

M3DocVQA: Multi-modal Multi-page Multi-document Understanding

Supplementary Material

Appendix

In this appendix, we show additional qualitative examples (Appendix A) and ethical considerations (Appendix B).

A. Additional Qualitative Examples

In Fig. 6 and Fig. 7, we provide additional qualitative examples of M3DocRAG (ColPali + Qwen2-VL 7B)’s question answering results on M3DocVQA examples. In Fig. 6, the question requires multi-hop reasoning across different pages/documents, and M3DocRAG could combine information from multiple retrieved pages. In Fig. 7, although ColPali did not retrieve the page that contains information about a team whose logo features a bat, Qwen-2 VL leverages its own knowledge ‘Valencia CF has a logo featuring a bat’, and could provide the final answer. Overall, the qualitative examples showcase that M3DocRAG can successfully tackle different questions whose answer sources exist in various modalities.

B. Ethical Considerations

Limitations. Since our multimodal retrieval models and multimodal LMs were trained with English-heavy datasets, they might not understand prompts or documents written in non-English. While our M3DocRAG framework can benefit many document understanding applications, the model components could present false or biased information. Thus, the framework should be used with human supervision in real-world applications. M3DocRAG is designed with flexibility so that users can update or replace components as more accurate solutions for each element of the framework become available in the future.

Data collection. We do not involve human subjects during data collection. We do not claim ownership/rights of the Wikipedia documents, and we attribute the source Wikipedia document URLs to all pages.

ColPali + Qwen2-VL 7B: "Seven Furlongs"

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 A.P. Warrior (foaled February 24, 2003 in Kentucky) is a thoroughbred race horse who was a Kentucky Derby contender in 2006 and Grade II winner on both dirt and turf.^[1]	 Racing career [edit] A son of A. P. Indy and Warrior Queen, he was owned and raced by Stanley E. Fulton, owner of Sunland Park Racetrack. Initially trained by Eoin Harty, John Shirreffs conditioned the horse for his first seven starts. He won four times in twelve starts. In 2007, A. P. Warrior was retired and sold^[2] to Stonewall Farm in Versailles, Kentucky where he stands for \$15,000.^[3] In 2011 he moved to Stonewall Farms Ocala Location in Ocala, FL. He died there in early 2016 of a heart attack.	 References [edit] 1. ^A P Warrior Horse Pedigree 2. ^A.P. Warrior sold, retired - NTRA Archived November 25, 2006, at the Wayback Machine 3. ^A. P. Warrior - Interactive Stallion Directory Categories: 2003 racehorse births Racehorses bred in Kentucky Racehorses trained in the United States Thoroughbred family 4-j																																			
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Figure 6. Qualitative example of ColPali + Qwen2-VL 7B on M3DOC VQA. Image regions relevant to the question/answer are highlighted with orange boxes. The question requires multi-page/document reasoning.

Question: “What date was a player transferred in to Lorca FC in the 2017-18 season from the club with a logo featuring a bat?”

ColPali + Qwen2-VL 7B: “11 July 2017”

Top 1 page retrieved by ColPali

No.	Pos.	Nation	Player	No.	Pos.	Nation	Player
1	GK	 ESP	Jaume Valens	15	DF	 SWE	Markus Holgersson
2	DF	 ESP	Juan Pedro Pina (<i>Captain</i>)	16	MF	 ESP	Sito (<i>on loan from Valencia</i>)
3	DF	 ESP	Carlos Pomares	17	FW	 ESP	Manel Martínez (<i>on loan from Girona</i>)
4	DF	 ESP	Fran Cruz	18	DF	 ESP	Molo
5	MF	 ESP	Eugeni (<i>on loan from Valencia</i>)	19	FW	 URU	Miguel Merentiel (<i>on loan from Peñarol</i>)
6	MF	 ESP	Haritz Albisua	20	DF	 ESP	Carlos Peña
7	MF	 ESP	Carlos Martínez	21	FW	 ESP	Dani Ojeda
8	MF	 ESP	Tropi (<i>on loan from Valencia</i>)	22	MF	 ESP	Adán Gurdíel
9	FW	 ESP	Chumbi	23	MF	 ESP	Abel Gómez
10	MF	 ESP	Alberto Noguera	24	MF	 ESP	Javi Muñoz (<i>on loan from Real Madrid</i>)
11	FW	 ESP	Manuel Onwu	25	GK	 URU	Franco Torgnascioli
12	MF	 ESP	Nando (<i>on loan from Alavés</i>)	26	DF	 ESP	José Carlos (<i>on loan from Betis</i>)
13	GK	 ESP	Francisco Dorronsoro	28	FW	 NGA	Manu Apeh
14	MF	 ESP	Cristian Bustos	—	DF	 ESP	Antonio López

Transfers [\[edit \]](#)

- [List of Spanish football transfers summer 2017#Lorca FC](#)

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Date	Player	From	Type	Fee	Ref
30 June 2017	 Samu Martínez	 Hospitalet	Loan return	Free	
30 June 2017	 Haritz Albisua	 Lleida Esportiu	Loan return	Free	
30 June 2017	 Mikel Fernández	 Lleida Esportiu	Loan return	Free	
6 July 2017	 Jaume Valens	 Mallorca B	Transfer	Free	[1]
11 July 2017	 Tropi	 Valencia	Loan	Free	[2]

Figure 7. Qualitative example of ColPali + Qwen2-VL 7B on M3DocVQA. Image regions relevant to the question/answer are highlighted with orange boxes. The VQA component could combine both the retrieved knowledge (Tropi was transferred on 11 July 2017) and its own knowledge (Valencia CF has a logo with a bat) to provide the final answer.