LLM-as-a-Judge in Human Evaluation of Model Performance

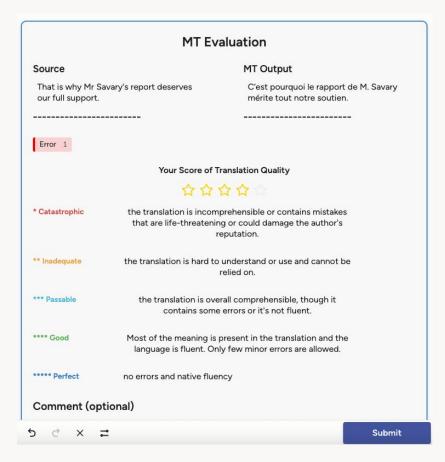
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1	Task ID	Language	Source Text	MT Output	Annotator	Translation Quality Score (1–5)	Error Categories	Comments
2	001	EN->FR	That is why Mr Savary's report deserves our full support.	C'est pourquoi le rapport de M. Savary mérite tout notre soutien.	Sara	5		
3	002	EN->FR	I think that is important.	C'est important.	John	5	accuracy	Missing context: The original sentence implies "I think", which expresses the speaker's subjective opinion.
4	003	EN->FR	A difficult issue was that of personnel.	Une question difficile était celle du personnel.	John	5		
5	004	EN->FR	Mr Savary, I welcome the compromise that we were able to reach in that respect.	Monsieur Savary, je me félicite du compromis auquel nous avons pu parvenir dans ce respect.	David	5		
6	004	EN->FR	Mr Savary, I welcome the compromise that we were able to reach in that respect.	Monsieur Savary, je me félicite du compromis auquel nous avons pu parvenir dans ce respect.	Sara	4	fluency	Using "dans ce respect" instead of "à cet égard". While "dans ce respect" is understandable, "à cet égard" is more natural and idiomatic in French.
7	005	ES->EN	Gracias.	Thank you very much.	Jose	2	accuracy	"Gracias" simply means "Thank you". The addition of "very much" is an expansion of the original meaning.
8	006	ES->EN	Señora Presidenta, ¿se ha contabilizado mi voto, que no ha podido ser realizado electrónicamente, porque no tengo la tarjeta?	Madam President, has my vote been counted? I was unable to vote electronically, since I do not have a card.	Ana	5		
9	007	ES->EN	Mi voto era "a favor" .	My vote was "in favour" .	Ana		locale	Favour vs. Favor, is a regional variation

What if it could look like this?





Using an LLM to Judge the Output of Other Models





LLM-as-a-Judge



https://www.deepchecks.com/what-is-Ilm-as-a-judge-strategies-impact-and-best-practices/

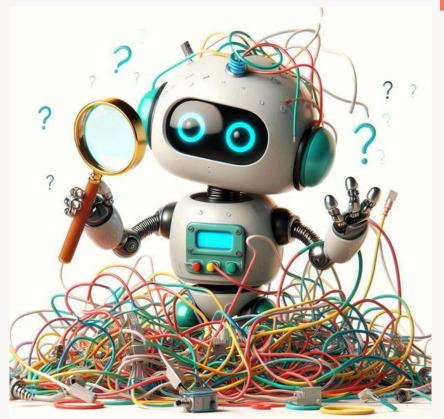
Pros:

- Faster and cheaper than humans
- Can handle cases where a rule-based approach for evaluation won't work
- Scaleable and explainable

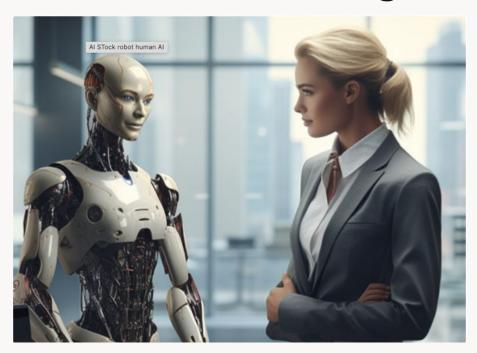
The problem with LLM-as-a-Judge

Bias

- <u>Position Bias</u> the first thing is always the best
- Verbosity Bias the longest thing is the best
- <u>Self Enhancement</u>
 <u>Bias</u> what I wrote
 is best



The problem with LLM-as-a-Judge



- How well do they mimic humans?
- What context does the LLM have for your needs?

How do we audit LLM-as-a-Judge?

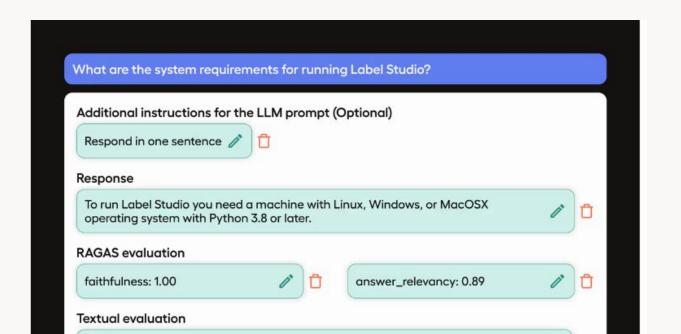
Human-created test set

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- Allows us to compare LLM-as-a-judge with our human raters
- Can aid in prompt tuning
- Helps us understand where our models do well (and where they can improve)

Check for multiple types of "correctness"

Relevancy, accuracy, clarity, and more!





LLM-as-a-Jury

Two heads are better than one

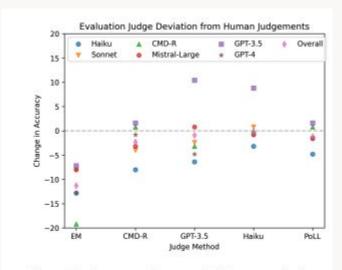


Figure 4: Accuracy changes of different evaluation judges as compared to human judgements on Bamboogle.

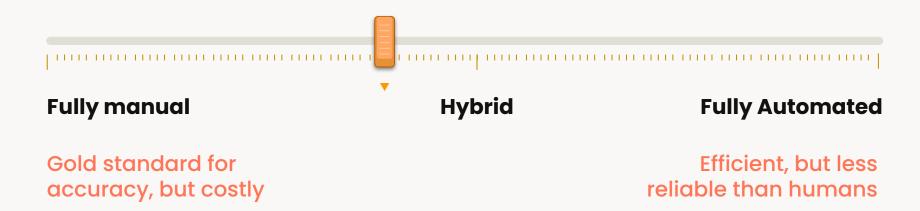
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The challenges inherent in

Al model evaluation



The best solution: a hybrid approach that effectively balances cost with reliability

Label Studio

<u>labelstud.io</u>

Open Source

Data Labeling Platform

The most flexible data labeling platform to finetune LLMs, prepare training data or validate Al models.



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Quick Start
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   # Install the package
   # into python virtual environment
   pip install -U label-studio
   # Launch it!
   label-studio
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Sources

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Questions?

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