Supplementary to Textual-based Class-aware Prompt tuning for Visual-Language Model

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Figure 1. Effect of ω for prompt fusion.

1. Effect of Prompt Fusion

As shown in Eq (1)(Eq.(5) in the paper), we insert the obtained class-aware prompt into the mid-level textual tokens by replacing M-th textual tokens as the class-aware prompt,

$$\mathbf{F}'_{l} = [\mathbf{T}_{1}, \mathbf{T}_{2}, ..., \mathbf{T}_{M}, \mathbf{F}_{l,M+1}, \mathbf{F}_{l,M+2}, ..., \mathbf{F}_{l,N_{t}}].$$
(1)

Note that Eq (1) discards the mid-level textual tokens $\hat{\mathbf{F}}_{l} = [\mathbf{F}_{l,1}, \mathbf{F}_{l,2}, ..., \mathbf{F}_{l,M}]$. We thus reformuate Eq (1) by fusing the class-aware prompt **T** and the discarded textual tokens $\hat{\mathbf{F}}_{l}$ with Eq. (2),

$$\mathbf{F}'_{l} = [\mathbf{T}'_{1}, \mathbf{T}'_{2}, ..., \mathbf{T}'_{M}, \mathbf{F}_{l,M+1}, \mathbf{F}_{l,M+2}, ..., \mathbf{F}_{l,N_{t}}], \quad (2)$$

where \mathbf{T}'_m is the *m*-th fused textual tokens, which is the combination of the class-aware prompt \mathbf{T}'_m and the midlevel textual tokens $\mathbf{F}_{l,m}$,

$$\mathbf{T}'_{m} = \omega \mathbf{T}'_{m} + (1 - \omega) \mathbf{F}_{l,m}, \qquad (3)$$

where ω is the weight.

We thus analyze the effect of ω for the TCP, and summarize the related results in Figure 1. As shown in Figure 1, a

Table 1. Effect of class-aware prompt(CP)

	$\mid L_{kg}$	СР	Base	New	Н
CoOp			82.38	67.96	74.48
KgCoOp			80.73	73.6	77
TCP*			82.99	73.07	77.72
TCP			84.13	75.36	79.51

higher weight ω , a higher performance. Especially for the *New* performance on the unseen classes, an obvious performance improvement is obtained using higher ω . The reason is that a higher ω in Eq. (3) means that a fewer mid-level textual tokens biased to the training domain is considerred for the testing domain.

2. Class-aware Prompt vs regularize L_{kq}

The regularize term L_{kg} constrains the *output of TextEncoder*, while Class-aware Prompt explititly injects the classrelated knowledge into the *middle layer of TextEncoder*. Moreover, class-aware prompt can explititly inject the classlevel knowledge to increase the discriminative of textuallevel classifier. As shown in Table 1, combining the Classaware Promptand L_{kg} obtains a higher performance than merely using ones.

3. Comparison of training time and model complexity

As the additional learable parameters(\mathcal{P}) in prompt tuning is far smaller than the fixed parameters(\mathcal{B}), the inferrece time is major controlled by the backbone. Therefore, the methods with the same backbone(ViT-B/16) have the similar inference time(Tab. 2).

	KgCoOp	CoOp	PromptSRC	MaPLe	TCP
Total Parameters(M)	124.325	124.325	124.369	127.887	124.654
Fixed Parameters with ViT-B/16(\mathcal{B})(M)			124.323M		
Learnable Parameters $(\mathcal{P})(M)$	0.002	0.002	0.046	3.564	0.331
GFlops	1547.42	1547.42	1547.82	1547.84	1547.59
Time(ms/batch)	124	124	124	124	124

Table 2. Comparison of inference time and model complexity.

	ImageNet	ImageNet-V2	ImageNet-S	ImageNet-A	ImageNet-R	Avg.
CoCoOp	71.02	64.07	48.75	50.63	76.18	59.91
ProGrad	72.24	64.73	47.61	49.39	74.58	59.08
KgCoOp	71.2	64.1	48.97	50.69	76.7	60.12
MaPLe	70.72	64.07	49.15	50.9	76.98	60.27
DAPT	71.67	64.5	49.53	51.1	76.33	60.37
ТСР	71.2	64.6	49.50	51.2	76.73	60.51

4. Domain Generalization

Domain Generalization aims to evaluate the generalization by evaluating the model on the target dataset having the same class but different data distribution from the source domain. Therefore, we conduct TCP on the few-shot ImageNets, and evaluate on the ImageNetV2, ImageNet-Sketch, ImageNet-A, and ImageNet-R. The related results are summarized in Table 3.

5. Datasets

Similar to existing CoOp-based methods, we conduct the evaluation on 11 datasets, *i.e.*, ImageNet [3], Caltech [4], OxfordPets [9], StanfordCars [6], Flowers [8], Food101 [1], FGVCAircraft [7], EuroSAT [5], UCF101 [10], DTD [2], and SUN397 [11]. As shown in Table 4, the type of datasets can be classified as: general object recognition, satellite image recognition, scene recognition, texture recognition, action recognition, and fine-grained object recognition.

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Datasets	Classes	Training Size	Validation Size	Testing Size	Tasks
ImageNet [3]	1,000	1.28 M	N/A	50,000	General object recognition
Caltech [4]	100	4,128	1,649	2,465	General object recognition
EuroSAT [5]	10	13,500	5,400	8,100	Satellite image recognition
SUN397 [11]	397	15,880	3,970	19,850	Scene recognition
DTD [2]	47	2,820	1,128	1,692	Texture recognition
UCF101 [10]	101	7,639	1,808	3,783	Action recognition
FGVCAircraft [7]	100	3,334	3,333	3,333	Fine-grained aircraft recognition
OxfordPets [9]	37	2,944	736	3,669	Fine-grained pets recognition
StanfordCars [6]	196	6,509	1,635	8,041	Fine-grained car recognition
Flowers [8]	102	4,093	1,633	2,463	Fine-grained flowers recognition
Food101 [1]	101	50,500	20,200	30,300	Fine-grained food recognition

Table 4. The detailed statistics of datasets used in our work.

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