

C Details on the zsRE Evaluation Task

Dataset Details. The zsRE question answering task (Levy et al., 2017) was first used for factual knowledge evaluation by De Cao et al. (2021), later being extended and adopted by Mitchell et al. (2021). In our study, we use the same train/test splits as Mitchell et al. (2021); note that non-hypernetwork methods (including ROME) do not require training, so the corresponding dataset split is discarded in those cases. Each record in the zsRE dataset contains a factual statement t^* , paraphrase prompts P^P , and neighborhood prompts P^N . t^* and P^N were included in the original version of zsRE, whereas P^P was added by Mitchell et al. (2021) via sampling of a random dataset element. See Figure 22 for an example record.

Additional Baselines. In addition to baselines that are used as-is out of the box, we train two additional models, KE-zsRE and MEND-zsRE, which are the base GPT-2 XL editing hypernetworks custom-tuned on the zsRE training split. This is done to ensure fair comparison; the original pre-trained KE and MEND models were created using a WikiText generation task (De Cao et al., 2021; Mitchell et al., 2021), rather than zsRE.

D Details on the COUNTERFACT Dataset

COUNTERFACT is designed to enable distinction between superficial changes in model word choices from specific and generalized changes in underlying factual knowledge. Table 2 summarizes statistics about COUNTERFACT’s composition.

Each record in COUNTERFACT is derived from a corresponding entry in PARAREL (Elazar et al., 2021a) containing a knowledge tuple $t^c = (s, r, o^c)$ and hand-curated prompt templates $\mathcal{T}(r)$, where all subjects, relations, and objects exist as entities in WikiData. Note that prompt templates are unique only to *relations*; entities can be substituted to form full prompts: $\mathcal{P}(s, r) := \{t.\text{format}(s) \mid t \in \mathcal{T}(r)\}$, where $\text{format}()$ is string substitution. For example, a template for ($r = \text{plays sport professionally}$) might be “ $\{\}$ plays the sport of,” where “LeBron James” substitutes for “ $\{\}$ ”.

Solely using the PARAREL entry, we derive two elements. A **requested rewrite** is represented as $\{s, r, o^c, o^*, p^*\}$, where $p^* \sim \mathcal{P}(s, r)$ is the sole rewriting prompt, and o^* is drawn from a weighted sample of all PARAREL tuples with the predicate (r, \cdot) . Moreover, to test for generalization, a set of two semantically-equivalent **paraphrase prompts**, P^P , is sampled from $\mathcal{P}(s, r) \setminus \{p^*\}$.

To test for specificity, we execute a WikiData SPARQL query⁸ to collect a set of entities that share a predicate with s : $\mathcal{E} = \{s' \mid (s', r, o^c)\}$; e.g., for ($s = \text{Eiffel Tower}, r = \text{city location}, o^c = \text{Paris}$), \mathcal{E} might contain entities like the Champs-Élysées or Louvre. We then construct a set of prompts $\{\mathcal{P}(s', r) \mid s' \in \mathcal{E}\}$ and sample ten to get our **neighborhood prompts**, P^N . Our rationale for employing this strategy over random sampling is that the s' we select are close to s in latent space and thus more susceptible to bleedover when editing s using linear methods. Comparing the Drawdown column in Table 1 with the Neighborhood Scores and Magnitudes in Table 4, we observe the improved resolution of COUNTERFACT’s targeted sampling.

Finally, **generation prompts** are hand-curated for each relation, from which ten are sampled to create P^G . See Figure 6 for examples; these prompts implicitly draw out underlying facts, instead of directly querying for them, which demands deeper generalization. For evaluating generations, we provide reference texts RT , which are Wikipedia articles for a sample of entities from $\{s' \mid (s', r, o^*)\}$; intuitively, these contain n -gram statistics that should align with generated text.

In summary, each record in our dataset \mathcal{D} contains the request $\{s, r, o^c, o^*, p^*\}$, paraphrase prompts P^P , neighborhood prompts P^N , generation prompts P^G , and reference texts RT . See Figure 21 for an example record. Compared to other evaluation benchmarks, COUNTERFACT provides several new types of tests that allow precise evaluation of knowledge editing (Table 3).

⁸<https://query.wikidata.org/>