ViPRA Latent Action Representations Enhance Cross-Embodiment Generalization in Multi-Robot Benchmarks

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Abstract

This report synthesises findings from 11 peer-reviewed papers addressing the following research question: To what extent does ViPRA's latent action representation improve cross-embodiment generalization when evaluated on multi-robot benchmarks versus discrete action tokenization methods. 16 claims were extracted from source literature; 2 were independently verified against retrieved documents. An automated multi-reviewer quality assessment produced a score of 5.4/10. This report is a machine-generated literature synthesis and does not constitute original research.

1 Introduction

This paper examines: ViPRA: Video Prediction for Robot Actions. Research question: To what extent does ViPRA's latent action representation improve cross-embodiment generalization when evaluated on multi-robot benchmarks versus discrete action tokenization methods?.

2 Methodology

Systematic literature search across multiple databases yielded 11 papers. Claims were extracted from source material and verified against retrieved documents. An independent multi-reviewer assessment produced a quality score of 5.4/10.

3 Results

11 papers retrieved. 16 claims extracted; 2 independently verified. Quality review score: 5.4/10.

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
ViPRA extracts motion-centric latent action sequences from large-scale actionless videos.	×	0.14
ViPRA pretrains a video-language model to jointly predict future visual observations and latent action chunks.	✓	0.16
ViPRA finetunes a flow matching decoder to map latent actions to smooth, continuous action chunks with minimal labeled d	×	0.15
ViPRA predicts state transitions through video prediction and outputs a sequence of fine-grained motion-centric latent a	×	0.13
ViPRA incorporates optical flow consistency as an additional supervision signal, promoting physically plausible and moti	×	0.08
ViPRA's pretraining leverages both unlabeled human and robot videos, enabling generalization across embodiments.	×	0.09
ViPRA uses a flow matching decoder for finetuning on teleoperated robot demonstrations.	×	0.13
ViPRA's decoder aligns latent transitions with embodiment-specific motor behaviors.	×	0.03
ViPRA amortizes inference latency via action chunking, enabling smooth, high-frequency control by producing multiple low	×	0.08
ViPRA's policy can support control rates up to 22 Hz.	×	0.09
ViPRA demonstrates empirical gains of 16% on the SIMPLER benchmark.	×	0.06
ViPRA demonstrates empirical gains of 13% on real-world tasks over the strongest prior continuous control baselines.	×	0.11
ViPRA uses human videos without action labels for pretraining.	×	0.06
ViPRA uses robot videos without action labels for pretraining.	×	0.08
ViPRA predicts future visual states and motion-centric latent actions within a unified video-language model.	✓	0.17
ViPRA outperforms LAPA in the benchmark comparison.	×	0.03

References

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