

## 1 GLUE benchmark information

Recent NLP models are being evaluated and compared according to their scores in several among GLUE benchmarks<sup>1,2</sup> including a collection of multiple different tasks that we highlight in table 1 such as sentiment (SST), paraphrase (MRPC, QQP), sentence similarity (STS), coreference, question answering (QNLI), textual entailment (RTE, MNLI), etc., where evaluation is performed by utilizing different metrics, such as accuracy, F<sub>1</sub> score, Matthews, Pearson, Spearman correlation measures etc. for each different benchmark (1).

Corpus	Train	Test	Task	Metrics	Domain
Single-Sentence Tasks					
CoLA	8.5k	<b>1k</b>	acceptability	Matthews corr.	misc.
SST-2	67k	1.8k	sentiment	acc.	movie reviews
Similarity and Paraphrase Tasks					
MRPC	3.7k	1.7k	paraphrase	acc./F1	news
STS-B	7k	1.4k	sentence similarity	Pearson/Spearman corr.	misc.
QQP	364k	<b>391k</b>	paraphrase	acc./F1	social QA questions
Inference Tasks					
MNLI	393k	<b>20k</b>	NLI	matched acc./mismatched acc.	misc.
QNLI	105k	5.4k	QA/NLI	acc.	Wikipedia
RTE	2.5k	3k	NLI	acc.	news, Wikipedia
WNLI	634	<b>146</b>	coreference/NLI	acc.	fiction books

Table 1: **Task descriptions and statistics.** All tasks are single sentence or sentence pair classification, except STS-B, which is a regression task. MNLI has three classes; all other classification tasks have two. Test sets shown in bold use labels that have never been made public in any form. Table extracted from (1).

Model	Avg	Single Sentence		Similarity and Paraphrase			Natural Language Inference			
		CoLA	SST-2	MRPC	QQP	STS-B	MNLI	QNLI	RTE	WNLI
Recurrent Neural Networks										
BiLSTM	63.9	15.7	85.9	69.3/79.4	81.7/61.4	66.0/62.8	70.3/70.8	75.7	52.8	<b>65.1</b>
+ELMo	66.4	<b>35.0</b>	<u>90.2</u>	69.0/80.8	85.7/65.6	64.0/60.2	72.9/73.4	71.7	50.1	<b>65.1</b>
+CoVe	64.0	14.5	88.5	<u>73.4/81.4</u>	83.3/59.4	<u>67.2/64.1</u>	64.5/64.8	75.4	<u>53.5</u>	<b>65.1</b>
+Attn	63.9	15.7	85.9	68.5/80.3	83.5/62.9	59.3/55.8	74.2/73.8	<u>77.2</u>	51.9	<b>65.1</b>
+Attn, ELMo	<u>66.5</u>	<b>35.0</b>	<u>90.2</u>	68.8/80.2	<b>86.5/66.1</b>	55.5/52.5	<b>76.9/76.7</b>	76.7	50.4	<b>65.1</b>
+Attn, CoVe	63.2	14.5	88.5	68.6/79.7	84.1/60.1	57.2/53.6	71.6/71.5	74.5	52.7	<b>65.1</b>
Transformers										
BERT <sub>BASE</sub>	79.6	52.1	93.5	88.9	71.2	85.8	84.6/83.4	90.5	66.4	N/A
BERT <sub>LARGE</sub>	<b>82.1</b>	<b>60.5</b>	<b>94.9</b>	<b>89.3</b>	<b>72.1</b>	<b>86.5</b>	<b>86.7/85.9</b>	<b>92.7</b>	<b>70.1</b>	N/A

Table 2: **Test performance on GLUE benchmarks (Single-Task Training).** For CoLA, we report Matthews correlation. For all other tasks we report accuracy. Table partly extracted from (1) and (2) for the respective models.

## References

- [1] A. Wang, A. Singh, J. Michael, F. Hill, O. Levy, and S. R. Bowman, “Glue: A multi-task benchmark and analysis platform for natural language understanding,” 2019.
- [2] J. Devlin, M.-W. Chang, K. Lee, and K. Toutanova, “Bert: Pre-training of deep bidirectional transformers for language understanding,” 2019.

<sup>1</sup>The python script used to download data for GLUE benchmarks is <https://github.com/georgmosh/gluescript>

<sup>2</sup>General Language Understanding Evaluation (GLUE) benchmark is a collection of resources used for training, evaluating, and analyzing NLP systems, <https://gluebenchmark.com/>