On Adversarial Robustness of Language Models in Transfer Learning

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Abstract

We investigate the adversarial robustness of LLMs in transfer learning scenarios. Through comprehensive experiments on multiple datasets (MBIB Hate Speech, MBIB Political Bias, MBIB Gender Bias) and various model architectures (BERT, RoBERTa, GPT-2, Gemma, Phi), we reveal that transfer learning, while improving standard performance metrics, often leads to increased vulnerability to adversarial attacks. Our findings demonstrate that larger models exhibit greater resilience to this phenomenon, suggesting a complex interplay between model size, architecture, and adaptation methods. Our work highlights the crucial need for considering adversarial robustness in transfer learning scenarios and provides insights into maintaining model security without compromising performance. These findings have significant implications for the development and deployment of LLMs in real-world applications where both performance and robustness are paramount.

1 Introduction

Large Language Models (LLMs) have become pivotal in natural language processing (NLP), demonstrating remarkable performance across various tasks. Transfer learning, a technique leveraging pre-trained models for new tasks, has significantly contributed to this success [5]. However, the intersection of transfer learning and adversarial robustness in LLMs remains understudied, presenting a critical gap in understanding models' security and reliability.

While transfer learning efficiently applies pre-trained models to new domains, it may inadvertently introduce or amplify vulnerabilities to adversarial attacks. These attacks pose significant threats to model deployment in real-world scenarios. Despite the widespread adoption of transfer learning, there is a notable lack of comprehensive research on how these adapted models perform against adversarial attacks.

Previous studies have primarily focused on the robustness of models in their initial training or finetuning stages [12] [15] [1], often in controlled environments. This approach overlooks the potential risks emerging from more complex training sequences, particularly those involving multiple pretraining stages as in transfer learning scenarios. The impact of transfer learning on model robustness is nuanced and multifaceted. While some research suggests that post-fine-tuning can lead to decreased robustness [15], other findings indicate that incorporating additional data from the target dataset can enhance robustness [14]. However, in transfer learning scenarios involving pretraining on related but distinct domains, the impact on robustness becomes more complex and warrants careful investigation.

Our study aims to address the following key research questions:

RQ1: How does transfer learning affect LLMs' performance and robustness overall?

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RQ2: How do specific model sizes, architectures, and training procedures influence the transfer learning effect on robustness?

RQ3: What are the potential challenges in real-world scenarios based on these findings?

RQ4: Can adversarial training during transfer learning improve robustness for long sequences, and how does initial dataset specialization influence the robustness-accuracy trade-off?

Our contributions are as follows:

- 1. We conducted comprehensive experiments to evaluate the robustness of LLMs against adversarial attacks in transfer learning, revealing that transfer learning often increases vulnerability to adversarial attacks, even when improving standard performance metrics.
- 2. We provide a detailed analysis of how model characteristics influence robustness in transfer learning scenarios, demonstrating that larger models show significantly greater resilience to increases in vulnerability. This finding is contextualized within a broader examination of how different model architectures (e.g., GPT [11], BERT [2], RoBERTa [9]) and transfer learning techniques (such as LoRA [7]) impact robustness, revealing a complex interplay between model size, architecture, and adaptation methods in determining a model's security against adversarial attacks.
- 3. We provide insights into the trade-off between model robustness and accuracy by conducting experiments with training on perturbed data. This helped us understand the balance between maintaining robustness and preserving model performance.

2 Experimental Design

We focus on the classification task of detecting biased text. We selected the MBIB Hate Speech [13], MBIB Political Bias, and MBIB Gender Bias datasets for their relevance to real-world applications and the importance of robustness in these domains.

2.1 Datasets

We selected three distinct datasets that share a common theme of detecting bias in textual data but address different subdomains within this broader context. This choice allows us to meaningfully explore the impact of transfer learning, as it involves transferring knowledge across related yet distinct types of biases. Each dataset has 2 classes: biased and non-biased, and is balanced. In general, the ability to accurately detect and mitigate various forms of bias is crucial to develop fair and ethical AI systems that can be safely deployed in diverse real-world applications [6]. Data sets are selected from [13] and are as follows:

MBIB Hate Speech (HS) focuses on identifying hate speech in text.

MBIB Political Bias (PB) is used to detect political bias in textual data.

MBIB Gender Bias (GB) helps evaluate the model's ability to recognize gender bias in text.

For each dataset, we create a large training set (12,000) for pre-training, a small training set (600) for target task fine-tuning, a validation set (1,000) and a test set (1,000).

2.2 Evaluation Metrics

We use the following metrics to assess model performance and robustness:

Original Accuracy (OAcc): Main usual metric to evaluate the performance of the model in classification.

Attack Success Rate (ASR): Percentage of True Positive and True Negative examples that were hacked by the attack, this metric can serve as a basic evaluation of the robustness of the model.

Accuracy Under Attack (AUA): The accuracy of the model after attack. This metric can be considered a 'safety' metric for the model. For instance, if the model's accuracy (Acc) significantly increases while the Attack Success Rate (ASR) only mildly increases, the AUA may show improvement even though the model has become less robust overall.

2.3 Parameters Setting

For the pre-training phase, we trained the models for 1 epoch on the larger subset of the dataset. During the fine-tuning phase on the target dataset, the models were trained for up to 6 epochs, with the best model selected based on the accuracy of the validation set. We used the Adam optimizer, adjusting the learning rate between 5×10^{-6} and 4×10^{-4} depending on the specific model, to ensure optimal convergence during training.

2.4 Training Procedure

We measured the performance under two conditions:

Usual Fine-Tuning: Fine-tuning the model directly on the target dataset.

Transfer Learning: Fine-tuning the model on one large dataset followed by transfer learning to the target task using the smaller dataset.

This setup allowed us to measure the influence of each training sequence on both accuracy and adversarial robustness, providing insights into the trade-offs involved in using transfer learning for LLMs in classification tasks aimed at detecting biased versus non-biased text. The overall experiment setup is displayed in Figure 1.

2.5 Experimental Setup



Figure 1: Experiment setup, where we compare LLM's properties in additional Transfer learning setup and just target dataset fine-tuning.

In our experiments, we conducted two main types of experiments:

Standard Transfer Learning: Fine-tuning models on one dataset followed by transfer to another.

Adversarial Training with Transfer Learning: Incorporating adversarial examples (10% of training data) during the transfer learning process.

2.6 Models

We evaluated a range of LLMs to assess the impact of model size and architecture on robustness: BERT Base (110M), BERT Large (340M), RoBERTa Base (125M), RoBERTa Large (355M), GPT-2 (117M), GPT-2 Medium (345M), and GPT-2 Large (762M) and also large models like Gemma 2b (2B), Phi-2 (2.7B), and GPT2-XL (1.5B).

2.7 Adversarial Attack Methods

We employ two attack methods in our experiments:

TextFooler [8]: A word-level adversarial attack method for text classification. It uses word deletion impact for importance ranking, word embeddings for synonyms, and Universal Sentence Encoder for semantic similarity constraints.

A2T [16]: A computationally efficient adversarial attack method. It uses gradient-based word importance ranking, counter-fitted word embeddings for synonyms, and DistilBERT for semantic similarity constraints.

3 Results and Analysis

Our experiments yielded several key insights into the impact of transfer learning on the robustness and performance of LLMs. We'll discuss our findings in relation to each research question.

Table 1: Performance and safety metrics comparison for models with and without transfer learning, averaged across attack methods (Text Fooler and A2T) and individual sequences ending with the target dataset. OAcc - Original Accuracy, ASR - Attack Sucess Rate, AUA - Accuracy Under Attack, Δ (%) - relative change.

Model	Target detect	Without	t Transfer	Learning	Trai	nsfer Lear	ning	Results	
Widder	Taiget uataset	OAcc	ASR	AUA	OAcc	ASR	AUA	$\Delta \text{OAcc}(\%)$	Δ ASR (%)
	Gender bias	0.763	0.397	0.460	0.791	0.478	0.413	3.67	20.40
GPT-2	Political bias	0.650	0.457	0.357	0.659	0.514	0.321	1.38	12.47
	Hate speech	0.798	0.463	0.428	0.796	0.472	0.420	-0.25	1.94
	Gender bias	0.743	0.452	0.408	0.806	0.491	0.410	8.48	8.63
GPT-2-medium	Political bias	0.657	0.350	0.427	0.677	0.445	0.375	3.04	27.14
	Hate speech	0.823	0.413	0.483	0.824	0.423	0.475	0.12	2.42
	Gender bias	0.780	0.460	0.421	0.789	0.456	0.429	1.15	-0.87
GPT-2-large	Political bias	0.675	0.430	0.385	0.679	0.444	0.378	0.59	3.26
	Hate speech	0.832	0.437	0.468	0.823	0.444	0.458	-1.08	1.60
	Gender bias	0.768	0.436	0.433	0.778	0.558	0.344	1.30	28.00
BERT	Political bias	0.690	0.470	0.366	0.670	0.516	0.324	-2.90	9.79
	Hate speech	0.775	0.490	0.395	0.787	0.515	0.382	1.55	5.10
	Gender bias	0.743	0.485	0.383	0.787	0.513	0.383	5.9	5.7
BERT-large	Political bias	0.682	0.500	0.341	0.678	0.495	0.342	-0.59	-1.00
	Hate speech	0.732	0.491	0.378	0.757	0.516	0.366	3.42	5.09
	Gender bias	0.807	0.465	0.432	0.791	0.557	0.350	-1.98	19.78
RoBERTa	Political bias	0.680	0.348	0.443	0.677	0.445	0.376	-0.44	27.87
	Hate speech	0.795	0.431	0.452	0.817	0.469	0.433	2.77	8.82
	Gender bias	0.807	0.503	0.401	0.817	0.463	0.438	1.2	-7.95
RoBERTa-large	Political bias	0.708	0.355	0.457	0.717	0.474	0.377	1.27	33.5
	Hate speech	0.825	0.360	0.528	0.827	0.403	0.494	0.24	11.9
	Gender bias	0.803	0.514	0.390	0.815	0.519	0.394	1.49	0.97
Phi-2 (LoRA)	Political bias	0.745	0.591	0.308	0.721	0.513	0.350	-3.22	-13.2
	Hate speech	0.833	0.396	0.503	0.845	0.432	0.479	1.44	9.09
	Gender bias	0.788	0.575	0.335	0.796	0.611	0.310	1.02	6.26
Gemma 2B (LoRA)	Political bias	0.703	0.677	0.226	0.685	0.587	0.279	-2.56	-13.29
	Hate speech	0.765	0.426	0.439	0.774	0.499	0.388	1.17	17.13
	Gender bias	0.825	0.509	0.406	0.820	0.551	0.369	-0.61	8.25
GPT-2-xl (LoRA)	Political bias	0.683	0.527	0.323	0.689	0.547	0.313	0.88	3.80
	Hate speech	0.833	0.448	0.461	0.831	0.465	0.444	-0.24	3.79

3.1 RQ1: Transfer learning robustness

We evaluated various LLMs using TextFooler (black-box) and A2T (white-box) adversarial attacks. The results, presented in Table 1, reveal a concerning trend:

Increased Vulnerability: In most cases, especially for smaller models, the Attack Success Rate (ASR) increased after transfer learning, regardless of changes in accuracy (OAcc). It suggests that even when models demonstrated enhanced performance in terms of accuracy, their overall robustness against adversarial attacks often decreased.

Performance-Robustness Trade-off: Even when models showed improved accuracy, their robustness against adversarial attacks often decreased. For example, on the Hate Speech dataset, GPT-2 experiences a mean 20.4% increase in ASR alongside a 3.67% increase in accuracy. This finding raises significant concerns about LLM security, as improvements in accuracy during training might lead developers to overlook other critical parameters like robustness.

Table 2 presents the percentage of unaveraged sequences with increased ASR, confirming this robustness decline trend. The complete raw data is available in Appendix B.

Table 2: Percentage of unaveraged individual training sequences where ASR increase is observed.

	GPT-2	GPT-2	GPT-2	BERT	BERT-	RoBERTa	RoBERTa-	Phi-2	Gemma	GPT-2
		medium	large		large		large		2B	xl
(%)	83.3	91.7	50.0	91.7	75.0	100.0	66.7	41.7	58.3	75.0

3.1.1 LoRA and Larger Models

For large models with billions of parameters, we used LoRA due to its efficiency in adapting these models, as conventional fine-tuning often requires extensive computational resources that may not be readily available in typical settings. When applying LoRA to these larger models, we observed mixed results. Some sequences showed decreased robustness, while others demonstrated increased robustness (e.g., political bias dataset for Phi-2 and Gemma 2b), result are presented in Table 1 and Table 2.

The impact of LoRA on robustness is complex due to its unique approach: introducing and randomly initializing a small set of additional parameters rather than fine-tuning existing ones. This may lead to different robustness outcomes compared to standard fine-tuning. While transfer learning here can still reduce robustness through issues like false memories [4] or shortcut learning [3], catastrophic forgetting [10] may not contribute significantly to the results in this specific setting. This is because, with the random initialization of LoRA adapter parameters and the freezing of other parameters, there is no pre-existing information in the adapters that could be distorted or lost during the transfer learning process, thus potentially altering the dynamics of how robustness changes during transfer learning.

3.2 RQ2: Impact of Model Size, Architecture, and Training Procedures

We examined how different model sizes, architectures, and training procedures (including LoRA for larger models) influenced the transfer learning effect on robustness.

3.2.1 Model Size and Architecture Influence



Figure 2: Δ ASR by model size and architecture.

Figure 3: ASR by model size and architecture.

Larger Models Show Better Resilience: As illustrated in Figure 2, larger models within each family (GPT-2, BERT, RoBERTa) exhibited smaller increases in ASR due to transfer learning.

Initial ASR Variations: The mean initial ASR (before transfer learning) didn't follow a consistent pattern across model families Figure 3:

- 1. Decreased with size in BERT and RoBERTa, but increased with size in GPT-2 models.
- 2. Overall ASR range remained similar (0.42 to 0.47) across autoregressive and encoderbased models, indicating that both of them exhibit comparable levels of robustness against adversarial attacks.

3.3 RQ3: Real-world implications

As we showed, often ASR increases in parallel to OAcc, which indicates a potential trade-off of using Transfer learning between performance and safety. Often standard metrics like OAcc are prioritized, while other safety metrics are overlooked, leading to vulnerable models being deployed. Based on our findings, we highlight the necessity of applying additional techniques and adversarial testing to

mitigate this issue, particularly when fine-tuning smaller models. For Larger Models with LoRA, use transfer learning cautiously, as effects on robustness can vary.

3.4 RQ4: Trade-off Between Robustness and Accuracy

Experimental Setup This experiment explores the balance between robustness and accuracy in LLMs under adversarial attacks during transfer learning. Two methods are compared:

- Iterative Transfer Learning with Adversarial Attacks: The model is sequentially trained and evaluated on three datasets (Hate speech (HS), Political bias (PB) and Gender bias (GB)), with a final evaluation across all datasets to track performance over time.
- Adversarial Training with Transfer Learning: Adversarial samples (10%) are included during training to enhance robustness, with performance assessed across all datasets.

Results in Table3 show how attacks (A2T, TextFooler) impact Original Accuracy (OAcc), Accuracy Under Attack (AUA), and Attack Success Rate (ASR). "FE" denotes Final Evaluation, and "PC" represents Percent Change relative to earlier evaluations.

Table 3: Impact of A2T attack on Bert performance, where for convenience of notation: HS, PB and GB are Hate speech, Political bias and Gender bias datasets.

Metrics	HS	PB	GB	FE HS	FE PB	FE GB	Δ PC HS(%)	Δ PC PB(%)	Δ PC GB(%)		
Original Data											
OAcc	78.07	69.48	70.92	69.94	62.42	70.6	-10.41	-10.16	-0.45		
AUA	54.26	45.59	50.28	55.04	45.24	47.26	1.44	-0.77	-6.01		
ASR	30.61	34.31	30.5	21.55	29.73	33.1	-29.60	-13.35	8.52		
				Inc	uding Adv	versarial T	raining				
OAcc	75.8	69.23	68.75	69.78	68.18	68.59	-7.94	-1.52	-0.23		
AUA	50.25	48.24	48.38	52.51	48.93	50.26	4.50	1.43	3.89		
ASR	33.92	30.41	29.63	25.3	28.18	26.43	-25.41	-7.33	-10.80		

The experiments reveal a trade-off between robustness and accuracy (full results are shown in Table 14 and Table 15 of Appendix C). Adversarial fine-tuning reduces OAcc but significantly boosts AUA and lowers the ASR, especially on the first dataset. Early exposure to adversarial examples enables the model to build strong defense mechanisms, improving its resistance to attacks despite a decline in OAcc.

Introducing adversarial samples during training enhances overall performance, leading to a more robust model. While accuracy on the first dataset decreases, the model's ability to withstand attacks improves, indicating a balanced adaptation between accuracy and robustness over time.

4 Conclusion

Our research contributes to the understanding of the adversarial robustness of LLMs in the context of transfer learning. Our empirical analysis reveals nuanced dynamics in the relationship between traditional performance metrics, such as accuracy, and the robustness of models against adversarial attacks. Interestingly, we observed instances where improvements in conventional metrics were accompanied by a decrease in adversarial robustness, suggesting a potential trade-off between performance enhancement and vulnerability to adversarial manipulations. This counterintuitive finding underscores the complexity of model behavior in transfer learning scenarios and raises questions about the underlying causes, which may include phenomena such as catastrophic forgetting or the acquisition of misleading "false memories" during pre-training. Notably, our results indicate that larger models may exhibit a reduced susceptibility to this trend, hinting at an inherent robustness associated with scale.

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A Social Impact Statement

Our research rigorously examines the balance between performance enhancements and security vulnerabilities in large language models (LLMs) using transfer learning. This analysis has highlighted the need for training methodologies that prioritize both model effectiveness and security.

As LLMs become more common in sectors like healthcare, finance, and public services, it is crucial to protect these systems from sophisticated adversarial threats. Our findings show that while transfer learning can improve model performance, it can also introduce and magnify vulnerabilities that malicious actors could exploit, necessitating a reevaluation of current training practices.

We advocate for incorporating comprehensive adversarial training and robustness assessments during the AI development. By adopting these practices, developers can better manage the trade-offs between accuracy and security, ensuring that improvements in LLM capabilities do not compromise their defense.

Our study reveals interesting nuances in the interaction between transfer learning, performance, and security. We observed instances where transfer learning not only contributed to performance improvements but also bolstered the models' defenses against adversarial attacks under certain conditions. These insights suggest that transfer learning, when applied thoughtfully, might offer opportunities to simultaneously enhance both the effectiveness and the security of LLMs, meriting deeper investigation into these phenomena.

B Transfer learning experiments raw data

While Table 1 presented averaged results, the raw data provides more granular insights into the behavior of different model architectures and attack methods.

Table 4 through Table 13 demonstrate an inverse relationship between model size and vulnerability to adversarial attacks post-transfer learning within the GPT-2 family. GPT-2 exhibits ASR increases up to 80% for some sequences, whereas GPT-2 XL's maximum ASR increase is approximately 22%.

Table 7 and Table 8 show that BERT models, despite their bidirectional architecture, display vulnerability patterns similar to GPT-2, with BERT Large showing marginally improved robustness.

RoBERTa models (Table 9 and Table 10) exhibit an noteworthy characteristic: while generally more robust than BERT, they still incur significant ASR increases, particularly against the a2t attack. This suggests that RoBERTa's enhanced pretraining does not necessarily confer improved adversarial robustness in transfer learning scenarios.

The results for Phi-2 and Gemma 2B (Table 11 and Table 12) are particularly noteworthy. These LoRA-tuned models show highly variable results, with some sequences demonstrating improved robustness post-transfer. This variability indicates a complex interaction between LoRA's adaptation mechanism and adversarial vulnerability, warranting further investigation.

These raw results not only corroborate our main findings but also elucidate the nuanced impact of model architecture, size, and fine-tuning method on adversarial robustness in transfer learning contexts.

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t a	ttack		
None -> GB	0.763	0.164	0.638	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.798	0.298	0.560	4.59%	81.66%	-12.16%
HS -> GB	0.785	0.236	0.600	2.95%	43.76%	-5.88%
GB -> PB	0.650	0.396	0.393	0.00%	13.19%	-7.10%
None -> PB	0.650	0.350	0.423	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.668	0.427	0.383	2.69%	21.99%	-9.47%
GB -> HS	0.808	0.424	0.465	1.25%	10.00%	-5.10%
PB -> HS	0.785	0.411	0.463	-1.57%	6.55%	-5.61%
None -> HS	0.798	0.386	0.490	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		A	Average	1.653301946	29.52457272	-7.553591456
			text fool	er attack		
None -> GB	0.763	0.630	0.283	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.798	0.708	0.232	4.59%	12.30%	-18.24%
HS -> GB	0.785	0.669	0.260	2.95%	6.20%	-8.24%
GB -> PB	0.650	0.591	0.272	0.00%	4.75%	-6.86%
None -> PB	0.650	0.565	0.292	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.668	0.642	0.237	2.69%	13.75%	-18.86%
GB -> HS	0.808	0.534	0.378	1.25%	-1.09%	3.18%
PB -> HS	0.785	0.520	0.375	-1.57%	-3.61%	2.27%
None -> HS	0.798	0.540	0.367	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	1.653301946	5.382223872	-7.788388083

Table 4: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on GPT-2.

Table 5: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on GPT-2 medium.

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t a	ttack		
None -> GB	0.743	0.242	0.563	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.805	0.313	0.553	8.30%	29.10%	-1.78%
HS -> GB	0.807	0.271	0.588	8.52%	11.77%	4.44%
GB -> PB	0.667	0.298	0.468	1.52%	26.04%	-6.64%
None -> PB	0.657	0.236	0.502	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.687	0.323	0.465	4.57%	36.76%	-7.31%
GB -> HS	0.833	0.358	0.535	1.21%	5.90%	-1.83%
PB -> HS	0.815	0.335	0.542	-1.01%	-0.79%	-0.61%
None -> HS	0.823	0.338	0.545	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	3.851657201	18.13081029	-2.28954161
			text fool	er attack		
None -> GB	0.743	0.661	0.252	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.805	0.698	0.243	8.30%	5.49%	-3.31%
HS -> GB	0.807	0.684	0.255	8.52%	3.39%	1.32%
GB -> PB	0.667	0.555	0.297	1.52%	19.49%	-15.64%
None -> PB	0.657	0.464	0.352	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.687	0.604	0.272	4.57%	30.12%	-22.75%
GB -> HS	0.833	0.510	0.408	1.21%	4.54%	-3.16%
PB -> HS	0.815	0.489	0.417	-1.01%	0.18%	-1.19%
None -> HS	0.823	0.488	0.422	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		A	Average	3.851657201	10.53609032	-7.453867774

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t a	attack		
None -> GB	0.780	0.254	0.582	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.770	0.190	0.623	-1.28%	-25.09%	7.16%
HS -> GB	0.808	0.330	0.542	3.63%	29.74%	-6.88%
GB -> PB	0.685	0.326	0.462	1.48%	4.80%	-0.72%
None -> PB	0.675	0.311	0.465	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.673	0.285	0.482	-0.25%	-8.50%	3.58%
GB -> HS	0.825	0.382	0.510	-0.80%	-0.25%	-0.65%
PB -> HS	0.820	0.384	0.505	-1.40%	0.36%	-1.62%
None -> HS	0.832	0.383	0.513	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	0.230097739	0.1760995019	0.1468648652
			text fool	ler attack		
None -> GB	0.780	0.667	0.260	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.770	0.662	0.260	-1.28%	-0.65%	0.00%
HS -> GB	0.808	0.641	0.290	3.63%	-3.81%	11.54%
GB -> PB	0.685	0.567	0.297	1.48%	3.42%	-2.73%
None -> PB	0.675	0.548	0.305	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.673	0.597	0.272	-0.25%	8.83%	-10.93%
GB -> HS	0.825	0.489	0.422	-0.80%	-0.43%	-0.39%
PB -> HS	0.820	0.520	0.393	-1.40%	5.98%	-7.09%
None -> HS	0.832	0.491	0.423	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	0.230097739	2.222775906	-1.599892317

Table 6: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on GPT-2 large.

Table 7: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on BERT.

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t	attack		
None -> GB	0.768	0.254	0.573	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.765	0.390	0.467	-0.43%	53.66%	-18.60%
HS -> GB	0.792	0.354	0.512	3.04%	39.36%	-10.76%
GB -> PB	0.697	0.390	0.425	0.97%	8.35%	-3.77%
None -> PB	0.690	0.360	0.442	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.643	0.394	0.390	-6.76%	9.41%	-11.70%
GB -> HS	0.792	0.436	0.447	2.15%	3.39%	-0.37%
PB -> HS	0.783	0.457	0.425	1.08%	8.53%	-5.20%
None -> HS	0.775	0.422	0.448	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	0.005290313116	20.44898997	-8.401395235
			text fo	oler attack		
None -> GB	0.768	0.618	0.293	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.765	0.773	0.173	-0.43%	25.10%	-40.91%
HS -> GB	0.792	0.716	0.225	3.04%	15.78%	-23.30%
GB -> PB	0.697	0.641	0.250	0.97%	10.60%	-13.79%
None -> PB	0.690	0.580	0.290	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.643	0.640	0.232	-6.76%	10.38%	-20.11%
GB -> HS	0.792	0.552	0.355	2.15%	-1.35%	3.90%
PB -> HS	0.783	0.617	0.300	1.08%	10.35%	-12.20%
None -> HS	0.775	0.559	0.342	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	0.005290313116	11.81101791	-17.73421239

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	ASR	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t	attack		
None -> GB	0.743	0.336	0.493	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.768	0.338	0.508	3.36%	0.62%	3.04%
HS -> GB	0.805	0.275	0.583	8.30%	-18.13%	18.24%
GB -> PB	0.680	0.363	0.433	-0.24%	-4.28%	2.36%
None -> PB	0.682	0.379	0.423	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.675	0.398	0.407	-0.98%	4.90%	-3.94%
GB -> HS	0.768	0.425	0.442	5.01%	4.19%	0.38%
PB -> HS	0.745	0.445	0.413	1.82%	9.10%	-6.06%
None -> HS	0.732	0.408	0.440	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	2.878090459	-0.6013601318	2.33814478
			text foo	ler attack		
None -> GB	0.743	0.635	0.272	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.768	0.731	0.207	3.36%	15.21%	-23.93%
HS -> GB	0.805	0.708	0.235	8.30%	11.59%	-13.50%
GB -> PB	0.680	0.630	0.252	-0.24%	1.43%	-2.58%
None -> PB	0.682	0.621	0.258	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.675	0.590	0.277	-0.98%	-4.98%	7.10%
GB -> HS	0.768	0.592	0.313	5.01%	3.17%	-1.05%
PB -> HS	0.745	0.602	0.297	1.82%	4.84%	-6.32%
None -> HS	0.732	0.574	0.317	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	2.337356018	5.210224231	-6.712196793

Table 8: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on BERT-large.

Table 9: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on RoBERTa.

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t	attack		
None -> GB	0.807	0.248	0.607	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.783	0.374	0.490	-2.89%	51.04%	-19.23%
HS -> GB	0.798	0.349	0.520	-1.03%	40.62%	-14.29%
GB -> PB	0.683	0.288	0.487	0.49%	18.61%	-5.50%
None -> PB	0.680	0.243	0.515	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.670	0.353	0.433	-1.47%	45.58%	-15.86%
GB -> HS	0.817	0.402	0.488	2.73%	9.58%	-2.98%
PB -> HS	0.817	0.404	0.487	2.73%	10.14%	-3.31%
None -> HS	0.795	0.367	0.503	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	0.09078696017	29.26106735	-10.19451626
			text foo	ler attack		
None -> GB	0.807	0.682	0.257	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.783	0.781	0.172	-2.89%	14.52%	-33.12%
HS -> GB	0.798	0.724	0.220	-1.03%	6.25%	-14.29%
GB -> PB	0.683	0.551	0.307	0.49%	21.57%	-17.49%
None -> PB	0.680	0.453	0.372	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.670	0.587	0.277	-1.47%	29.47%	-25.56%
GB -> HS	0.817	0.529	0.385	2.73%	6.83%	-4.15%
PB -> HS	0.817	0.543	0.373	2.73%	9.72%	-7.05%
None -> HS	0.795	0.495	0.402	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	0.09078696017	14.72790886	-16.94254071

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t a	attack		
None -> GB	0.807	0.269	0.590	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.793	0.321	0.538	-1.65%	19.67%	-8.76%
HS -> GB	0.840	0.234	0.643	4.13%	-12.83%	9.04%
GB -> PB	0.718	0.360	0.460	1.41%	28.44%	-9.80%
None -> PB	0.708	0.280	0.510	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.715	0.394	0.433	0.94%	40.69%	-15.03%
GB -> HS	0.835	0.355	0.538	1.21%	18.83%	-6.92%
PB -> HS	0.818	0.356	0.527	-0.81%	19.21%	-8.93%
None -> HS	0.825	0.299	0.578	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	0.8725246895	19.00094123	-6.734163612
			text fool	er attack		
None -> GB	0.807	0.738	0.212	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.793	0.613	0.307	-1.65%	-16.83%	44.88%
HS -> GB	0.840	0.685	0.265	4.13%	-7.20%	25.19%
GB -> PB	0.718	0.573	0.307	1.41%	33.09%	-23.97%
None -> PB	0.708	0.431	0.403	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.715	0.571	0.307	0.94%	32.63%	-23.97%
GB -> HS	0.835	0.419	0.485	1.21%	-0.25%	1.39%
PB -> HS	0.818	0.481	0.425	-0.81%	14.39%	-11.15%
None -> HS	0.825	0.420	0.478	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	0.8725246895	9.306112301	2.065052558

Table 10: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on RoBERTa-large.

Table 11: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on Phi-2.

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	ASR	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t	attack		
None -> GB	0.803	0.299	0.563	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.790	0.411	0.465	-1.56%	37.56%	-17.33%
HS -> GB	0.840	0.285	0.603	4.67%	-4.75%	7.11%
GB -> PB	0.735	0.403	0.438	-1.34%	-6.44%	1.74%
None -> PB	0.745	0.430	0.430	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.708	0.395	0.425	-5.03%	-8.23%	-1.16%
GB -> HS	0.863	0.371	0.543	3.60%	6.50%	0.00%
PB -> HS	0.828	0.380	0.510	-0.60%	9.07%	-5.99%
None -> HS	0.833	0.348	0.543	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	-0.04292852094	5.617798554	-2.605268381
			text fo	oler attack		
None -> GB	0.803	0.729	0.218	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.790	0.696	0.240	-1.56%	-4.50%	10.34%
HS -> GB	0.840	0.682	0.268	4.67%	-6.51%	22.99%
GB -> PB	0.735	0.653	0.255	-1.34%	-13.12%	37.84%
None -> PB	0.745	0.752	0.185	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.708	0.601	0.283	-5.03%	-20.08%	52.70%
GB -> HS	0.863	0.464	0.463	3.60%	4.35%	0.00%
PB -> HS	0.828	0.514	0.403	-0.60%	15.56%	-12.97%
None -> HS	0.833	0.444	0.463	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	-0.04292852094	-4.049048775	18.48348348

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA
			a2t	attack		
None -> GB	0.788	0.362	0.503	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.785	0.516	0.380	-0.32%	42.56%	-24.45%
HS -> GB	0.808	0.399	0.485	2.54%	10.36%	-3.58%
GB -> PB	0.715	0.563	0.312	1.78%	6.17%	-5.45%
None -> PB	0.703	0.530	0.330	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.655	0.355	0.423	-6.76%	-33.06%	28.18%
GB -> HS	0.788	0.359	0.505	2.94%	10.88%	-2.32%
PB -> HS	0.760	0.461	0.410	-0.65%	42.35%	-20.70%
None -> HS	0.765	0.324	0.517	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		I	Average	-0.07873374735	13.20792545	-4.72032409
			text foo	oler attack		
None -> GB	0.788	0.788	0.168	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
PB -> GB	0.785	0.811	0.148	-0.32%	2.91%	-11.94%
HS -> GB	0.808	0.719	0.228	2.54%	-8.74%	35.82%
GB -> PB	0.715	0.755	0.170	1.78%	-8.47%	38.78%
None -> PB	0.703	0.824	0.123	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
HS -> PB	0.655	0.677	0.213	-6.76%	-17.90%	73.47%
GB -> HS	0.788	0.524	0.373	2.94%	-1.03%	3.47%
PB -> HS	0.760	0.655	0.265	-0.65%	23.67%	-26.39%
None -> HS	0.765	0.529	0.360	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)
		1	Average	-0.07873374735	-1.593146129	18.86813805

Table 12: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on Gemma 2B.

(Dataset sequence)	OAcc	ASR	AUA	Δ OAcc	Δ ASR	Δ AUA				
a2t attack										
None -> GB	0.828	0.293	0.585	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)				
PB -> GB	0.805	0.357	0.518	-2.72%	21.87%	-11.54%				
HS -> GB	0.838	0.331	0.560	1.21%	13.07%	-4.27%				
GB -> PB	0.683	0.399	0.410	0.00%	-0.91%	0.61%				
None -> PB	0.683	0.403	0.408	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)				
HS -> PB	0.698	0.409	0.413	2.20%	1.41%	1.23%				
GB -> HS	0.843	0.401	0.505	0.60%	4.84%	-2.42%				
PB -> HS	0.815	0.426	0.468	-2.69%	11.59%	-9.66%				
None -> HS	0.838	0.382	0.518	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)				
Average				-0.2337206765	8.644694125	-4.341461617				
text fooler attack										
None -> GB	0.828	0.724	0.228	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)				
PB -> GB	0.805	0.826	0.140	-2.72%	13.99%	-38.46%				
HS -> GB	0.838	0.690	0.260	1.21%	-4.79%	14.29%				
GB -> PB	0.683	0.665	0.228	0.00%	2.06%	-4.21%				
None -> PB	0.683	0.652	0.238	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)				
HS -> PB	0.698	0.713	0.200	2.20%	9.39%	-15.79%				
GB -> HS	0.843	0.507	0.418	0.60%	-1.20%	3.09%				
PB -> HS	0.815	0.528	0.385	-2.69%	2.75%	-4.94%				
None -> HS	0.838	0.514	0.405	(baseline)	(baseline)	(baseline)				
		1	Average	-0.2337206765	3.700422687	-7.671279338				

Table 13: Performance metrics for a2t attack and text fooler attack on GPT-2-xl.

C Trade offs

The tables in this section (referenced in 3.4) present the full result related to the impact of two adversarial attack types: **TextFooler** [8], which manipulates tokens, and **A2T** [16], which manipulates gradients. These experiments compare the models' robustness and accuracy under attack, focusing on key performance metrics.

The results show a clear difference in the effectiveness of TextFooler and A2T attacks across transformer-based models like GPT, BERT, and RoBERTa. Gradient-based attacks (A2T) are generally less effective, with higher Accuracy Under Attack (AUA) observed, indicating difficulty in perturbing internal representations. In contrast, TextFooler consistently achieves higher Attack Success Rates (ASR) and lower AUA.

Larger models (RoBERTa-large, GPT-2-large) benefit more from adversarial training, showing greater robustness improvements under both attacks. They exhibit more pronounced decreases in ASR and increases in AUA, indicating better adaptation to adversarial defenses. Smaller models like BERT and GPT-2 experience similar trends but with less significant gains.

TextFooler is more successful at reducing model accuracy, particularly in smaller models, achieving higher ASR and lower AUA. A2T, while less effective, demonstrates higher AUA, especially in larger models, showing that token manipulation remains a stronger attack strategy.

Adversarial training consistently enhances model robustness by reducing ASR and increasing AUA, albeit at the cost of lower Original Accuracy (OA). Early exposure to adversarial examples enables stronger defenses, particularly in larger models, though this comes at the expense of handling clean data with slightly reduced precision.

In conclusion, adversarial fine-tuning reveals a trade-off: while it reduces OA, it significantly boosts robustness against attacks, especially in models exposed early to adversarial data. Larger models show greater adaptation to adversarial defenses, highlighting the importance of model size and architecture in balancing accuracy and robustness.

Model	Metrics	HS	PB	GB	FE HS	FE PB	FE GB	Δ HS %	Δ PB %	Δ GB %
Original data										
	OA	78.34	69.75	71.19	70.21	62.69	70.87	-10.38	-10.12	-0.45
Bert	AUA	30.43	21.76	26.45	31.21	21.41	23.43	2.56	-1.61	-11.42
	ASR	87.13	83.62	82.84	78.51	80.68	79.64	-9.89	-3.52	-3.86
	OA	79.09	70.50	71.94	70.96	67.44	68.62	-10.28	-4.34	-4.61
Bert-large	AUA	32.50	23.83	25.52	33.28	24.48	26.50	2.40	2.73	3.84
-	ASR	82.64	79.13	78.35	74.02	76.19	75.15	-10.43	-3.72	-4.08
	OA	80.19	71.34	72.72	73.13	68.92	70.23	-8.66	-3.40	-3.43
RoBERTa	AUA	33.12	24.56	26.38	34.68	25.78	27.19	4.71	4.97	3.07
	ASR	80.35	78.19	76.72	71.12	74.67	73.12	-11.49	-4.51	-4.69
	OA	81.23	73.45	74.83	75.34	70.95	73.92	-7.25	-3.41	-1.22
RoBERTa-large	AUA	35.67	26.50	28.12	36.84	27.23	29.05	3.28	2.76	3.31
	ASR	78.45	76.32	75.67	69.89	73.10	71.65	-10.89	-4.22	-5.30
	OA	71.20	66.46	66.05	67.67	63.19	66.26	-4.96	-4.92	0.32
GPT-2	AUA	6.48	5.76	4.94	8.23	4.48	4.12	27.01	-22.22	-16.60
	ASR	91.01	91.24	92.33	88.40	92.93	93.83	-2.87	1.85	1.62
	OA	75.16	70.42	70.01	71.97	67.49	70.56	-4.24	-4.16	0.79
GPT-2-medium	AUA	4.32	3.60	2.78	5.91	2.16	1.80	36.81	-40.00	-35.25
	ASR	93.52	93.75	94.84	90.51	95.04	95.94	-3.22	1.38	1.16
	OA	75.08	68.26	68.99	69.74	66.87	68.62	-7.11	-2.04	-0.54
GPT-2-large	AUA	5.74	4.10	3.54	9.94	6.31	4.25	73.17	53.90	20.06
	ASR	93.65	94.32	95.04	88.46	90.10	91.56	-5.54	-4.47	-3.66
				Inclu	iding adver	sarial training				
	OA	75.99	69.42	68.94	69.97	68.37	68.78	-7.92	-1.51	-0.23
Bert	AUA	29.33	27.32	27.46	31.59	28.01	29.34	7.71	2.53	6.85
	ASR	83.66	80.15	79.37	75.04	77.92	76.17	-10.30	-2.78	-4.03
	OA	78.04	71.47	70.99	72.02	70.42	70.83	-7.71	-1.47	-0.23
Bert-large	AUA	34.03	33.02	32.16	36.29	35.71	34.04	6.64	8.15	5.85
	ASR	77.75	74.24	73.46	69.13	72.01	70.26	-11.09	-3.00	-4.36
	OA	79.23	72.34	71.73	74.18	71.19	72.45	-6.34	-1.59	1.00
RoBERTa	AUA	35.12	34.19	33.42	37.23	36.12	35.67	6.01	5.65	6.73
	ASR	76.24	73.68	72.58	67.23	71.56	69.78	-11.82	-2.88	-3.85
	OA	80.50	73.78	73.00	76.12	72.68	74.29	-5.45	-1.49	1.77
RoBERTa-large	AUA	37.50	35.23	34.67	39.12	37.45	36.23	4.32	6.30	4.50
	ASR	75.45	72.34	71.78	68.10	70.34	69.23	-9.85	-4.27	-3.985
	OA	72.80	65.98	66.71	66.65	63.78	65.53	-8.45	-3.33	-1.77
GPT-2	AUA	8.21	6.57	6.01	14.51	10.82	8.76	76.74	64.69	45.76
	ASR	90.46	91.13	91.85	85.79	87.43	88.89	-5.16	-4.06	-3.22
GPT-2-medium	OA	74.03	67.21	67.94	68.72	65.85	67.60	-7.17	-2.02	-0.50
	AUA	7.35	5.71	5.15	13.72	10.03	7.97	86.67	75.66	54.76
	ASR	91.58	92.25	92.97	86.93	88.57	90.03	-5.08	-3.99	-3.16
	OA	75.08	68.26	68.99	69.74	66.87	68.62	-7.11	-2.04	-0.54
GPT-2-large	AUA	5.74	4.10	3.54	9.94	6.31	4.25	73.17	53.90	20.06
	ASR	93.65	94.32	95.04	88.46	90.10	91.56	-5.54	-4.47	-3.66

Table 14: Impact of TextFooller Attack on Model Performance.

Model	Metrics	HS	PB	GB	FE HS	FE PB	FE GB	Δ HS %	Δ PB %	$\Delta~{ m GB}~\%$
Original data										
	OA	78.07	69.48	70.92	69.94	62.42	70.6	-10.41	-10.16	-0.45
Bert	AUA	54.26	45.59	50.28	55.04	45.24	47.26	1.44	-0.77	-6.01
	ASR	30.61	34.31	30.5	21.55	29.73	33.1	-29.60	-13.35	8.52
	OA	77.82	69.23	70.67	71.17	63.65	71.83	-8.55	-8.06	1.64
Bert-large	AUA	61.60	52.93	57.62	62.38	52.58	54.60	1.27	-0.66	-5.24
	ASR	23.69	27.39	23.58	15.87	22.67	21.95	-33.01	-17.23	-6.91
	OA	78.45	70.50	72.15	73.30	65.95	73.50	-6.56	-6.46	1.87
RoBERTa	AUA	63.10	55.45	59.10	64.25	56.05	57.95	1.82	1.08	-1.95
	ASR	22.10	26.30	24.50	14.75	21.20	19.35	-33.24	-19.39	-20.98
	OA	81.12	73.48	75.62	76.03	70.37	76.89	-6.10	-4.23	1.68
RoBERTa-large	AUA	65.24	58.37	61.78	66.78	59.24	60.97	2.36	1.49	-1.31
	ASR	20.45	24.68	22.57	12.67	19.78	18.34	-38.04	-19.85	-18.7
	OA	73.88	63.05	67.36	68.35	65.7	68.61	-7.49	4.20	1.86
GPT-2	AUA	50.41	39.99	45.81	52.57	43.25	46.2	4.28	8.15	0.85
	ASR	31.8	36.52	31.64	23.29	34.06	32.26	-26.76	-6.74	1.96
	OA	75.55	70.65	69.03	71.22	68.57	71.48	-5.73	-2.94	3.55
GPT-2-medium	AUA	47.52	44.1	42.92	50.58	45.26	44.21	6.44	2.63	3.01
	ASR	34.92	35.64	34.76	29.32	34.62	35.60	-16.04	-2.86	2.4
	OA	76.33	71.28	69.81	72.03	69.34	72.25	-5.63	-2.72	3.50
GPT-2-large	AUA	45.18	41.76	40.58	48.37	43.05	42.21	7.06	3.09	4.02
-	ASR	37.33	38.05	37.17	31.69	36.99	37.97	-15.11	-2.79	2.15
	•			Inclu	iding adver	sarial training				
	OA	75.8	69.23	68.75	69.78	68.18	68.59	-7.94	-1.52	-0.23
Bert	AUA	50.25	48.24	48.38	52.51	48.93	50.26	4.50	1.43	3.89
	ASR	33.92	30.41	29.63	25.3	28.18	26.43	-25.41	-7.33	-10.80
	OA	74.99	68.42	67.94	70.53	68.93	69.34	-5.95	0.75	2.06
Bert-large	AUA	57.20	55.19	55.33	59.46	55.88	57.21	3.95	1.25	3.40
	ASR	26.08	22.57	21.79	17.46	20.34	18.59	-33.05	-9.88	-14.69
	OA	76.50	69.20	69.15	72.00	69.75	71.20	-5.88	0.80	2.97
RoBERTa	AUA	59.35	56.75	57.10	61.25	57.55	58.75	3.20	1.41	2.89
	ASR	24.50	22.10	20.95	16.25	19.90	18.07	-33.67	-9.95	-13.74
	OA	79.63	72.18	71.92	74.79	71.78	73.34	-6.07	-0.55	1.98
RoBERTa-large	AUA	62.72	59.18	58.67	64.89	60.32	61.45	3.46	1.93	4.73
-	ASR	22.73	21.36	20.79	14.89	18.12	17.03	-34.52	-14.98	-18.10
	OA	73.41	62.59	65.94	67.58	62.86	68.05	-7.94	0.43	3.20
GPT-2	AUA	53.12	39.83	39.82	50.96	48.05	41.17	-4.07	20.64	3.39
	ASR	27.18	36.57	39.43	24.39	23.48	39.46	-10.26	-35.79	0.08
	OA	74.95	64.13	67.48	69.36	64.64	69.83	-7.46	0.80	3.48
GPT-2-medium	AUA	51.01	44.72	37.71	48.98	46.07	39.19	-3.98	3.02	3.92
	ASR	29.87	39.26	42.12	27.12	34.21	42.19	-9.21	-12.86	0.17
	OA	74.81	67.99	68.72	69.61	66.74	68.49	-6.95	-1.84	-0.33
GPT-2-large	AUA	4.71	3.07	2.51	11.74	8.05	5.99	149.26	162.21	138.65
3.	ASR	94.36	95.03	95.75	88.96	90.60	92.06	-5.72	-4.66	-3.85
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Table 15: Impact of A2T Attack on Model Performance.