Large Language Models for Data Annotation: A Survey

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Abstract

Data annotation generally refers to the labeling or generating of raw data with relevant information, which could be used for improving the efficacy of machine learning models. 005 The process, however, is labor-intensive and costly. The emergence of advanced Large Language Models (LLMs), exemplified by GPT-4, 007 presents an unprecedented opportunity to automate the complicated process of data annotation. While existing surveys have extensively covered LLM architecture, training, and gen-011 eral applications, we uniquely focus on their specific utility for data annotation. This survey contributes to three core aspects: LLM-Based Annotation Generation, LLM-Generated Annotations Assessment, and LLM-Generated Annotations Utilization. Furthermore, this survey 017 includes an in-depth taxonomy of data types that LLMs can annotate, a comprehensive re-019 view of learning strategies for models utilizing LLM-generated annotations, and a detailed discussion of the primary challenges and limitations associated with using LLMs for data annotation. Serving as a key guide, this survey aims to assist researchers and practitioners in exploring the potential of the latest LLMs for data annotation, thereby fostering future 027 advancements in this critical field.

1 Introduction

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In the complex realm of machine learning and natural language processing (NLP), data annotation stands out as a critical yet challenging task, extending beyond simple label attachment to encompass a diverse array of fundamental or auxiliary information. This detailed process typically involves **①** categorizing raw data with class or task labels for basic classification, **②** adding intermediate labels for contextual depth (Yu et al., 2022), **③** assigning confidence scores to assess annotation reliability (Lin et al., 2022), **④** applying alignment or preference labels to tailor outputs to specific criteria or user needs, **⑤** annotating entity relationships to understand how entities within a dataset interact with each other (Wadhwa et al., 2023), **③** marking semantic roles to define the underlying roles that entities play in a sentence (Larionov et al., 2019), or **④** tagging temporal sequences to capture the order of events or actions (Yu et al., 2023).

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Despite its wide applications, data annotation poses significant challenges for current machine learning models due to the complexity, subjectivity, and diversity of data. This process requires domain expertise and is resource-intensive, particularly when manually labeling large datasets. Advanced LLMs such as GPT-4 (OpenAI, 2023), Gemini (Team et al., 2023), and LLaMA-2 (Touvron et al., 2023b) offer a promising opportunity to revolutionize data annotation. LLMs serve as more than just tools but play a crucial role in improving the effectiveness and precision of data annotation. Their ability to automate annotation tasks (A, 2022), ensure consistency across large volumes of data (Hou et al., 2023), and adapt through finetuning or prompting for specific domains (Song et al., 2023), significantly mitigates the challenges encountered with traditional annotation methods, setting a new standard for what is achievable in the realm of NLP. This survey delves into the nuances of using LLMs for data annotation, exploring methodologies, utilizing strategies, and associated challenges in this transformative approach. Through this exploration, we aim to shed light on the motivations behind embracing LLMs as catalysts for redefining the landscape of data annotation in machine learning and NLP. We explore the utilization of LLMs for data annotation in this survey, making four main contributions:

• **LLM-Based Annotation Generation:** We dive into the process of generating annotations for various data types, including instruction & response, rationale, pairwise feedback, textual feedback, and other domain-specific data. Additionally, we discuss the criteria (*e.g.*, diversity and quality) in

the annotation process.

generated annotations.

• Assessing LLM-Generated Annotations: We

explore various methods for assessing the quality

of annotations and strategies for selecting high-

quality annotations from numerous options.

• LLM-Generated Annotations Utilization: We

investigate the methodologies at different stages,

including supervised fine-tuning, alignment tun-

ing, and inference time, to train machine learning

models based on LLM-generated annotations.

• Social Impact and Future Work: We discuss

issues ranging from ethical dilemmas, such as

bias and implications, to technical limitations,

including hallucination and efficiency in LLM-

Focusing on this underrepresented aspect of LLM

application, the survey aims to serve as a valuable

guide for academics and practitioners who intend

to deploy LLMs for annotation purposes. Note

that in this survey, we primarily focus on pure lan-

guage models and do not extensively cover recently

emerging multimodal LLMs, such as LLaVA (Liu

et al., 2023b). Figure 1 illustrates the general struc-

ture of this survey. Additionally, a list of potential

tools for utilizing LLMs for annotation is included

in Appendix A, along with explanatory examples.

Differences from Other LLM-related Surveys.

While existing surveys in the NLP domain ex-

tensively cover architectural nuances (Zhao et al.,

2023a), training methodologies (Liu et al., 2023d),

and evaluation protocols (Chang et al., 2023)

associated with LLMs, their main focus lies

on the capabilities of models for specific end

tasks such as machine translation (Min et al.,

2021), alignment (Wang et al., 2023g), code gen-

eration (Zan et al., 2023), and medical analy-

sis (Thirunavukarasu et al., 2023). In contrast, this

survey distinguishes itself by focusing primarily

on the application of these potent next-generation

LLMs to the intricate realm of data annotation, a

In this section, we delve into our approach to the

annotation process. We introduce two core mod-

els: an annotator model, denoted as \mathcal{A} , which maps

input data to annotations, and a task learner, rep-

resented as \mathcal{L} , that utilizes or learns from these

annotated data to accomplish specific tasks. Our

primary focus is on utilizing advanced LLMs like

GPT-4 (OpenAI, 2023) and LLaMA (Touvron et al.,

2023a) as annotators (A), while the task learner (L)

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domain that is crucial yet underexplored.

Preliminaries

can be another large model (Chiang et al., 2023a)

or a less complex one such as BERT (Devlin et al.,

2018), which utilizes these annotated data to per-

form designated tasks. LLM-generated annotations

encompass categorical labels and enhance raw data

points with a comprehensive array of auxiliary

signals. These annotations, including confidence

scores, contextual details, and other metadata, ex-

LLM-Based Annotation Generation

The emergence of LLMs has sparked significant

interest in their capacity for high-quality, context-

sensitive data annotation. This section discusses

various kinds of annotations produced via LLMs.

Instruction and response are the two fundamental

components that constitute a dataset for LLM fine-

tuning and in-context learning (ICL). Previous NLP

datasets (Li et al., 2017; Wang et al., 2018; Ouyang

et al., 2022) mainly rely on human annotators to

construct. Recently, with the advent of LLMs, au-

tomatic and generative methods (Meng et al., 2022;

Ye et al., 2022a,b; Wang et al., 2024c) have gained

Instruction Diversity. The diversity of instruc-

tion has been proven crucial for LLM learning (Li

et al., 2023e; Song et al., 2024b,a). Recent stud-

ies have explored various methods to diversify and

augment instructions in the original datasets. For

example, Yoo et al. (2021) enhance data diver-

sity by mixing two different samples to create a

new one. Wang et al. (2022b) use a few manually-

written seed instructions and iteratively augment

them with a generate-then-filter pipeline. Addi-

tionally, Meng et al. (2023); Wang et al. (2023f)

train an instruction generation model in the origi-

nal dataset to augment the diversity of instruction.

Gupta et al. (2023) employ a multi-step prompting

method to first generate task descriptions, which

are then used as instance seeds to guide LLMs in

instruction generation. To obtain informative and

diverse examples, Wang et al. (2023c) propose an

explain-then-generate pipeline with LLMs for it-

erative data synthesis. Besides, Li et al. (2023a)

paraphrase the given sample multiple times to help

LLMs understand them from different perspectives.

Köksal et al. suggest a clustering-based data selec-

tion method to ensure diversity in the initial seed

data for augmentation. Recently, Yu et al. (2024) in-

troduce AttrPrompt as an effective way to balance

tend beyond traditional categorical labels.

3.1 Instruction & Response

more focus in data annotation.

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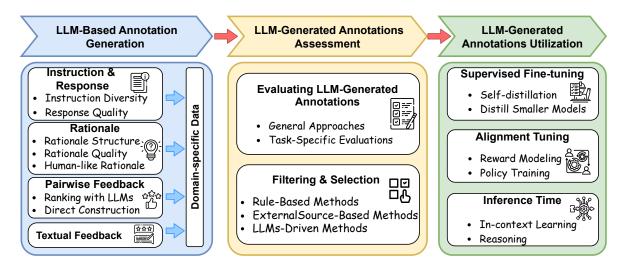


Figure 1: The proposed taxonomy of existing research on LLM for data annotation.

diversity and cost in LLM-based data annotation. **Response Quality.** High-quality responses are essential for effective fine-tuning and ICL (Luo et al., 2024). To improve the quality of the generated response, Zhang and Yang (2023a) frame the response generation as reading comprehension tasks and create detailed prompts for LLMs. Huang et al. (2023) adopt self-consistency (Wang et al., 2022b) in response generation, selecting from the candidate response with the highest confidence score. Furthermore, Yang et al. (2024b) propose selfdistill and augment the instruction tuning dataset by rewriting the original responses. Pang et al. (2024b) conduct social simulations to ensure high-quality, human-valued responses from LLMs. Moreover, Liu et al. (2024) introduce a multi-step prompting including question analysis, answer guidance and safe answer production in their response generation pipeline. Guo et al. (2024a) enhance the LLMs outputs' quality by implementing retrieval-augmented ICL and providing LLMs with relevant documents. To ensure LLMs provide responses aligned with human values, Sun et al. (2024) and Wang et al. (2024a) conduct principle-driven prompting, guiding LLMs with well-crafted and detailed principles.

3.2 Rationale

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The rationale reflects the detailed thought process 211 and reasoning pathway an individual follows when 212 solving a given question, being considered valuable 213 auxiliary information for the final answer prediction. In early studies (Ling et al., 2017; Cobbe 215 et al., 2021; Wei et al., 2022), the rationale in each 216 dataset was annotated by human experts, signifi-217 cantly limiting its availability and scalability. Ko-218 jima et al. (2022) initially confirm the efficacy of 219

the chain-of-thought (CoT) approach in LLMs and boosting LLMs' reasoning through the integration of self-generated rationales.

Rationale Structure. Following Kojima et al. (2022), there is a notable interest in abstracting the reasoning process of LLMs into diverse structures and format, including trees (Hao et al., 2023; Yao et al., 2024), graphs (Besta et al., 2024; Yao et al., 2023), tables (Wang et al., 2024d), programs (Chen et al., 2023e), recursion (Qi et al., 2023), and concepts (Tan et al., 2023).

Rationale Quality. To produce high-quality and fine-grained rationale, diverse methodologies have been employed. Wang et al. (2022a) prompt frozen LLMs to produce choice-specific rationales to elucidate each choice in a sample. Wang et al. (2023b) employ contrastive decoding to foster more plausible rationales, taking into account gold-standard answers. Liu et al. (2023a) curate meticulously designed prompts to derive high-quality rationales from GPT-4 and construct a logical CoT instruction tuning dataset. For attaining fine-grained rationales, Shridhar et al. (2023) introduce Socratic CoT by decomposing the original question into a series of subquestion-solution pairs and generating CoT for them separately. Additionally, Kang et al. (2024) propose a neural reranker to acquire supplementary relevant documents for rationale generation in knowledge-intensive reasoning tasks.

Human-like Rationale. Another intriguing avenue in synthesized rationale delves into making the reasoning process more human-like. Many studies emulate human diverse thinking in problem-solving, sampling multiple reasoning pathways for a given question (Gao et al., 2021; Wang et al., 2022b; Chen et al., 2023f; Liu et al., 2023c). Subsequent

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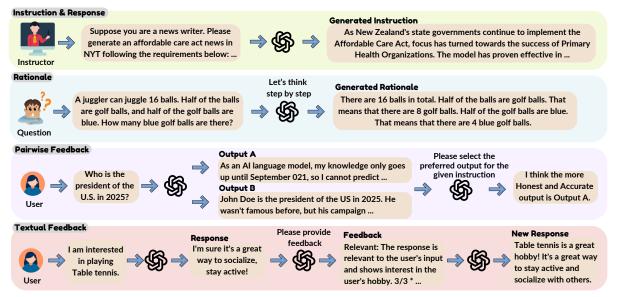


Figure 2: The examples for LLM-based annotation generation.

studies (Tong et al., 2023; Balepur et al., 2023; Ma and Du, 2023) explore the elimination reasoning in LLMs, checking each reasoning pathway reversely and removing the incorrect candidates. Moreover, various works (Yin et al., 2023; Liang et al., 2023; Xu et al., 2023d; Liu et al., 2023e) explore the peer collaboration and debate among individual LLMs to capture human-like discussions as rationales.

3.3 Pairwise Feedback

While high-quality human feedback is proven to be effective in aligning LLMs' values and preferences with us humans, recent advancements aim to automate this pairwise feedback mechanism.

Ranking with LLMs. One technique is to sample multiple responses and have the LLM rank these candidates based on various criteria (Bai et al., 2022; Lee et al., 2023b; Yuan et al., 2024). Sun et al. (2023b) sample two responses from the initial policy model and use the model to select the preferred response based on a human-written principle (Sun et al., 2024). Zhang et al. (2024a) propose a self-evaluation mechanism, generating questions for each response and measuring factuality by the LLM's confidence in the answers. To improve synthetic data quality, Pace et al. (2024) combine the Best-of-N and Worst-of-N sampling strategies and introduce the West-of-N approach. They constructed data pairs by identifying the best- and worst-scored responses according to a pre-trained preference model. In robotics, Zeng et al. (2024) iteratively update the reward function with the selfranked responses from LLMs, enhancing learning efficiency without human supervision. **Direct Construction.** Another effort towards

automatic pairwise feedback generation involves directly generating responses of various qualities (Feng et al., 2024; Lee et al., 2024a). To accomplish this, they typically have to make various assumptions when determining the factors influencing response quality. For example, Kim et al. (2023b) assume larger LLM with more shots will give better responses and produce synthetic pairs based on this. Tong et al. (2024b) follow the rule of thumb that the supervised fine-tuning model will perform better than its unfinetuned base model. Adhere to this criterion, they start with a few seed data, iteratively training the model and synthesizing comparison data pairs. Yang et al. (2023c) create quality differences by prompting LLMs to either follow or violate given principles. To measure the response quality more subjectively, Xu et al. (2023c) introduce multiple LLMs and utilize benchmark scores to define superiority.

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3.4 Textual Feedback

Textual feedback (Pan et al., 2024) generated by LLMs typically highlights the shortcomings of the current output or suggests specific improvements, thus offering rich and valuable information for polishing or evaluating the generated response. Many existing works tailor appropriate prompts and instruct LLMs to generate such informative feedback in various tasks, including question answering (Madaan et al., 2024; Shinn et al., 2024), machine translation (Chen et al., 2023c; Raunak et al., 2023) and hallucination detection (Yang et al., 2023d; Manakul et al., 2023). Some investigations have explored leveraging debate and peer review as feedback to enhance LLMs' reasoning (Du et al.,

2023a; Xu et al., 2023d; Cohen et al., 2023; Fu et al., 2023) and evaluation (Li et al., 2023d; Chu et al., 2024b; Ning et al., 2024) capabilities. Additionally, efforts have been made to analyze reasons for undesired or incorrect responses produced by LLMs, thus facilitating reflection and learning from their previous mistakes (Wang and Li, 2023; An et al., 2023; Chen et al., 2023a; Tong et al., 2024a).

3.5 Other Domain-specific Data

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Distilling multi-round conversations from LLMs presents a highly cost-effective approach for constructing high-quality dialogue datasets (Kim et al., 2023a; Xu et al., 2023b; Chen et al., 2023b; Li et al., 2024d) or enhancing existing ones (Zheng et al., 2023; Chen et al., 2022; Zhou et al., 2022a). In graph and tabular data, several studies prompt LLMs to contextualize these structural data (Xiang et al., 2022; Kim et al., 2023a; Li et al., 2024b; Ronzano and Nanavati, 2024) or distill structural insights from raw text (Bi et al., 2024; Li et al., 2024c; Ding et al., 2024; Xiong et al., 2024; Tuozzo, 2022). Moreover, LLMs have also been widely adopted in the research of robotics and agents, serving as proficient data annotators to generate plans (Huang et al., 2022; Brohan et al., 2023; Rana et al., 2023; Singh et al., 2023; Lin et al., 2023a), simulation tasks (Wang et al., 2023a; Ha et al., 2023) and supervised signal (Kwon et al., 2022; Du et al., 2023b). Besides, LLMs are acting as efficient data annotators in various artificial intelligence domains, including multi-modal (Li et al., 2023f; Yin et al., 2024; Chen et al., 2024a), recommendation system (Acharya et al., 2023; Shen et al., 2024; Wei et al., 2024; Zhang et al., 2024b), information extraction (Josifoski et al., 2023; Jeronymo et al., 2023; Li et al., 2024a; Ma et al., 2024; Bonn et al., 2024) and etc (Chu et al., 2024a; Bhattacharjee et al., 2024; Martorana et al., 2024).

4 LLM-Generated Annotations Assessment

Effective evaluation of annotations generated by LLMs is crucial to fully harness their potential. This section focuses on two main aspects:

4.1 Evaluating LLM-Generated Annotations
 This subsection explores various methods for assessing annotation quality, ranging from human-led to automated approaches.

General Approaches: Research has investigated
diverse methods for evaluating LLM annotations.

The "Turking Test" by Efrat and Levy (2020), evaluates LLMs' adherence to data annotation guidelines, with human annotators comparing LLM outputs against benchmarks like SNLI (Bowman et al., 2015), SQuAD (Rajpurkar et al., 2016), and NewsQA (Trischler et al., 2016). Similarly, Honovich et al. (2022) manually examined the originality, accuracy, and variety of datasets created by LLMs, focusing on their response to instructions. Additionally, studies such as by Alizadeh et al. (2023) measure the performance of opensource LLMs against human-annotated labels in tasks like relevance and topic detection. 373

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Task-Specific Evaluations: Methodologies vary by application. For instance, in knowledge graph enhancement, token ranking metrics assess LLM contributions in fact completion. Additionally, evaluations of counterfactual generation often utilize diversity metrics like Self-BLEU (Chen et al., 2023g), while code generation relies on metrics such as Pass@k (Nijkamp et al., 2022). In scenarios requiring extensive datasets, the quality of LLMgenerated annotations is compared to gold standard labels within a small, labeled subset (Zhao et al., 2021; Agrawal et al., 2022; He et al., 2023).

4.2 Filtering & Selection

Selecting high-quality annotations from numerous options is crucial. In this section, we categorize the filtering and selection methods for LLM-generated data into three types: rule-based filtering, external source utilization, and LLMs-driven selection. Rule-Based Methods. Rule-based methods follow various heuristic assumptions concerning sample length (Li et al., 2023f; Kim et al., 2023a), keyword occurrence (Kim et al., 2023b; Zheng et al., 2023) and specific patterns (Zhang and Yang, 2023a; Guo et al., 2024a; Ding et al., 2024) to filter low-quality or undesiered synthetic data points. Zheng et al. (2023); Kim et al. (2023a) establish thresholds for the number of rounds in generated conversations to guarantee each synthetic dialogue is informative enough. Ho et al. (2023); Kang et al. (2024) employ ground truth parsing to filter out incorrect CoT rationales within each candidate reasoning sample. To encourage diversity among the generated data points, Wang et al. (2022b); Lee et al. (2023a); Ding et al. (2024) utilize semantic similarity metrics to identify and remove redundant samples.

External-Source-Based Methods. There are also many works that depend on the external source's feedback to clean and refine synthetic

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datasets (Kim et al., 2023a). With a pre-trained 424 reward model, Gulcehre et al. (2023); Dong et al. 425 (2023) augment the original dataset only with sam-426 ples that obtain high reward values. When dis-427 tilling smaller models, Lin et al. (2023b); Wang 428 et al. (2024c) meticulously select appropriate data 429 through the feedback from the student models. 430 Other approaches (Chen et al., 2023g; Zheng et al., 431 2023) utilize pre-trained classification models to 432 discern between target and unwanted data points. 433 LLMs-Driven Methods. The versatility of LLMs 434 has invoked interest in leveraging LLMs them-435 selves to do data selection. Some approaches use 436 signals or features produced by LLMs, such as 437 perplexity score (Wang et al., 2023f), confidence 438 levels (Wang et al., 2022b; Huang et al., 2023), 439 and logits (Pace et al., 2024), as criteria for con-440 structing data selectors. Others directly prompt 441 the LLMs for this task. For instance, Lu et al. 442 (2023) query the target LLM to assess the quality 443 of generated samples. Kim et al. (2023a) leverage 444 ChatGPT to determine if the social commonsense 445 knowledge is appropriately conveyed in the syn-446 thetic dialogues. Additionally, there are also works 447 448 that adopt the LLMs to rank multiple candidate annotations and utilize the top ones in the subsequent 449 stages (Jeronymo et al., 2023; Li et al., 2024c). In 450 pairwise feedback synthesis, Tong et al. (2024b) 451 task the base LLM with judging whether one re-452 sponse genuinely surpasses another. 453

5 LLM-Generated Annotations Utilization

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LLM-generated annotations provide a valuable resource of labeled data for NLP models in different stages. Hereby we explore the methods for utilizing and learning with LLM-Generated Annotations.

5.1 Supervised Fine-tuning

Supervised fine-tuning can effectively enhance models' specific capabilities or knowledge. In this section, we discuss the utilization of generated annotation for supervised fine-tuning.

Self-distillation. Huang et al. (2023) first propose the concept of self-improve that utilizes LLMs as both data annotators and learnable models and iteratively fine-tune LLMs in their self-annotated data. Wang et al. (2023e) also tune a GPT3 in the instruction tuning dataset to improve its zeroshot generalization capability. To foster LLMs' evolution, Lu et al. (2023) iteratively fine-tune the LLMs in self-refined synthetic responses. To mitigate the distribution gap between task datasets and the LLMs, Yang et al. (2024b) use self-distillation which guides fine-tuning with a distilled dataset generated by the model itself. Both Chen et al. (2024b) and Cheng et al. (2024) introduce a selfplay mechanism, where the LLM refines its capability by playing against instances of itself.

Distill Smaller Models. For efficiency issues, many studies aim to use the data generated by a large and powerful LLM to train a flexible and affordable smaller model. For a better instructionfollowing ability, many medium and small-sized LLMs are trained on the synthetic dataset produced by larger LLMs (Taori et al., 2023; Chiang et al., 2023b; Xu et al., 2023a). In classification tasks, Meng et al. (2022, 2023); Wang et al. (2023d) augment the original datasets and train smaller bidirectional attention models on them. To foster models' reasoning ability, many studies tune smaller models with synthetic rationales collected from LLMs (Wang et al., 2022a; Shridhar et al., 2023; Liu et al., 2023a; Kang et al., 2024). Other taskspecific capabilities distillation from LLMs include dialogue generation (Xu et al., 2023b), information extraction (Josifoski et al., 2023; Jeronymo et al., 2023) and code generation (Chaudhary, 2023; Roziere et al., 2023). Moreover, LLMs have been proven to follow a scaling law in terms of their knowledge capacity. Therefore, there is also a growing interest in distilling vertical and domain-specific knowledge from LLMs, including medicine (Zhang et al., 2023; Xiong et al., 2023), finance (Zhang and Yang, 2023b) and science (Luo et al., 2023; Zhao et al., 2024), to smaller models.

5.2 Alignment Tuning

Alignment tuning methods, like RLHF (Ouyang et al., 2022), aim to align the output of LLMs with human intentions, ensuring they are helpful, ethical, and reliable. Synthetic data produced by LLMs are widely adopted in these alignment approaches for reward modeling and policy training.

Reward Modeling. LLMs-generated annotations can be used to train or refine the reward model for better alignment. Xu et al. (2023c) propose a data curriculum method that leverages the pairwise feedback from LLMs to calculate the sample difficulty level and smooth LLMs' learning from simple ones to hard ones. Kim et al. (2023b) design reward model guided self-play to iteratively improve the reward model with synthesized data generated by the policy model. Pace et al. (2024) propose to maximize the probability of correctly labeling a pair of on-policy responses to a given query according to the base preference model. In robotics, Zeng et al. (2024) learns a reward function from scratch using the LLMs' feedback. With synthetic data pair, Sun et al. (2023b) train an instructable reward model to generate reward scores based on arbitrary human-defined principles.

Policy Training. While many direct alignment methods (Rafailov et al., 2024; Zhao et al., 2023b) 535 have emerged recently, some works directly explore the use of annotated feedback for policy train-537 ing. One common strategy is to directly apply DPO 539 with the synthetic pairwise feedback produced by LLMs (Yuan et al., 2024; Zhang et al., 2024a; 540 Lee et al., 2024b; Tong et al., 2024b; Lee et al., 541 2024a; Guo et al., 2024b). Besides, Gulcehre et al. (2023); Dong et al. (2023) leverage a pre-trained 543 reward model to filter low-quality synthetic data 544 545 and iteratively tune LLMs with growing datasets. Wang et al. (2024a) propose a bootstrapping self-546 alignment method to repeatly utilize the synthetic 547 data. Liu et al. (2024) introduce the Mixture of insightful Experts (MoTE) architecture, which applies the mixture of experts to enhance each component of the synthetic response, markedly increasing alignment efficiency. With the reasoning pair-552 wise feedback generated by LLM itself, Pang et al. (2024a) use a modified DPO loss with an additional 554 negative log-likelihood term to tune the LLM.

5.3 Inference

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In-context Learning. In-context Learning (ICL) consists of three components: a task description (or prompt), several in-context samples (or demonstration), and the test case that needs to be inferred. Current studies have applied the annotations and data generated by LLMs in all these components for refining or augmenting. Zhou et al. (2022b) first showed that with a well-designed pipeline, LLMs can be human-level prompt engineers to generate accurate task descriptions. Following them, Yang et al. (2023b); Li et al. conduct augmentation and expansion to the original task prompt, making it more detailed for LLMs to follow. Demonstration augmentation (Kim et al., 2022; Li et al., 2023c; Chen et al., 2023d; He et al., 2024) is another useful skill to enrich and diversify the provided demonstrations, especially when the labeled data is limited. For the test sample, one augmentation method is to leverage LLMs to rephrase it once (Deng et al., 2023) or multiple times (Li et al., 2023a; Yang

original test sample (Xi et al., 2023) or decompose it into several sub-questions (Wang et al., 2024b). Reasoning. Reasoning plays a crucial role in enhancing the quality and accuracy of the content generated by LLMs. One efficient manner to boost LLMs' reasoning with self-generated annotation is to provide the generated rationale directly before outputting the final answer/ response (Kojima et al., 2022). To improve LLMs' performance with multiple reasoning pathways, majority voting(Wang et al., 2022b; Chen et al., 2023f) and elimination(Tong et al., 2023; Balepur et al., 2023; Ma and Du, 2023) are adopted to decide the final answer among several possible candidates. Posthoc editing and refining (Madaan et al., 2024; Tong et al., 2024a) is another well-studied direction to utilize textual feedback and analysis for improving LLMs' reasoning capabilities. Additionally, utilization of LLMs-generated annotations sometimes requires additional domain tools. For example, Chen et al. (2023e) use a program interpreter in programof-thought (PoT) to execute the generated program and convert it to a specific answer. Besta et al. (2024) design a prompter to Build a prompt to be sent to the LLM and a parser to extract information from LLM thought. In tree-of-thought (ToT), Hao et al. (2023); Yao et al. (2024) build an additional state evaluator by designing specific prompts and repurposing the base LLM.

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6 Societal Impact and Future Work

In this section, we outline LLM annotation challenges, including societal implications, technical concerns, and bias propagation.

6.1 Ethics Consideration

One critical concern of LLM-generated annotations is the ethics consideration, especially in high-stakes decision-making tasks like finance (Yang et al., 2023a), jurisprudence (Cui et al., 2023), and healthcare (Eloundou et al., 2023). Despite the efficiency of LLM annotation, the lack of human insight may lead to biased and unfair results (Wu et al., 2023; Abid et al., 2021; Cheng et al., 2021; Li et al., 2023g). Moreover, LLMs make human annotator roles redundant, potentially increasing social disparities (Dillion et al., 2023). Future studies should harmonize technological advancements with societal consequences, including considering social implications, ensuring ethical use, promoting fairness, and maintaining transparency.

6.2 Challenges and Future Work

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Model Collapse. Model collapse refers to the gradual performance decrease of an LLM trained on the outputs of other LLMs (Sun et al., 2023a; Gunasekar et al., 2023; Hsieh et al., 2023; Honovich et al., 2022; Chiang et al., 2023a; Geng et al., 2023). It is unavoidable since LLM-generated data is occupying the information ecosystem. The imitation model often replicates stylistic elements without achieving the factual precision of superior models (Gudibande et al., 2023; Shumailov et al., 2023). This divergence is caused by *statistical approximation error* from limited sample sizes and *functional approximation error* from constrained model capacity. Both errors tend to amplify through successive training cycles (Alemohammad et al., 2023).

Potential Solution. It is important to ensure that
the training data is diverse and high-quality, with a
significant proportion of human-generated content.
Gerstgrasser et al. (2024) avoid model collapse
by accumulating real and machine-generated data.
This method maintains data diversity, preventing
performance degradation across different LLMs.

Hallucinations. Hallucinations in LLMs significantly undermine the integrity and reliability of their generated annotations (Alkaissi and McFarlane, 2023; Azamfirei et al., 2023; Chaudhary et al., 653 2024). Hullicinated outputs detached from fac-654 tual information can cause the proliferation of misinformation (Jiang et al., 2024; Chen and Shu, 656 2023). Addressing hallucinations requires refining 657 the training process and implementing validation mechanisms for annotations through automated and manual verification (Liao and Vaughan, 2023; Pan et al., 2023; Bian et al., 2023). Moreover, the inherent opacity of LLMs complicates efforts to investigate the causes of hallucinations.

Potential Solution. Yang et al. (2023d) addresses hallucinations in LLMs with the Reverse Valida-665 tion method, detecting hallucinations at the passage level by constructing a query from the response and checking for a match within the LLM's internal knowledge. Bertaglia et al. (2023) uses Chain-of-669 Thought (CoT) prompting and explanation genera-670 tion, where CoT prompting produces explanations 671 for predictions, ensuring logical and verifiable outputs. Li et al. (2023b) proposes the CoAnnotating 673 framework, which uses uncertainty-guided work 674 allocation between humans and LLMs, applying 675 self-evaluation and entropy metrics to assess reliability and distribute tasks effectively. 677

Efficiency of LLMs. Efficiency in LLMs is crucial due to their growing size and complexity, which demand substantial computational resources (Wong et al., 2024). Efficient models reduce inference latency, vital for real-time applications, lower energy consumption for sustainable AI practices, and cut operational costs in cloud environments, making AI more cost-effective for researchers. Efficiency techniques for LLMs, such as pruning, compression, and distillation, are critical for deploying these models in resource-constrained environments. 678

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Potential Solution. Pruning is an efficient technique to reduce the number of parameters in an LLM. For example, Ma et al. (2023) selectively removes redundant neurons based on gradient information while preserving most of the LLM's capability. Mixture of Experts (MoE) is another promising technique that leverages a set of expert sub-models, where only a subset of these experts is activated for any given input (Artetxe et al., 2021). Researchers also adopt LLM Quantization to reduce the precision of the numbers used to represent a model's parameters (Xiao et al., 2023). Instead of using 32-bit floating-point numbers, a quantized model might use 16-bit floats, 8-bit integers, or even lower precision. These techniques can be combined with each other to achieve further efficiencies.

7 Conclusion

The exploration of LLMs for data annotation has revealed an exciting frontier in NLP, presenting novel solutions to longstanding challenges like data scarcity, and enhancing annotation quality and process efficiency. This survey meticulously reviews methodologies, applications, and hurdles associated with LLM employment, including detailed taxonomy from annotation generation to utilization. It evaluates the effects of LLM-generated annotations on training machine learning models while addressing both technical and ethical concerns like bias and societal ramifications. Highlighting our novel taxonomy of LLM methodologies, strategies for utilizing LLM-generated annotations, and a critical discussion on the challenges, this work aims to steer future progress in this crucial area. Additionally, we introduce a comprehensive categorization of techniques and compile extensive benchmark datasets to support ongoing research endeavors, concluding with an examination of persistent challenges and open questions, paving the way for future investigative pursuits in the domain.

728 Limitations

- 729 Sampling Bias and Hallucination. LLMs can display sampling bias, leading to incorrect or "hallucinated" data, impacting the reliability and quality of annotations for discriminative tasks.
- Social Bias and Ethical Dilemmas. The inherent biases in training data can be perpetuated and
 amplified by LLMs, leading to ethical concerns
 and the propagation of social biases through annotated data. This is particularly problematic in tasks
 requiring fairness and impartiality.
- 739 Dependence on High-Quality Data. LLMs' use740 fulness in generating annotations depends on large,
 741 high-quality datasets. But curating these datasets is
 742 labor-intensive, posing a scalability challenge for
 743 LLM-based annotation efforts.
- Complexity in Tuning and Prompt Engineering.
 Successfully leveraging LLMs for data annotation
 requires sophisticated prompt engineering and finetuning techniques. This can pose a barrier to entry
 for practitioners and researchers without extensive
 expertise in NLP and machine learning.
- Generalization and Overfitting While LLMs can
 be powerful tools for annotation, there's a risk of
 overfitting to the training data, limiting their ability
 to generalize to unseen data or different contexts.
 This is a critical limitation for discriminative tasks
 where the goal is to develop models that perform
 well across diverse datasets and domains.
- 757 Computational and Resource Requirements.
 758 The training and deployment of state-of-the-art
 759 LLMs for data annotation require substantial com760 putational resources, which may not be accessible
 761 to all researchers and organizations, thereby limit762 ing widespread adoption.

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A LLM-assisted Tools and Software for Annotation

LLM-assisted annotation tools and software are invaluable resources designed specifically to facilitate the annotation process for various NLP tasks. One of their primary attributes is an intuitive and user-friendly interface, allowing engineers and even non-technical annotators to easily work with complex textual data. These tools are built to support numerous annotation types, from simple binary labels to more intricate hierarchical structures. The main goal of these tools is to simplify the labeling process, enhance the quality of the labels, and boost overall productivity in data annotation.

Below, we will present a selection of the libraries and tools that support Large Language Models for the annotation process:

• LangChain: LangChain (Harrison, 2022) is an open-source library¹ that offers an array of tools designed to facilitate the construction of LLM-related pipelines and workflows. This library specifically provides large language models with agents in order to interact effectively with their environment as well as various external data sources. Therefore, providing dynamic and contextually appropriate responses that go beyond a single LLM call.

In terms of the annotation process, their power mostly lies in the facilitation of annotation through the creation of a modularized structure called *chain*. In the chaining technique, a complex problem is broken down into smaller sub-tasks. The results obtained from one or more steps are then aggregated and utilized as input prompts for subsequent actions in the chain.

¹As of now, available only in JavaScript/TypeScript and Python languages.

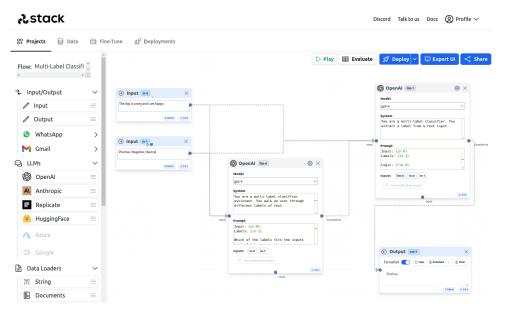


Figure 3: Stack AI dashboard. They provide a visual interface for users to design and track the AI workflow.

• Stack AI: Stack AI (Aceituno and Rosinol, 1916 2022) is a paid service that offers an AI-1917 powered data platform. It is designed explic-1918 itly for automating business processes allowing them to maximize efficiency. The essence 1920 of their platform lies in their ability to *visually* 1921 design, test, and deploy AI workflows through 1922 smooth integration of Large Language Mod-1923 els. Their user-friendly graphical interface (Figure 3) allows the users to create apps and workflows related to diverse tasks from 1926 content creation and data labeling to conver-1927 sational AI apps and document processing. 1928 Moreover, Stack AI utilizes weakly super-1929 vised machine learning models to expedite 1930 the data preparation process. 1931

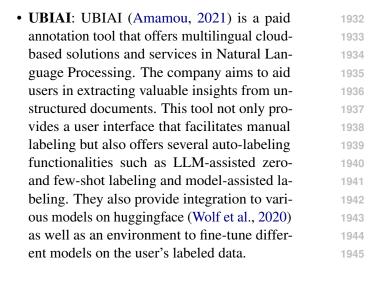




Figure 4: UBIAI annotation result on a pdf document. All the entities in the text of the document have been identified, annotated, and color-coded based on the type. This image has been borrowed from the videos provided in the UBIAI documentation (Amamou, 2021).

• Prodigy: Prodigy (Montani and Honnibal, 1946 2018), designed by the creators of spaCy 1947 library (Honnibal and Montani, 2017), of-1948 fers rule-based, statistical models, and LLM-1949 assisted methods for annotation. This tool pro-1950 vides easy, flexible, and powerful annotation 1951 options such as named entity recognition, span 1952 categorization, and classification/labeling for different modalities including text, audio, and 1954 vision. Moreover, it can be easily integrated with large language models which are capa-1956 ble of zero- or few-shot learning, while also 1957 offering services and quantifiable methods for 1958 crafting prompts to address any noisy out-1959 comes. This tool is not open-source. 1960

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C Collections of Papers on LLM for Data Annotation

This collection of tables provides a concise 1967 overview of using Large Language Models (LLMs) 1968 for data annotation, including state-of-the-art tech-1969 niques, methodologies, and practical applications. 1970 Table 1 and Table 2 lists significant papers on LLM-1971 based data annotation, detailing their methods, core 1972 technologies, publication venues, and links to re-1973 sources. Table 3 focuses on assessment and filter-1974 ing of LLM-generated annotations. Tables 4 ex-1975 plore strategies for learning with LLM-generated 1976 annotations, covering supervised fine-tuning, align-1977 ment tuning and inference. Each table clearly out-1978 lines the data type, backbone, computational cost, 1979 venues, and available resources, serving as a guide 1980 to the latest in LLM-driven data annotation and 1981 its implications for the future of automated data 1982 processing and machine learning research. 1983

Paper	Data Type	Backbone	Annotation Cost	Venue	Code/Data Link
Instruction & Response					
GPT3Mix: Leveraging Large-scale Language Models for Text Augmentation ^[1]	Instruction	GPT-3	API Calling, 300 tokens per sample	EMNLP'21	Link
SELF-INSTRUCT: Aligning Language Models with Self-Generated Instructions ^[2]	Instruction & Response	GPT-3	API Calling, \$600 for entire dataset	ACL'23	Link
Tuning Language Models as Training Data Generators for Augmentation-Enhanced Few-Shot Learning ^[3]	Instruction	CTRL	Model Training, Nvidia A100 GPUs, 10 minutes per task	ICML'23	Link
SASS: SELF-ALIGNMENT WITH SEMI-SUPERVISED INSTRUCTION DATA GENERATION ^[4]	Instruction	LLaMA	Model Training, Nvidia A100 GPUs	OpenRview'24	Not Available
DAIL: Data Augmentation for In-Context Learning via Self-Paraphrase ^[5]	Instruction	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Not Available
LongForm: Effective Instruction Tuning with Reverse Instructions ^[6]	Instruction	GPT-3	PI Calling	ICLR'24	Link
Large Language Model as Attributed Training Data Generator: A Tale of Diversity and Bias ^[7]	Instruction	ChatGPT	API Calling	NeurIPS'23	Link
SELF-QA: Unsupervised Knowledge Guided Language Model Alignment ^[8]	Instruction & Response	BLOOM	Model Inference	Arxiv'23	Not Available
LARGE LANGUAGE MODELS CAN SELF-IMPROVE ^[9]	Response	PaLM-540B	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Not Available
Self-Distillation Bridges Distribution Gap in Language Model Fine-Tuning ^[10]	Response	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	ACL'24	Link
Mixture of insighTful Experts (MoTE): The Synergy of Thought Chains and Expert Mixtures in Self-Alignment ^[11]	Response	Alpaca	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Human-Instruction-Free LLM Self-Alignment with Limited Samples ^[12]	Instruction & Response	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference, single NVIDIA A100 80G GPU	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Principle-Driven Self-Alignment of Language Models from Scratch with Minimal Human Supervision ^[13]	Response	LLaMA	Model Inference	NeurIPS'23	Link
Step-On-Feet Tuning: Scaling Self-Alignment of LLMs via Bootstrapping ^[14]	Response	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Assessing Empathy in Large Language Models with Real-World Physician-Patient Interactions ^[15]	Response	LLaMA	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
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Large Language Models are Zero-Shot Reasoners ^[16]	Rationale - CoT	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	NeurIPS'22	Not Available
Tree of Thoughts: Deliberate Problem Solving with Large Language Models ^[17]	Rationale - Tree	GPT-4	API Calling, \$0.74 per sample	NeurIPS'22	Link
Reasoning with Language Model is Planning with World Model ^[18]	Rationale - Tree	LLaMA	Model Inference, 4×24 GB NVIDIA A5000 GPUs	EMNLP'23	Link
Graph of Thoughts: Solving Elaborate Problems with Large Language Models ^[19]	Rationale - Graph	GPT-3.5	API Calling	AAAI'24	Link
Beyond Chain-of-Thought, Effective Graph-of-Thought Reasoning in Language Models ^[20]	Rationale - Graph	GPT-3	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
CHAIN-OF-TABLE: EVOLVING TABLES IN THE REASONING CHAIN FOR TABLE UNDERSTANDING ^[21]	Rationale - Table	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	ICLR'24	Not Available
Program of Thoughts Prompting: Disentangling Computation from Reasoning for Numerical Reasoning Tasks [22]	Rationale - Program	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	TMLR'23	Not Available
The Art of SOCRATIC QUESTIONING: Recursive Thinking with Large Language Models ^[23]	Rationale - Reversion	ChatGPT	API Calling, 9.22 calls per sample	EMNLP'23	Link
Interpreting Pretrained Language Models via Concept Bottlenecks ^[24]	Rationale - Concept	ChatGPT	API Calling	PAKDD'24	Link
PINTO: FAITHFUL LANGUAGE REASONING USING PROMPT-GENERATED RATIONALES ^[25]	Rationale - CoT	GPT-neox	Model Inference	ICLR'23	Link
SCOTT: Self-Consistent Chain-of-Thought Distillation ^[26]	Rationale - CoT	GPT-neox	Model Inference	ACL'23	Link
LogiCoT: Logical Chain-of-Thought Instruction Tuning ^[27]	Rationale - CoT	GPT-4	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Not Available
Distilling Reasoning Capabilities into Smaller Language Models ^[28]	Rationale - CoT	GPT-3	API Calling	ACL'23	Not Available
Knowledge-Augmented Reasoning Distillation for Small Language Models in Knowledge-Intensive Tasks ^[29]	Rationale - CoT	ChatGPT	API Calling	NeurIPS'23	Link
Making Pre-trained Language Models Better Few-shot Learners ^[30]	Rationale - Diverse Thinking	GPT-3	API Calling	ACL'21	Link
SELF-CONSISTENCY IMPROVES CHAIN OF THOUGHT REASONING IN LANGUAGE MODELS ^[31]	Rationale - Diverse Thinking	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	ICLR'23	Not Available
UNIVERSAL SELF-CONSISTENCY FOR LARGE LANGUAGE MODEL GENERATION ^[32]	Rationale - Diverse Thinking		API Calling	Arxiv'23	Not Available
Plan, Verify and Switch: Integrated Reasoning with Diverse X-of-Thoughts ^[33]	Rationale - Diverse Thinking	ChatGPT	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Link
Eliminating Reasoning via Inferring with Planning: A New Framework to Guide LLMs' Non-linear Thinking ^[34]	Rationale - Elimination	PaLM2	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Not Available
It's Not Easy Being Wrong: Large Language Models Struggle with Process of Elimination Reasoning ^[35]	Rationale - Elimination	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	ACL'24	Link
POE: Process of Elimination for Multiple Choice Reasoning ^[36]	Rationale - Elimination	FLAN-T5	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Link
Exchange-of-Thought: Enhancing Large Language Model Capabilities through Cross-Model Communication [37]	Rationale - Collaboration	ChatGPT	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Not Available
Encouraging Divergent Thinking in Large Language Models through Multi-Agent Debate ^[38]	Rationale - Collaboration	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
Towards Reasoning in Large Language Models via Multi-Agent Peer Review Collaboration ^[39]	Rationale - Collaboration	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
DYNAMIC LLM-AGENT NETWORK: AN LLM-AGENT COLLABORATION FRAMEWORK WITH AGENT TEAM OPTIMIZATION ^[40]	Rationale - Collaboration	ChatGPT	API Calling, 16.5 calls per sample	Arxiv'23	Link
Pair-wise Feedback					
Constitutional AI: Harmlessness from AI Feedback ^[41]	Pairwise Feedback	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	Arxiv'22	Link
RLAIF: Scaling Reinforcement Learning from Human Feedback with AI Feedback ^[42]	Pairwise Feedback	PaLM-2	Model Inference, \$0.67 per sample	Arxiv'23	Not Available
Self-Rewarding Language Models ^[43]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
SALMON: SELF-ALIGNMENT WITH INSTRUCTABLE REWARD MODELS ^[44]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	ICLR'24	Link
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Self-Alignment for Factuality: Mitigating Hallucinations in LLMs via Self-Evaluation ^[45]	Pairwise Feedback	T5-XXL	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
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West-of-N: Synthetic Preference Generation for Improved Reward Modeling ^[46] Learning Reward for Robot Skills Using Large Language Models via Self-Alignment ^[47] Aligning Large Language Models through Synthetic Feedback ^[48] Optimizing Language Model's Reasoning Abilities with Weak Supervision ^[49]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA LLaMA		EMNLP'23 Arxiv'24 ICLR'24	Link Not Available
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Table 1: A list of representative LLM-Based Annotation Generation (Instruction & Response, Rationale, Pairwise Feedback) papers with open-source code/data.

Paper	Data Type	Backbone	Annotation Cost	Venue	Code/Data Link
	Textual Feedback				
SELF-REFINE: Iterative Refinement with Self-Feedback ^[1]	Textual Feedback	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	NeurIPS'23	Not Available
Reflexion: Language Agents with Verbal Reinforcement Learning ^[2]	Textual Feedback	GPT-3	API Calling	NeurIPS'23	Link
Iterative Translation Refinement with Large Language Models ^[3]	Textual Feedback	GPT-3.5	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Not Available
Leveraging GPT-4 for Automatic Translation Post-Editing ^[4]	Textual Feedback	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Not Available
A New Benchmark and Reverse Validation Method for Passage-level Hallucination Detection ^[5]	Textual Feedback	ChatGPT	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Link
SELFCHECKGPT: Zero-Resource Black-Box Hallucination Detection for Generative Large Language Models ^[6]	Textual Feedback	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Link
Improving Factuality and Reasoning in Language Models through Multiagent Debate ^[7]	Textual Feedback - Peer Review	Multiple LLMs	API Calling		Link
Towards Reasoning in Large Language Models via Multi-Agent Peer Review Collaboration ^[8]	Textual Feedback - Peer Review	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
LM vs LM: Detecting Factual Errors via Cross Examination ^[9]	Textual Feedback - Peer Review	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Not Available
Improving Language Model Negotiation with Self-Play and In-Context Learning from AI Feedback ^[10]	Textual Feedback - Peer Review	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
PRD: Peer Rank and Discussion Improve Large Language Model based Evaluations ^[11]	Textual Feedback - Peer Review	Multiple LLMs	API Calling, \$0.14 per sample	Arxiv'23	Link
PRE: A Peer Review Based Large Language Model Evaluator ^[12]	Textual Feedback - Peer Review	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Available
PiCO: Peer Review in LLMs based on the Consistency Optimization ^[13]	Textual Feedback - Peer Review	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Learning from Mistakes via Cooperative Study Assistant for Large Language Models ^[14]	Textual Feedback - Mistake	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Link
Learning From Mistakes Makes LLM Better Reasoner ^[15]	Textual Feedback - Mistake	GPT-4	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
GAINING WISDOM FROM SETBACKS: ALIGNING LARGE LANGUAGE MODELS VIA MISTAKE ANALYSIS ^[16]	Textual Feedback - Mistake	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Modeling Inference	ICLR'24	Not Available
Can LLMs Learn from Previous Mistakes? Investigating LLMs' Errors to Boost for Reasoning ^[17]	Textual Feedback - Mistake	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Modeling Inference	ACL'24	Link
	Other Domain-specific Data			•	•
SODA: Million-scale Dialogue Distillation with Social Commonsense Contextualization ^[18]	Dialogue	GPT-3.5	API Calling, \$0.02 per dialogue	EMNLP'23	Link
Baize: An Open-Source Chat Model with Parameter-Efficient Tuning on Self-Chat Data ^[19]	Dialogue	Alpaca	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Link
PLACES: Prompting Language Models for Social Conversation Synthesis ^[20]	Dialogue	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	EACL'24	Not Available
CAMEL: Communicative Agents for "Mind" Exploration of Large Language Model Society ^[21]	Dialogue	ChatGPT	API Calling	NuerIPS'23	Link
AUGESC: Dialogue Augmentation with Large Language Models for Emotional Support Conversation ^[22]	Dialogue	GPT-J	Model Inference	ACL'23	Link
Weakly Supervised Data Augmentation Through Prompting for Dialogue Understanding ^[23]	Dialogue	GPT-J	Model Inference	NeurIPS'22	Not Available
Reflect, Not Reflex: Inference-Based Common Ground Improves Dialogue Response Quality ^[24]	Dialogue	GPT-3	API Calling	EMNLP'22	Link
ASDOT: Any-Shot Data-to-Text Generation with Pretrained Language Models ^[26]	Context	GPT-3	API Calling, \$23 in total	EMNLP'22	Link
Contextualization Distillation from Large Language Model for Knowledge Graph Completion ^[26]	Context	PaLM-2	API Calling	EACL'24	Link
Towards Ontology-Enhanced Representation Learning for Large Language Models ^[27]	Context	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Link
DALK: Dynamic Co-Augmentation of LLMs and KG to answer Alzheimer's Disease Questions with Scientific Literature ^[28]	Graph	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Link
Automated Construction of Theme-specific Knowledge Graphs ^[29]	Graph	GPT-4	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Large Language Models Can Learn Temporal Reasoning ^[30]	Graph	GPT-3.5	API Calling	ACL'24	Link
Moving from Tabular Knowledge Graph Quality Assessment to RDF Triples Leveraging ChatGPT ^[31]	Graph	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Link
Language Models as Zero-Shot Planners: Extracting Actionable Knowledge for Embodied Agents ^[32]	Plan	GPT-3	API Calling	ICML'22	Link
Do As I Can, Not As I Say: Grounding Language in Robotic Affordances ^[33]	Plan	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	CoRL'21	Link
SayPlan: Grounding Large Language Models using 3D Scene Graphs for Scalable Robot Task Planning ^[34]	Plan	GPT-3.5	API Calling	CoRL'23	Link
PROGPROMPT: Generating Situated Robot Task Plans using Large Language Models ^[35]	Plan	GPT-3	API Calling	ICRA'23	Link
Text2Motion: From Natural Language Instructions to Feasible Plans ^[36]	Plan	GPT-3.5	API Calling	Autonomous Robots'23	Link
GENSIM: GENERATING ROBOTIC SIMULATION TASKS VIA LARGE LANGUAGE MODELS ^[37]	Simulation Task	GPT-4	API Calling	ICLR'24	Link
Scaling Up and Distilling Down: Language-Guided Robot Skill Acquisition ^[38]	Simulation Task	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	CoRL'23	Link
REWARD DESIGN WITH LANGUAGE MODELS ^[39]	Reward	GPT-3	API Calling	ICLR'23	Link
Guiding Pretraining in Reinforcement Learning with Large Language Models ^[40]	Reward	GPT-3	API Calling,	ICML'23	Not Available
Enhanced Visual Instruction Tuning with Synthesized Image-Dialogue Data ^[41]	Visual Instruction Tuning Data	ChatGPT	0.02 second per call API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
	^b	GPT-4		NeurIPS'23	Link
LAMM: Language-Assisted Multi-Modal Instruction-Tuning Dataset, Framework, and Benchmark ^[42] TOMGPT: Reliable Text-Only Training Approach for Cost-Efective Multi-modal Large Language Model ^[43]	Visual Instruction Tuning Data Context	GP1-4 ChatGPT	API Calling API Calling	NeurIPS'23 TKDD'24	Not Available
LLM Based Generation of Item-Description for Recommendation System ^[44]	Item Description	Alpaca	Model Inference	RecSys'23	Not Available
				WWW'24	Link
PMG : Personalized Multimodal Generation with Large Language ^[45]	Context Augmented Implicit Feedback	Multiple LLMs ChatGPT	Model Inference API Calling, \$21.14	WWW 24 WSDM'24	Link
LLMRec: Large Language Models with Graph Augmentation for Recommendation ^[46] Large Language Models as Evaluators for Recommendation Explanations ^[47]	Explanation	Multiple LLMs	API Calling, \$21.14 API Calling & Model Inference, less than \$0.02 per sample	Arxiv'24	Link
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Exploiting Asymmetry for Synthetic Training Data Generation: SynthlE and the Case of Information Extraction ^[48] InPars-v2: Large Language Models as Efficient Dataset Generators for Information Retrieval ^[40]	IE Sample	GPT-3.5	API Calling, \$223.55 for entire dataset Model Inference,	EMNLP'23 Arxiv'23	Link
	*		30 hours on an A100 GPU to generate 100k queries		
READ: Improving Relation Extraction from an ADversarial Perspective ^[50]	IE Sample	ChatGPT	API Calling	NAACL'24	Link
STAR: Boosting Low-Resource Information Extraction by Structure-to-Text Data Generation with Large Language Models ^[51]	IE Sample	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	AAAF 24	Link
Adjudicating LLMs as PropBank Annotators ^[52]	IE Label	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	LREC'24	Link
A Causal Explainable Guardrails for Large Language Models ^[53]	Representation	GPT-4	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Zero-shot LLM-guided Counterfactual Generation for Text ^[54]	Context	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Text classification of column headers with a controlled vocabulary: leveraging LLMs for metadata enrichment ^[55]	Metadata	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Link

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Table 2: A list of representative LLM-Based Annotation Generation (Textual Feedback, Other Domain-specific Data) papers with open-source code/data.

Paper	Data Type	Backbone	Annotation Cost	Venue	Code/Data Link
Fil	er & Selection				
Constitutional AI: Harmlessness from AI Feedback ^[1]	Pairwise Feedback	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	Arxiv'22	Link
SODA: Million-scale Dialogue Distillation with Social Commonsense Contextualization ^[2]	Dialogue	GPT-3.5	API Calling, \$0.02 per dialogue	EMNLP'23	Link
Aligning Large Language Models through Synthetic Feedback ^[3]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Link
AUGESC: Dialogue Augmentation with Large Language Models for Emotional Support Conversation ^[4]	Dialogue	GPT-J	Model Inference	ACL'23	Link
SELF-QA: Unsupervised Knowledge Guided Language Model Alignment ^[5]	Instruction & Response	BLOOM	Model Inference	Arxiv'23	Not Available
Human-Instruction-Free LLM Self-Alignment with Limited Samples ^[6]	Instruction & Response	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference, single NVIDIA A100 80G GPU	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Automated Construction of Theme-specific Knowledge Graphs ^[7]	Graph	GPT-4	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Large Language Models Are Reasoning Teachers ^[8]	CoT	GPT-3.5	API Calling	ACL'23	Link
Knowledge-Augmented Reasoning Distillation for Small Language Models in Knowledge-Intensive Tasks ^[9]	Rationale - CoT	ChatGPT	API Calling	NeurIPS'23	Link
SELF-CONSISTENCY IMPROVES CHAIN OF THOUGHT REASONING IN LANGUAGE MODELS ^[10]	Rationale - Diverse Thinking	Multiple LLMs	API Calling & Model Inference	ICLR'23	Not Available
Making Large Language Models Better Data Creators ^[11]	Instruction & Response	ChatGPT	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Link
Automated Construction of Theme-specific Knowledge Graphs ^[12]	Graph	GPT-4	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Available
Reinforced Self-Training (ReST) for Language Modeling ^[13]	Response	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
RAFT: Reward rAnked FineTuning for Generative Foundation Model Alignment ^[14]	Response	LLaMA	Model Inference	TMLR	Link
Selective In-Context Data Augmentation for Intent Detection using Pointwise V-Information ^[15]	Instruction	OPT	Model Inference	EACL'24	Not Available
CodecLM: Aligning Language Models with Tailored Synthetic Data ^[16]	Instruction	LLaMA	Model Inference	NAACL'24	Not Available
DISCO: Distilling Counterfactuals with Large Language Models ^[17]	CoT	GPT-3	API Callin	ACL'23	Link
LARGE LANGUAGE MODELS CAN SELF-IMPROVE ^[18]	Response	PaLM-540B	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Not Available
West-of-N: Synthetic Preference Generation for Improved Reward Modeling ^[19]	Pairwise Feedback	T5-XXL	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available
SELF: SELF-EVOLUTION WITH LANGUAGE FEEDBACK ^[20]	Response	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	Arxiv'23	Not Available
InPars-v2: Large Language Models as Efficient Dataset Generators for Information Retrieval ^[21]	IE sample	GPT-J	Model Inference, 30 hours on an A100 GPU to generate 100k queries	Arxiv'23	Link
DALK: Dynamic Co-Augmentation of LLMs and KG to answer Alzheimer's Disease Questions with Scientific Literature ^[22]	Graph	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Link
Optimizing Language Model's Reasoning Abilities with Weak Supervision ^[23]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Available

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Table 3: A list of representative LLM-Generated Annotation Assessment papers with open-source code/data.

Supervie	Data Type	Backbone	Annotation Cost	Venue	Code/Data I
	ed Fine-tuning				
LARGE LANGUAGE MODELS CAN SELF-IMPROVE ^[1]	Response	PaLM-540B	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Not Availa
SELF-INSTRUCT: Aligning Language Models with Self-Generated Instructions ^[2]	Instruction & Response	GPT-3	API Calling, \$600 for entire dataset	ACL'23	Link
SELF: SELF-EVOLUTION WITH LANGUAGE FEEDBACK ^[3]	Response	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	Arxiv'23	Not Availa
Self-Distillation Bridges Distribution Gap in Language Model Fine-Tuning ^[4]	Response	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	ACL'24	Link Link
Self-Play Fine-Tuning Converts Weak Language Models to Strong Language Models ^[5]	Response	zephyr	Model Inference Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Link
Self-playing Adversarial Language Game Enhances LLM Reasoning ⁽⁶⁾ Stanford alpaca: An instruction-following llama model ^[7]	Response	GPT-3.5	API Calling	Arxiv'24 Arxiv'23	Link
Vicuna: An open-source chalbot impressing gpt-4 with 90%* chatgpt quality ^[8]	Response	GPT-4	API Calling API Calling	Arxiv 23 Arxiv'23	Link
101	Response	LLaMA	Model Inference	Arxiv'23	Link
Wizardlm: Empowering large language models to follow complex instructions ^[9] Generating training data with language models: Towards zero-shot language understanding ^[10]	Instruction	CTRL	Model Inference	NeurIPS	Link
Tuning Language Models as Training Data Generators for Augmentation-Enhanced Few-Shot Learning ^[11]	Instruction	CTRL	Model Training	ICML'23	Link
Noise-Robust Fine-Tuning of Pretrained Language Models via External Guidance ^[12]	Response	ChatGPT	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Link
PINTO: FAITHFUL LANGUAGE REASONING USING PROMPT-GENERATED RATIONALES ^[13]	Rationale - CoT	GPT-neox	Model Inference	ICLR'23	Link
Distilling Reasoning Capabilities into Smaller Language Models ^[14]	Rationale - CoT	GPT-3	API Calling	ACL'23	Not Availa
LogiCoT: Logical Chain-of-Thought Instruction Tuning ^[15]	Rationale - CoT	GPT-4	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Not Availa
Knowledge-Augmented Reasoning Distillation for Small Language Models in Knowledge-Intensive Tasks ^[16]	Rationale - CoT	ChatGPT	API Calling	NeurIPS'23	Link
Baize: An Open-Source Chat Model with Parameter-Efficient Tuning on Self-Chat Data ^[17]	Dialogue	Alpaca	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Link
Exploiting Asymmetry for Synthetic Training Data Generation: SynthIE and the Case of Information Extraction ^[18]	IE Sample	GPT-3.5	API Calling, \$223.55 for entire dataset	EMNLP'23	Link
InPars-v2: Large Language Models as Efficient Dataset Generators for Information Retrieval ^[19]	IE sample	GPT-J	Model Inference, 30 hours on an A100 GPU to generate 100k queries	Arxiv'23	Link
Code alpaca: An instruction-following llama model for code generation ^[20]	Instruction & Response	Alpaca	Model Inferece	Arxiv'23	Link
Code llama: Open foundation models for code ^[21]	Instruction & Response	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	Arxiv'23	Link
HuatuoGPT, Towards Taming Language Model to Be a Doctor ^[22]	Instruction & Response	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
Doctorglm: Fine-tuning your chinese doctor is not a herculean task ^[23]	Response	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
Xuanyuan 2.0: A large chinese financial chat model with hundreds of billions parameters ^[24]	Instruction & Response	BLOOM	Model Inference	CIKM'23	Not Availa
Wizardmath: Empowering mathematical reasoning for large language models via reinforced evol-instruct ^[25]	Pairwise Feedback	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
Gimlet: A unified graph-text model for instruction-based molecule zero-shot learning ^[26]	Instruction	ChatGPT	API Calling	NuerIPS'23	Link
Align	ment Tuning		Madal Informa		
Automatic Pair Construction for Contrastive Post-training ^[27]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA	Model Inference, 16 Nvidia V100 GPUs	NAACL'24	Not Avail
Aligning Large Language Models through Synthetic Feedback ^[28]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA	Model Inference	EMNLP'23	Link
West-of-N: Synthetic Preference Generation for Improved Reward Modeling ^[29]	Pairwise Feedback	T5-XXL	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
Learning Reward for Robot Skills Using Large Language Models via Self-Alignment ^[30]	Pairwise Feedback	ChatGPT	API Calling	ICML'24	Link
SALMON: SELF-ALIGNMENT WITH INSTRUCTABLE REWARD MODELS ^[31]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	ICLR'24	Link
Self-Rewarding Language Models ^[32]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
Self-Alignment for Factuality: Mitigating Hallucinations in LLMs via Self-Evaluation ^[33]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Link
Aligning Large Language Models by On-Policy Self-Judgment ^[34]	Response	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Link
Optimizing Language Model's Reasoning Abilities with Weak Supervision ^[35] forcement Learning from Reflective Feedback (RLRF): Aligning and Improving LLMs via Fine-Grained Self-Reflection ^[36]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA LLaMA-2	Model Inference,	Arxiv'24 Arxiv'24	Not Avail
Direct language model alignment from online ai feedback ^[37]	Pairwise Feedback	PaLM-2	16 Nvidia V100 GPUs API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
Reinforced Self-Training (ReST) for Language Modeling ^[38]	Response	Multiple LLMs	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
RAFT: Reward rAnked FineTuning for Generative Foundation Model Alignment ^[39]	Response	LLaMA	Model Inference	TMLR	Link
Step-On-Feet Tuning: Scaling Self-Alignment of LLMs via Bootstrapping ^[40]	Response	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
Mixture of insighTful Experts (MoTE): The Synergy of Thought Chains and Expert Mixtures in Self-Alignment ^[41]	Response	Alpaca	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
Iterative reasoning preference optimization ^[42]	Pairwise Feedback	LLaMA-2	Model Inference	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
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Large Language Models are Human-Level Prompt Engineers ^[43]	Instruction	GPT-3.5	API Calling	ICLR'23	Link
Auto-ICL: In-Context Learning without Human Supervision ^[44]	Instruction	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
Empowering Large Language Models for Textual Data Augmentation ^[45]	Instruction	ChatGPT	API Calling	Arxiv'24	Not Avail
Self-generated in-context learning: Leveraging auto-regressive language models as a demonstration generator ^[46]	Instruction	GPT-J	Model Inference	NAACL'22	Link
Are Human-generated Demonstrations Necessary for In-context Learning? ^[47]	Instruction	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	Arxiv'23	Link
Self-ICL: Zero-Shot In-Context Learning with Self-Generated Demonstrations ^[48]	Instruction	Multiple LLMs	API Calling	EMNLP'23	Link
Self-ICL: Zero-Shot In-Context Learning with Self-Generated Demonstrations ^[48]	Instruction	Multiple LLMs ChatGPT		EMNLP'23 NAACL'24	Link Link
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Table 4: A list of representative LLM-Generated Annotation Utilization papers with open-source code/data.