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Ollama integration

After installing Olama as a conversation agent, I started to wonder whether or not I could pose a question to the ai and receive a response and use that response for a reason. For example, asking the AI to tell a dad joke for kids before they go to bed. During the home assistant release party in April someone mentioned that the Olama Integration was a service. I'm just wondering if that is something I could use to get a response from a question. I know that the dad joke use case is kind of trivial but it also could be applied to other reminders to vary the responses for notifications.



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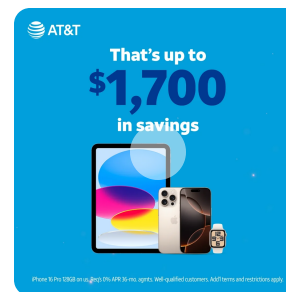


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Does this allow us to engage in audible voice conversation with an AI agent? So, like how we talk to Google Home or Alexa but with much better AI. That sounds like the holy grail to me.



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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yp1kUavVvc>

<https://peyanski.com/home-assistant-ollama-integration/>



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I appreciate that, but I've already setup the integration as a conversation agent. That's not what I was asking. I was asking if I could send a question and get a response back, like you can do at the powershell prompt as demonstrated at the release party. OpenAI has the OpenAI response integration. French mentioned in the release party that it was a service and I was hoping that there was a service for producing a similar "response".



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If you've already configured Ollama as an assistant, you can use it in automations by calling the service Conversation.Process

I was just playing around with that yesterday. You can use the devtools to simulate a request and look at the response to know where the actual response text is nested.

Let me know if you need more details.



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So this is probably a weird question but how are the agent_id's shown. The example on the documentation page shows "homeassistant" as the default id but I don't see anywhere where it is represented like that. No "homeassistant" (no spaces) id in my voice assistant setup.

Which means I can't find the conversation agent_id for the llama2 agent I set up. Hope this makes sense.



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want then try to edit that service call in YAML, you'll see the agent ID there.



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Weary_Distribution_5 OP • 5mo ago •

Awesome, got it working.

```
service: conversation.process
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data:
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agent_id: conversation.llama2
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text: tell me the washing machine load is complete but say it like  
you are a personal servant but with only 1 sentence.
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response_variable: washerresponse
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I then sent a tts message to the speakers using the

message: "{{ washerresponse.response.speech.plain.speech }}"

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