# **Stable Diffusion is Unstable**

(Supplementary Material)

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In this supplementary material, we first present a review of related works (Section A), including the 1 diffusion model and studies about the vulnerabilities within text-to-image models. Following that, we 2 delve into additional analyses concerning the vulnerabilities observed in the Stable Diffusion model 3 (Section B). Subsequently, we offer instances of long and short prompt attacks, accompanied by the 4 corresponding generated images, as well as instances of black-box attacks (Section  $\overline{C}$ ). Lastly, we 5 undertake a comprehensive series of experiments to substantiate the effectiveness of our approach 6 (Section D). These experiments include the evaluation of attacks targeting both long and short 7 prompts. Additionally, ablation studies are conducted to explore attacks employing different search 8 steps, assess the influence of our fluency and semantic similarity constraints on text similarity, and 9 target diverse samplers (e.g., DDIM and DPM-Solver) in the attack process. 10

# 11 A Related Work

# 12 A.1 Diffusion Model.

Recently, the diffusion probabilistic model [20] and its variants [6, 13, 21, 18, 19] have achieved 13 great success in content generation [21, 7, 19], including image generation [6, 21], conditional 14 image generation [18], video generation [7, 24], 3D scenes synthesis [10] and so on. Specifically, 15 DDPM [6] adds noises to images and learns to recover images from noises step by step. Then, 16 DDIM [21] improves the generation speed of the diffusion model by skipping steps inference. Then, 17 the conditional latent diffusion model [18] formulates the image generation in latent space guided 18 by multiple conditions, such as texts, images, and semantic maps, further improving the inference 19 speed and boarding the application of the diffusion model. Stable diffusion [18], a latent text-to-20 image diffusion model capable of generating photo-realistic images given any text input, and its 21 enhanced versions [25, 8, 12], have been widely used in current AI-generated content products, such 22 as Stability-AI [22], Midjourney [11], DALL·E2 [15], and Runaway [3]. However, these methods 23 and products cannot always generate satisfactory results from the given prompt. Therefore, in this 24 25 work, we aim to analyze the robustness of stable diffusion in the generation process.

## 26 A.2 Vulnerabilities in Text-to-image Models.

With the open-source of Stable Diffusion [18], text-to-image generation achieves great process 27 and shows the unparalleled ability on generating diverse and creative images with the guidance 28 of a text prompt. However, there are some vulnerabilities have been discovered in existing works 29 [4, 1, 23]. Typically, StructureDiffusion [4] discovers that some attributes in the prompt are not 30 assigned correctly in the generated images, thus they employ consistency trees or scene graphs to 31 enhance the embedding learning of the prompt. In addition, Attend-and-Excite [1] also introduces 32 that the Stable Diffusion model fails to generate one or more of the subjects from the input prompt and 33 fails to correctly bind attributes to their corresponding subjects. These pieces of evidence demonstrate 34 the vulnerabilities of the current Stable Diffusion model. However, to the best of our knowledge, no 35 work has systematically analyzed the vulnerabilities of the Stable Diffusion model, which is the goal 36 of this work. 37



Figure B.1: A violin plot illustrating the generation speeds of 1,000 images of various classes. The horizontal axis represents the number of steps taken, ranging from 49 to 0, while the vertical axis displays the SSIM scores. The width of each violin represents the number of samples that attained a specific range of SSIM scores at a given step.



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# **B** Vulnerabilities of Stable Diffusion Model

#### 39 B.1 Pattern 1: Variability in Generation Speed

Fig. B.1 demonstrates the entire 50-step violin diagram which has been discussed before. To eliminate 40 possible bias due to a single metric, we further verified the difference in generation speed of one 41 thousand images based on the LPIPS [26] metric, as shown in Fig. B.2, The calculation of the LPIPS 42 distance from the images generated at each stage to the ultimate image is performed. The horizontal 43 axis signifies the range of steps from 49 down to 0, whereas the vertical axis denotes the respective 44 LPIPS scores. Each violin plot illustrates the distribution of the LPIPS scores associated with 1,000 45 images at a specific step. The width of the violin plot is proportional to the frequency at which images 46 achieve a certain score. During the initial stages of generation, the distribution's median is situated 47 nearer to the maximum LPIPS value, suggesting a preponderance of classes demonstrates slower 48 generation velocities. Nonetheless, the existence of a low minimum value indicates the presence of 49 classes that generate at comparatively faster rates. As the generation transitions to the intermediate 50 stages, the distribution's median progressively decreases, positioning itself between the maximum and 51









armadillo from rhino

A photo of a sea lion and a spaniel

spaniel from sea lion



sea lion from spaniel

Figure B.3: The image caption, "A photo of classA and classB" represents the generated image when feature entanglement occurs; And "class A from class B" represents the final generated image of prompt "A photo of class A" based on the eighth step of the prompt "A photo of class B"



Figure B.4: The images in the first row are generated by the prompt "A photo of a warthog". The images in the second row are generated by the prompt "A photo of a traitor". The images in the third row are generated by the prompt "A photo of a warthog and a traitor".

minimum LPIPS values. In the concluding stages of generation, the distribution's median is found 52

closer to the minimum LPIPS value, implying that the majority of classes are nearing completion. 53

However, the sustained high maximum value suggests that there are classes still exhibiting slower 54 generation rates. 55

#### **B.2** Pattern 2: Similarity of Coarse-grained Characteristics 56

To further verify that coarse-grained feature similarity is the root cause of feature entanglement, we 57 provide more cases in Fig.B.3. From these cases, we can see that for the two classes where feature 58 entanglement can occur, they can both continue the image generation task based on each other's 59 coarse-grained information. 60

#### **B.3** Pattern 3: Polysemy of Words 61

As shown in Fig. B.4, when we attack the prompt "A photo of a warthog" to "A photo of a warthog 62 and a traitor", the original animal warthog becomes an object similar to a military vehicle or military 63 aircraft, while the images generated by attack prompt is not directly related to the image of the animal 64 warthog or traitor. From the t-SNE visualization (Fig. **B.5**), we can see that the distance from the 65 picture generated by the attack prompt to the text "a photo of a warthog" has a similar distance to the 66 animal warthog picture to the text, so we can see that by attacking the original category word that 67 guided the original category word (animal warthog) into its alternative meaning. 68





Figure B.5: t-SNE Visualization of 100 images each of "warthog", "traitor", "warthog and traitor" and text "a photo of a warthog."

Figure B.6: The boxplot of cosine similarities between the text embedding of "a photo of a warthog" and 100 of image embeddings each of "warthog", "traitor", and "warthog" and traitor".



Figure B.7: a) "A type of footwear with a thick, rigid sole, often made of wood, and an upper made of leather or another material. Clogs can be open or closed, and are commonly associated with Dutch and Scandinavian cultures." b) "footwear" is replaced by "pistol". c) "Dutch" is replaced by "pistol".



Figure B.8: A template, "A photo of A, B and C", is used to generate prompts, where  $A, B, C \in \{\text{"cat", "pistol", "clogs"}\}$ . For exmaple, "0-1-2" represents A = "cat", B = "pistol" and C = "clogs", and so on.

From the box plots (Fig. **B.6**), it can be observed that the image of "warthog" exhibits the highest similarity with the prompt's embedding, while the image of "traitor" demonstrates the lowest similarity, as anticipated. Simultaneously, the similarity distribution between the images of "warthog" and "traitor" with the prompt text is relatively wide, indicating that some images have a high similarity with "warthog," while others lack features associated with "warthog."

#### 74 B.4 Pattern 4: Positioning of Words

In addition to the three aforementioned observations and patterns outlined in the paper, there is a
 fourth observations (Observation 4), which is related to positioning of words.

77 **Observation 4.** When a text prompt contains a noun A representing the object to be generated, 78 there exists a preceding word B and a succeeding word C around noun A. When replacing either 79 word B or C with another noun D, for certain instances of noun A, replacing word B results in the 80 generation of an image containing noun D, while replacing word C still results in the generation 81 generation of an image containing noun D, while replacing for a function of the second formula for the second formula for the second formula formula for the second formula for the second formula for the second formula formula for the second formula for the second formula formula for the second formula for the second formula formula for the second formula formula for the second formula for the second formula for the second formula for the second formula formula for the second formula formula for the second formula for the second formula for the second formula for the second formula formula for the second formula for the second formula formula for the second formula for the second formula for the second formula for the second formula for the s

of an image containing noun A. Conversely, for other instances of noun A, the opposite scenario occurs.

An example of Pattern 4 is shown in Fig. B.7. When "footwear" is replaced by "pistol", the generated image contains a pistol instead of clogs. However, when "Ductch" is replaced by "pistol", the model still generates an image of clogs. In addition to differences in the words being replaced, a significant distinction between the two aforementioned examples of success and failure lies in the relative positioning of the word being replaced with respect to the target class word. We hypothesize that this phenomenon occurs due to the different order of the replaced words B or C with respect to the noun A. To exclude the effects of complex contextual structures, a template for a short prompt, "A photo of A, B and C", is used, and the order of A, B, and C are swapped (Fig. B.8).

When these sentences with different sequences of category words are understood from a human perspective, they all have basically the same semantics: both describe a picture containing a cat, clogs, and a pistol. However, in the processing of language models (including CLIP), the order of words may affect their comprehension. Although positional encoding provides the model with the relative positions of words, the model may associate different orders with different semantics through learned patterns. Therefore, we propose our Pattern 4.

**Pattern 4** (Positioning of Words). Let  $\mathcal{V}$  denote a set of vocabulary. Let  $\mathcal{N} \subset \mathcal{V}$  denote the subset of all nouns in the vocabulary. Consider a text prompt containing noun  $A \in \mathcal{N}$  representing the object to be generated. Furthermore, assume there exist preceding word  $B \in \mathcal{V}$  and succeeding word  $C \in \mathcal{V}$  surrounding noun A. There exists a condition-dependent behavior regarding the replacement of words B and C with another noun  $D \in \mathcal{N}$ :

$$\exists A, D \in \mathcal{N}, \quad \exists B, C \in \mathcal{V}, \quad P(B \to D) \xrightarrow{\text{generate}} D \quad \bigwedge \quad P(C \to D) \xrightarrow{\text{generate}} A; \\ \exists A, D \in \mathcal{N}, \quad \exists B, C \in \mathcal{V}, \quad P(B \to D) \xrightarrow{\text{generate}} A \quad \bigwedge \quad P(C \to D) \xrightarrow{\text{generate}} D.$$

# 102 C Cases of Short/Long-Prompt Attacks and Black-box Attacks

## 103 C.1 Attack on Long Prompt

- <sup>104</sup> In Fig. C.1, we demonstrate more cases of long text prompt attacks.
- 105 C.2 Attack on Short Prompt
- <sup>106</sup> In Fig. C.2, we demonstrate more cases of long text prompt attacks.

#### 107 C.3 Black-box Attack

In Fig. C.3, and Fig. C.4, we demonstrate black box attacks targeting mid-journey and DALL·E2, respectively.

# **110 D Experiments**

In our experiments, we conduct comprehensive analyses of both long and short prompts. Furthermore, we conduct ablation studies specifically on long prompts, focusing on three key aspects. Firstly, we evaluate our attack method with different numbers of search steps T. Secondly, we investigate the influence of our constraints, including fluency and semantic similarity as measured by BERTScore. Lastly, we attack different samplers, including DDIM [21] and DPM-Solver [9].

### **116 D.1 Experimental Setting.**

Attack hyperparamters. The number of search iterations T is set to 100. This value determines the number of iterations in the search stage, during which we aim to find the most effective attack prompts. The number of attack candidates N is set to 100. This parameter specifies the number of candidate attack prompts considered in the attack stage, allowing for a diverse range of potential attack prompts to be explored. The learning rate  $\eta$  for the matrix  $\omega$  is set to 0.3. The margin  $\kappa$  in the margin loss is set to 30.

**Text prompts.** Our experiments consider the 1,000 classes from ImageNet-1K [2], which serves as the basis for generating images. To explore the impact of prompt length, we consider both short and long prompts. For clean short prompts, we employ a standardized template: "A photo of [CLASS\_NAME]". Clean long prompts, on the other hand, are generated using ChatGPT 4 [16], with a prompt length restriction of 77 tokens to align with the upper limit of the CLIP [17] word embedder.

Evaluation metrics. To evaluate the effectiveness of our attack method, we generate attack prompts from the clean prompts. We focus on three key metrics: success rate, Fréchet inception distance [5]



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Figure C.1: To the left of the arrow is the clean long text prompt (highlighted by green) and its corresponding image, to the right of the arrow is the generated attack prompt (highlighted by red) and its corresponding image. (Section C.1 Attack on Long Text Prompt)





Figure C.2: To the left of the arrow is the clean short text prompt (highlighted by green) and its corresponding image, to the right of the arrow is the generated attack prompt (highlighted by red) and its corresponding image. (Section C.2 Attack on Short Text Prompt)

Prompt	Method	Success (%)	<b>FID</b> $(\downarrow)$	<b>IS</b> (†)	$\mathbf{TS}\left(\uparrow ight)$
Short	Clean	-	18.51	$101.33{\pm}1.80$	1.00
	Random	79.2	29.21	$66.71 {\pm} 0.87$	0.69
	ATM (Ours)	91.1	30.09	$65.98{\pm}1.10$	0.72
Long	Clean	-	17.95	$103.59{\pm}1.68$	1.00
	Random	41.4	24.16	$91.33{\pm}1.58$	0.94
	ATM (Ours)	81.2	29.65	66.09±1.83	0.84

Table D.1: Main results of short-prompt and long-prompt attacks.

(FID), Inception Score (IS), and text similarity (TS). Subsequently, 50,000 images are generated using the attack prompts, ensuring a representative sample of 50 images per class. The success rate is determined by dividing the number of successful attacks by the total of 1,000 classes. FID and IS are computed by comparing the generated images to the ImageNet-1K validation set with (torch-fidelity)[14]. TS is calculated by embedding the attack prompts and clean prompts using the CLIP [17] word embedder, respectively. Subsequently, the cosine similarity between the embeddings is computed to quantify the text similarity.





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Figure C.3: Black-box attack on mid-journey (Section C.3 Black-box Attack).

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#### **D.2** Main Results 138

Table D.1 reports our main results, including short-prompt and long-prompt attacks. Compares to long 139 text prompts, short text prompts comprise only a small number of tokens. This leads to a relatively 140 fragile structure that is extremely vulnerable to slight disturbance. Therefore, random attacks can 141 reach an impressive success rate of 79.2% targeting short prompts but a low success rate of 41.4% 142 targeting the long prompts. In the contrast, our algorithm demonstrates its true potential, reaching an 143 impressive success rate of 91.1% and 81.2% targeting short and long prompts, respectively. 144

As a further evidence of the effectiveness of our algorithm, it's worth noting the text similarity (TS) 145 metrics between the random attacks and our algorithm's outputs. For short-prompt attack, the values 146 stand at 0.69 and 0.72, respectively, illustrating that the semantic information of short texts, while 147 easy to disrupt, can be manipulated by a well-designed algorithm with fluency and semantic similarity 148 constraints. Our attacks preserve more similarity with the clean prompts. For long-prompt attacks, 149 the TS score of random attacks (0.94) is higher compared to our attacks (0.84). One possible reason 150 is that random attacks tend to make only minimal modifications as the length of the prompt increases. 151 This limited modification can explain the significantly lower success rate of random attacks on longer 152 prompts. 153

From the perspective of image generation quality and diversity, we found that as the attack success 154 rate increases, image generation quality and diversity will decrease. For short and long texts, images 155 generated from the clean text have the lowest FID (18.51 and 17.95) and the highest IS ( $101.33 \pm 1.80$ 156



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Figure C.4: Black-box attack on DALL-E2 (Section C.3 Black-box Attack).

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#Steps	Success (%)	<b>FID</b> $(\downarrow)$	<b>IS</b> (†)	$\mathbf{TS}(\uparrow)$
50	68.7	34.00	$93.94{\pm}1.84$	0.97
100	81.2	29.65	$66.09 {\pm} 1.83$	0.84
150	67.2	45.23	$58.51{\pm}0.79$	0.82

Table D.2: Results of the ablation study on the number of steps in attack prompt search.

157 and  $103.59 \pm 1.68$ ). As the attack success rate rises, FID shows an upward trend. Examining this 158 situation from the perspective of FID, a metric that gauges the distance between the distribution of generated images and the original data set. As the attack becomes more successful, the image set 159 generated by the attack prompt tends to deviate substantially from the distribution of the original data 160 set. This divergence consequently escalates the FID score, indicating a larger distance between the 161 original and generated distributions. On the other hand, considering this situation from the diversity 162 standpoint, it appears that the suppression of the generation of original categories brought on by the 163 successful attack might instigate a decrease in diversity. This reduction in diversity, in turn, may 164 cause a decrease in the Inception Score (IS). 165

#### **D.3** Different Search Steps 166

Table D.2 presents the results of using different numbers of steps T in the search stage. For the 167 T = 50 step configuration, the success rate is 68.7%. The FID value is 34.00, with lower values 168 suggesting better image quality. The IS is reported as  $93.94 \pm 1.84$ , with higher values indicating 169 diverse and high-quality images. The TS value is 0.97, representing a high level of text similarity. 170 Moving on to the T = 100 step configuration, the success rate increases to 81.2%, showing an 171 improvement compared to the previous configuration. The FID value decreases to 29.65, indicating 172 better image quality. The IS is reported as  $66.09 \pm 1.83$ , showing a slight decrease compared to the 173 previous configuration. The TS value is 0.84, suggesting a slight decrease in text similarity. In 174 the T = 150 step configuration, the success rate decreases to 67.2%, slightly lower than the initial 175

Fluency	BERTScore	Success (%)	<b>FID</b> $(\downarrow)$	IS $(\uparrow)$	$ $ TS ( $\uparrow$ )
X	×	91.3	39.14	$47.21 {\pm} 1.25$	0.37
$\checkmark$	×	81.7	29.37	$64.93{\pm}1.57$	0.79
X	<ul> <li>Image: A second s</li></ul>	89.8	39.93	$46.94{\pm}0.99$	0.51
$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	81.2	29.65	66.09±1.83	0.84

Table D.3: Results of the ablation study on the constraints

Table D.4: Results of the ablation study on the samplers

Sampler	Success (%)	FID $(\downarrow)$	IS $(\uparrow)$	$ $ TS $(\uparrow)$
DDIM [21]	81.2	29.65	$66.09{\pm}1.83$	0.84
DPM-Solver [9]	76.5	27.23	$81.31{\pm}2.09$	0.88

configuration. The FID value increases to 45.23, suggesting a decrease in image quality. The IS is reported as  $58.51\pm0.79$ , indicating a decrease in the diversity and quality of generated images. The

TS value remains relatively stable at 0.82.

When using T = 50, the attack prompt fails to fit well and exhibits a higher text similarity with the clean prompt. Although the generated images at this stage still maintain good quality and closely resemble those generated by the clean prompt, the success rate of the attack is very low. On the other hand, when T = 150, overfitting occurs, resulting in a decrease in text similarity and image quality due to the overfitted attack prompt. Consequently, the success rate of the attack also decreases. Overall, the configuration of T = 100 proves to be appropriate.

### 185 D.4 The Impact of Constraints

Table D.3 examines the impact of the fluency and semantic similarity (BERTScore) constraints. When 186 no constraints are applied, the attack success rate is notably high at 91.3%. However, this absence of 187 constraints results in a lower text similarity (TS) score of 0.37, indicating a decreased resemblance 188 to clean text and a decrease in image quality. By introducing fluency constraints alone, the attack 189 success rate decreases to 81.7% but increases the text similarity to 0.79. Furthermore, incorporating 190 semantic similarity constraints independently also leads to a slight reduction in success rate to 89.8%, 191 but only marginally improves the text similarity to 0.51. The introduction of constraints, particularly 192 fluency constraints, leads to an increase in text similarity. The fluency constraint takes into account 193 194 the preceding tokens of each token, enabling the integration of contextual information for better 195 enhancement of text similarity. On the other hand, BERTScore considers a weighted sum, focusing more on the similarity between individual tokens without preserving the interrelation between context. 196 In other words, the word order may undergo changes as a result and leads to a low text similarity. 197 Certainly, this outcome was expected, as BERTScore itself prioritizes the semantic consistency 198 between two prompts, while the order of context may not necessarily impact semantics. This further 199 highlights the importance of employing both constraints simultaneously. When both constraints are 200 utilized together, the text similarity is further enhanced to 0.84. Meanwhile, the success rate of the 201 attack (81.2%) is comparable to that achieved when employing only the fluency constraint, while the 202 text similarity surpasses that obtained through the independent usage of the two constraints. 203

### 204 D.5 Different Samplers

Table D.4 illustrates the effectiveness of our attack method in successfully targeting both DDIM 205 and the stronger DPM-Solver. For the DDIM sampler, our attack method achieves a success rate 206 of 81.2%, indicating its ability to generate successful attack prompts. Similarly, our attack method 207 demonstrates promising results when applied to the DPM-Solver sampler. With a success rate of 208 76.5%, it effectively generates attack prompts. The TS scores of 0.84 and 0.88, respectively, indicate 209 a reasonable level of text similarity between the attack prompts and clean prompts. These outcomes 210 demonstrate the transferability of our attack method, showcasing its effectiveness against both DDIM 211 and the more potent DPM-Solver sampler. 212

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