# LLM-as-a-Coauthor: Can Mixed Human-Written and Machine-Generated Text Be Detected?

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## Abstract

With the rapid development and widespread application of Large Language Models (LLMs), the use of Machine-Generated Text (MGT) has become increasingly common, bringing with it potential risks, especially in terms of quality and integrity in fields like news, education, and science. Current research mainly focuses on purely MGT detection without adequately addressing mixed scenarios, including AI-revised Human-Written Text (HWT) or human-revised MGT. To tackle this challenge, we define mixtext, a form of mixed text involving both AI and human-generated content. Then, we introduce MIXSET, the first dataset dedicated to studying these mixtext scenarios. Leveraging MIXSET, we executed comprehensive experiments to assess the efficacy of prevalent MGT detectors in handling mixtext situations, evaluating their performance in terms of effectiveness, robustness, and generalization. Our findings reveal that existing detectors struggle to identify *mixtext*, particularly in dealing with subtle modifications and style adaptability. This research underscores the urgent need for more fine-grain detectors tailored for mixtext, offering valuable insights for future research. Code and Models are available at https://github. com/Dongping-Chen/MixSet.

### **1** Introduction

The remarkable advancement of Large Language Models (LLM) has sparked global discussions on the effective utilization of AI assistants (OpenAI, 2022, 2023b). Given that LLMs can correctly follow human instructions and produce useful texts efficiently, more and more people prefer to integrate these powerful tools into their workflow by revising Machine Generated Text (MGT) or using LLMs to polish their Human Written Text (HWT), such as



Figure 1: Three kinds of text: Machine Generative Text (MGT), Human Written Text (HWT), and mixtext. The text come from users a is classified by detectors . The text in red is the HWT polished by LLMs.

fact-checking revising in journalism (Guerra, 2023) and enhancing storytelling in the game industry <sup>1</sup>.

Despite its various usages, The application of LLMs also causes the potential risk of MGT usage, raising public concerns on various misuse, as seen in the undermining of journalistic integrity and quality (Christian, 2023), reproducing and amplifying biases (Sison et al., 2023), plagiarism among students (Heavenarchive, 2023), and leading disruptions in trust towards scientific knowledge (Else, 2023). The misuse of machine-generated text has been a serious concern that is also raised by experts in different fields of work <sup>2</sup>.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>https://www.atlantanewsfirst.com/2023/01/24/expertswarn-about-possible-misuse-new-ai-tool-chatgpt/



Figure 2: Accuracy of different dectors on MIXSET. (Above) Model-based methods; (Below) Metric-based methods. P.T. and P.S. signify token and sentence-level polish, respectively; C. for complete, R. for rewrite; Adapt T. and Adapt S. for token and sentence-level adapt. See 3 for details on revising operations.

Previous studies proposed many methods to detect MGT, including metric-based and model-based methods, where they have only tried to enhance the detection ability on binary classification, i.e., pure MGT or HWT. However, they did not pay much attention to revised texts (i.e., *mixtext*), but considered these cases as an attack on the detection system (Krishna et al., 2023) or complex cases for detection (Mitchell et al., 2023; Guo and Yu, 2023). However, the mixture of MGT and HWT is an essential scenario in our daily lives when using LLM assistants. For instance, thousands of non-native English speakers utilize LLMs to polish their drafts to avoid grammar problems. Moreover, LLMs can follow human instructions to produce new stories and interactive dialogue in game design<sup>3</sup>. Authors can also use LLMs to complete stories, providing them with new ideas and inspiration with LLM assistants like Metaphoria (Gero and Chilton, 2019) and Sparks, thereby generating metaphorical and

science writing suggestions and supporting creative writing tasks (Gero et al., 2022).

Hence, there is a pressing demand to comprehensively analyze mixture cases and give a formal definition of them. Given that *mixtext* is a very common case in daily life and its amount continuously increases in NLP areas, it holds significant importance, especially in education. To end this, we propose a new dataset MIXSET, which is the first dataset that aims at the mixture of HWT and MGT, including both AI-revised HWT and humanrevised MGT scenarios as illustrated in Figure 1, which addresses gaps in previous research. Further details of the dataset and definitions can be seen in Section 3. We also examine our dataset on mainstream detectors in binary and three-class settings to further analyze and raise concerns about these common but hard-to-detect cases.

To summarize, our work provides three main contributions:

- We defined *mixtext*, a form of mixed text involving both AI and human-generated content, providing a new perspective for further exploration in related fields.
- We proposed a new dataset MIXSET, which specifically addresses the mixture of MGT and HWT, encompassing a diverse range of operations within real-world scenarios, addressing gaps in previous research.
- Based on MIXSET, we conducted extensive experiments involving mainstream detectors and obtained numerous insightful findings, which provide a strong impetus for future research.

# 2 Related works

### 2.1 Machine Generated Text Detection

Current MGT detection methods can be broadly categorized into metric-based and model-based methods according to the previous study (He et al., 2023). Please refer to Appendix A for comprehensive related works.

**Metric-based Methods.** Building upon the observation that MGTs occupy regions with sharp negative log probability curvature, Mitchell et al. (2023) introduced a zero-shot whitebox detection method called DetectGPT, setting a trend in metric-based detection (Su et al., 2023; Mireshghallah et al., 2023; Bao et al., 2023). Recently, Yang et al. (2023a) also introduced a powerful detection method known as DNA-GPT, which leverages N-gram (Shannon, 1948) in a black-box setting.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>https://aicontentfy.com/en/blog/chatgpt-in-gamingindustry-enhancing-storytelling-and-interaction



Figure 3: The process of MixSet generation. We perform distinct operations in HWT and MGT. In HWT, three operations—polish, rewrite, and complete—are employed. In MGT, we utilize LLama2 and GPT-4 to aid in humanization and conduct the adaptation operation manually.

**Model-based Methods.** In the era of Large Language Models (LLMs), Guo et al. (2023) developed the ChatGPT Detector based on a fine-tuned Roberta model. As for decoder-based detectors, GPT-sentinel (Chen et al., 2023) leverage the t5small model (Muennighoff et al., 2022) and show convincing results when detecting MGT even in revised cases.

# 2.2 Previous study to mix of HWT and MGT

Prior studies have viewed the mixture of HWT and MGT in different settings. DNA-GPT (Yang et al., 2023a) and DetectGPT (Mitchell et al., 2023) notably utilized the T5 model (Raffel et al., 2020) to simulate scenarios where humans make limited, random modifications to MGT, creating complex test cases. Conversely, DIPPER (Krishna et al., 2023) and OUTFOX (Koike et al., 2023b) opted for a paraphrasing technique, using this method to craft adversarial attacks aimed at eluding the detection mechanisms of classifiers, thereby presenting a nuanced way to alter MGT while maintaining undetectability.

### 2.3 Datasets for MGT Detection

Previous studies have proposed many datasets of MGT, accompanied by their newly proposed detectors (Verma et al., 2023; Chen et al., 2023). Guo et al. (2023) leverages multiple previous Question-Answer (QA) datasets (Jin et al., 2019; Lin et al., 2021), allowing ChatGPT to generate corresponding answers without explicit prompts. This results in creating a comprehensive dataset comprising a large set of pairs of MGT and HWT. Following the QA pattern, many researchers (Mitchell et al.,

2023; Su et al., 2023; Hu et al., 2023; He et al., 2023) propose datasets with the MGT from variant mainstream LLMs (OpenAI, 2022, 2023b).

However, these datasets typically consist of two distinct classes of texts, namely pure MGT or HWT, without accounting for the potential mixture cases. Furthermore, issues arise due to variations in prompts (Koike et al., 2023a), sampling methods, and the inherent differences in length, style, and quality among texts (He et al., 2023), posing variations challenges on the generalization ability of proposed detectors (Xu et al., 2023). In some instances, MGT included in datasets may not be thoroughly checked, with many noisy sentences not filtered well. For example, some sentences like *Let me know if you have any other questions* exist in the dataset, which will impact the effectiveness of the detectors (Guo et al., 2023).

# **3** MIXSET Dataset

In this section, we present MixSet (<u>Mix</u>case Data<u>set</u>), the first dataset featuring a blend of HWT and MGT. Distinguished from earlier datasets exclusively composed of pure HWT and MGT, MIXSET comprises a total of 3.6k mixtext instances, and the pipeline of its construction is shown in Figure 3. These operations are grounded in real-world application scenarios, each altered by a single LLM or through manual intervention, contributing 300 instances in our MIXSET.

For our base data, we meticulously select pure HWT and MGT datasets. In the case of HWT, we gather datasets proposed before the widespread use of LLMs to mitigate potential contamination by MGT, as detailed in Table 1. For MGT, we choose samples from previous datasets (Rajpurkar et al., 2016a; Lin et al., 2022; Nishida et al., 2019), generated in a QA pattern by different LLMs, including the GPT family (OpenAI, 2022, 2023b), ChatGLM (Du et al., 2022), BloomZ (Muennighoff et al., 2022), Dolly <sup>4</sup>, and StableLM (StabilityAI, 2023), all distinct from our MIXSET instances.

Table 1: The original resources of Human Written Texts in constructing our MIXSET.

Text Type	Original Resources
Email Content	Enron Email Dataset (CMU, 2015)
News Content	BBC News (Greene, 2006)
Game Review	Steam Reviews (Najzeko, 2021)
Paper Abstract	ArXiv-10 (Farhangi et al., 2022)
Speech Content	TED Talk (TheDataBeast, 2021)
Blog content	Blog (Schler et al., 2006)

# 3.1 Definition of Mixtext

Generally, *mixtext* is the mixed text involving both AI and human-generated content. To formulate it, we define a text sequence as  $x \in X$ , where X represents the set of all text sequences. The sequences in X can originate from either human-written text  $X_{human}$  or machine-generated text  $X_{machine}$ . We denote the set of operations used to revise texts as  $\mathbb{OP} = \{OP_1, OP_2, \dots, OP_n\}$ , categorized into two groups: OP<sub>human</sub>, OP<sub>machine</sub>. Here, OP<sub>human</sub> refers to operations involving human revision on machine-generated text (MGT), while OPmachine refers to AI-driven operations on human-written text (HWT). In addition to  $\mathbb{X}_{human}$  and  $\mathbb{X}_{machine}$ , we define  $X_{mixtext}$  as the union of all texts derived from  $X_{human}$  through  $OP_{machine}$  and all texts derived from  $X_{\text{machine}}$  through  $OP_{\text{human}}$ :

$$\mathbb{X}_{\text{mixtext}} = \{ OP_{\text{machine}}(x) \mid x \in \mathbb{X}_{\text{human}} \}$$
$$\cup \{ OP_{\text{human}}(x) \mid x \in \mathbb{X}_{\text{machine}} \}$$

## 3.2 Dataset Construction

Combined with previous studies (Goyal et al., 2023; Wang et al., 2021) and real scenarios, we use five operations to generate mixtexts. They are divided into two operations shown in Table 2: 1) AIrevised: it contains three operations including 'polish', 'complete', and 'rewrite'. 2) Human-revised: it includes 'adapt' and 'humanize'.

Table 2: Different operations with their operation levels. ✓ demonstrate that MIXSET contains a subset operates at that level.

Operation	Token	Sentence	Paragraph
AI-Polish	~	~	×
AI-Complete	×	×	~
AI-Rewrite	×	×	~
Human-Adapt	~	~	×
Humanize	•	~	~

- **Polish** (Chen, 2023): Polish operation contains token-level and sentence-level polishing. Tokenlevel makes alterations at the individual word level, including changes such as adjusting words for precision or correcting spelling errors. On the other hand, sentence-level aims to enhance the overall coherence and clarity of the text by revising and restructuring the complete sentence.
- **Complete** (Zhuohan Xie, 2023): Complete operation involves taking 1/3 of every text and employing LLMs to generate the rest of the text.
- **Rewrite** (Shu et al., 2023): Rewrite operation requires LLMs to initially comprehend and extract key information from the given HWT and then rewrite them.
- Humanize (Bhudghar, 2023): Humanize operation typically refers to the modification of MGT to more closely mimic the natural noise for LLM (Wang et al., 2021) that human writing always brings. We employed LLMs to introduce various perturbations to the pure MGT, including *typo*, *grammatical mistakes*, *links*, and *tags*.
- Adapt (Gero et al., 2022): Adapt operation refers to modifying MGT to ensure its alignment to fluency and naturalness to human linguistic habits without introducing any error expression. The adapt operation is also divided into token-level and sentence-level adaptation. We accordingly performed manual annotations on the pure MGT dataset at both the token and sentence levels.

The detailed distribution of each category in MIXSET is shown in Table 3. All data generated from GPT-4 (300 items) and Llama2 (300 items) have undergone rigorous manual review and modification in the 'humanize' operation. For AI-revised *mixtext* generation, Llama2-70b and GPT-4 were used, both set to default parameters, including a temperature of 1. These models are chosen for their ability to produce high-quality, grammatically correct texts (Hugging Face, 2023). In human-revised

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>https://www.databricks.com/blog/2023/04/12/dolly-firstopen-commercially-viable-instruction-tuned-llm

operation, we leverage two LLMs to assist with 'humanize' operation. For the adapt operation, we invite eight human experts with excellent English skills to revise MGT carefully to align it with human expression better. The details of human annotation guidelines and prompt template are shown in Appendix B.1 and D. After collecting all revised texts, we conducted a manual evaluation involving data filtering and cleaning to ensure MIXSET is high quality, such as removing conversational phrases like 'Sure! Here's a possible completion'.

Table 3: Detailed distribution of different operations in MIXSET.

	0	peration	GPT-4	Llama2	Human
	_	Polish Tok.	300	300	_
Γ	ised	Polish Sen.	300	300	_
ΙV	Revise	Complete	300	300	—
	14	Rewrite	300	300	
lan	ba	Humanize			(300+300)
um;	Revised	Adapt Tok.	—	—	300
Ηı	Re	Adapt Sen.			300

### **3.3 Dataset Analysis**

Our comprehensive analysis of the MIXSET dataset covers length distribution, self-BLEU (Zhu et al., 2018), Levenshtein distance (Levenshtein, 1966), and cosine similarity. We only show analysis of length distribution and cosine similarity analysis here; for self-BLEU and POS distribution, refer to Appendix B.2.

- Length distribution: Given that detectors generally perform better with medium to long texts than with short texts (He et al., 2023), and to ensure that the text lengths in the MIXSET reflect real-world usage patterns, we have systematically selected data with a word count that falls within the range of 50 to 250 words. This range was chosen to ensure that the data were sufficiently detailed to provide meaningful insights while being concise enough to allow for effective analysis and comparison. As shown in Figure 4, the text lengths of both the MIXSET, as well as the HWT and MGT, follow a normal distribution.
- **Cosine Similarity:** Figure 5 illustrates that the texts processed with token-level polish operations exhibit the highest similarity to the original texts, followed by sentence-level polish, rewrite, and complete. Texts modified through the 'humanize' operation demonstrate lower similarity

than those altered by adaptation.

• Levenshtein Distance: The Levenshtein distance (Levenshtein, 1966) is a metric for measuring the difference between two strings. We can observe in Figure 6 that in terms of the extent of modification, the rewrite operation results in the most significant alterations to the original texts, followed by complete and sentence-level polish. We also observe that manual annotations at both the token-level and sentence-level adaptation exhibit a high degree of differentiation.



Figure 4: Length distribution of the HWT, MGT, and MixSet.

### **4** Experiments

#### 4.1 Goals

We conduct experiments to understand better multiple facets of current detectors encountering our dataset MIXSET, including zero-shot and finetuning settings. We will figure out four questions:

- **Question 1.** How do current detectors perform in MIXSET dataset? Is there any classification preference in these detectors?
- Question 2. What is the performance of detectors retrained on our MIXSET? What about threeclassed classification as we consider *mixtext* as a new class distinct from HWT and MGT?
- Question 3. What is the generalization ability of current detectors on our MIXSET?
- **Question 4.** Will the size of the training set impact the detection ability on *mixtext*?

### 4.2 Experiment Setup

Among our four experiments, We evaluate five metric-based and seven model-based detectors on three metrics in total, as shown in Tabel 4 and Table 5. We also outline the detailed training set construction in Table 6. Please refer to Appendix B.2 for a comprehensive introduction to detectors and metrics.





Figure 6: Levenshtein distance of the MixSet

**Class Number.** In real-world scenarios, people often aim to detect the presence of MGT in the text (e.g., spreading fake news or propaganda (Christian, 2023), reinforcing and intensifying prejudices (Sison et al., 2023)), and sometimes mixtext is also treated as MGT (e.g., student modified some words in MGT (i.e., mixtext) to generate homework, to avoid detection). Therefore, our experiments established two categorization systems: binary and three-class. In the binary classification, mixtext is categorized as MGT, while in the three-class classification, mixtext is treated as a separate class. The label setting is shown in Table 5.

**Question 1.** Based on MIXSET, we evaluate current detectors to determine the classification preferences on mixtext, i.e., Does the detector tend to classify mixtext as MGT or HWT? We calculate the percentage of mixtext samples categorized to MGT in the experiment. For the DistilBERT detector and other metric-based detectors utilizing logistic regression models, we employ a training set comprising 10,000 pre-processed samples of both pure HWT and MGT. For other detectors, we use existing checkpoints <sup>5 6</sup> or API <sup>7</sup> and evaluate them in a zero-shot setting.

**Question 2(a).** Following **Question 1**, our inquiry is whether the detector can accurately classify *mix*-*text* as MGT after training on MIXSET. We fine-

<sup>5</sup>https://huggingface.co/TrustSafeAI/ RADAR-Vicuna-7B

<sup>7</sup>https://gptzero.me/

Table 4: Detectors used in different experiments.

	Detector	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4
	Log-likelihood (Solaiman et al., 2019)	~	~	×	~
ased	Entropy (Gehrmann et al., 2019)	•	•	×	×
Metric-Based	GLTR (Gehrmann et al., 2019)	~	~	×	~
Met	Log-rank (Mitchell et al., 2023)	~	~	×	×
	DetectGPT (Mitchell et al., 2023)	~	~	•	~
	Radar (Hu et al., 2023)	~	•	×	~
	ChatGPT Detector (Guo et al., 2023)	~	~	•	~
ased	DistillBert (Ippolito et al., 2019)	~	~	•	×
Model-Based	GPT-sentinel (Chen et al., 2023)	~	~	×	~
Moc	OpenAI Classifier (OpenAI, 2023a)	~	×	×	×
	Ghostbuster (Verma et al., 2023)	~	×	×	×
	GPTzero (Tian, 2023)	~	×	×	×

tune detectors on pure HWT and MGT data and a train split set of our MIXSET labeled as MGT.

**Question 2(b).** On the other hand, assuming that *mixtext* lies outside the distribution of HWT and MGT, we conduct a three-class classification task, treating mixtext as a new label. In this scenario, we adopt multi-label training for these detectors while keeping all other settings consistent.

**Question 3.** As highlighted in prior research (Xu et al., 2023; He et al., 2023) that transfer ability

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>https://github.com/haok1402/

GPT-Sentinel-public

Table 5: The details of class number, metrics, and whether the detectors are retrained in our experiments. Except for Question 2(b), we implement binary classifications i.e., HWT and MGT. Per. stands for Percentage.

Setting	01	Q	2	Q 3	04
0		(a)		-	-
Class Num.	2-Class	2-Class	3-Class	2-Class	2-Class
Metric	MGT Per.	F1, AUC	F1	AUC	F1, AUC
Retrained?	×	~	~	~	~

Table 6: An outline of detailed training set construction for each experiment. 'Ope.' denotes 'operation transfer' in Experiment 3, while 'LLM' refers to 'LLM transfer'.

Experiment	HWT/MGT	MIXSET
Q 1	10k	0
Q 2(a)	10k	3k
Q 2(b)	10k	3k
Q 3(Ope.)	1k	0.5k
Q 3(LLM)	5k	1.5k
Q 4	1k/4k/7k/10k	0/1.5k/3k

is crucial for detectors, our objective is to investigate the effectiveness of transferring across different subsets of MIXSET and LLMs. We establish two transfer experiments to assess whether the transferability of current detection methods is closely linked to the training dataset, referred to as operation-generalization and LLM-generalization:

- **Operation-generalization:** We initially train our detectors on one MIXSET subset operated by one of these operations, along with pure HWT and MGT datasets, and then proceed to transfer it to the subsets processed by other operations.
- LLM-generalization: In this experiment, we train detectors on GPT-generated texts and HWT, following which we evaluate the detectors on mixtext generated by GPT family (OpenAI, 2023b) and Llama2 (Touvron et al., 2023), respectively, to see whether there is a generalization gap between different LLMs.

**Question 4.** Empirically, incorporating more training data has been shown to enhance detection capabilities and robustness for generalization (Ying, 2019). To determine the relation between detectors' performance and the size of the training set, we follow **Question 2** and use varying sizes of training sets to retrain detectors, as illustrated in Table 6.

# 5 Empirical Findings

**There is no obvious classification preference in current detectors on mixtext.** In other words, the detectors do not exhibit a strong tendency to classify mixtext as either HWT or MGT. As we can observe from Figure 2 and Table 10, it is evident that the MGT percentage<sup>8</sup> of *mixtexts* is between MGT and HWT, indicating that the current detectors do not have a strong preference towards mixtext classification. This proves the success and effectiveness of our constructed MIXSET in presenting mixed features of HWT and MGT, demonstrating the limitations of existing detectors in recognizing mixtext.

When dealing with mixtext, the detectors treat it as an intermediate state between HWT and MGT. Most detectors exhibit inconsistent classification within a single subset, fluctuating between accuracies of 0.3 and 0.7, akin to random choice. In AIrevised scenarios, subsets, such as polished tokens or sentences, pose extreme detection challenges. Mainstream detectors generally perform poorly in these cases due to the subtle differences between *mixtext* and original text, highlighted in previous studies (Krishna et al., 2023). Furthermore, texts generated by Llama2-70b are easier to detect than those by GPT-4, possibly due to GPT-4's closer generative distribution to human writing.

Supervised binary classification yields profound results; however, three-classes classification encounters significant challenges when applied to mixtext scenarios except Radar. As indicated in Table 7, retrained model-based detectors outperform metric-based methods in both binary and three-class classification tasks. Notably, Radar ranks first in our results, achieving a significant lead over other detectors. We suppose that this superior performance can be attributed to its encoderdecoder architecture, which boasts 7 billion trainable parameters, substantially more than its counterparts. We also examined the impact of retraining on MixSet on MGT detection performance. As indicated in Table 8, there was a slight decrease in the F1 score, while the AUC metric remained largely unaffected. Notably, post-retraining, the detector acquired the capability to identify mixtext-an advancement deemed highly valuable. This ability to detect mixtext, despite a minor trade-off in F1 score for MGT detection, represents a significant step forward, suggesting a promising direction for

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup>MGT percentage means the percentage of identifying samples as MGT of different sets in Experiment 1.

Table 7: F1 score of experiment 2 (a) and (b). Tok. stands for token level and Sen. stands for sentence level. We <u>underscore</u> the best-performing detector and **bold** the score greater than 0.8, which we consider as a baseline threshold for detection.

					AI-R	evised					Human	-Revised	
Detection Method	Average	Complete		Rev	Rewrite		Polish-Tok.		Polish-Sen.		Humanize		Fok.
Detection Method	Avei	Llama2	GPT-4	Adapt-Sen	Adapt-Tok.								
Experiment 2 (a): Bi	nary Clas	sification	n										
log-rank	0.615	0.695	0.686	0.637	0.479	0.617	0.606	0.647	0.595	0.617	0.454	0.676	0.667
log likelihood	0.624	0.695	0.695	0.637	0.492	0.657	0.627	0.657	0.657	0.637	0.386	0.676	0.667
GLTR	0.588	0.686	0.647	0.606	0.441	0.574	0.585	0.637	0.540	0.617	0.400	0.657	0.667
DetectGPT	0.635	0.715	0.651	0.656	0.560	0.632	0.587	0.657	0.632	0.692	0.587	0.641	0.609
Entropy	0.648	0.690	0.671	0.681	0.613	0.681	0.671	0.681	0.671	0.623	0.430	0.681	0.681
Openai Classifier	0.209	0.171	0.359	0.031	0.197	0.145	0.270	0.247	0.439	0.247	0.316	0.000	0.090
ChatGPT Detector	0.660	0.705	0.696	0.676	0.583	0.676	0.647	0.647	0.594	0.667	0.615	0.705	0.705
Radar	<u>0.876</u>	<u>0.867</u>	<u>0.877</u>										
GPT-sentinel	0.713	0.714	0.714	0.714	0.714	0.714	0.714	0.714	0.714	0.696	0.714	0.714	0.714
Distillbert	0.664	0.667	0.667	0.667	0.667	0.667	0.667	0.667	0.667	0.639	0.667	0.667	0.667
Experiment 2 (b): Th	nree-class	Classifie	cation										
DetectGPT	0.255	0.276	0.210	0.295	0.278	0.283	0.234	0.271	0.237	0.280	0.222	0.233	0.235
ChatGPT Detector	0.304	0.288	0.346	0.283	0.288	0.395	0.341	0.265	0.328	0.267	0.317	0.253	0.273
Radar	<u>0.775</u>	<u>0.804</u>	<u>0.842</u>	<u>0.797</u>	0.837	<u>0.831</u>	0.820	<u>0.815</u>	0.837	<u>0.884</u>	<u>0.889</u>	0.510	0.429
Distillbert	0.261	0.267	0.333	0.319	0.329	0.294	0.309	0.294	0.329	0.309	0.342	0.000	0.010

Table 8: The detection capabilities on pure HWT and MGT, comparing performances with (w.) and without (w.o.) MixSet labeling MGT during the training process, with the better one <u>underscored</u>.

Detector	F	'1	AU	JC
Detector	W.O.	w.	W.O.	w.
log-rank	0.830	0.821	0.922	0.922
log likelihood	0.845	0.834	0.931	0.931
GLTR	0.831	0.818	0.920	0.920
DetectGPT	<u>0.746</u>	0.725	0.820	0.820
Entropy	0.770	0.770	0.859	0.859
ChatGPT Det.	0.881	<u>0.896</u>	0.954	<u>0.979</u>
Radar	0.997	0.997	1.000	1.000
GPT-sentinel	0.988	0.982	<u>1.000</u>	0.999
Distillbert	0.996	0.984	1.000	1.000

enhancing detector versatility and applicability in varied contexts.

In the three-class classification task, detectors based on LLMs, particularly the Radar detector, significantly outperformed those utilizing the BERT model. The BERT-based detectors' performance was markedly poor, akin to random guessing, with some models even underperforming a random baseline. This stark contrast underscores the efficacy of LLMs in capturing nuanced distinctions, as demon-

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Table 9: Result of LLM-transfer experiments. Although we retrain our detector on texts generated by GPT-4, it shows convincing generalization ability to Llama2.

Method	w.o <i>M</i>	ixSet	w. MixSet			
Method	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4		
GPT-sentinel	0.813	<u>0.739</u>	0.972	0.971		
Radar	<u>0.834</u>	0.729	<u>0.997</u>	<u>1.000</u>		
ChatGPT Det.	0.664	0.445	0.681	0.480		
Distillbert	0.687	0.638	0.673	0.698		

strated in tasks like Mixtext. The superior performance of LLM-based Radar detectors lays a solid foundation for future explorations and applications in fine-grained classification tasks.

**Current detectors struggle to generalize across different revised operation subsets of MIXSET and generative models.** As shown in Figure 8 and Figure 13, significant variability is observed in the transfer capabilities of three different detectors. Additionally, training on texts generated by different revised operations results in different transfer abilities for these detectors. Overall, Radar exhibits the most robust transfer capability among the four model-based detectors, achieving an overall classification accuracy exceeding 0.9, followed by



Figure 7: Analysis of the F1-score performance of various detectors across differing quantities of mixtext instances from MIXSET, as well as pure MGT and HWT.



Figure 8: The AUC Heatmap of GPT-sentinel.

GPT-sentinel, DistillBert, and finally, the ChatGPT Detector. Among various operations, 'Humanize' exhibits the poorest transfer performance in almost all scenarios. Additionally, other operations also experience significant declines when dealing with 'Humanize' mixtexts. This suggests that 'Humanize' falls outside the current detectors' distribution of MGT, a gap that could be addressed by retraining on these specific cases. As shown in 9 It is also noteworthy that texts generated by Llama2-70b demonstrate stronger transfer abilities than those generated by GPT4.

Increasing the number of *mixtext* samples in the training set effectively enhances the success rate of *mixtext* detection. However, adding pure text samples does not yield significant improvements and may even have a negative impact on detector performance, especially for metric-based methods. This may be attributed to subtle distribution shifts between mixtext and pure text. The current detector still faces significant challenges in capturing these subtle shifts. For mixtext scenarios, a more powerful and fine-grained detection method is needed.

# 6 Conclusion

In this paper, we defined *mixtext*, the mixed text of human and LLM-generated content. Then, we proposed a dataset MIXSET to address the research gap in studying the mixed scenarios of machine-generated text (MGT) and human-written text (HWT). A thorough evaluation of the dataset is conducted, performing binary, three-class, and transfer experiments on mainstream detectors. The results underscore the complexities inherent in identifying mixtext, indicating the challenge of distinguishing the subtle differences in mixtext. As a result, there is a need for more robust and finegrained detection methods.

# 7 Limitation

**Bias Introduced by Human Participation.** Although our study involved multiple human participants to modify the text, increasing the diversity and authenticity of the data, the text processing methods of different participants could vary due to their language habits and styles. This might affect the representativeness of the dataset and the generalization ability of the detection models.

Limitation in the Scale of the MixSet Dataset. As the MixSet dataset is the first to be proposed for studying mixed texts (mixtext), its overall scale is relatively small despite its comprehensive coverage in types. This could limit the comprehensiveness of model training and evaluation.

# 8 Ethics Statement

**Opposition to Misuse of Mixed Text Scenarios.** Our study highlights that the mixtext of HWT and MGT could significantly diminish the discerning abilities of detectors. However, we strongly oppose the misuse of mixtext to evade detection in specific scenarios, such as during examinations and homework assignments. We believe such misuse could severely harm the fairness of education and the integrity of academic practices.

**Purpose for Scientific Research.** This study aims purely for scientific exploration and understanding of the behavior and impact of mixtext in natural language processing. Our goal is to enhance understanding of mixed text processing and to advance the technological development in this area, not to encourage or support applications that may violate ethical standards.

**Compliance with Licensing and Distribution** Regulations. We affirm that all open-source resources utilized in our study, including detectors, language models, and datasets, have been employed in strict accordance with their respective licenses and distribution terms. This adherence extends to ensuring that any modifications, redistributions, or applications of these resources in our research comply with their original licensing agreements. Our commitment to these principles upholds the integrity of our research and contributes to a responsible and ethical academic environment. Use of Publicly Available Data and Consideration for Privacy. The datasets used in our research are exclusively sourced from publicly available, open-source collections. While these datasets are publicly accessible and generally considered

devoid of sensitive personal information, we acknowledge the potential for inadvertent inclusion of personal identifiers in datasets. We emphasize that our use of these datasets is aligned with their intended purpose and distribution terms. We also recognize the importance of respecting privacy and are committed to ongoing vigilance in this regard.

We reiterate that this research adheres to strict scientific and ethical standards, aiming to contribute to the field of natural language processing while ensuring that the results are not used for improper purposes. We also encourage our peers to consider these ethical factors when utilizing our research findings, ensuring their applications do not adversely affect society and individuals.

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### A Full Related Works

#### A.1 Detecting Machine Generated Text

Current MGT detection methods can be broadly categorized into metric-based and model-based methods according to previous study (He et al., 2023). Moreover, other detection methods such as watermark, retrieval-based methods, and in-context learning leveraging LLMs also lead to promising detection methods.

**Metric-based Methods.** Metric-based methods leverage the LLM backbone directly to extract its distinguishing features between HWT and MGT, operating within a white-box setting that requires access to the model. Former methods like Log-Likelihood (Solaiman et al., 2019), Entropy, Rank (Gehrmann et al., 2019), and Log-Rank (Mitchell et al., 2023) employ statistical analysis to measure information beyond the token level. GLTR (Gehrmann et al., 2019) utilizes a suite of metricbased methods to aid in human identification. However, with the advent of LLMs, the progressively increasing similarity between the distributions of HWT and MGT has weakened its detection accuracy (Ghosal et al., 2023).

Building upon the observation that MGTs occupy regions with sharp negative log probability curvature, Mitchell et al. (2023) introduced a zeroshot whitebox detection method called DetectGPT, setting a trend in metric-based detection (Su et al., 2023; Mireshghallah et al., 2023; Bao et al., 2023). Yang et al. (2023a) also introduced a powerful detection method known as DNA-GPT, which leverages N-gram in a black-box setting by analyzing the differences between truncated original text and regenerated text. Recently, they even extended the detection method to MGT code in a zero-shot setting, which is proven to achieve promising results (Yang et al., 2023b).

**Model-based Methods.** In the Large Language Models (LLMs) era, Guo et al. (2023) developed the ChatGPT Detector based on a fine-tuned Roberta model. As for decoder-based or encoderdecoder detectors, GPT-sentinel (Chen et al., 2023) and RADAR (Hu et al., 2023), utilizing T5-small (Raffel et al., 2020) and Vicuna-7B (Chiang et al., 2023) respectively, show convincing results when detecting MGT even in revised cases. Moreover, Verma et al. (2023) proposes a novel detection framework called Ghostbuster, which employs passing documents through a series of weaker language models. Using a small amount of training data, Guo and Yu (2023) leverages a black-box LLM to denoise input text with artificially added noise and then semantically compares the denoised text with the original to determine if the content is machine-generated, leading a new method for MGT detection.

However, it's important to note that some researchers have raised concerns about fine-tuning models for MGT detection. Bakhtin et al. (2019) and Uchendu et al. (2020) have argued that finetuning models can lead to overfitting and a loss of generalization, particularly when dealing with text generated by the latest LLMs. They highlight the challenge posed by out-of-distribution editing texts, which can undermine the effectiveness of pre-trained detectors, as demonstrated by research on paraphrasing.

**Other detection methods.** Watermarking imprints specific patterns of the LLM output text that can be detected by an algorithm while being imperceptible to humans. Kirchenbauer et al. (2023) developed watermarks for language modeling by adding a green list of tokens during sampling. Currently, Gu et al. (2023) introduces a learnable watermark by distilling LLM and watermark technology into one student model, finding that models can learn to generate watermarked text with high detectability.

In retrieval-based methods, Krishna et al. (2023) introduce a method to retrieve semantically similar generations and search a database of sequences previously generated by specific Large Language Models (LLMs), looking for sequences that match the candidate text within a certain threshold. Delving deeper, Wu et al. (2023) proposes a model-specific detection tool called LLMDet, which can detect source text from specific LLMs by constructing a text collection dictionary for each LLM.

In the in-context learning setting, Yu et al. (2023) introduced a straightforward method that analyzes the similarity between re-answering a question by generating a corresponding question in the context of the given answer. Moreover, Koike et al. (2023b) employed a pure in-context learning approach for detection and found that LLMs can distinguish between human and machine styles.

# A.2 Previous study to mix of HWT and MGT

Prior studies have viewed the mixture of HWT and MGT in different settings. DNA-GPT (Yang et al., 2023a) and DetectGPT (Mitchell et al., 2023) no-tably utilized the T5 model (Raffel et al., 2020) to simulate scenarios where humans make limited,



Figure 9: POS distribution of the MIXSET by NLTK (Bird et al., 2009).



Figure 10: Self-BLEU score of the HWT, MGT, and MixSet.

random modifications to MGT, creating complex test cases. Conversely, DIPPER (Krishna et al., 2023) and OUTFOX (Koike et al., 2023b) opted for a paraphrasing technique, using this method to craft adversarial attacks aimed at eluding the detection mechanisms of classifiers, thereby presenting a nuanced way to alter MGT while maintaining undetectability. Recent research efforts have started to explore real-world applications of human-AI mixtext. Liang et al. (2024) explores the impact of AI, such as ChatGPT, on modifying content in academic peer reviews, aligning with our focus on the detection of mixtext.

## A.3 Datasets for MGT Detection

Previous studies have proposed many datasets of MGT, often accompanied by their newly proposed detectors (Verma et al., 2023; Chen et al., 2023). Guo et al. (2023) leverages multiple previous Question-Answer (QA) datasets (Rajpurkar et al., 2016b; Kočiskỳ et al., 2018; Jin et al., 2019; Lin et al., 2021), allowing ChatGPT to generate corresponding answers without explicit prompts. This approach results in creating a comprehensive dataset comprising a large set of pairs of MGT and HWT. Following the QA pattern, many researchers (Mitchell et al., 2023; Su et al., 2023; Hu et al., 2023; He et al., 2023) propose datasets with the MGT from variant mainstream LLMs (Du et al., 2022; Black et al., 2022; Anand et al., 2023; OpenAI, 2022, 2023b) <sup>9</sup>. Yu et al. (2023) only utilizes the answer section within the QA dataset (Hamborg et al., 2017; Möller et al., 2020) and employs ChatGPT to generate corresponding questions and re-answers.

However, these datasets typically consist of two distinct classes of texts, namely pure MGT or HWT, without accounting for the potential mixtext. Furthermore, issues arise due to variations in prompts (Koike et al., 2023a), sampling methods, and the inherent differences in length, style, and quality among texts in some datasets (He et al., 2023). These variations challenge the generalization of proposed detectors (Xu et al., 2023) and lie a vast diversity in distribution between the original and revised text (Ghosal et al., 2023). In some instances, the MGT included in datasets may not undergo thorough and careful evaluation. Many noisy sentences are not filtered well in the datasets. For example, some sentences like Let me know if you have any other questions exist in the dataset, which will impact the effectiveness of the detectors (Guo et al., 2023).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup>https://www.databricks.com/blog/2023/04/12/dolly-firstopen-commercially-viable-instruction-tuned-llm

### **B** Dataset Details

### **B.1** Construction Details

**Eight Human revised the MGT to mixtext.** The MGT is revised by eight human experts with professional English proficiency and costs them a total of 280 hours to complete this part. The guidelines for human revision are shown in Figure 22. And the labeling screenshot is shown in Figure 37.

#### **B.2** Other Metrics in Evaluating MIXSET

- Self-BLEU Score: Self-BLEU is a metric used to assess the diversity of generated text. Generally, a lower Self-BLEU score indicates higher textual diversity. These results are shown in Figure 10. Overall, the HWT shows greater diversity than MGT, and the Rewrite category has the highest textual diversity in the MixSet. The self-BLEU score of HWT, WGT, and mixtext is shown in Figure 11 and 10.
- **POS distribution:** POS distribution refers to the frequency and pattern of Part-of-Speech tags in a text, categorizing words into grammatical classes like nouns, verbs, and adjectives. This analysis is key for understanding the text's syntactic structure and linguistic characteristics, which is important in NLP research fields.

**Seven Model-Based detectors.** We implement seven Machine Generative Text (MGT) detectors, encompassing both supervised and zero-shot settings. Firstly, we consider a robust closedsource online detector baseline: GPTZero (Tian, 2023). Secondly, we implement three open-source encoder-based detectors: OpenAI's classifier (OpenAI, 2023a), Roberta-based classifier (Guo et al., 2023). We also implement GPT-sentinel (Chen et al., 2023), RADAR (Hu et al., 2023), and Ghostwriter (Verma et al., 2023) as strong baselines. We also finetune a pre-trained language model built by Sanh et al. (2019) with an extra classification layer on top.

Three Evaluation Metrics Previous studies (Sadasivan et al., 2023; Mitchell et al., 2023) have proven the feasibility of using the Area Under The ROC Curve (AUROC) score for evaluating detection algorithm effectiveness. Given that most detectors can only give a predictive probability, we build a logistic regression model to provide concrete predictions, i.e., MGT or HWT, converting probability to accuracy and f1-score as the two other metrics for our detection evaluation.



Figure 11: Self-BLEU score of HWT and MGT.



Figure 12: Length distribution of the training datasets and the MixSet.

**Training set construction.** We respectively select pure HWT and MGT for the train set from different datasets as illustrated in 1 and MGTBench (He et al., 2023), which is also the original dataset of our MIXSET. Since all datasets are specific, this selection strategy ensures only a small difference in data distribution. Firstly, we do data deduplication and pre-process it to erase the Unicode or other special tokens like \n\n. Then, we select pieces of sentences with a similar length distribution in our MIXSET, as illustrated in Figure 12. As we use accuracy as our evaluation metric, we restrict the amount of HWT and MGT to be the same in our dataset, as illustrated in Tabel 6.

**Training details.** We employ the standard binaryclassification loss function and the AdamW optimizer (Loshchilov and Hutter, 2019), with an empirically determined learning rate. Specifically, for the Hello-Ai/Roberta-based model and the Distil-BERT model, the learning rate is set to  $5 \times 10^{-7}$ . In contrast, for Radar and GPT-sentinel, the learning rates are  $5 \times 10^{-6}$  and  $5 \times 10^{-5}$ , respectively. Each supervised model undergoes training for three epochs on a dual-4090 server.

# C Detailed Experiment Results

As for experiment 1, we put the detailed accuracy for different detectors in Table 10. In experiment 2, we also evaluate detectors with AUC metric, as shown in Table 11. We also post other detectors undergo our experiment 3 illustrated in Figure 13. As for experiment 4, we evaluate detectors with accuracy, precision, and recall metrics, as illustrated in Figure 14, 15, and 16.

# **D** Prompt Template

We show the prompt template of LLM's operation, including complete, polish (token-level and sentence-level), rewrite, and humanize in Figure 17, Figure 18, Figure 19, Figure 20 and Figure 21.

### E Case study in MIXSET

We selected two cases to show the comparison between the revised mixtext and the original text, where the highlighted content represents the modified content. The HWT original text can be found in figure 23, the AI revised text are shown in Figure 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31. The MGT original text can be found in Figure 32, and the Human revised text can be found in Figure 33, 34, 35, and 36.



(c) The AUC Heatmap of distilbert-based

Figure 13: The AUC Heatmap of the other three detectors.

Table 10: Percentage of identifying samples as MGT of different sets in Experiment 1. For example, the Log-Rank detector categorizes 57.30% of samples in the Llama2-revised set as MGT. We <u>underscore</u> the best-performing detector and **bold** the score greater than 0.8, which we consider as a baseline threshold for detection. (Tok. stands for token level, and Sen. stands for sentence level)

						AI-R	evised					Human	-Revised			
Detection Method	ТWН	TV	L	MGT	Rev	vrite	Com	plete	Polisl	n-Tok.	Polisl	n-Sen.	Hum	anize	ľok.	Sen.
Detection Method	H	M	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Adapt-Tok	Adapt-Sen.		
Metric-based Detect	or															
Log-rank	0.213	0.847	0.573	0.240	0.810	0.520	0.573	0.383	0.427	0.350	0.703	0.093	0.783	0.770		
Log-likelihood	0.223	0.867	0.600	0.287	0.823	0.560	0.643	0.450	0.513	0.410	0.703	0.083	0.790	0.777		
GLTR	0.207	0.840	0.480	0.180	0.813	0.393	0.517	0.283	0.390	0.313	0.630	0.053	0.783	0.760		
DetectGPT	0.350	0.823	0.643	0.343	0.743	0.557	0.650	0.480	0.563	0.437	<u>0.807</u>	0.533	0.623	0.597		
Entropy	0.353	0.840	0.733	0.580	0.793	0.623	0.793	0.730	0.713	0.640	0.737	0.223	0.793	0.770		
Model-based Detecto	or															
Openai Classifier	0.060	0.607	0.150	0.047	0.407	0.037	0.123	0.037	0.103	0.053	0.023	0.007	0.490	0.453		
ChatGPT Detector	0.040	0.757	0.380	0.157	0.523	0.287	0.380	0.130	0.243	0.117	0.457	0.097	0.750	0.770		
Radar	0.307	0.857	0.730	0.477	<u>0.893</u>	0.783	0.607	0.447	0.560	0.387	0.347	0.037	0.850	0.890		
GPT-Sentinel	0.133	0.887	0.833	<u>0.877</u>	0.540	0.573	0.883	<u>0.807</u>	0.710	0.460	0.033	0.000	0.910	0.910		
Distillbert	0.483	<u>0.993</u>	0.593	0.660	0.530	0.573	0.607	0.580	0.547	0.527	0.170	0.003	<u>1.000</u>	<u>1.000</u>		
Ghostbuster	0.103	0.610	<u>0.870</u>	0.780	0.750	0.087	0.353	0.493	0.473	0.663	0.567	0.637	0.700	0.443		
GPTZero	0.017	0.730	0.493	0.167	0.810	0.177	0.497	0.260	0.777	<u>0.763</u>	0.717	0.187	0.720	0.497		

Table 11: AUC of Experiment 2 (a). We <u>underscore</u> the best-performing detector and **bold** the score greater than 0.8, which we consider as a baseline threshold for detection. (Tok. stands for token level and Sen. stands for sentence level)

				Human-Revised								
Detection Method	Rev	vrite	Com	Complete		Polish-Tok.		Polish-Sen.		Humanize		Sen.
	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Llama2	GPT-4	Adapt-Tok	Adapt-Sen.
Metric-based Detect	or											
log-rank	0.921	0.629	0.632	0.318	0.569	0.531	0.662	0.462	0.641	0.245	0.778	0.778
log likelihood	0.933	0.650	0.672	0.352	0.610	0.569	0.709	0.508	0.652	0.206	0.782	0.786
GLTR	0.870	0.504	0.546	0.268	0.511	0.466	0.602	0.345	0.595	0.208	0.764	0.768
DetectGPT	0.852	0.644	0.669	0.352	0.612	0.466	0.664	0.482	0.677	0.461	0.548	0.557
Entropy	0.814	0.581	0.662	0.463	0.656	0.636	0.686	0.596	0.580	0.185	0.733	0.730
Model-based Detector	or											
Openai Classifier	0.294	0.601	0.126	0.360	0.433	0.492	0.383	0.590	0.321	0.517	0.182	0.187
ChatGPT Detector	0.706	0.399	0.874	0.640	0.567	0.508	0.617	0.410	0.679	0.483	0.818	0.813
Radar	0.992	<u>0.994</u>	<u>0.997</u>	<u>0.999</u>	<u>0.998</u>	<u>0.986</u>	<u>0.998</u>	<u>1.000</u>	<u>0.984</u>	<u>0.984</u>	<u>0.999</u>	<u>0.999</u>
GPT-sentinel	<u>0.994</u>	0.992	0.987	0.993	0.995	0.964	0.992	0.996	0.915	0.953	0.958	0.986
Distillbert	0.756	0.856	0.746	0.859	0.790	0.730	0.791	0.856	0.416	0.330	0.837	0.861



Figure 14: Analysis of the accuracy of various detectors across differing quantities of *mixtext* instances from MIXSET, as well as pure MGT and HWT.



Figure 15: Analysis of the recall rate of various detectors across differing quantities of *mixtext* instances from MIXSET, as well as pure MGT and HWT.



Figure 16: Analysis of the precision rate of various detectors across differing quantities of *mixtext* instances from MIXSET, as well as pure MGT and HWT.

Figure 17: Prompt(①)-LLM complete the HWT

I have an incomplete text and need it to be completed. Please expand this into a complete text where the total word count, including the original text I have provided, does not exceed 180 words. The original text must remain exactly as is, with its format (such as capitalization and punctuation) intact. Please do not modify any part of the original text. Here's the text: {HWT}



Please carefully examine the following paragraph solely for spelling and grammatical errors, and replace any words that are repetitive, inaccurate, or poorly chosen. It is crucial to avoid any changes to the sentence order or structure. The focus should be strictly on the choice and usage of individual words to improve the clarity and appropriateness of the text without altering the original sentence construction: {HWT}

Figure 19: Prompt(③)-LLM polish HWT in sentence level

Please optimize the sentences in the following paragraph to enhance fluency and clarity. Do not alter the overall content or structure of the paragraph. Focus on the construction and expression of the sentences, ensuring that the text is coherent and the information is accurate: {HWT}

Figure 20: Prompt(④)-LLM rewrite HWT

Please extract the core ideas and keywords from the following English text and then rewrite a passage based on this information. The new text should maintain the essence of the original, with the word count varying by no more than 10% from the original. There's no need to list the core ideas and keywords. Here is the text that needs to be processed: {HWT}

### Figure 21: Prompt(④)-LLM humanize MGT

I need to modify a machine-generated text to make it appear more like it was written by a human. The objective is to introduce elements commonly found in human-written texts. Here are some optional modifications you can choose to apply: 1. Introduce spelling errors or typos(optional) 2. Create grammatical errors, such as randomly adding or deleting words (optional). 3. Include relevant but internet links, like blog posts or image links pertaining to the topic, you don't have to use the real links, so you can freely write one (optional). 4. Add relevant hashtags, for instance, #TopicKeyword #Location #Activity (optional). 5. Use internet slang and abbreviations, e.g., 'OMG', 'How r u', 'LOL', (optional). Please select any combination of these modifications to enhance the text's human-like quality. The aim is to simulate the imperfections and stylistic choices typical in casual human writing. The word count of the new text should not exceed 1.1 times that of the original text. You should just give me the revised version without any other words. Emojis are strictly prohibitive, so please ensure that it contains no emojis. Here is the machine-generated text:{HWT}

The content under this document is generated by a large language model, such as ChatGPT. You are required to revise it to make it closer to the style of human-written text. You are responsible for the text under the IDs xx-xx, and you need to make the following three types of modifications to the content, generating two different sentences for each ID (each ID corresponds to 3 sentences): The document is in JSON format. You can choose to use code editors like Visual Studio Code or text editors like Notepad for reading and writing. 1. Adapt Token: You need to modify any words or phrases in this passage that you think are too rigid, mechanical, obscure, or unusual into vocabulary typical of human texts. Be careful not to alter the sentence order or structure; only modify 'words' or 'phrases.' 2. Adapt Sentence: You need to revise any sentence structures that you find too mechanical or rigid to make them more in line with how humans typically write texts. This involves changes at the sentence level, which may include altering sentence order and structure. Note: 1. After writing, please ensure to check that there are no 'grammatical errors' or 'spelling mistakes' in the text paragraphs. 2. Do not use ChatGPT or other large language models for data annotation, as it will severely degrade the data quality. 3. You may use translation platforms like Youdao (you) or Google  $a^{i}$ ; or use Grammarly  $^{b}$  to check for grammatical errors. Below are some examples you can refer to: [Example 1] [Example 2] [Example 3] <sup>a</sup>https://translate.google.com/ <sup>b</sup>https://www.grammarly.com/

### Figure 23: Case Study of revision on HWT: Original HWT

**[Original HWT]** We present a new mixed variable symplectic (mvs) integrator for planetary systems, that fully resolve close encounters. The method is based on a time regularisation that allows keeping the stability properties of the symplectic integrators, while also reducing the effective step size whenever two planets encounter. We use a high order mvs scheme such that it is possible to integrate with large time steps far away from close encounters. We show that this algorithm is able to resolve almost exact collisions (i.e. with a mutual separation of a fraction of the physical radius) while using the same time-step as in weakly perturbed problems such as the solar system. We demonstrate the long-term behavior on systems of six super-earths experiencing strong scattering for 50 kyr. We compare our algorithm to hybrid methods such as mercury and show that for an equivalent cost, we obtain much better energy conservation.

### Figure 24: Case Study of revision on HWT: GPT-4 Polish (Token)

[GPT-4 Polish (Token)] We present a new mixed-variable symplectic (MVS) integrator for planetary systems that fully resolves close encounters. grounded in a temporal regularization that maintains The method is stability the properties of symplectic integrators while also the effective whenever diminishing step size two planets draw near each other. We employ a high-order MVS scheme, enabling integration with extended time steps when distant from close encounters. We demonstrate this algorithm capably resolves nearly exact collisions that (i.e., with a mutual separation of a small fraction of the physical radius) using a consistent time-step as in weakly perturbed problems such as the solar system. We exhibit the long-term dynamics on systems of six super-Earths undergoing intense scattering over 50 kyr. We contrast our algorithm with hybrid methods such as Mercury, revealing that, for a comparable cost, we achieve much improved energy conservation.

# Figure 25: Case Study of revision on HWT: GPT-4 Polish (Sentence)

<b>[GPT-4 Polish (Sentence)]</b> We <mark>introduce</mark> a <b>novel</b> mixed variabl
symplectic <mark>(MVS)</mark> integrator <mark>specifically designed</mark> for planetar
systems that efficiently manages close encounters. This metho
utilizes time regularization to maintain the stability characteristics
inherent to symplectic integrators, while dynamically adjusting the effective
step size during planetary encounters. Our high-order MVS approach enable
integration at large time steps when planets are distantly separated, there
optimizing computational efficiency. The algorithm proves capable of resolve
near-exact collisions-with mutual separations as minute as a fraction of the
planets' physical radii-without altering the time step used for more stable
configurations, such as within the solar system. We examine th
algorithm's long-term stability in simulations of six super-Earths undergoir
significant scattering over 50,000 years. Furthermore, we benchmark ou
algorithm <mark>against</mark> hybrid methods like Mercury, demonstrating superior energe conservation at a comparable computational cost.

Figure 26: Case Study of revision on HWT: GPT-4 Complete

[GPT-4 Complete] We present a new mixed variable symplectic (mvs) integrator for planetary systems, that fully resolve close encounters. The method is based on a time regularisation that allows keeping the stability properties of the symplectic integrators, while also reducing the effective step size whenever two planets encounter. We use a modified leapfrog scheme to address the issues of traditional integrators when handling near-collision scenarios. The key improvement lies in an adaptive algorithm that dynamically adjusts the step size according to the proximity of the planetary bodies. As a result, our integrator ensures high accuracy and energy conservation even during complex dynamical interactions. Tests demonstrate that the mvs integrator significantly outperforms standard fixed-step symplectic methods in long-term stability and computational efficiency. This advancement opens up new possibilities for accurately simulating the evolution of planetary systems over extended timescales, providing valuable insights into the dynamical behavior of multi-body systems and enhancing our understanding of celestial mechanics.

### Figure 27: Case Study of revision on HWT: GPT-4 Rewrite

**[GPT-4 Rewrite]** We **introduce** an **advanced** mixed variable symplectic (mvs) tailored for planetary systems, adept at handling close encounters precisely. This technique employs time regularization to maintain the stability characteristic of symplectic integrators and intelligently reduces the effective step size during planetary encounters. Employing a sophisticated mvs algorithm, it facilitates integration over large time steps when planets are not closely interacting. Our findings illustrate that the algorithm effectively manages near-collision events, simulating scenarios with planet separations physical just fractions of their sizes, using consistent time steps applicable to less disturbed systems like the solar system. The integrator's performance excels in extended simulations, such as tracking six super-earths in a dense scattering scenario for 50,000 years, showcasing superior energy conservation when contrasted with hybrid algorithms like the mercury method, and doing so computational cost.

Figure 28: Case Study of revision on HWT: Llama2 Polish (Token)

**[Llama2 Polish (Token)]** We introduce a novel mixed variable symplectic (MVS) integrator for planetary systems that accurately resolves close encounters. Our method is built upon a time regularization that preserves the stability attributes of symplectic integrators while adaptively decreasing the effective step size during planetary interactions. By employing a high-order MVS scheme, we can integrate with large time steps in regions where close encounters are not occurring. This algorithm enables the precise resolution of nearly exact collisions (with a mutual separation of a small fraction of the physical radius) using the same time step as in weakly perturbed problems, such as the solar system. We demonstrate the long-term behavior of our algorithm on systems consisting of six super-Earths undergoing intense scattering. Our approach shows superior energy conservation compared to hybrid methods like Mercury, while maintaining comparable computational efficiency.

Figure 29: Case Study of revision on HWT: Llama2 Polish (Sentence)

[Llama2 Polish (Sentence)] We introduce a novel mixed variable symplectic (MVS) integrator for planetary systems that accurately resolves close
encounters. Our method is founded on a time regularization technique
that preserves the stability attributes of symplectic integrators while adaptively decreasing the effective step size during planetary encounters.
By employing a high-order MVS scheme, we can integrate with substantial
time steps in regions unaffected by close encounters . Our algorithm
efficiently handles near-collisions (with a mutual separation of
a few percent of the physical radius) utilizing the same time-step
as in weakly perturbed <mark>scenarios</mark> , such as the solar system.
In a comprehensive analysis, we demonstrate the long-term behavior
of our method on systems consisting of six super-Earths undergoing intense
scattering over 50 kyr. Our findings indicate that, compared to
hybrid approaches like Mercury, our algorithm achieves superior energy.
conservation at an equal computational cost

Figure 30: Case Study of revision on HWT: Llama2 Complete

[Llama2 Complete] We present a new mixed variable symplectic (MVS) integrator for planetary systems, that fully resolves close encounters. The method is based on a time regularization that allows keeping the stability properties of the symplectic integrators, while also reducing the effective step size whenever two planets encounter. We use a simple and efficient algorithm to detect close encounters, and switch to a smaller step size during these events to ensure accurate trajectory propagation. This approach enables us to maintain the long-term accuracy of the simulation while significantly improving computational efficiency. Our MVS integrator can handle both collisional and non-collisional close encounters, and we demonstrate its performance through several test cases involving Earth-Moon and Jupiter-Io system simulations.

# Figure 31: Case Study of revision on HWT: Llama2 Rewrite

[Llama2 Rewrite] We introduce a novel mixed variable symplectic (MVS) integrator for solving planetary systems that undergo close encounters. Our approach combines the benefits of symplectic integrators - stability and accuracy - with the ability to adaptively adjust the time step size during close encounters. This enables us to capture near-collisions with high precision while still utilizing large time steps in stable regions. We validate our algorithm's performance by simulating systems of six super-Earths over 50,000 years, demonstrating its superiority compared to hybrid methods like Mercury in terms of energy conservation, while maintaining comparable computational efficiency.

Figure 32: Case Study of revision on MGT: Original MGT

**[Original MGT]** The first coffee was brewed by the ancient egyptians over 4,000 years ago. As of 2023, coffee consumption increased 70-fold in the past 100 years. Today, 98% of americans drink coffee. Studies have shown that drinking two cups of coffee per day is beneficial for adults. However, more and more studies also show that drinking one or less coffee is also equally beneficial. Drinking coffee has also been linked to higher memory, alertness, and focus. Overall, coffee is good for your health.

Figure 33: Case Study of revision on MGT: GPT-4 Humanize

[GPT-4 Humanize] OMG did you kno that, like, the first cuppa joe was whipped up by ancient Egyptions like more than 4,000 yrs ago? Fast fwd to 2023, and whoa, coffee drinking's shot up a whoppin' 70 times in the last century! Nowadays, it's like 98% of Americans are sippin' on coffee. Some smarty-pants studies point out that knockin' back two cups a day's pretty good for grown-ups. But hold up, more research is spillin' the beans that maybe just one cup or even less can do the trick too. Crazy, right? Srsly tho, chuggin' coffee's got a rep for boostin' your memory and makin' ya more alert and focused. All in all, java's a thumbs up for your health. #CoffeeLovers #HealthBenefits #StayAlert BTW, if ya wanna dive deeper into the whole coffee vibe, there's this killer blog post over at "www.totallyrealcoffeeblog.com/history" that's got the low-down on coffee's past. And, like, for the visual folks out there, check

low-down on coffee's past. And, like, for the visual folks out there, check out these pics on "www.picturesofcoffeeandstuff.com" - they've got some epic shots of coffee that'll make you wanna brew a pot, like, right now. LOL

Figure 34: Case Study of revision on MGT: Llama2 Humanize

[Llama2 Humanize] Did you know that the ancient Egyptians were the first to brew coffee over 4,000 years ago? Crazy, right? And get this - coffee consumption has increased a whopping 70-fold in just the past 100 years! 98% of Americans can't start their day without their daily cup (or two) of joe. But here's the thing: while most people assume that downing multiple cups a day is the way to go, studies actually suggest that even just one cup can do the trick. Yep, you heard that right - one measly cup can boost your memory, alertness, and focus. Talk about a productivity hack! Of course, there's always the risk of overdoing it, but hey, everything in moderation, right? Bottom line: coffee = good stuff.

Figure 35: Case Study of revision on MGT: Adapt Token

[Adapt Token] The first coffee was brewed by the ancient Egyptians over 4,000 years ago. By 2023, coffee consumption has increased 70-fold in the past 100 years. Nowadays, 98% of Americans drink coffee. Studies have shown that drinking two cups of coffee every day is beneficial for adults. Additionally, more and more studies also show that drinking one or less coffee is also equally beneficial. Drinking coffee is also linked to better memory, alertness, and concentration. Overall, coffee is good for your health.

Figure 36: Case Study of revision on MGT: Adapt Sentence

[Adapt Sentence] The first coffee was brewed by the ancient Egyptians over 4,000 years ago. Coffee consumption has increased 70-fold in the past 100 years, along with 98% of Americans drinking coffee, according to the data up to 2023. Studies have shown that drinking two cups of coffee every day is beneficial for adults, while other studies indicate that drinking one or fewer cups of coffee is also equally beneficial. Drinking coffee is also linked to better memory, alertness, and concentration. Overall, coffee is good for your health.



Figure 37: screenshot of human revising on MGT