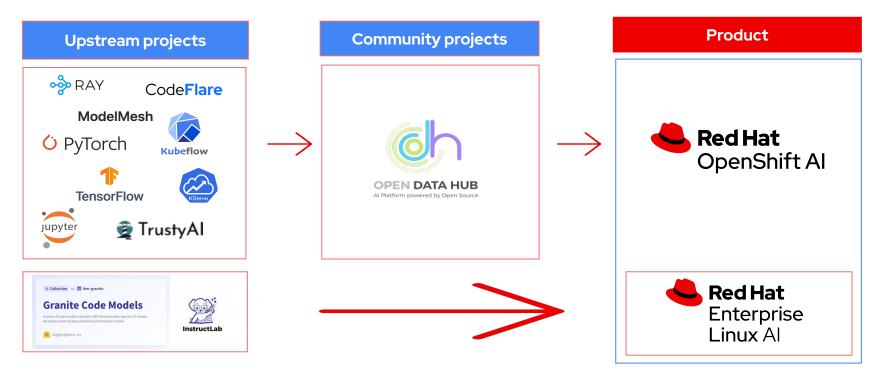
RAG-additions and production settings

Monitoring, automatic pipelines





Red Hat's AI/ML engineering is 100% open source





Red Hat Al Portfolio



Open Source

Learn & experiment via limited desktop-scale training method (qlora) on small datasets. Future potential Podman Desktop integration.





Small Scale

Production-grade model training using full synthetic data generation, teacher and critic models. CLI tooling with building blocks.

Server / VM



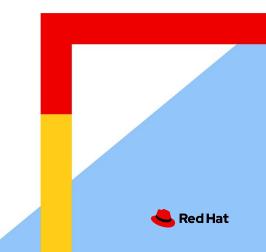
Large Scale

Production-grade model training, serving, and monitoring using full power of hybrid cloud app platform for scaling, automation, and MLOps services.



Call to action!

https://github.com/instructlab





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