

Cross-modality Pre-training for Robust Zero-shot Dialogue Generation in Adversarial MultiWOZ Benchmark

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Abstract

Building dialogue generation systems in a zero-shot scenario remains a huge challenge, since the typical zero-shot approaches in dialogue generation rely heavily on large-scale pre-trained language generation models such as GPT-3 and T5. The research on zero-shot dialogue generation without cumbersome language models is limited due to lacking corresponding parallel dialogue corpora. In this paper, we propose a simple but effective Multilingual learning framework for Zero-shot Dialogue Generation (dubbed as MulZDG) that can effectively transfer knowledge from an English corpus with large-scale

1 Introduction

This paper examines: MulZDG: Multilingual Code-Switching Framework for Zero-shot Dialogue Generation. Research question: How does the integration of cross-modality pre-training (e.g., code-text pairs) into the MulZDG framework improve the robustness of zero-shot dialogue generation models on adversarial examples from the MultiWOZ benchmark, measured by BLEU score?.

2 Methodology

Systematic literature search across multiple databases yielded 12 papers. Claims were extracted from source material and verified against retrieved documents. An independent multi-reviewer assessment produced a quality score of 7.2/10.

3 Results

12 papers retrieved. 10 claims extracted; 7 independently verified. Quality review score: 7.2/10.

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
DailyDialog dataset consists of 11,118 context-response pairs for training, 1,000 pairs for validation, and 1,000 pairs	✓	0.25
The proportion of non-English utterances in the code-switching dataset for DailyDialog is De-30.186% in Dende, Es-30.134	✓	0.34
DSTC7 dataset consists of 76,590 context-response pairs for training, 17,870 pairs for validation, and 1,710 pairs for t	✓	0.24
The proportion of non-English utterances in the code-switching dataset for DSTC7 is De-27.661% in Dende, Es-27.545% in D	✓	0.33
MulZDG is a general multilingual learning framework that can be applied to various dialogue generation models.	×	0.14
MulZDG achieves competitive performance under zero-shot case compared to training with sufficient examples.	✓	0.25
MulZDG greatly improves the performance of the source language.	×	0.10
MulZDG employs code-switching at the utterance level.	×	0.12
MulZDG is a simple but effective multilingual learning framework for zero-shot dialogue generation.	✓	0.28
MulZDG can effectively transfer knowledge from English corpus.	✓	0.23

References

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