Agent RL Scaling Law: Spontaneous Code Execution for Mathematical Problem Solving

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从qwen 2.5 base model出发,使用RLVR的方式,用PPO/Reinforce++算法训练模型,让模型自由探索在求解数学问题过程中何时生成Python代码,借助外部代码执行器得到代码执行结果,然后继续求解数学题。

注意:严格意义上,本文并不是scaling laws,因为并没有给出具体的幂律关系公式。

背景

LLM虽然擅长语言推理,但在涉及精确、可验证的数学计算时,表现依然不理想。而经过TIR sft后的模型一般有更强的数学推理能力,能否让base model学会自己生成Python代码,借助外部代码执行器返回代码结果,然后继续求解数学问题呢?

实验设置

- 框架: OpenRLHF和Open-Reasoner-Zero
- 实验对象: Qwen2.5 1.5B/7B/32B
- 强化学习算法: PPO和Reinforce++
- RLVR
- 训练集: ORZ-57k 与 DeepMath,均为可验证 答案的数学题

能力涌现

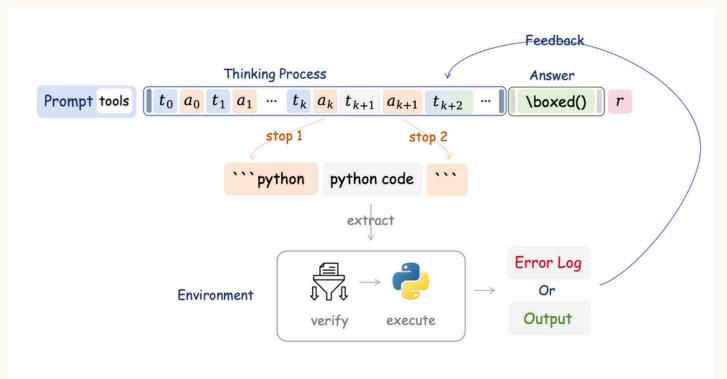
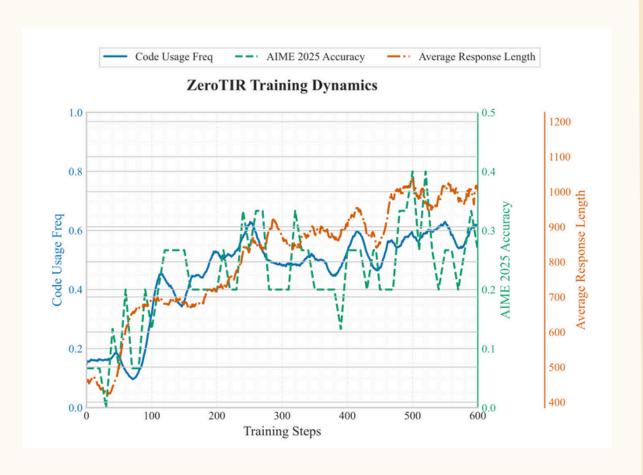


Figure 3: Detailed schematic of the interactive rollout process.



实验结果

Table 1: Performance comparison on key mathematical reasoning benchmarks.										
Model	Params	Tool	AIME24	AIME25	MATH500	Avg.	Code Prop.			
Qwen2.5 Ins.	7B	X	13.3%	20.0%	75.8%	36.4%	0.0			
Qwen2.5 Ins.	7B	1	16.7%	0.0%	76.4%	31.0%	0.0			
Qwen2.5 Math Ins.	7B	X	13.3%	6.7%	83.2%	34.4%	0.0			
Qwen2.5 Math Ins.	7B	1	20.0%	26.7%	78.0%	41.6%	95%			
SimpleRL-Zero	7B	X	33.3%	6.7%	77.2%	39.1%	0.0			
rStar-Math	7B	X	26.7%	-	78.4%	52.6%	0.0			
Eurus-2-PRIME	7B	X	26.7%	13.3%	79.2%	39.7%	0.0			
TORL	7B	1	43.3%	30.0%	82.2%	51.8%	83%			
ZTRL	7B	√	50.0%	26.7%	80.2%	52.3%	89%			

—占评价

其实本文的工作量真不小,实验做的也很扎实,属于和 TORL同期的工作,并且作者直接从BASE MODEL而非 MATH BASE 入手,用RLVR的方式来提升模型自主学会使 用PYTHON代码求解数学题的能力。

但是,真不应该用sCALING LAW命名,因为并没有具体的幂律关系公式,sCALING LAWs意味着更大量级的实验量,慎重慎重。

	Method	Params	Algorithm	Dataset	Train Env. Iter.	Eval Env. Iter.	aime25	aime24	hmmt feb. 25	hmmt feb. 24	cmimc	olymemath	math500	avg.	code ratio
	ZTRL	1.5B	ppo	orz-57k	0	0	10.0%	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%	3.3%	2.0%	55.8%	10.6%	0.000
	ZTRL	1.5B	ppo	orz-57k	2	2	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%	3.3%	1.25%	60.6%	10.3%	0.073
	ZTRL	1.5B	ppo	orz-57k	4	4	10.0%	20.0%	10.0%	0.0%	10.0%	5.0%	59.4%	16.3%	2.161
	ZTRL	1.5B	ppo	orz-57k	20	20	13.3%	13.3%	10.0%	0.0%	13.3%	7.75%	62.6%	17.2%	4.090
	ZTRL	7B	ppo	orz-57k	0	4	26.7%	13.3%	13.3%	6.7%	10.0%	8.2%	80.6%	22.7%	0.143
	ZTRL	7B	ppo	orz-57k	20	20	26.7%	50.0%	10.0%	20.0%	16.7%	13.5%	80.2%	31.0%	3.490
	ZTRL	7B	Reinforce++	orz-57k	2	2	26.7%	30.0%	16.7%	13.3%	26.7%	12.3%	82.8%	29.7%	3.686
	ZTRL	7B	Reinforce++	deepmath	2	2	16.7%	36.7%	20.0%	10.0%	20.0%	13.5%	81.0%	29.6%	1.710
	ZTRL	7B	Reinforce++	deepmath	2	4	16.7%	40.0%	16.7%	16.7%	20.0%	13.2%	80.6%	29.1%	2.417
	ZTRL	7B	Reinforce++	deepmath	4	2	26.7%	36.7%	16.7%	23.3%	20.0%	12.7%	81.2%	31.3%	2.257
	ZTRL	7B	Reinforce++	deepmath	4	4	26.7%	33.3%	20.0%	23.3%	20.0%	12.5%	82.0%	32.1%	2.470
	ORZ	7B	PPO	orz-57k	0	0	10.0%	16.7%	0.0%	6.7%	10.0%	7.0%	82.2%	18.9%	0.000
	DeepMath-Zero	7B	/	deepmath	0	0	13.3%	23.3%	13.3%	6.7%	10.0%	7.2%	82.4%	22.3%	0.000
	ORZ	32B	PPO	orz-57k	0	0	30.0%	40.0%	20.0%	20.0%	30.0%	20.8%	90.6%	35.9%	0.000
=	ZTRL	32B	Reinforce++	deepmath	2	2	26.7%	53.3%	20.0%	16.7%	20.0%	16.7%	86.2%	34.2%	1.691
_	ZTRL	32B	Reinforce++		2	4	26.7%	50.0%	16.7%	26.7%	23.3%	19.0%	87.8%	35.7%	1.994
	ZTRL	32B	Reinforce++	deepmath	4	2	33.3%	56.7%	20%	26.7%	33.3%	17.5%	87.8%	39.3%	1.558
	ZTRL	32B	Reinforce++	deepmath	4	4	30.0%	46.7%	20.0%	23.3%	36.7%	21.8%	89.4%	38.2%	1.863

