

# Deductive Reasoning

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# Description and Types of Inference

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- Deductive reasoning is simply reaching conclusions based on premises that are known or assumed to be true.

- Premise A : All dogs are mammals

Premise B : Mammals are warm blooded

Conclusion: All dogs are warm blooded

- Usually happens by applying “rules of inference” or schema which are provided mostly by classical logic
- Examples of well-known rules of inference are as follows
- *Modus ponens*: if  $P \rightarrow Q, P \vdash Q$  in sequent notation and  $((P \rightarrow Q) \wedge P) \rightarrow P$  in propositional logic notation

where,  $P, Q$  and  $P \rightarrow Q$  are statements (or propositions) in a formal language and  $\vdash$  is a metalogical symbol meaning that  $Q$

is a syntactic consequence of and  $P \rightarrow Q$  in some logical system.

- *Modus Tollens*: if  $P \rightarrow Q, \neg Q \vdash \neg P$  in sequent notation and  $((P \rightarrow Q) \wedge \neg Q) \rightarrow \neg P$  in propositional logic notation

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- *Hypothetical syllogism* : if  $\frac{P \vdash Q \quad Q \vdash R}{P \vdash R}$  in sequent notation and in propositional logic :  
$$((P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)) \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$$
- Validity and Soundness
  - An argument is valid if it is impossible for the premises to be false if the conclusion is true.
  - An argument is sound if it is valid and its premises are true.

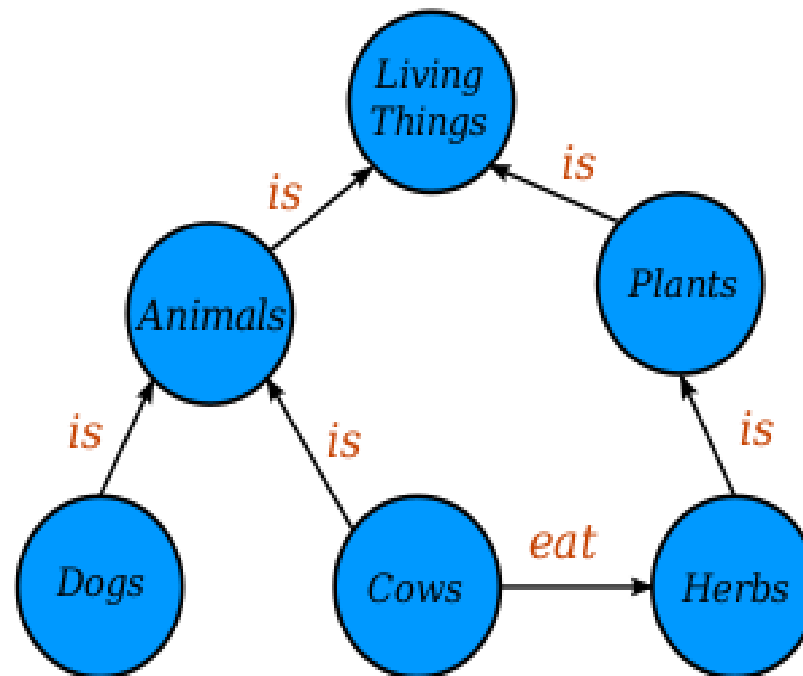
# Knowledge Graphs

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# Description and Uses

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- A knowledge graph is a directed labelled graph that has domain specific meanings attached to it.



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- Used to structure knowledge and manipulate massive amounts of data using graph algorithms.
- Enterprises and social media use it to maintain customer relations
- In the context of AI, it is also called Semantic Networks, KGs are used for a wide range of tasks like knowledge representation, classification and Reasoning.
- World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) has standardized a family of knowledge representation languages
- These languages include the Resource Description Framework(RDF), the Web Ontology Language(OWL), and the Semantic Web Rule Language (SWRL)
- The authors have used RDF for their experiments

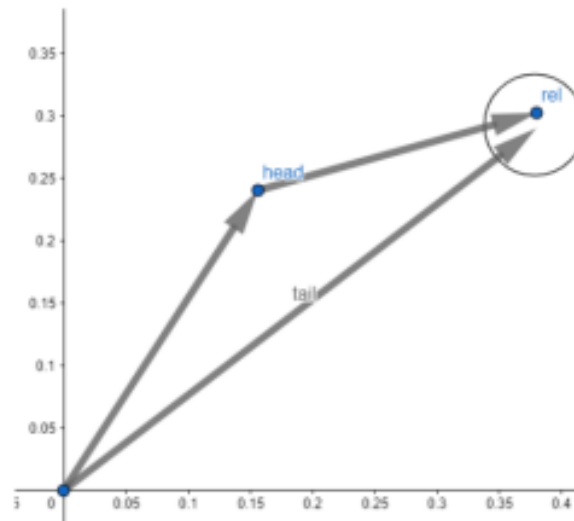
# Knowledge Graph Embeddings

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# Methods of Embedding

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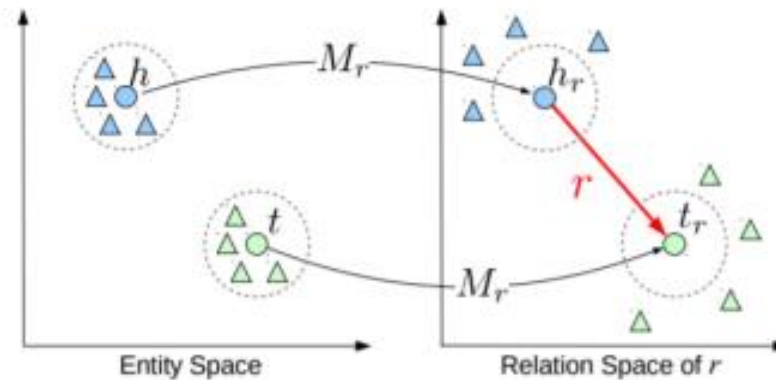
- Syntactic Normalization which renames constants, variables, predicates, etc. to predefined syntactical names across all domains of normalisation. Used by the authors
- TransE : If the subject, object and relation holds, we can describe objects as a vector addition of subject and relation assuming they are in the same vector space,  $\mathbb{R}^k$ .





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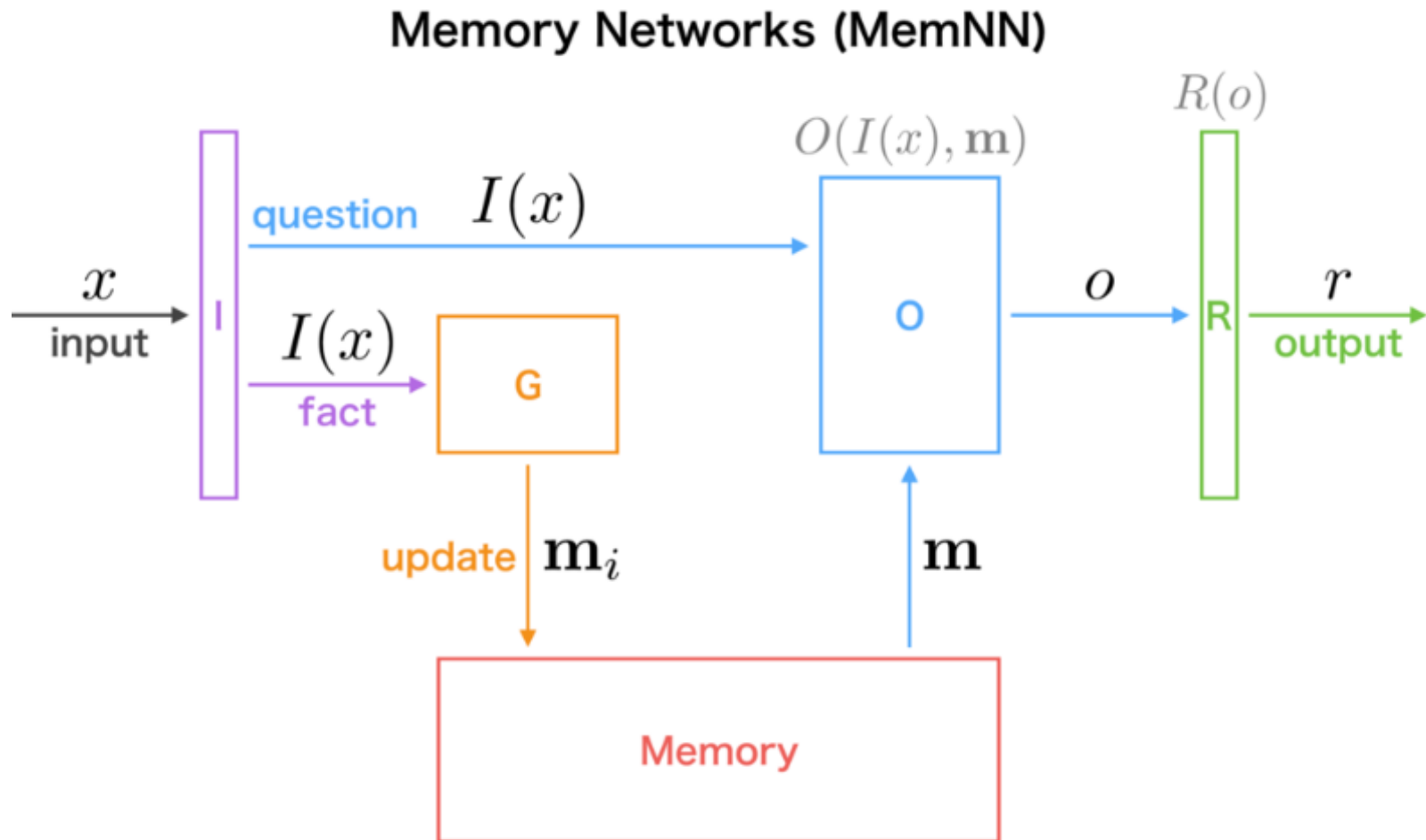
- TransR : Does not assume subject and relation to be in same vector space and thus having an entity space,  $(h, t) \in \mathbb{R}^k$  and relations having a relation space  $\mathbb{R}^d$  where  $d \neq k$  and we operate in the projection matrix of the two spaces  $M_r \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times d}$ .



# Memory Networks

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# Structure of Memory Networks



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- It contains an indexed memory( $m$ ) and 4 modules which are namely
- $I$  (input feature maps): Converts the incoming input to internal feature maps.
- $G$  (generalization): Updates the old memory give a new set of inputs
- $O$  (output feature map): produces a new output (in the feature representation space), given the new input and the current memory state.
- $R$  (response): converts the output into the response format desired. For example, a textual response or an action

# Inference of Memory Networks

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- Core of inference is the Output features module and response. Where a scoring function is used to find the best supporting memory.

$$o_1 = O_1(x, \mathbf{m}) = \arg \max_{i=1, \dots, N} s_O(x, \mathbf{m}_i)$$

- For the next iteration we use the same process but with an array of  $x$  and  $m_1$

$$o_2 = O_2(x, \mathbf{m}) = \arg \max_{i=1, \dots, N} s_O([x, \mathbf{m}_{o_1}], \mathbf{m}_i)$$

- Simplest example of a response model is given by

$$r = \operatorname{argmax}_{w \in W} s_R([x, \mathbf{m}_{o_1}, \mathbf{m}_{o_2}], w)$$

- And the scoring function can be given by embedding functions

$$s(x, y) = \Phi_x(x)^\top U^\top U \Phi_y(y).$$

# Training/Learning in Memory Networks

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- For text inputs, training was done using the Margin ranking loss and Stochastic Gradient Descent.
- Minimizing the loss over the parameters  $U_o$  and  $U_r$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{\bar{f} \neq \mathbf{m}_{o_1}} \max(0, \gamma - s_O(x, \mathbf{m}_{o_1}) + s_O(x, \bar{f})) + \\ & \sum_{\bar{f}' \neq \mathbf{m}_{o_2}} \max(0, \gamma - s_O([x, \mathbf{m}_{o_1}], \mathbf{m}_{o_2}) + s_O([x, \mathbf{m}_{o_1}], \bar{f}')) + \\ & \sum_{\bar{r} \neq r} \max(0, \gamma - s_R([x, \mathbf{m}_{o_1}, \mathbf{m}_{o_2}], r) + s_R([x, \mathbf{m}_{o_1}, \mathbf{m}_{o_2}], \bar{r})) \end{aligned}$$

# Logic Entailment

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# Problem Formulation

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- Any logic  $\mathcal{L}$  comes with an entailment relation

$$\models_{\mathcal{L}} \subseteq T_{\mathcal{L}} \times F_{\mathcal{L}}$$

where  $F_{\mathcal{L}}$  is a subset of set of all logical formulas (or axioms) over  $\mathcal{L}$ , and  $T_{\mathcal{L}}$  is the set of all theories over  $\mathcal{L}$ .

- $T$  entails  $F$  or  $F$  is entailed by  $T$  if  $T \models_{\mathcal{L}} F$
- Reframing the deductive reasoning problem as a classification task
- Train a model on a set of theories  $(T, F)$  to see if  $(T, F) \in T_{\mathcal{L}} \times F_{\mathcal{L}}$  is a valid entailment
- If successful, transfer that learning to new theories over the same logic
- If not then  $T \not\models_{\mathcal{L}} F$

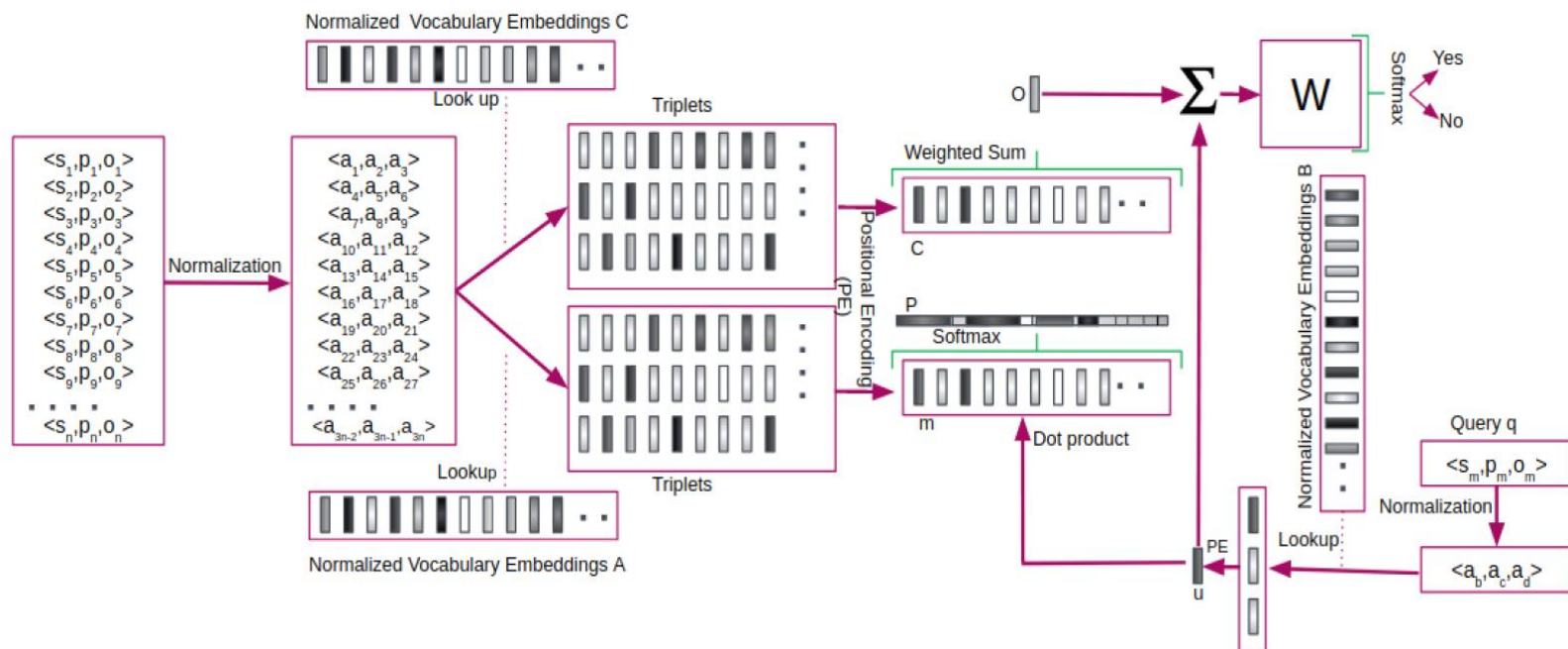


# Model Summary

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# Model Architecture

- Takes a discrete set  $G$  of normalized RDF triplets  $t_1, \dots, t_n$  that are stored in memory, a query  $q$ , and outputs a “yes” or “no” answer
- normalized  $t_i$  and  $q$  contains symbols from general dictionary with  $V$  normalized words shared among all normalized RDF theories



# Model Description

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- Model stores the embeddings of the normalized triplets in our KG in an external memory component
- This component is defined as  $n \times d$  tensor where
  - $n$  = number of triplets
  - $d$  = dimensionality of the embeddings
- Memory vector stores 2 continuous representations of  $m_i$  and  $c_i$  obtained from matrices  $A$  and  $C$  with size  $d \times V$ ,  $V$  = size of vocabulary
- Query  $q$  is embedded via a matrix  $B$  to obtain internal state  $u$

# Model Description

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- Attention mechanism for  $q$  over memory input is represented by a SoftMax

$$p_i = \text{Softmax}(u^T(m_i))$$

where  $\text{Softmax}(a_i) = \frac{e^{(a_i)}}{\sum_j e^{(a_j)}}$

- The above equation calculates probability vector  $p$  over the memory input
- The output vector  $o$  is a weighted sum of memory content  $c_i$  with respect to corresponding probabilities  $p_i$

$$o = \sum_i p_i c_i$$

- The internal state of the query vector updates for next hop as  $u^{k+1} = u^k + o^k$ , and the process repeats  $K$  times

# Syntactic Normalization

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- Deductive reasoning requires the names of entities to be insubstantial
- Embeddings that are agnostic to the strings used as primitives in the KG are built
- Syntactic normalization – renaming of primitives such as variables, constants, functions, predicates to a predefined entity names
- By random renaming, the network will learn the structure within the theory and not the actual names
- Helps in forgetting irrelevant label names
- Assists in transfer learning from one KG to the other

# Cross KG entailment

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- Resource Description Framework (RDF) is a widely used Web standard for data publishing and expressing KGs
- RDF KG stores any statement as triplets (e1,r,e2)
  - e1 - Subject
  - e2 – Object
  - r – relation binding e1 and e2
- Syntactic normalization of the elements in triplets uses Position Encoding (PE)
- PE encodes position of each element within a triplet

# Cross KG entailment

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- $j^{\text{th}}$  element of  $i^{\text{th}}$  triplet be  $t_{ij}$
- Memory vector representation of each triplet is

$$m_i = \sum_j l_j \circ t_{i,j}$$

$$l_{k,j} = (1 - j/3) - (k(1 - 2j/3)/d)$$

$k$  = number of hops

$d$  = size of embeddings

3 = number of RDF elements

- Hence each memory slot is position-weighted summation of each triplet
- PE ensures the order of elements affects the encoding of each memory slot

# Evaluation

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# Dataset

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- Data collected from RDF datasets from [Linked Data cloud](#) and [Data Hub](#)
- Training dataset - RDF KGs each of size 1000 triplets sampled from 20 Web Ontology Language(OWL)
- Test dataset - Linked Data test set and custom created small dataset with long reasoning chains
- For each KG a finite set of inferred triplets were created with some positive and invalid class instances
- Invalid class method 1 – random permutation and removing entailed triplets
- Invalid class method 2 called a – one random element in each valid triplet is replaced with another random element based on position encoding

# Training and Evaluation

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- Training batch size of 100 triplets
- Final batch queries get zero-padded to reach maximum batch size of 100
- Dimensionality of embedding = 20
- Hence the matrices of A,B, and C are of size  $|V| \times 20$
- $K = 10$
- Evaluation metrics are average of precision, recall and f-measure over all the KGs
- Includes valid and invalid triplets with true negatives recall specifically counted

# Evaluation

- Non-normalized embedding version memory network is considered as baseline

| Training Dataset                      | Test Dataset                          | Valid Triples Class |                     |           | Invalid Triples Class |                     |           | Accuracy |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------|----------|
|                                       |                                       | Precision           | Recall /Sensitivity | F-measure | Precision             | Recall /Specificity | F-measure |          |
| OWL-Centric Dataset                   | Linked Data                           | 93                  | 98                  | 96        | 98                    | 93                  | 95        | 96       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset (90%)             | OWL-Centric Dataset (10%)             | 88                  | 91                  | 89        | 90                    | 88                  | 89        | 90       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset                   | OWL-Centric Test Set <sup>b</sup>     | 79                  | 62                  | 68        | 70                    | 84                  | 76        | 69       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset                   | Synthetic Data                        | 65                  | 49                  | 40        | 52                    | 54                  | 42        | 52       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset                   | Linked Data <sup>a</sup>              | 54                  | 98                  | 70        | 91                    | 16                  | 27        | 86       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset <sup>a</sup>      | Linked Data <sup>a</sup>              | 62                  | 72                  | 67        | 67                    | 56                  | 61        | 91       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset(90%) <sup>a</sup> | OWL-Centric Dataset(10%) <sup>a</sup> | 79                  | 72                  | 75        | 74                    | 81                  | 77        | 80       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset                   | OWL-Centric Test Set <sup>ab</sup>    | 58                  | 68                  | 62        | 62                    | 50                  | 54        | 58       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset <sup>a</sup>      | OWL-Centric Test Set <sup>ab</sup>    | 77                  | 57                  | 65        | 66                    | 82                  | 73        | 73       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset                   | Synthetic Data <sup>a</sup>           | 70                  | 51                  | 40        | 47                    | 52                  | 38        | 51       |
| OWL-Centric Dataset <sup>a</sup>      | Synthetic Data <sup>a</sup>           | 67                  | 23                  | 25        | 52                    | 80                  | 62        | 50       |
| <b>Baseline</b>                       |                                       |                     |                     |           |                       |                     |           |          |
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| OWL-Centric Dataset                   | Synthetic Data                        | 35                  | 41                  | 32        | 48                    | 55                  | 45        | 48       |

# Results

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- Big difference in training times for embedded matrices in the original and normalized cases
- Example – Embedded matrices for normalized OWL-centric training dataset is 3033x20
- For non-normalized one is it 811,261x20
- Normalization reduces the space required for saving by 80 times( $\approx$  4GB)
- It is also 40 times faster to train than non-normalized ones
- Normalized model trained for a day and achieved better accuracy
- The non-normalized model took a week to train on a non-normalized dataset but still achieved less accuracy

# Shortcoming and Future Work

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- Poor performance when tested against a tricky version of Linked Data
- Tricky version has negative instances bear close resemblance with positive ones
- The model is not as good against a challenging synthetic data
- It is due to the difference in length distribution of original training data and the synthetic data reasoning hops
- It is concluded also from the previous studies that the reasoning chain length in real-world KGs is limited to 3 or 4
- For future work, the authors plan to investigate the model scalability and its adaptability to complex, synthetic datasets

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