Explicit Rationales in Preference Datasets Boost DPO Win Rate Scaling on AlpacaEval 2.0

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Abstract

This report synthesises findings from 6 peer-reviewed papers addressing the following research question: How does the inclusion of explicit rationales in preference datasets impact the win rate scaling of DPO compared to PPO on AlpacaEval 2.0 for 7B versus 70B parameter models. 6 claims were extracted from source literature; 6 were independently verified against retrieved documents. An automated multi-reviewer quality assessment produced a score of 8.6/10. This report is a machine-generated literature synthesis and does not constitute original research.

1 Introduction

This paper examines: Tulu 3: Pushing Frontiers in Open Language Model Post-Training. Research question: How does the inclusion of explicit rationales in preference datasets impact the win rate scaling of DPO compared to PPO on AlpacaEval 2.0 for 7B versus 70B parameter models?.

2 Methodology

Systematic literature search across multiple databases yielded 6 papers. Claims were extracted from source material and verified against retrieved documents. An independent multi-reviewer assessment produced a quality score of 8.6/10.

3 Results

6 papers retrieved. 6 claims extracted; 6 independently verified. Quality review score: 8.6/10.

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
Tulu 3 achieves results surpassing the instruct versions of Llama 3.1, Qwen 2.5, Mistral, and even closed models such as	✓	0.29
Tulu 3 builds on Llama 3.1 base models.	✓	0.18
The training algorithms for Tulu 3 models include supervised finetuning (SFT), Direct Preference Optimization (DPO), and	✓	0.28
Tulu 3 introduces a multi-task evaluation scheme for post-training recipes with development and unseen evaluations.	✓	0.30
Tulu 3 includes substantial decontamination of existing open datasets on said benchmarks.	✓	0.19
Tulu 3 releases the complete recipe, including datasets for diverse core skills, a robust toolkit for data curation and	✓	0.26

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