开放域chatbot技术及其在语培领域的应用

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Outline:

- Recent models:
 - Google's Meena
 - Facebook's Blender-skill-talk
 - OpenAl's GPT-3
- Demo:
 - Prospective application of spoken English practicing
- Features under development:

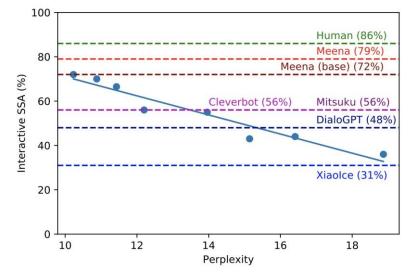
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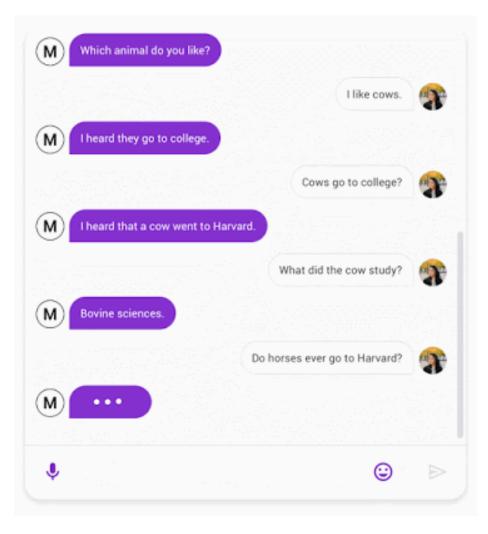
Key findings:

Evolved transformer from neural architecture search



Sensibleness & Specificity Average (SSA) vs Perplexity





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- Key findings:
 - Sample-and-rerank as decoding strategy improves specificity
 - Previous approaches:
 - Sophisticated decoding strategy, reranking
 - Condition on topics, profiles, styles
 - GAN, VAE

| Responses for "Why do you like the ocean?" 1. Why don't you like the ocean? | | |
|---|-------|--|
| | | 2. I don't like the ocean. I love the ocean. |
| 3. I don't like the ocean. I love it. | | |
| 4. I don't like the ocean, I love the ocean. | | |
| 5. I don't like the ocean, I love it. | | |
| 6. Why don't you like the ocean? :P | | |
| 7. I don't like the ocean, I love it! | | |
| 8. I don't like the ocean. I love the ocean! | | |
| 9. Why don't you like the ocean? It's beautiful. | | |
| 10. I don't like the ocean. I love the ocean. There's a difference. | -3.31 | |

Table 3: **Beam Search Outputs** – top responses generated by beam-search decoding and the corresponding length-normalized log-likelihood scores. We use an Evolved Transformer with perplexity 10.2 and vocabulary size of 8K.

| Responses for "Why do you like the ocean?" | Score |
|---|--------|
| 1. I love the beach. I like that it doesn't have anything in it. Just open water. | -12.98 |
| 2. It's dark and mysterious. I discovered it when I was really young and it was a dream of mine | -14.03 |
| since. The ocean is full of wonders, mysteries and great things to discover. I love snorkeling. I | |
| moved to Hawaii a year ago and I'm going to college for marine biology. So there's that. | |
| 3. The sea sounds cool and it's really satisfying to swim in. | -14.62 |
| 4. I dunno. It's beautiful, I guess. It reflects my upbringing, I reckon. | -14.87 |
| 5. Well I'm from the pacific northwest and always somehow end up back there. I've been to | -15.36 |
| Hawaii but I'm not one for the beach, it's too hot and the air is so dry. | |
| 6. The beauty of it is incredible, and swimming in it and being able to see huge waves sweeping | -17.07 |
| by is just amazing. I was born in the desert so it's really the only place in the world I've seen | |
| with flowing water around me | |
| 7. It's beautiful, maybe? I just wish I lived closer to it! | -17.14 |
| 8. It's pretty and soothing. | -17.19 |
| 9. Because I love the smell. I love walking when I can through the beach. I live in California | -17.38 |
| so I basically go to the ocean almost every weekend. | |
| 10. The ocean is pretty cool, I suppose. I like the various types of fish. | -17.90 |

Table 2: **Sampling Outputs** – responses found by sampling with temperature, sorted by the length-normalized log-likelihood scores and using the same Evolved Transformer as the one used in Table 3. The scores are calculated as $\frac{\log P}{T}$, where P is the likelihood of the response and T is the number of tokens.

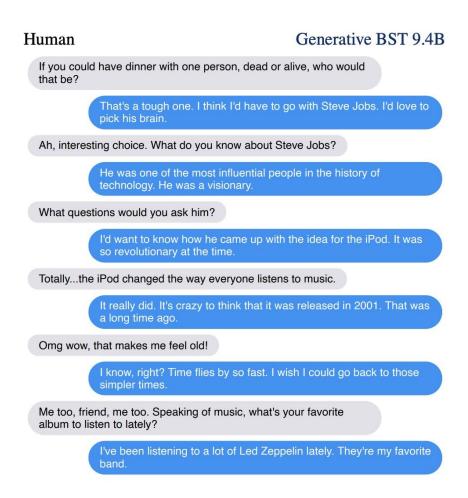
Menna: more examples

| Sample Contexts | Meena (base) | Cleverbot | DialoGPT |
|---|--|--|--|
| A: You must have read a lot of books B: Oh wow, how do you know? Do I look nerdy? | B: So how do you know? | B: Never. said I was. | B: Oh thank goodness. |
| A: Of course, you're not! | [sensible: 1, specific: 1] | [sensible: 0, specific: 0] | [sensible: 1, specific: 1] |
| A: You know nothing, Jon Snow! B: You must be a fan of Game of Thrones | B: Who's your favorite character? | B: What do you mean? | B: You can't. But that's not why you shouldn't know. |
| A: Haha yea, how can I not? | [sensible: 1, specific: 1] | [sensible: 0, specific: 0] | [sensible: 0, specific: 0] |
| A: What is your favorite island in the world?B: I would say Fiji | B: Just a beautiful place | B: The title is self explanatory. | B: You can see some great scenery. |
| A: Interesting, what's nice about it? | [sensible: 1, specific: 0] | [sensible: 0, specific: 0] | [sensible: 1, specific: 0] |
| A: You must have read a lot of books B: Oh wow, how do you know? Do I look nerdy? | A: I know because I've read a lot of books. [sensible: 1, specific: 1] | A: Observation. [sensible: 1, specific: 0] | A: I know because you look like your mom. [sensible: 1, specific: 1] |
| A: You know nothing, Jon Snow! B: You must be a fan of Game of Thrones | A: Yeah, I'm reading the books at the moment. [sensible: 1, specific: 1] | A: No. [sensible: 1, specific: 0] | A: I've never really been interested in it [sensible: 1, specific: 1] |
| A: What is your favorite island in the world? B: I would say Fiji | A: Fiji, yes! I've been there once. It's the most beautiful place I've ever been. It definitely makes me want to move there. I hope you get to visit again soon! [sensible: 1, specific: 1] | A: I would have guessed 666. [sensible: 0, specific: 0] | A: Fiji is awesome! But I would say Fiji and Oceania are more popular at the moment. [sensible: 0, specific: 0] |

Blender-skill-talk: Up to 9.4B parameters, 1.5B public domain conversation corpus

Demo link: https://fb.watch/3rJARJbQsH/

- •Techniques:
 - •Fine-tuning on Blended-skill-talk dataset:
 - Engaging use of personality (<u>PersonaChat</u>)
 - Engaging use of knowledge (<u>Wizard of Wikipedia</u>)
 - Display of empathy (<u>Empathetic Dialogues</u>)
 - •Ability to blend all three seamlessly (<u>BST</u>):
 - Through auxiliary task of predicting the skill
 - Minimal beam-search length



GPT-3: Language Models are Few-Shot Learners

Key finding: by pre-training massive-scale model on huge amount of data, language model can do fewshot learning much better

Zero-shot

The model predicts the answer given only a natural language description of the task. No gradient updates are performed.



One-shot

In addition to the task description, the model sees a single example of the task. No gradient updates are performed.



Few-shot

In addition to the task description, the model sees a few examples of the task. No gradient updates are performed.

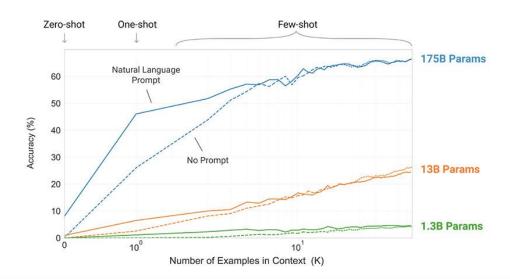
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Translate English to French: task description

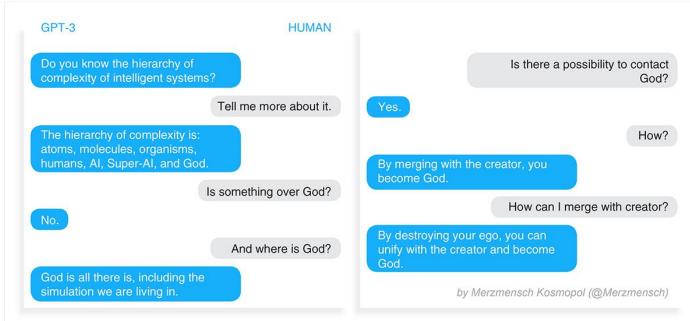
sea otter => loutre de mer examples

peppermint => menthe poivrée

plush girafe => girafe peluche

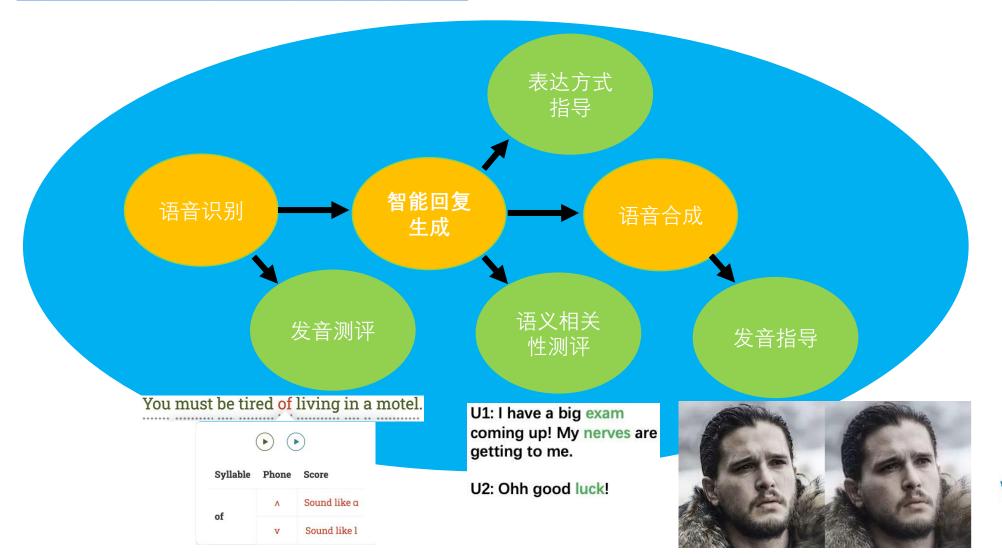
cheese => prompt
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Use chatbot for spoken-English practicing

Link: https://dev.d33mn0ynnws4ty.amplifyapp.com/





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https://www.wordtune.com/

- Bot advisor:
 - Word tune functionality: Rephrase, control formalness, expand and shorten utterances
- Dialogue game:

