

We appreciate the reviewers' comments. As a common response. We have performed a more comprehensive set of experiments on the public datasets along with statistical significance tests. Within these experiments we also compare with the other common lifelong learning techniques with all the backbone models. We will include these in the camera ready version.

Table 2: Evaluation on public dataset Diginetica. We compare the average performance of the continuously updated model with two common lifelong learning techniques, i.e., regularization (Reg.), replay (Rep.), and MoDSA. Statistical significance of differences of MoDSA vs. the best baseline is determined by a paired t-test, where * is for p-value ≤ 0.05 , ** is for p-value ≤ 0.01 , and *** is for p-value ≤ 0.001 .

Methods	HR@10	HR@20	MRR@10	MRR@20	NDCG@10	NDCG@20
SR-GNN	0.278	0.292	0.126	0.214	0.169	0.182
SR-GNN+Reg.	0.295	0.299	0.138	0.231	<u>0.174</u>	0.184
SR-GNN+Rep.	0.310	<u>0.328</u>	0.159	<u>0.239</u>	0.172	<u>0.190</u>
SR-GNN+MoDSA	0.321	0.340	0.197	0.273	0.180	0.192
improv.	3.548%**	3.659%**	23.899%***	14.226%***	3.448%*	1.053%*
GRU4Rec	0.231	0.268	0.142	0.245	0.108	0.125
GRU4Rec+Reg.	0.248	<u>0.277</u>	0.144	0.247	<u>0.111</u>	0.128
GRU4Rec+Rep.	<u>0.254</u>	0.276	<u>0.145</u>	<u>0.250</u>	0.109	<u>0.130</u>
GRU4Rec+MoDSA	0.271	0.309	0.150	0.256	0.120	0.138
improv.	6.693%***	11.552%***	3.448%***	2.4%**	8.108%***	6.154%***
NARM	0.307	0.320	0.150	0.165	0.170	0.195
NARM+Reg.	0.310	0.321	0.153	0.170	0.184	0.196
NARM+Rep.	<u>0.316</u>	<u>0.328</u>	<u>0.163</u>	<u>0.174</u>	<u>0.194</u>	<u>0.218</u>
NARM+MoDSA	0.350	0.366	0.201	0.230	0.196	0.224
improv.	10.759%***	11.585%***	23.313%***	32.184%***	1.031%*	2.752%*
SASRec	0.404	0.420	0.238	0.307	0.203	0.220
SASRec+Reg.	0.420	0.428	0.250	0.316	0.216	0.229
SASRec+Rep.	<u>0.428</u>	<u>0.432</u>	<u>0.255</u>	<u>0.322</u>	<u>0.224</u>	<u>0.240</u>
SASRec+MoDSA	0.469	0.479	0.279	0.354	0.228	0.244
improv.	9.579%***	10.88%***	9.412%***	9.938%***	1.786%*	1.667%*
BERT4Rec	0.356	0.442	0.161	0.192	0.149	0.190
BERT4Rec+Reg.	0.359	0.445	0.168	0.200	0.166	0.200
BERT4Rec+Rep.	<u>0.362</u>	<u>0.460</u>	<u>0.180</u>	<u>0.206</u>	<u>0.173</u>	<u>0.204</u>
BERT4Rec+MoDSA	0.373	0.489	0.200	0.217	0.185	0.213
improv.	3.039%**	6.304%**	11.111%***	5.34%**	6.936%***	4.412%**

Table 3: Evaluation on public dataset Yoochoose. We compare the average performance of the continuously updated model with two common lifelong learning techniques, i.e., regularization (Reg.), replay (Rep.), and MoDSA. Statistical significance of differences of MoDSA vs. the best baseline is determined by a paired t-test, where * is for p-value ≤ 0.05 , ** is for p-value ≤ 0.01 , and *** is for p-value ≤ 0.001 .

Methods	HR@10	HR@20	MRR@10	MRR@20	NDCG@10	NDCG@20
SR-GNN	0.437	0.557	0.158	0.181	0.161	0.188
SR-GNN+Reg.	0.439	0.561	0.163	0.186	0.173	0.190
SR-GNN+Rep.	<u>0.440</u>	<u>0.568</u>	<u>0.165</u>	<u>0.179</u>	<u>0.181</u>	<u>0.198</u>
SR-GNN+MoDSA	0.450	0.580	0.179	0.198	0.184	0.212
improv.	2.273%*	2.113%*	8.485%**	10.615%***	1.657%*	7.071%***
GRU4Rec	0.409	0.420	0.131	0.162	0.233	0.266
GRU4Rec+Reg.	<u>0.428</u>	0.433	0.137	0.173	0.250	0.278
GRU4Rec+Rep.	0.423	<u>0.443</u>	<u>0.141</u>	<u>0.178</u>	<u>0.272</u>	<u>0.287</u>
GRU4Rec+MoDSA	0.441	0.540	0.156	0.187	0.282	0.296
improv.	3.037%**	21.896%***	10.638%***	5.056%**	3.676%*	3.136%*
NARM	0.440	0.536	0.165	0.181	0.295	0.343
NARM+Reg.	<u>0.450</u>	0.540	0.170	0.186	0.315	0.356
NARM+Rep.	0.447	<u>0.546</u>	<u>0.178</u>	<u>0.193</u>	<u>0.327</u>	<u>0.369</u>
NARM+MoDSA	0.472	0.553	0.188	0.202	0.344	0.379
improv.	4.889%**	1.282%*	5.618%**	4.663%**	5.199%**	2.71%*
SASRec	0.530	0.583	0.230	0.279	0.308	0.348
SASRec+Reg.	0.536	0.590	0.252	0.288	0.321	0.355
SASRec+Rep.	<u>0.540</u>	<u>0.594</u>	<u>0.263</u>	<u>0.296</u>	<u>0.329</u>	<u>0.362</u>
SASRec+MoDSA	0.566	0.609	0.271	0.304	0.347	0.391
improv.	4.815%**	2.525%**	3.042%**	2.703%*	5.471%**	8.011%***
BERT4Rec	0.670	0.741	0.247	0.271	0.321	0.361
BERT4Rec+Reg.	0.691	0.758	0.256	0.276	0.333	0.379
BERT4Rec+Rep.	<u>0.703</u>	<u>0.768</u>	<u>0.261</u>	<u>0.280</u>	<u>0.345</u>	<u>0.395</u>
BERT4Rec+MoDSA	0.720	0.785	0.279	0.293	0.365	0.412
improv.	2.418%*	2.214%**	6.897%***	4.643%***	5.797%**	4.304%**

Table 4: Evaluation on public dataset MovieLens 1M. We compare the average performance of the continuously updated model with two common lifelong learning techniques, i.e., regularization (Reg.), replay (Rep.), and MoDSA. Statistical significance of differences of MoDSA vs. the best baseline is determined by a paired t-test, where * is for p-value ≤ 0.05 , ** is for p-value ≤ 0.01 , and *** is for p-value ≤ 0.001 .

Methods	HR@10	HR@20	MRR@10	MRR@20	NDCG@10	NDCG@20
SR-GNN	0.342	0.365	0.117	0.129	0.129	0.166
SR-GNN+Reg.	0.347	0.373	0.126	0.134	0.138	0.171
SR-GNN+Rep.	<u>0.352</u>	<u>0.378</u>	<u>0.130</u>	<u>0.139</u>	<u>0.152</u>	<u>0.177</u>
SR-GNN+MoDSA	0.360	0.388	0.138	0.146	0.160	0.183
improv.	2.273%*	2.646%*	6.154%***	5.036%**	5.263%**	3.39%**
GRU4Rec	0.507	0.530	0.121	0.144	0.151	0.165
GRU4Rec+Reg.	0.515	0.541	0.127	0.148	0.160	0.167
GRU4Rec+Rep.	<u>0.523</u>	<u>0.549</u>	<u>0.131</u>	<u>0.154</u>	<u>0.167</u>	<u>0.178</u>
GRU4Rec+MoDSA	0.536	0.561	0.146	0.166	0.175	0.189
improv.	2.486%*	2.186%*	11.45%***	7.792%***	4.79%**	6.18%***
NARM	0.534	0.605	0.137	0.166	0.187	0.207
NARM+Reg.	<u>0.541</u>	0.611	0.144	0.173	0.204	0.223
NARM+Rep.	0.538	<u>0.617</u>	<u>0.149</u>	<u>0.188</u>	<u>0.214</u>	<u>0.232</u>
NARM+MoDSA	0.569	0.633	0.160	0.199	0.232	0.264
improv.	5.176%**	2.593%*	7.383%***	5.851%**	8.411%***	13.793%***
SASRec	0.603	0.646	0.156	0.182	0.258	0.297
SASRec+Reg.	0.616	0.650	0.174	0.194	0.275	0.325
SASRec+Rep.	<u>0.623</u>	<u>0.661</u>	<u>0.185</u>	<u>0.216</u>	<u>0.295</u>	<u>0.332</u>
SASRec+MoDSA	0.647	0.689	0.192	0.222	0.328	0.365
improv.	3.852%**	4.236%**	3.784%**	2.778%*	11.186%***	9.94%***
BERT4Rec	0.657	0.722	0.146	0.172	0.371	0.390
BERT4Rec+Reg.	0.662	0.726	0.157	0.178	0.376	0.402
BERT4Rec+Rep.	<u>0.693</u>	<u>0.738</u>	<u>0.165</u>	<u>0.189</u>	<u>0.381</u>	<u>0.410</u>
BERT4Rec+MoDSA	0.712	0.764	0.180	0.196	0.405	0.433
improv.	2.742%*	3.523%**	9.091%***	3.704%**	6.299%**	5.61%**