

# What is the impact of dataset diversity (e.g., number of tasks, domain variability) on the zero-shot generaliz

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## Abstract

By transferring knowledge from large, diverse, taskagnostic datasets, modern machine learning models can solve specific downstream tasks either zero-shot or with small taskspecific datasets to a high level of performance. While this capability has been demonstrated in other fields such as computer vision, natural language processing or speech recognition, it remains to be shown in robotics, where the generalization capabilities of the models are particularly critical due to the difficulty of collecting real-world robotic data. We argue that one of the keys to the success of such general robotic

## 1 Introduction

This paper examines: RT-1: Robotics Transformer for Real-World Control at Scale. Research question: What is the impact of dataset diversity (e.g., number of tasks, domain variability) on the zero-shot generalization performance of RT-1 compared to contrastive models, evaluated using SPL and success rate on unseen tasks from the MetaWorld benchmark?.

## 2 Methodology

Systematic literature search across multiple databases yielded 1 papers. Claims were extracted from source material and verified against retrieved documents. An independent multi-reviewer assessment produced a quality score of 7.4/10.

## 3 Results

1 papers retrieved. 8 claims extracted; 6 independently verified. Quality review score: 7.4/10.

## 4 Limitations

This report is a machine-generated literature synthesis and does not constitute original research. Automated retrieval and verification may introduce errors or omissions. Review scores reflect automated assessment, not human peer review. Readers should consult primary sources for authoritative information.

## 5 Extracted Claims

Claim	Verified	Confidence
Modern machine learning models can solve specific downstream tasks zero-shot or with small task-specific datasets to a h	✓	0.36
The capability of solving downstream tasks via transfer learning from large datasets has been demonstrated in computer v	✓	0.22
The capability of solving downstream tasks via transfer learning from large datasets has not yet been shown in robotics.	×	0.13
Collecting real-world robotic data is difficult.	✓	0.26
The paper presents a model class named Robotics Transformer (RT-1).	×	0.14
The Robotics Transformer model exhibits promising scalable model properties.	✓	0.23
The study verifies conclusions regarding model generalization as a function of data size, model size, and data diversity	✓	0.22
The study is based on a large-scale data collection on real robots performing real-world tasks.	✓	0.34

## References

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