# GRAPH NEURAL NETWORKS & ROTATIONAL EQUIVARIANCE

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# OUTLINE

- Lecture 1
  - Graph data
  - Graph tasks
  - Invariance and equivariance
  - Message passing
- Lecture 2
  - Rotational equivariance
  - Equivariant neural networks

#### **GRAPH DATA**

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# WHICH GRAPH CORRESPONDS TO THESE REPRESENTATIONS?



# **COMMON ARCHITECHTURES**



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#### **GRAPHS**



(Connectome: Gigandet X, Hagmann P, Kurant M, Cammoun L, Meuli R, et al. (2008) Estimating the Confidence Level of White Matter Connections Obtained with MRI Tractography. PLoS ONE 3(12): e4006. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0004006.)

(Particles: Sanchez-Gonzalez, Alvaro, et al. "Learning to simulate complex physics with graph networks." International conference on machine learning. PMLR, 2020.) (Food social network: https://www.uber.com/blog/uber-eats-graph-learning/)

(Serotonin: Yirik MA, Steinbeck C (2021) Chemical graph generators. PLoS Comput Biol 17(1): e1008504. https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pcbi.1008504)

(Traffic: Derrow-Pinion, Austin, et al. "ETA prediction with Graph Neural Networks in Google Maps" Proceedings of the 30th ACM International Conference on Information & Knowledge Management. 2021.)

#### **GRAPH TASKS**

#### **CONCEPTUAL GRAPH TASKS**





# **NODE-LEVEL: WEATHER FORECASTING**



- Data: atmospheric variables like temperatures, wind speeds, pressures, etc., at diffent times, various longitude/latitudes, and levels in the atmosphere
- Represent the global weather state as a graph, model long-range dependencies with multi-mesh
- Task: predict future states of the graph, predicting future node features



(Lam, Remi, et al. "GraphCast: Learning skillful medium-range global weather forecasting." arXiv preprint arXiv:2212.12794 (2022).)

# **DRUG DISCOVERY: GRAPH-LEVEL**



- Alzheimer's disease, Amyloid Beta plaques, betasecretase 1 protein (BACE1)
- Inhibit BACE1: good candidate for an Alzheimer's drug
- Task: given graph predict BACE1 inhibition (IC50)



# DISCUSSION: GRAPH-, NODE-, OR EDGE-LEVEL?



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#### **EVALUATION**



## **INVARIANCE AND EQUIVARIANCES**

# TRANSLATIONAL INVARIANCE AND EQUIVARIANCE





 $g(\mathbf{PAP}^{ op}) = g(\mathbf{A})$ 

 $f(\mathbf{PAP}^{ op}) = \mathbf{P}f(A)$ 





# DISCUSSION: IN- AND EQUIVARIANCES OF MLPS, CNNS, RNNS, GNNS?



#### **MESSAGE PASSING**

## **GRAPH WITH ORDERING**



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## **APPLYING CONVOLUTIONAL FILTER?**






























# ABSTRACT MESSAGE PASSING

# $egin{aligned} \mathbf{M}_{\mathcal{N}(u)}^{(k)} &= \mathrm{AGGREGATE}^{(k)}\left(\{\mathbf{h}_v^{(k)}, orall v \in \mathcal{N}(u)\} ight) \ \mathbf{h}_u^{k+1} &= \mathrm{UPDATE}^{(k)}\left(\mathbf{h}_u^{(k)}, \mathbf{M}_{\mathcal{N}(u)}^{(k)} ight) \end{aligned}$

(Based on Chap. 5 in: Hamilton, William L. Graph representation learning. Morgan & Claypool Publishers, 2020.)

# BASIC INSTANTIATION OF MESSAGE PASSING

$$\mathbf{h}_{u}^{(k)} = \sigma \left( \mathbf{W}_{ ext{self}}^{(k)} \mathbf{h}_{u}^{(k-1)} + \mathbf{W}_{ ext{neigh}}^{(k)} \sum_{v \in \mathcal{N}(u)} \left( \mathbf{h}_{v}^{(k-1)} + \mathbf{b}^{(k)} 
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# CONVOLUTION AS MESSAGE PASSING ON GRID

Algorithm 1 CNN as message passing

**Input:** Weight matrix, **W**, with parameters  $\theta_{u \rightarrow v}$ , neighborhood function,  $\mathcal{N}.$  $\textbf{Input:} \text{ Graph}, \mathcal{G} \text{ with nodes } \mathcal{V} = \{v_i\}_{i=0}^V \text{ and edges } \mathcal{E} = \{e_{u \rightarrow v} | u, v \in \mathcal{V}\}.$ **Output:** Updated node features  $\mathbf{h}_{u}^{(1)}$  for all nodes uInitialize  $\mathbf{h}_{u}^{(0)}$  as  $v_{u}$ for  $k \in [0]$  do for  $u \in \mathcal{V}$  do for  $v \in \mathcal{N}(u) \cup \{u\}$  do  $ext{Compute messages}: \mathbf{M}_{v 
ightarrow u} = heta_{v 
ightarrow u} \cdot \mathbf{h}_v^{(k)}$ end for Compute total message:  $\mathbf{M}_u = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{N}(u)} \mathbf{M}_{v 
ightarrow u}$ Update node:  $\mathbf{h}_{u}^{(k+1)} \leftarrow \sigma(\mathbf{M}_{u})$ end for end for



Algorithm 2 Basic graph message passing

Input: Weight matrices,  $W_{self}$ ,  $W_{neigh}$ , and bias, b, neighborhood function,  $\mathcal{N}$ .  $\textbf{Input: Graph}, \mathcal{G} \text{ with nodes } \mathcal{V} = \{v_i\}_{i=0}^V \text{ and edges } \mathcal{E} = \{e_{u \rightarrow v} | u, v \in \mathcal{V}\},$ and a specified K number of rounds of message passing. **Output:** Updated node features  $\mathbf{h}_{u}^{(K+1)}$  for all nodes uInitialize  $\mathbf{h}_{u}^{(0)}$  as  $v_{u}$  for all nodes ufor  $k \in [0, 1, \dots, K]$  do for  $u \in \mathcal{V}$  do for  $v \in \mathcal{N}(u)$  do  $ext{Compute messages}: \mathbf{M}_{v 
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## **GRAPH MESSAGE PASSING NETWORKS**



(Adapted from Thomas Kipf, https://tkipf.github.io/graph-convolutional-networks/)

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## GRAPH ATTENTION NETWORKS AND TRANSFORMERS

$$\mathbf{M}_{\mathcal{N}(u)} = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{N}(u)} lpha_{u,v} \mathbf{h}_{v}$$

$$lpha_{u,v} = rac{\exp\left(\mathbf{a}^ op\left[\mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_u igoplus \mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_v
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ight)}{\sum_{v' \in \mathcal{N}(u)} \exp\left(\mathbf{a}^ op\left[\mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_u igoplus \mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_{v'}
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(left: Veličković, Petar, et al. "Graph Attention Networks." arXiv preprint arXiv:1710.10903 (2017)) (right: How to Build Graph Transformers with O(N) Complexity by Qitian Wu in @TDataScience)

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## **DISCUSSION: LIVE DEMO**



**RECAP LECTURE 1** 















Algorithm 3 Basic graph message passing

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