

# DaCoM: Strategies to Construct Domain-specific Low-resource Language Machine Translation Dataset

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## Abstract

Translation of low-resource languages in industrial domains is essential for improving market productivity and ensuring foreign workers have better access to information. However, existing translators struggle with domain-specific terms, and there is a lack of expert annotators for dataset creation. In this work, we propose DaCoM, a methodology for collecting low-resource language pairs from industrial domains to address these challenges. DaCoM is a hybrid translation framework enabling effective data collection. The framework consists of a large language model and neural machine translation. Evaluation verifies existing models perform inadequately on DaCoM-created datasets, with up to 53.7 BLEURT points difference depending on domain inclusion. DaCoM is expected to address the lack of datasets for domain-specific low-resource languages by being easily pluggable into future state-of-the-art models and maintaining an industrial domain-agnostic approach.

## 1 Introduction

Foreign workers play an essential role in many industries. The emergence of neural networks and Large Language Models (LLMs) has accelerated the development of Machine Translation (MT), improving the quality of translation between different languages (Bahdanau et al., 2015; Wu et al., 2016; Vaswani et al., 2017; Zhang et al., 2023) and enabling workers of various nationalities to work together. However, despite the improvement, MT still struggles in certain domains of Low-Resource Languages (LRLs) (Kudugunta et al., 2023; Zhu et al., 2023) due to insufficient training data and technical terminology (Hayakawa and Arase, 2020).

Several studies have proposed to create datasets for translation of domain-specific LRLs, but most of them are focused on specific domains such as medicine, law, or religion (Anastasopoulos et al., 2020; Jaworski et al., 2023; Goyal et al., 2022).

These datasets are often built by crawling or automatically generating data from websites like Wikipedia (Schuster et al., 2022; Schwenk et al., 2021). However, this general method is ineffective in constructing industrial domain data in LRLs due to the poor quality (Her and Kruschwitz, 2024; Haque et al., 2021).

The following are the reasons why collecting pair data of the industrial domain in LRLs is challenging:

**The difficulty of collecting terminology and colloquial data.** Terminology and colloquialisms are often used in industrial domains. For example, the South Korean construction site term "뽕끼" (Ppaengkki), which means paint, is derived from the Japanese "ペンキ (Penki)", which is also derived from the Dutch "Pek". However, these terms are usually not included in general-purpose language databases and require empirical knowledge of the field.

**Lack of terminology due to industry culture differences.** Due to different developed industries in different countries, some countries may not have a specific industry. In this case, domain concepts may not exist in other regions (Xiao, 2010). For example, in the shipbuilding industry, the term "pre-outfitting" means "the process of installing electrical, plumbing, etc. before a ship is assembled," but there is no term for this concept in landlocked countries like Mongolia or Kazakhstan.

In this paper, we propose a data collection system, DaCoM (**D**ata **C**onstruction through **M**essenger), to overcome the problem of low-resource data in industrial domains. DaCoM includes a translation framework consisting of a domain-specific glossary, a large language model

<sup>1</sup><https://en.wiktionary.org/w/index.php?title=%EB%A9%91%EB%81%BC&oldid=62233079>

(LLM), and a neural machine translation model (NMT). It is applied to a messenger for tasks to help translate domain terms into appropriate LRLs. Finally, we build the automatically collected data into an industrial domain-specific low-resource language dataset through a validation procedure.

We construct a dataset leveraging DaCoM in the shipbuilding domain to verify the effectiveness of the system. By evaluating various models on the constructed dataset, it is confirmed that we have built a challenging dataset that is difficult for existing models to translate. In particular, the sub-dataset containing domain-specific terms shows a difference of up to approximately 53 BLEURT points compared to the sub-dataset without domain-specific terms. In addition, human evaluation certifies that the dataset constructed by DaCoM has high quality while the highest-scored model in the dataset still has room to improve.

Overall, our contribution is as follows

- We propose DaCoM, a methodology for collecting LRLs translation pair data in industrial domains. To the best of our knowledge, this is the first work to address data construction system for domain-specific and LRLs pair datasets.
- The translation system used in DaCoM is a hybrid system consisting of a basic domain-specific dictionary, LLM, and NMT to construct translation pair data, which can be easily plugged into various models.
- Through extensive experiments and analysis, we demonstrate that domain-specific datasets collected using DaCoM reveal limitations in the performance of existing translators.

## 2 Related Work

To overcome the shortcomings of MT methods that find relationships between patterns by using massive amounts of data, research in the field of translation has begun to utilize NMT and LLMs. Accordingly, methodology and research on applying LRLs and domain-specific languages, which remained limitations in the traditional MT field, have also been conducted (Hedderich et al., 2020).

**Low-resource languages** LRLs hinder the effective training of MT models due to a lack of data, and translation quality is lower than in high-resource languages. To mitigate these issues, John-

son et al. (2017) improved LRL translation quality by training an NMT model for multiple languages simultaneously, sharing parameters across languages. Artetxe et al. (2017) used monolingual data to learn translation mapping through iterative back-translation and Denoising-Autoencoder. Goyal et al. (2021, 2022) created the Flores-101 and Flores-200 benchmarks for LRLs and multilingual MT, covering 101 and 200 languages, verified by professional translators. Recently, NLLB Team et al. (2022) and Kudugunta et al. (2023) proposed multilingual NMT models for more than 200 and 450 languages each by training extensive data for LRLs.

**Domain-specific language** Domain-specific MT requires a higher level of accuracy and context awareness than general domain translation because general language models do not sufficiently cover domain-specific terms and expressions. Müller et al. (2019) proposed a method of maintaining robust translation performance across various domains through inter-domain transfer learning. Khiu et al. (2024) investigated domain similarity and size of a corpus in LRLs MT and revealed the affection of domain similarity.

**Data Collection** For translation systems that deal with LRLs and specific domains, there are many difficulties in collecting appropriate data. To solve this problem, Mubarak (2018) used crowdsourcing to build speech and language resources for various annotation tasks. They proposed recommendations for task design and data quality management for high-quality data. Bañón et al. (2020) proposed a technology to automatically collect and refine large-scale parallel corpora from various web pages.

## 3 Pilot Experiments

To collect high-quality pair data automatically, we designed pilot experiments comparing NMT model and LLM. The setting is in Appendix A in detail. There is a limitation in capturing the nuances of domain-specific terms due to out-of-vocabulary (Alves et al., 2023). Therefore, we leverage LLM’s powerful text generation ability and NMT’s robustness to low-resource language translation to overcome the limitations. To this end, we experiment with a system that allows LLM to correct input text using definitions of domain terms and NMT to translate the corrected text. We have made glossaries for 30 terms from the construction domain

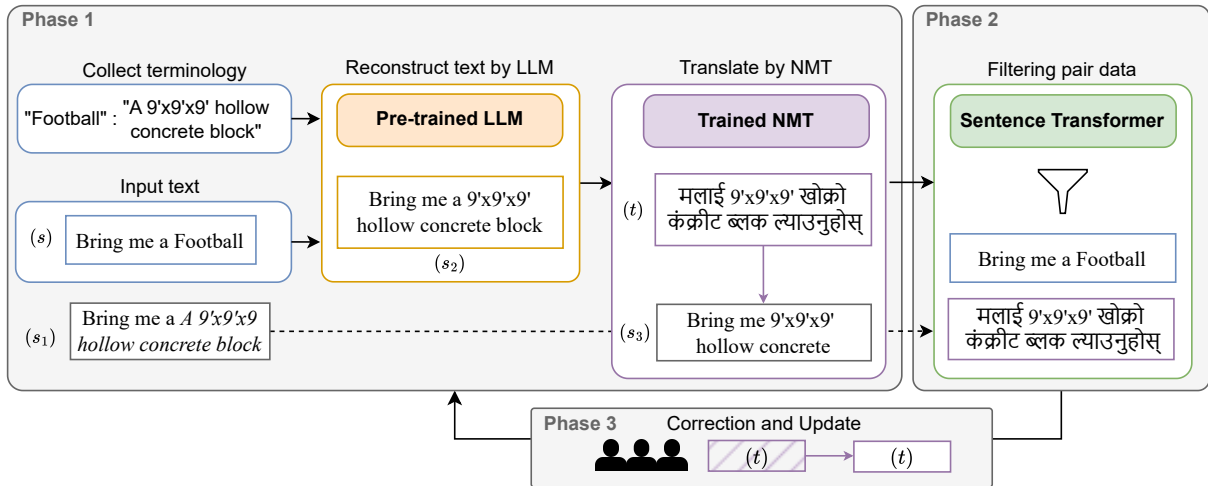


Figure 1: Pipeline of DaCoM. In phase 1, PaLM2-unicorn and GNMT are used as LLM and NMT model. In phase 2, LaBSE is used as a sentence-transformer.

	Acc (%)	COMET	METEOR	BERTScore
NMT	13.3	75.8	66.1	68.5
LLM	57.3	76.6	64.6	67.1
LLM + NMT	<b>76.0</b>	<b>82.6</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>76.1</b>

Table 1: Results on pilot experiments. Google Translate and Gemini 1.0 pro are used for NMT and LLM, respectively, and Acc(%) denotes accuracy from human evaluation.

and asked Gemini 1.5 pro (Reid et al., 2024) to generate five appropriate English sentences each using the term. This method is inspired by research on automatic dataset construction through LLMs (Schick and Schütze, 2021; Wu et al., 2022).

In the pilot experiments, we used Google Translate (GNMT) (Wu et al., 2016) as an NMT system and Gemini 1.0 pro (Anil et al., 2023a) as an LLM<sup>2</sup>. Translation results were evaluated by COMET (Rei et al., 2020), METEOR (Banerjee and Lavie, 2005), BERTScore (Zhang et al., 2020), and human evaluation. We back-translated the Korean translation into English to measure the performance of automatic indicators and treated it as the target text. At this time, for more accurate semantic encoding, terms in the reference text were heuristically replaced with definitions. For human evaluation, 3 experts were asked to judge if the translation was correct in a blind setting for models, and then each instance was majority voted.

As a result, Table 1 shows that the method to utilize both LLM and NMT model achieves the highest translation quality. This result proves that

the implicit knowledge of LLM and the multilingual token-matching ability of the NMT model can improve the quality of domain-specific and LRLs translation. Therefore, we introduce a data construction system in Section 4 leveraging the LLM and NMT model which primarily collects robust and high-quality pair data for translation.

## 4 Dataset Construction

We propose DaCoM, a system for constructing low-resource language translation datasets in industrial domains. DaCoM consists of a three-phase pipeline: (1) a translation service for efficient data collection, (2) automatic collection of data pairs, and (3) validation and calibration of the collected data.

### 4.1 Phase 1: Translation service for data collection

Build translation features into the communication tools used by the company or industry to include natural language usage patterns. The process pipeline for the translation service consists of a glossary, LLM, and NMT translator. First, we customize a glossary of commonly used terms in the domain by conducting on-site interviews, technical resources, web scraping, etc. We aim to collect around 2,000 terms or less depending on the size of the industry at this stage.

Next, when a user sends a message, the input source is divided into individual words, and specialized terms are extracted by referencing a constructed terminology dictionary. In this context, the users exchanging messages speak different

<sup>2</sup>GNMT and LLMs were used on June 2, 2024, at GMT+9

languages and communicate about work instructions or related topics. Subsequently, through an appropriate prompt to the LLM (refer to Table 9), the input source is refined into a text that can be accurately translated according to the context by consulting the terminology glossary. For example, as shown in Figure 1, "Bring me a Football" is segmented into ["BRING", "ME", "A", "FOOTBALL"] and the term used in the construction industry, {Football: 9'x9'x9' hollow concrete block}<sup>3</sup> is included as a candidate. It then reconstructs the phrase into an easy-to-understand sentence, such as "Bring me a 9'x9'x9' hollow concrete block."

Finally, the reconstructed text is translated into the target language. Since language-specific token size has a significant impact on translation performance, we select the optimal translator by considering the performance of each translator for the source and target languages. In this study, we utilize GNMT (Wu et al., 2016), following the results of previous pilot experiments as NMT systems still often outperform LLM translation for LRLs. (Son and Kim, 2023).

#### 4.2 Phase 2: Automatic pair data collection using LLM, NMT

In this phase, data pairs are collected after filtering out inappropriate content such as hate speech, personal information, and incorrect pairs resulting from automatic pair generation. First, to remove hate speech and personal information, we identified high-frequency words using a Bag-of-Words approach and heuristically filtered them as stopwords (Akuma et al., 2022; Pandey et al., 2022). This method was empirically chosen over profanity detection models and entity detection models for Korean source texts.

Next, we identified potential errors in DaCoM that could arise from (1) input text refinement by the LLM and (2) target text generation by the NMT. We performed similarity-based filtering at these two stages. For similarity calculations, we utilized the BERT-based LaBSE model (Feng et al., 2022), which is beneficial for LRLs and demonstrates consistent performance across multiple languages.

First, to filter out sentences incorrectly refined by the LLM, we compare text ( $s_1$ ), which replaces domain-specific terms in the input text with their meanings, and text ( $s_2$ ), refined by the LLM, using  $\cos(s_1, s_2) \geq \theta_1$ , with threshold,  $\theta$ . Next,

<sup>3</sup>[https://www.designingbuildings.co.uk/wiki/Glossary\\_of\\_construction\\_slang\\_and\\_other\\_terms](https://www.designingbuildings.co.uk/wiki/Glossary_of_construction_slang_and_other_terms)

Source Text	Counts
domain-specific words	1,714
unique domain-specific words	531
total # of tokens	14,518
average token length per sentence	7
domain-specific sentences	1,414
everyday life sentences	660
total # of sentences	2,074

Table 2: Statistics for DaCoM-created dataset

we apply a final filter using  $[\cos(s_2, t) \geq \theta_2] \cup [\cos(s_2, s_3) \geq \theta_3]$  for text ( $t$ ), translated into the target language, and text ( $s_3$ ), back-translated into the source language. Each  $\theta$  is chosen empirically.

#### 4.3 Phase 3: Correction and System update

In phase 2, the filtered text is verified by experts (interpreters or multilingual proficient individuals). Due to the scarcity of domain experts fluent in multiple languages, we requested at least one expert per target language to validate the target text and correct them. Using the corrected target text and its back-translation into the source language, we applied the same filter as in phase 2 to minimize bias. To improve data collection capabilities, we analyzed the data pairs extracted from the validation process and added domain-specific terms to the glossary used in phase 1.

## 5 Experiments

We apply DaCoM to the shipbuilding industry and build a dataset with Korean sources with English, Thai, Nepali, Uzbek, and Vietnamese targets to evaluate the performance of different translators.

### 5.1 Environment

**Dataset** We built a glossary of terms in the shipbuilding domain<sup>4</sup> and configured a prompt for the LLM to reconstruct the input sentence in general terms by referring to the collected terms. We selected model PaLM2-unicorn<sup>5</sup> (Anil et al., 2023b) as the LLM. The source language used in the experiment was Korean, and the LLM was leveraged to refine the domain terms as well as correct grammar and typos. The LLM reorganized the sentences to consider syllable block and spacing according to

<sup>4</sup><https://standard.go.kr/KSCI/portalindex.do>, <https://parl.ns.ca/woodenships/terms.htm>

<sup>5</sup>PaLM2-unicorn was used on May 2024, at GMT+9

		NLLB-54b	MADLAD-10b	GNMT	Gemini 1.0 pro	GPT-4	Llama 3.1-70b
ko ↓ en	BLEURT	45.17	51.96	<b>73.05</b>	58.57	<u>62.23</u>	60.60
	COMET	64.93	70.30	<b>83.82</b>	74.82	<u>78.06</u>	76.68
	METEOR	28.40	37.17	<b>72.57</b>	48.48	<u>52.04</u>	51.13
	BERTScore	88.71	88.58	<b>95.44</b>	90.92	<u>92.51</u>	92.26
ko ↓ th	BLEURT	30.78	33.38	<b>67.87</b>	35.35	<u>51.56</u>	47.43
	COMET	61.10	67.31	<b>84.12</b>	65.65	<u>76.20</u>	74.33
	METEOR	19.91	31.68	<b>71.02</b>	32.20	<u>45.81</u>	40.45
	BERTScore	66.06	75.57	<b>90.08</b>	58.94	<u>81.37</u>	79.83
ko ↓ ne	BLEURT	36.07	44.16	<b>76.61</b>	56.19	<u>60.86</u>	57.61
	COMET	51.72	55.86	<b>78.67</b>	61.21	<u>65.65</u>	63.58
	METEOR	16.30	21.19	<b>69.48</b>	33.31	<u>35.61</u>	26.67
	BERTScore	57.17	72.03	<b>90.39</b>	75.19	<u>80.62</u>	78.46
ko ↓ uz	BLEURT	39.21	29.84	<b>76.23</b>	44.12	51.72	<u>54.59</u>
	COMET	63.82	54.84	<b>84.85</b>	66.61	70.27	<u>73.75</u>
	METEOR	19.40	10.73	<b>69.12</b>	25.20	29.96	<u>32.59</u>
	BERTScore	66.79	65.32	<b>88.46</b>	66.02	75.82	<u>76.21</u>
ko ↓ vi	BLEURT	33.46	39.89	<b>71.05</b>	42.46	<u>55.44</u>	51.84
	COMET	62.46	67.17	<b>84.23</b>	68.74	<u>77.27</u>	76.55
	METEOR	24.42	28.99	<b>70.55</b>	35.79	<u>46.13</u>	41.41
	BERTScore	64.93	75.70	<b>90.26</b>	73.99	<u>82.31</u>	80.79

Table 3: Evaluation results on DaCoM-created. Bold and underlined indicate the highest and the next scores, respectively.

the postpositional particle (Park et al., 2020) in consideration of Korean characteristics. The dataset, named DaCoM-created, consists of about 2,074 pairs in Korean, English, Thai, Nepali, Uzbek, and Vietnamese. Table 2 presents the statistics.

**Models** We evaluate translation models: NLLB-54b (NLLB Team et al., 2022), MADLAD-400-10b (Kudugunta et al., 2023), GNMT (Wu et al., 2016), Gemini 1.0 pro (Anil et al., 2023a), GPT-4 (Achiam et al., 2023)<sup>6</sup>, and Llama 3.1-70b-Instruct (Dubey et al., 2024). Information on the prompts and hyperparameters of the models is in Appendix C.

**Metric** We compute the BLEURT (Sellam et al., 2020), METEOR (Banerjee and Lavie, 2005), and COMET (Rei et al., 2020) scores reported on a typical translation task. For further semantic comparison, we use BERTScores (Zhang et al., 2020) leveraging the multilingual-BERT model (Devlin et al., 2019).

## 5.2 Results

**DaCoM helps to build industrial domain datasets in low-resource languages** Table 3 shows the translation inference performance of the translators on the Korean input in the DaCoM-created dataset. GNMT (Wu et al., 2016) performs the best. However, it performs up to 9 points lower than the average COMET score reported in Zhu et al. (2023) (about 87 points). Through qualitative analysis, we infer that this result originated from domain terminology (In Table 10).

In addition, we show that other translators achieve significantly low performance on the DaCoM-created dataset, especially when English is not the source or target language. These results reveal that existing models suffer low performance on domain-specific data in LRLs. DaCoM can improve the model by providing datasets of industrial domains in LRLs.

**The model’s performance challenges are related to domain-specific data.** To analyze the cause of the translation performance degradation in DaCoM-created, we additionally experimented with the NLLB-54b model, which had the lowest performance in DaCoM-created, on subsets. The subsets

<sup>6</sup>GNMT and LLMs were used on July 9, 2024, at GMT+9

		B	C	M	B.S.
en	Domain-Y	22.4	45.7	10.7	84.8
	Domain-N	69.3	83.4	58.8	92.9
th	Domain-Y	5.3	42.5	5.1	59.3
	Domain-N	59.0	80.2	42.4	75.8
ne	Domain-Y	15.6	36.6	6.1	54.2
	Domain-N	59.8	69.1	37.9	72.5
uz	Domain-Y	13.1	48.1	6.3	58.1
	Domain-N	62.0	77.3	43.3	75.9
vi	Domain-Y	8.6	43.8	7.9	58.7
	Domain-N	62.3	81.8	50.6	79.7

Table 4: Evaluation comparison of NLLB-54b on domain-specific data (Domain-Y) and general data (Domain-N) in DaCoM-created. B, C, M, and B.S. denote BLEURT, COMET, METEOR, and BERTScore, respectively

	Flu.	Term app.	Rel.	Acc.(%)
GNMT	2.52	1.62	1.80	13
DaCoM	2.84	2.86	2.71	79

Table 5: Human evaluation on a subset from the SOTA model and DaCoM. Each metric denotes accuracy, Fluent, Term Appropriate, and Reliable, respectively.

consist of randomly extracted 200 data points each from data with and without domain-specific terms.

The subsets with domain-specific terms were labeled ‘Domain-Y’ and those without domain-specific terms were labeled ‘Domain-N’, which are shown in Table 4. The experimental results show that translation performance on the dataset with domain-specific terms degrades by **up to 53.7 points** on the BLEURT metric compared to the dataset without terms. As a result, we found that the presence of domain-specific terms affects the translator’s performance.

**DaCoM is a high-performance translator according to human evaluation.** Table 5 shows the human evaluation scores for the translation results of the SOTA model (GNMT) in Table 3 and DaCoM system. We asked three shipbuilding experts, fluent in Korean and English, to evaluate 100 random samples containing pairs of Korean and English text with domain-specific terms. Annotators were instructed to evaluate the target text based on three criteria: ‘Fluent’ for assessing the fluency

Combination	Similarity
PaLM2-unicorn + MADLAD-10b	en 74.2
	th 63.6
	ne 68.6
	uz 37.8
	vi 66.7
Gemini 1.5 pro + MADLAD-10b	en 66.3
	th 59.3
	ne 63.9
	uz 35.1
	vi 62.0
Llama 3.1-70b + MADLAD-10b	en 70.3
	th 62.9
	ne 66.9
	uz 37.3
	vi 64.6
Gemini 1.5 pro + GNMT	en 78.0
	th 78.6
	ne 76.4
	uz 74.4
	vi 76.5
Llama 3.1-70b + GNMT	en 82.8
	th 87.3
	ne 87.4
	uz 85.1
	vi 86.9

Table 6: Similarity between DaCoM-created dataset and translation results from the collaboration of various LLMs and NMT models

of the text, ‘Term Appropriate’ for verifying the correct use of domain-specific terms, and ‘Reliable’ for ensuring the target text conveys the same meaning as the source text. Each score is out of 3, and the average score per instance was used. The criteria for each metric is described in Appendix D. Finally, we measure accuracy (Acc.) by identifying cases where at least two out of three evaluators assign a score of 2 or higher for the ‘Reliable’ metric, assigning an accuracy score of 1 to such cases and 0 otherwise. The experimental results show that the Korean-English datapair built with DaCoM scores well on all three metrics, while the SOTA model scores poorly. This result ensures the dataset’s quality while largely excluding the possibility that the dataset caused the performance degradation of the translators.

	Text
Source	엠티하게 자분캔 가져와 (Please bring the magnetic powder can for MT*.)
DaCoM	Please bring the empty magnetic powder can.
Source	영국아, 가서 용접해 (Yongguk, go and weld.)
DaCoM	England, go do some welding.

Table 7: Error analysis of translation results from DaCoM. \*MT=Magnetic Test

**DaCoM can be integrated as a plugin into various models.** In the DaCoM system, we generated target sentences using various models (PaLM2-unicorn, Gemini 1.5 pro, Llama 3.1-70b-Instruct, MADLAD-400-10b, GNMT).<sup>7</sup> These models were different from those employed in DaCoM-created, and their similarity to the references of DaCoM-created was compared. Table 6 shows that English target sentences generated by different LLMs and NMT systems are generally similar to the reference. We used sentence-transformers (Reimers and Gurevych, 2019) with LaBSE model (Feng et al., 2022) for calculating the similarity. Notably, the combination of the Llama 3.1-70b-Instruct and the GNMT showed the highest similarity to DaCoM-created. These results demonstrate the pluggability of DaCoM.

## 6 Error Analysis

In Table 7, error cases of pair data from DaCoM generation are shown. The spelling of “영국”(Yongguk), which represents a person’s name used in the Table, is written the same in Korean as “England”(pronounced as ‘Yongguk’). DaCoM still has a limitation in handling homonyms and name translations, like other NMT or LLM translation systems. We plan to address this issue in depth in future work.

## 7 Conclusion

In this study, we propose DaCoM, a system for collecting low-resource translation datasets specialized for industrial domains. Extensive experiments and analysis demonstrate that the datasets constructed by DaCoM have high translation reliability. The experiments also indicate that existing translators show suboptimal translation performance due to the lack of domain-specific data pairs. In conclusion, we expect DaCoM to accelerate the improvement of translators by providing high-quality

<sup>7</sup>GNMT, PaLM2-unicorn, Gemini 1.5 pro were used on Nov. 22, 2024, at GMT+9.

datasets that meet the unique translation requirements of LRLs and industrial domains.

## Limitations

Our system effectively collects real data by integrating a high-performance translator for domain-specific LRLs into a chat messenger. As a result, the dataset primarily consists of conversational language with limited written expression. In future work, we plan to improve our system by adding a process to collect formal sentences as well, utilizing data augmentation with LLMs.

Additionally, while DaCoM was applied only to the shipbuilding domain in this paper, we confirmed through pilot experiments that it can also be effectively applied to various industrial domains.

## Ethics Statement

We removed all personal information and hate speech when collecting data through DaCoM. We also notified system users in advance of our data collection plans and only used users who agreed to provide their data.

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## A Pilot Experimental Setting

In the pilot experiment, given the difficulty in collecting pair data for sentences containing domain-specific terms, we relied on the rich sentence-generation capabilities of LLMs to input terms and definitions and generate sentences using those terms, as shown in Figure 2. Table 8 shows the prompts used for sentence generation. As the target language, we selected Korean, which does not use Latin script. The accuracy evaluation aimed to determine whether the meaning of the source English

**Prompt**

The following are the terminology used at construction sites and their definitions.  
Using this term according to the explanation, make 5 sentences that could be used at a construction site.

Term: {TERM} - {DEFINITION}

Table 8: Example of prompt to generate sentences using domain-specific terms for pilot experiments

<b>Terminology</b>
Banker : A mason, typically involved in cutting and smoothing building stone
<b>Generated Sentence</b>
The cathedral's construction required a team of skilled <i>bankers</i> to shape the intricate stone carvings.
<b>Terminology</b>
Tupper : A worker who carries the hod for a bricklayer
<b>Generated Sentence</b>
The foreman yelled at the <i>tupper</i> to bring more mortar, as they were running low.

Figure 2: Examples of construction data for pilot experiments

sentences was accurately reflected in the predicted Korean sentences. For automatic evaluation, we used the WMT22-COMET-DA model for COMET (Rei et al., 2020) and the mBART-large (Liu et al., 2020) model for METEOR (Banerjee and Lavie, 2005) and BERTScore (Zhang et al., 2020).

**B DaCoM-created**

To construct DaCoM-created, we chose thresholds( $\theta$ s) introduced in Section 4.2 as follows,  $\theta_1 = 0.9$ ,  $\theta_2 = 0.8$ , and  $\theta_3 = 0.9$ . These values are chosen empirically. Table 9 presents an example of prompts used for PaLM2-unicorn, the LLM employed in DaCoM. Through the prompt, LLM was requested to refine input text with terminology, typos, and grammatical errors. Empirically, we selected N=8 shots for DaCoM-created.

**C Baseline Details**

NLLB-54b and MADLAD-400-10b used greedy decoding, and Gemini 1.0 pro and GPT-4 used temperature = 0.1 and top\_p = 0.95. The prompt used for Gemini 1.0 pro and GPT-4 is as follows:

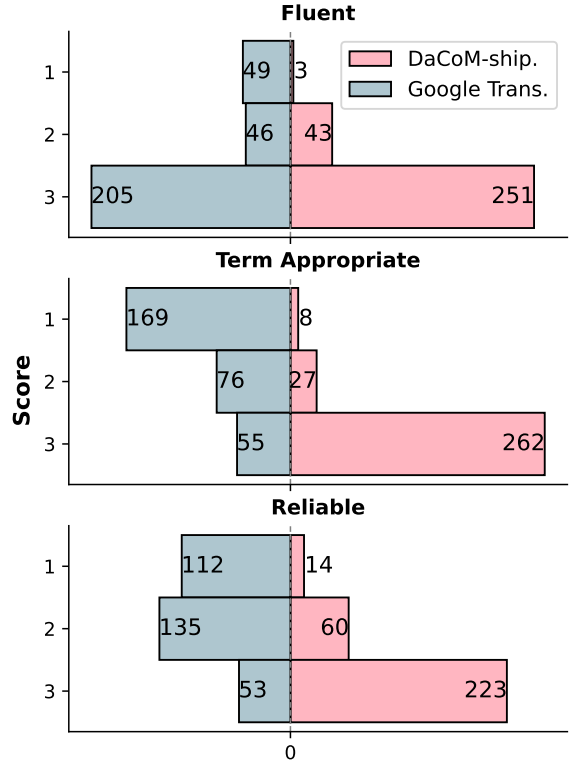


Figure 3: Score distribution of human evaluations

"You are a Language Translator. Translate from 'Korean' to '{TARGET LANGUAGE}' . Always just return the translation of the prompt. prompt: {TEXT}"

**D Details on Human Evaluation**

The human evaluation is conducted with the metrics 'Fluent', 'Term Appropriate', and 'Reliable'. Referring to He and Yiu (2022); He et al. (2024), we set questions and scoring criteria for each metric and asked three annotators to score following the criteria. We show the distribution of the results of GNMT and the DaCoM-created dataset in Figure 3.

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### Prompt

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Text:  
{TEXT}

### Instruction ###

Among the words in text, please change the words in the glossary considering the context.  
The glossary may be empty or contain the same words with different meanings.  
Please change naturally while preserving the context and meaning of the changed sentences/words.  
There may be typos, so if there is a word similar to the one in the glossary, please replace it with that word.  
Please write it well in Korean so that it can be translated well.

Terminology:  
{TERMINOLOGY}  
Text:  
{TEXT}

### Example ###

input: {SHOT-1 INPUT}  
output: {SHOT-1 OUTPUT}  
input: {SHOT-2 INPUT}  
output: {SHOT-2 OUTPUT}  
...  
input: {SHOT-N INPUT}  
output: {SHOT-N OUTPUT}

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Table 9: Example of prompt to rewrite text using domain-specific terms in DaCoM

	Text
Source	족장 위에 공구 올려놓지마.
Target	Do not place tools on scaffolding.
GNMT	Don't put tools on top of the pole.
GPT-4	Don't put a tool on the tribal chief.
Gemini 1.0 pro	Don't put tools on the workbench.
MADLAD-10b	Don't put tools on the chief.
NLLB-54b	Don't put the ball on the chief.
Source	저기에 있는 뽕끼들 구루마에 싣고 1번 블럭으로 가세요.
Target	Put the paint on the cart over there and go to block 1.
GNMT	Put the hit and run guys over there on the cart and go to block 1.
GPT-4	Take those boxes over there and load them into the truck, then go to block 1.
Gemini 1.0 pro	Load the truck with the pigs over there and take them to Block 1.
MADLAD-10b	Get those guys in the truck and get them to block one.
NLLB-54b	Put the bags in the basket and go to Block 1.

Table 10: Qualitative examples from the models on DaCoM-created

### D.1 Fluent

Annotators are asked to score each target text on a scale from 1 to 3 based on its fluency. To focus solely on fluency, the source text was not provided.

- 1: The text is incomprehensible and not fluent.
- 2: The text is comprehensible but not fluent or contains grammatical errors.
- 3: The text is fluent and there aren't any grammatical errors.

### D.2 Term Appropriate

Given source text, target text, and glossaries, annotators are asked to score the appropriateness of the translated domain terms in each instance on a scale from 1 to 3.

- 1: The translation of the domain-specific term is incomprehensible and inaccurate.
- 2: The translation of the domain-specific term is comprehensible but does not use appropriate words or expressions.
- 3: The translation of the domain-specific term uses appropriate words or expressions.

### D.3 Reliable

Annotators are asked to score the target text on a scale from 1 to 3 based on how accurately it has the meaning of the source text.

- 1: The target text has a completely different meaning from the source text.
- 2: The target text has the intention of the source text but may be interpreted differently.

- 3: The target text accurately has the same meaning as the source text.

## E Qualitative analysis

Table 10 presents qualitative examples from various translators. To achieve this, we randomly extracted two Korean-English pair sentences that contained at least two frequent domain-specific terms. In the examples, domain-specific terms from DaCoM-created and correctly translated terms are highlighted in blue, while incorrect ones are in red. Table 10 qualitatively demonstrates the difficulties translators face in translating domain-specific terms and shows that translation quality in specific domains depends on the accurate translation of these terms.