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1. What is ChatGPT?

- ChatGPT is a large language model developed by OpenAI that uses GPT (Generative Pre-trained Transformer) to generate human-like text.
- Use Cases:
 - Answering questions
 - Writing articles, code, emails, etc.
 - Brainstorming ideas

- Translation and summarization
 - Debugging code and technical assistance
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2. How to Access ChatGPT

1. Web Interface (Easiest):

- Visit <https://chat.openai.com>
- Sign up/login to start using ChatGPT.

2. API Access (For Developers):

- Requires an OpenAI account and API key.
- Use the OpenAI API for custom integrations.

3. Mobile App (iOS/Android):

- Download from the App Store or Google Play.
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3. Basic Commands and Prompts

1. Ask Questions:

What is the capital of France?

2. Write Content:

Write a blog post about the benefits of meditation.

3. Translate Text:

Translate "Hello, how are you?" to French.

4. Summarize Text:

Summarize the following article: [paste text]

5. Generate Code:

Write a Python script to reverse a string.

4. Key Features

- Memory (Pro Version): Remembers information across sessions (opt-in feature).
 - Multimodal (GPT-4): Supports text and image inputs.
 - Plugins: Extend functionality by connecting to external services.
 - Web Browsing (GPT-4): Access up-to-date information beyond training data.
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5. Crafting Effective Prompts

Tips for Better Responses:

- Be Specific:
`Explain quantum physics in simple terms for a 10-year-old.`
- Provide Context:
`Write a formal email requesting a meeting with a client.`
- Break it Down:
`Step 1: Explain the basics of machine learning.`
`Step 2: List common machine learning algorithms.`
- Role Assignment:
`Act as a history professor and explain World War II causes.`
- Iterative Refinement:
`Expand this text with more detail.`
`Shorten the following paragraph.`

6. Code Examples

Python (Fibonacci Generator):

```
def fibonacci(n):  
    a, b = 0, 1  
    for _ in range(n):  
        print(a, end=' ')  
        a, b = b, a + b  
fibonacci(10)
```

HTML (Simple Web Page):

```
<!DOCTYPE html>  
<html>  
<head><title>My Web Page</title></head>  
<body>  
    <h1>Welcome to My Website</h1>  
    <p>This is a simple HTML page.</p>  
</body>  
</html>
```

7. Troubleshooting and Debugging

- Explain Errors:

I got this error in Python: `IndexError: list index out of range`.
What does it mean?

- Code Debugging:

Debug the following JavaScript code: [paste code]

- Performance Optimization:

How can I optimize this SQL query for faster execution?

8. Common Use Cases

- Content Creation: Blog posts, essays, emails, reports.
 - Coding Help: Write, debug, and explain code in various languages.
 - Learning Assistant: Get explanations on complex topics.
 - Productivity: Generate ideas, to-do lists, schedules.
 - Creative Writing: Poetry, stories, jokes, song lyrics.
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9. Limitations

- Training Cut-off: May lack information on events or topics after the model's knowledge cut-off date.
 - Accuracy: May generate incorrect or nonsensical answers. Always verify critical information.
 - Bias: Responses may reflect biases in the training data.
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10. Keyboard Shortcuts (Web Interface)

- Ctrl + Enter - Submit prompt.
 - Shift + Enter - Add a new line without submitting.
 - Up Arrow - Edit last prompt.
 - Tab - Autocomplete in code blocks.
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11. ChatGPT Pro (GPT-4 Access)

- GPT-4 Benefits:
 - More accurate and creative responses.
 - Handles complex prompts better.
 - Multimodal (image + text).

- Pricing:
 - Free (GPT-3.5)
 - Pro (GPT-4) - Subscription model.
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12. API Usage (For Developers)

`npm install openai`

Basic API Example (Node.js):

```
const { Configuration, OpenAIApi } = require("openai");

const configuration = new Configuration({
  apiKey: 'your-api-key',
});
const openai = new OpenAIApi(configuration);

async function run() {
  const response = await openai.createCompletion({
    model: "gpt-4",
    prompt: "Write a poem about space.",
    max_tokens: 100
  });
  console.log(response.data.choices[0].text);
}
run();
```

13. Best Practices

- Iterate and Refine: Keep refining prompts for better responses.
- Ask Follow-ups: Continue the conversation to extract more information.
- Clarify Ambiguity: Rephrase or add context if the answer isn't precise.

14. Advanced Techniques

- Chain of Thought (COT):

Solve this math problem step by step: $2x + 5 = 15$

- Prompt Engineering:

Simulate a debate between AI and a scientist on climate change.

- Temperature Control:

Set temperature=0.2 for factual responses, 0.8 for creative writing.