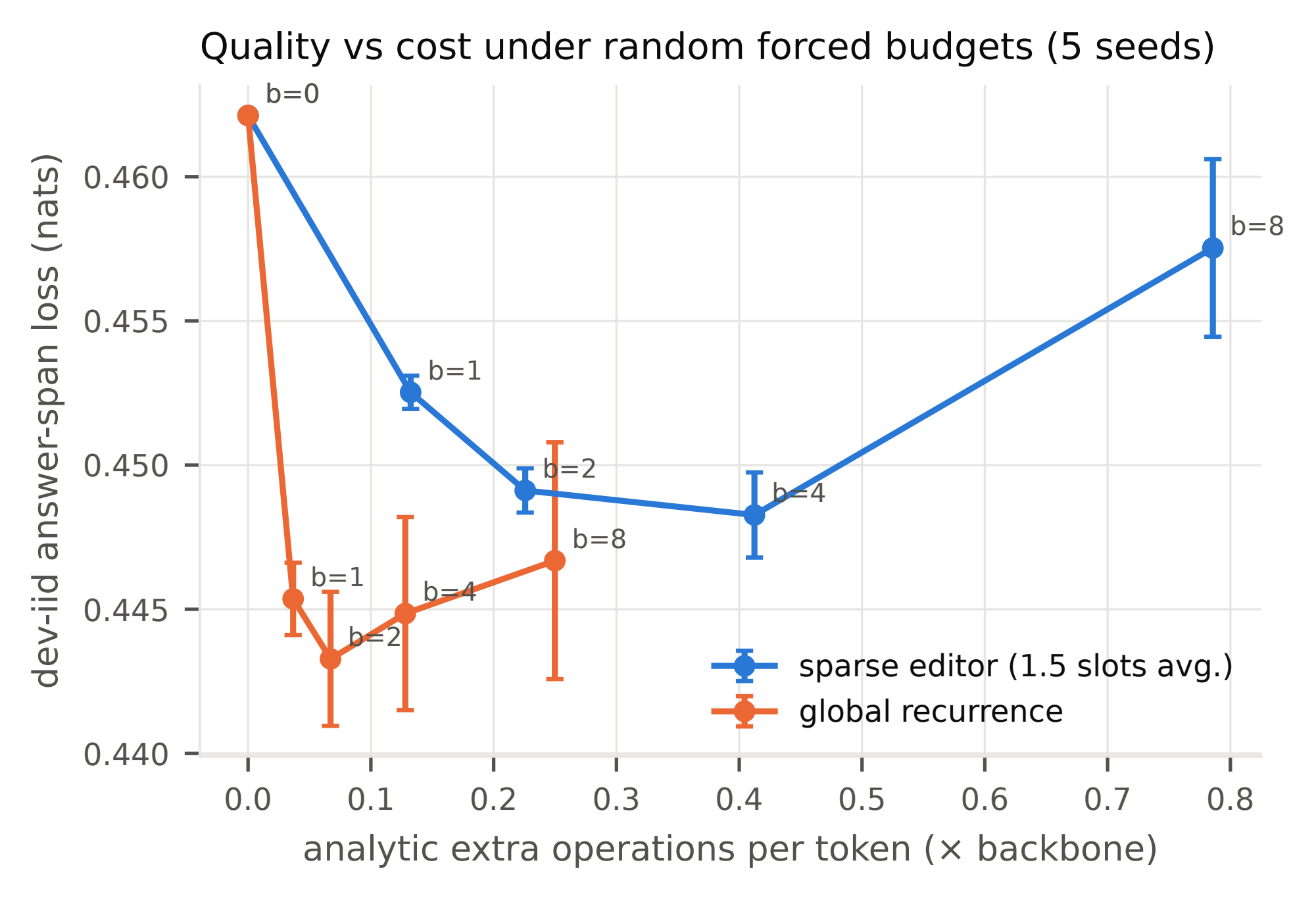

Quality vs cost under random forced budgets (5 seeds)
dev-iid answer-span loss (nats)
0.460
0.455
0.450
0.445
0.440
0.0
0.1
0.2
0.3
0.4
0.5
0.6
0.7
0.8
analytic extra operations per token (× backbone)
b=0
b=1
b=2
b=4
b=8
b=1
b=2
b=4
b=8
sparse editor (1.5 slots avg.)
global recurrence