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Review of: "A Dutch Financial Large Language Model"

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The paper introduces a Dutch Financial Large Language Model and highlights the need for such a specialized financial LLM. It provides detailed results on various evaluation benchmarks. However, it is unclear whether this LLM was trained entirely from scratch or fine-tuned on an existing Dutch model. The paper lacks technical details about the pretraining process. While the datasets used to construct the model are mentioned, the above questions remain unanswered. Additionally, if pretraining was indeed done from scratch, it is unclear which objective functions were utilized. In summary,

- Can you suggest specific technical details or sections the authors should add to clarify the pretraining process?
- What additional information about the datasets would help clarify whether the model was trained from scratch or fine-tuned?

Declarations

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