

1 Experiments on Other OOD Baselines

For the main experiments of this work we chose the ERM method as the single-prediction baseline, due to its vast popularity in real-world applications, and its superior, or at least compatible performance in various OOD baselines [Koh et al., 2021, Gulrajani and Lopez-Paz, 2020]. In the next section we compare SET-COVER to additional common OOD baselines. These include IRM [Arjovsky et al., 2019], VREx [Krueger et al., 2021], MMD [Li et al., 2018], and CORAL [Sun and Saenko, 2016]. We use the DomainBed [Gulrajani and Lopez-Paz, 2020] package to train these models.

The results show an advantage for SET-COVER over common single-prediction baselines in maintaining the 90% min-recall target across unseen domains. These results suggest that set-valued predictors may be a step in the right direction for robust OOD generalization.

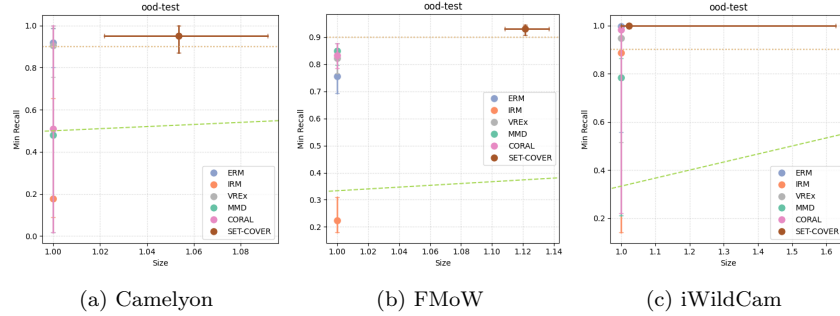


Figure 1: Each figure represents Min-Recall over Avg Set Size cross. y-axis represents min-recall, and x-axis represents average set size. Each cross shows the median and the 25th and 75th percentiles for both metrics across domain. The horizontal solid line represents the 90% recall target value, and dashed yellow diagonal line represents performance of a random predictor.

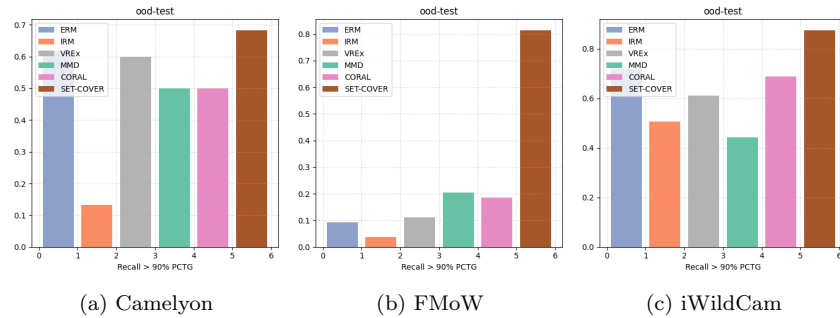


Figure 2: Percentage of OOD domains where the min-recall is higher than 90%. Each bar represents a different model.

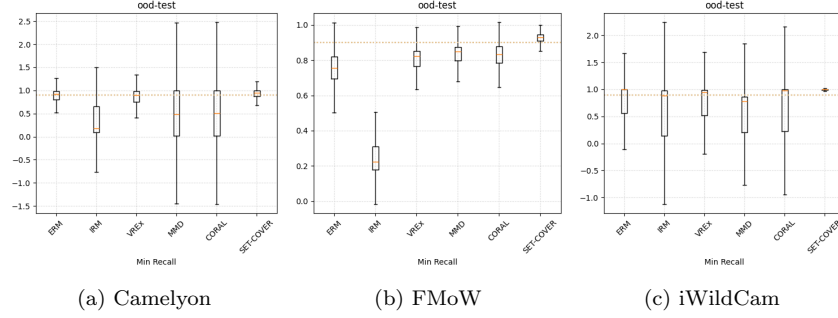


Figure 3: Boxplots represent the distribution of min-recall across OOD domains.

Table 1: Summary of OOD Results for different OOD baselines.

Model	Camelyon			FMoW		
	Median	Median	Recall $\geq 90\%$	Median	Median	Recall $\geq 90\%$
	Min Recall \uparrow	Avg Size \downarrow	Pctg \uparrow	Min Recall \uparrow	Avg Size \downarrow	Pctg \uparrow
ERM	0.91	1.0	0.61	0.75	1.0	0.09
IRM	0.17	1.00	0.13	0.22	1.00	0.03
VREx	0.90	1.00	0.60	0.82	1.00	0.11
MMD	0.48	1.00	0.50	0.84	1.00	0.20
CORAL	0.50	1.00	0.50	0.83	1.00	0.18
SET-COVER	0.95	1.05	0.68	0.93	1.12	0.81

Model	iWildCam		
	Median	Median	Recall $\geq 90\%$
	Min Recall \uparrow	Avg Size \downarrow	Pctg \uparrow
ERM	0.99	1.0	0.71
IRM	0.88	1.00	0.50
VREx	0.94	1.00	0.60
MMD	0.78	1.00	0.44
CORAL	0.98	1.00	0.68
SET-COVER	1.00	1.02	0.87

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