Classifier	Pīnyīn	Semantic Class
个	*gè*	objects, general-purpose
件	*jiàn*	matters
头	*tóu*	domesticated animals
只	*zhī*	general animals
张	*zhāng*	flat objects
条	*tiáo*	long, narrow objects
项	*xiàng*	items, projects
道	*dào*	orders, roads, projections
匹	*pǐ*	horses, cloth
顿	*dùn*	meals

Table 1: Examples of Mandarin classifiers. Classifiers' simplified Mandarin Chinese characters (1st column), *pīnyīn* pronunciations (2nd column), and commonly modified noun types (3rd column) are listed.