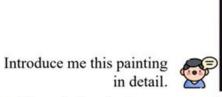
#### What can InstructBLIP do?



What could have happened based on the current scene?



Based on the current scene in the image, it is possible that a hurricane or severe weather event caused significant damage to the buildings and infrastructure in the area. The person walking through the debris-covered area suggests that they are inspecting the damage caused by the disaster. The presence of palm trees indicates that the location may be in a tropical or sub-tropical region, which can be more susceptible to hurricanes and other natural disasters.





The painting depicts a young girl with a pearl earring, also known as "The Girl with the Pearl Earring" or "Girl with a Pearl Earring". She is wearing a blue dress and has a pearl earring on her left ear. Her hair is pulled back into a bun, and she is looking directly at the viewer. This painting is a famous work of art by Dutch painter Johannes Vermeer, created in 1665. It is considered one of his masterpieces and is widely recognized for its intricate details and realistic portrayal of the young girl's facial expression.



What makes this dog special?







The dog in the image is wearing futuristic armor and has a glowing green eye, giving it a unique and futuristic appearance. This combination of elements makes the dog stand out from other dogs and adds an element of fantasy or sci-fi to the image.

Additionally, the dog's posture and facial expression convey a sense of confidence and determination, further emphasizing its unique features.

- Complex visual scene understanding and reasoning
- Knowledge-grounded image description
- Multi-turn visual conversation

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### What can InstructBLIP do?



Can you describe this image in detail?



The image depicts a person standing in front of an open doorway, looking out into space. They are wearing a jacket and appears to be contemplating the vastness of the universe beyond the doorway. In the background, there are multiple stars visible, creating a stunning celestial scene. The person's gaze is directed towards the center of the image, where a bright star can be seen shining brightly. There are also smaller stars scattered throughout the scene, adding to the overall cosmic atmosphere.

What if they jump over the doorway?



If the person were to jump over the doorway, they would be leaving the confines of their current location and venturing into the vastness of space. This could be a metaphorical representation of stepping out of one's comfort zone or embarking on a new adventure. However, it is important to note that such an action would be extremely dangerous and potentially lifethreatening due to the harsh conditions of space.



Can you tell me about this image in detail?



The image depicts a collection of various vegetables including carrots, cucumbers, tomatoes, and nuts arranged on a stone surface. There are several jars filled with different types of ingredients, such as peanuts, cashews, sunflower seeds, and pumpkin seeds. These ingredients are likely to be part of a healthy meal or snack.

Can you give me an example of such meal?





An example of a healthy meal or snack that incorporates some of the ingredients in the image could be a salad made with mixed greens, carrots, cucumbers, tomatoes, and nuts. The salad can be dressed with a homemade vinaigrette made with olive oil, lemon juice, salt, and pepper. Additionally, the salad can be topped with pumpkin seeds or sunflower seeds for added crunch and nutritional value.

Sounds good! Show me steps of making this salad.





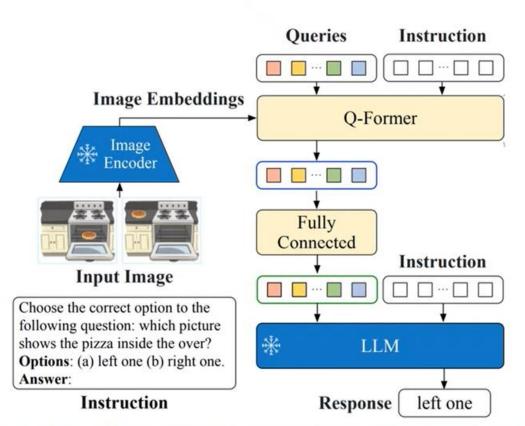
Sure! Here are the steps to make this healthy salad:

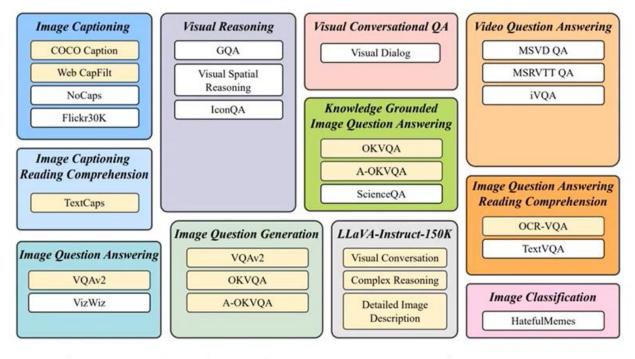
- 1. Wash and chop the mixed greens, carrots, cucumbers, and tomatoes into bite-sized pieces.
- 2. In a small bowl, whisk together olive oil, lemon juice, salt, and pepper to create a homemade vinaigrette dressing.
- 3. Place the chopped vegetables in a large bowl and toss them with the vinaigrette dressing.
- 4. Sprinkle pumpkin seeds or sunflower seeds on top of the salad for added crunch and nutritional value.
- 5. Serve the salad immediately or store it in the refrigerator until ready to enjoy.

# How is instruction fine-tuning done for InstructBLIP?

• 26 datasets: 13 held-in; 13 held-out

$$p_d = \frac{\sqrt{S_d}}{\sum_{i=1}^D \sqrt{S_i}}$$



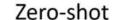


- Like BLIP2, Q-Former is pretrained in two stages.
- Instruction-aware Q-former module takes in the instruction text tokens as additional input.
- Image encoder and LLM are frozen.

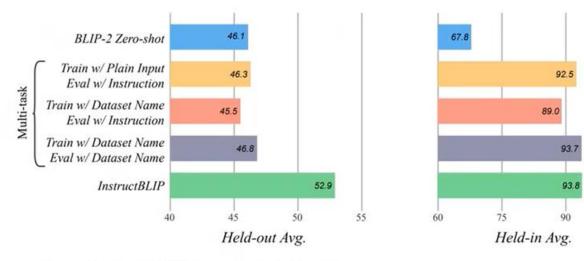
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## How does InstructBLIP perform?

	NoCaps	Flickr 30K	GQA	VSR	IconQA	TextVQA	Visdial	НМ	VizWiz	SciQA image	MSVD QA	MSRVTT QA	iVQA
Flamingo-3B [4]		60.6	-	-	-	30.1	3	53.7	28.9	-	27.5	11.0	32.7
Flamingo-9B [4]	-	61.5	-	-	-	31.8	-	57.0	28.8	-	30.2	13.7	35.2
Flamingo-80B [4]		67.2	(.7)	7.	ē	35.0	-	46.4	31.6		35.6	17.4	40.7
BLIP-2 (FlanT5 <sub>XL</sub> ) [20]	104.5	76.1	44.0	60.5	45.5	43.1	45.7	53.0	29.8	54.9	33.7	16.2	40.4
BLIP-2 (FlanT5 <sub>XXL</sub> ) [20]	98.4	73.7	44.6	68.2	45.4	44.1	46.9	52.0	29.4	64.5	34.4	17.4	45.8
BLIP-2 (Vicuna-7B)	107.5	74.9	38.6	50.0	39.7	40.1	44.9	50.6	25.3	53.8	18.3	9.2	27.5
BLIP-2 (Vicuna-13B)	103.9	71.6	41.0	50.9	40.6	42.5	45.1	53.7	19.6	61.0	20.3	10.3	23.5
InstructBLIP (FlanT5 <sub>XL</sub> )	119.9	84.5	48.4	64.8	50.0	46.6	46.6	56.6	32.7	70.4	43.4	25.0	53.1
InstructBLIP (FlanT5 <sub>XXL</sub> )	120.0	83.5	47.9	65.6	51.2	46.6	48.5	54.1	30.9	70.6	44.3	25.6	53.8
InstructBLIP (Vicuna-7B)	123.1	82.4	49.2	54.3	43.1	50.1	45.2	59.6	34.5	60.5	41.8	22.1	52.2
InstructBLIP (Vicuna-13B)	121.9	82.8	49.5	52.1	44.8	50.7	45.4	57.5	33.4	63.1	41.2	24.8	51.0



	Saisman OA	OCR-VQA		A-OKVQA				
	ScienceQA IMG		OKVQA	Direct	Answer	Multi-choice		
			**************************************	Val	Test	Val	Test	
Previous SOTA	LLaVA [25]	GIT [43]	PaLM-E(562B) [9]	[15]	[37]	[15]	[37]	
	89.0	70.3	66.1	56.3	61.6	73.2	73.6	
BLIP-2 (FlanT5 <sub>XXL</sub> )	89.5	72.7	54.7	57.6	53.7	80.2	76.2	
InstructBLIP (FlanT5 <sub>XXL</sub> )	90.7	73.3	55.5	57.1	54.8	81.0	76.7	
BLIP-2 (Vicuna-7B)	77.3	69.1	59.3	60.0	58.7	72.1	69.0	
InstructBLIP (Vicuna-7B)	79.5	72.8	62.1	64.0	62.1	75.7	73.4	



- New 0-shot SOTA on all datasets.
- Smallest InstructBLIP FlanT5XL-4B > Flamingo-80B.
- InstructBLIP: 188M number of trainable parameters
- New finetuning SOTA on ScienceQA (IMG), OCR-VQA, A-OKVQA.
- Compared to GPT4, LLaVA, MiniGPT-4; InstructBLIP's outputs generally contains more proper visual details and exhibits logically coherent reasoning steps.

#### **Finetuning**

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