Supplementary Materials for End-to-End Video Captioning with Multitask Reinforcement Learning

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In the supplementary materials, we report more qualitative results of our multitask reinforcement end-to-end (E2E) trained model. Table 1 and Table 2 show more qualitative results of different methods on the MSVD dataset [1], and Table 3 and Table 4 are some examples on MSR-VTT [2] dataset.

References

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Table 1. Qualitative results of video captioning on the MSVD dataset (GT: ground truth).















S2VT: a woman is talking on a cell E2E: a woman is applying makeup GT: a woman is applying makeup GT: a woman is putting on her makeup GT: a woman is painting her eyebrow

S2VT: a man is putting meat into a pork chop E2E: a woman is seasoning meat GT: someone is seasoning meat GT: a person seasons a piece of raw meat GT: a person is seasoning a pork chop

S2VT: a baby is playing with a ball E2E: a dog is playing with a ball GT: a dog is playing with ball GT: a dog is popping balloons GT: a dog attacks a bunch of balloons

Table 2. Qualitative results of video captioning on the MSVD dataset (GT: ground truth).

















S2VT: a boy is playing with a ball E2E: a man is playing a basketball GT: a man is playing basketball GT: a man scores when playing basketball GT: a basketball player made a basket

S2VT: a man is pouring a can of water into a pot E2E: a man is pouring sauce into a pot GT: a person pours tomato sauce in a pot GT: a man puts tomato sauce in a pot GT: a chef pours sauce into a sausage pan

S2VT: the men are doing the something E2E: men are dancing GT: group of people are dancing GT: many members are dancing GT: numerous people are dancing on a stage

Table 3. Qualitative results of video captioning on the MSR-VTT dataset (GT: ground truth).















S2VT: a man is playing a basketball game E2E: a group of people are playing GT: a group of guys playing with a big ball

GT: a group of kids is hitting a big beach ball

GT: people are holding up a beach ball

S2VT: a man is singing

E2E: a group of people are talking

GT: bunch of guys talking to the camera as they skate board

GT: the man in the plaid shirt and a hat talk to the other man

GT: a group of kids are hanging out at a skate park

S2VT: a group of people are playing in the beach E2E: a group of people are dancing on the beach GT: a group of people dance on the beach

GT: people are dancing on a beach

GT: teens sing and dance on the beach

Table 4. Qualitative results of video captioning on the MSR-VTT dataset (GT: ground truth).















S2VT: a man is playing a car E2E: a boy is playing a toy GT: a boy is playing with a toy truck on a beach GT: a child plays with a toy truck outside GT: a young boy playing with a toy dump truck

S2VT: a man is talking about a man E2E: a woman is talking GT: a woman is talking about education GT: a woman is talking about students GT: a girl discuss to a matter

S2VT: a person is showing how to use a device E2E: a person is playing with a cube GT: a person is solving a rubix cube GT: someone is playing game GT: a person attempts to solve a rubix cube