

Responsible NLP Checklist

Paper title: *Effective QA-Driven Annotation of PredicateArgument Relations Across Languages*

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- A1. Did you describe the limitations of your work?

This paper has a Limitations section.

- A2. Did you discuss any potential risks of your work?

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B. Did you use or create scientific artifacts? (e.g. code, datasets, models)

- B1. Did you cite the creators of artifacts you used?

We acknowledge the creators of all datasets, models, and code used in this work. Specifically: English QA-SRL Parser: We use the T5-based QA-SRL + QANom parser released by Cattan et al. (2024) (see Section 2.2). Universal Dependencies Corpora: Sentences and annotations are drawn from UD treebanks (Nivre et al., 2016; de Marneffe et al., 2021) for Hebrew, Russian, and French (see Section 4). Word Alignment: We employ SimAlign (Jalili Sabet et al., 2020) for bidirectional alignment between source and translated sentences (see Section 3.2). Few-Shot Baselines: GPT-4o and LLaMA-4-Maverick are used as in-context learning baselines (OpenAI, 2024; Meta, 2025) (see Section 5.2). Sentence Similarity Model: A SentenceTransformers paraphrase model is used for semantic question matching (see Appendix H)

- B2. Did you discuss the license or terms for use and/or distribution of any artifacts?

All datasets, models, and code used in this work are publicly released research artifacts under standard academic or open-source licenses, and we use them unmodified for research purposes only.

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- B4. Did you discuss the steps taken to check whether the data that was collected/used contains any information that names or uniquely identifies individual people or offensive content, and the steps taken to protect/anonymize it?
We did not include a discussion of personally identifiable information (PII) or offensive content filtering because all data used in this work comes from existing Universal Dependencies (UD) corpora. These resources are curated, publicly released datasets that undergo their own anonymization and content review as part of their creation process. Since we did not collect any new data and only used pre-tokenized, non-identifying sentences from UD treebanks, no additional steps for anonymization or PII protection were necessary.
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in section 4.1
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- C1. Did you report the number of parameters in the models used, the total computational budget (e.g., GPU hours), and computing infrastructure used?
in section 5.2 and in Appendix J
- C2. Did you discuss the experimental setup, including hyperparameter search and best-found hyperparameter values?
Appendix J
- C3. Did you report descriptive statistics about your results (e.g., error bars around results, summary statistics from sets of experiments), and is it transparent whether you are reporting the max, mean, etc. or just a single run?
the test set results reported are a single inference run over the selected model tuned on the dev set
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- D1. Did you report the full text of instructions given to participants, including e.g., screenshots, disclaimers of any risks to participants or annotators, etc.?
We guide the Russian annotator orally on the task
- D2. Did you report information about how you recruited (e.g., crowdsourcing platform, students) and paid participants, and discuss if such payment is adequate given the participants' demographic (e.g., country of residence)?
in section 4.2
- D3. Did you discuss whether and how consent was obtained from people whose data you're using/curating (e.g., did your instructions explain how the data would be used)?
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