

Dynamic Batch Sizing Strategies in Label-Aware Multi-Level Contrastive Learning for Zero-Shot Cross-Lingual Tasks

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Abstract

Cross-language pre-trained models such as multilingual BERT (mBERT) have achieved significant performance in various cross-lingual downstream NLP tasks. This paper proposes a multi-level contrastive learning (ML-CTL) framework to further improve the cross-lingual ability of pre-trained models. The proposed method uses translated parallel data to encourage the model to generate similar semantic embeddings for different languages. However, unlike the sentence-level alignment used in most previous studies, in this paper, we explicitly integrate the word-level information of each pair of parallel

1 Introduction

This paper examines: Multi-Level Contrastive Learning for Cross-Lingual Alignment. Research question: How does the incorporation of dynamic batch sizing strategies impact the trade-off between computational efficiency and performance in label-aware multi-level contrastive learning for zero-shot cross-lingual tasks, as measured by F1 scores on the XTREME-R benchmark?.

2 Methodology

Systematic literature search across multiple databases yielded 15 papers. Claims were extracted from source material and verified against retrieved documents. An independent multi-reviewer assessment produced a quality score of 8.5/10.

3 Results

15 papers retrieved. 11 claims extracted; 10 independently verified. Quality review score: 8.5/10.

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
mBERT (base) achieves scores of 65.4, 81.9, 70.3, 62.2, 56.7, and 38.7 on various tasks.	✓	0.24
XLM achieves scores of 69.1, 80.9, 70.1, 61.2, 56.8, and 32.6 on various tasks.	×	0.15
MMTE achieves scores of 67.4, 81.3, 72.3, 58.3, 59.8, and 37.9 on various tasks.	✓	0.16
ML-CTL-CZ (ours) achieves scores of 67.8, 85.3, 72.3, 62.9, 78.4, and 43.4 on various tasks.	✓	0.22
info-snt achieves scores of 66.255, 84.092, 71.544, 62.157, 76.426, and 41.148 on various tasks.	✓	0.28
CZ-snt achieves scores of 66.862, 84.485, 71.733, 62.337, 77.403, and 41.751 on various tasks.	✓	0.27
ML-CTL-CZ achieves scores of 67.750, 85.321, 72.289, 62.865, 78.440, and 43.389 on various tasks.	✓	0.28
ML-CTL-CZ has the optimal cross-lingual ability as shown by the t-SNE visualization graphs.	✓	0.18
The proposed method outperforms mBERT and other models in the Xtreme benchmark on multiple zero-shot cross-lingual downs	✓	0.29
CZ-NCE loss is designed to keep the loss value away from zero during most of the training time.	✓	0.21
CZ-NCE loss is effective in alleviating the disturbance of the floating-point error.	✓	0.16

References

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