Generating Graphs with Specified Properties

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Overview

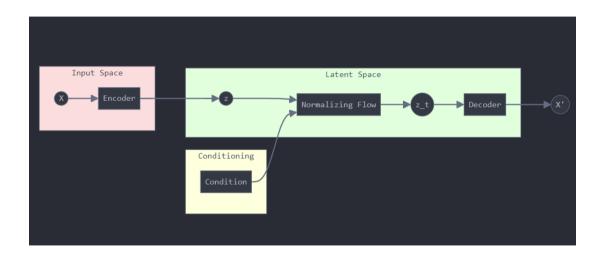
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Presentation of the project

Given 7 properties of a graph written in a text, generate a graph that respects those properties.

Example : "This graph comprises 49 nodes and 686 edges. The average degree is equal to 28.0 and there are 3647 triangles in the graph. The global clustering coefficient and the graph's maximum k-core are 0.5830535571542765 and 23 respectively. The graph consists of 5 communities."

Architecture of the model



Normalizing flow

Definition

Normalizing flows are a class of generative models that define a complex probability distribution $p_X(x)$ by transforming a simple base distribution $p_Z(z)$ (e.g., Gaussian) through a series of invertible and differentiable transformations $f = f_1 \circ f_2 \circ \cdots \circ f_K$. Using the change of variables formula, the resulting density is computed as:

$$p_X(x) = p_Z(z) \left| \det \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \right) \right|,$$

where $z=f^{-1}(x)$, and $\det\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)$ is the determinant of the Jacobian matrix of the transformation f.

Conditional normalizing flow

Definition

Conditional Normalizing Flows are an extention to normalizing flows to model conditional probability distributions $p_X(x \mid c)$, where c represents additional conditioning information. The transformation f becomes condition-dependent, $f_c = f_{c,1} \circ f_{c,2} \circ \cdots \circ f_{c,K}$, and the base distribution $p_Z(z)$ may also depend on c. Using the change of variables formula, the conditional density is expressed as:

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where $z=f_c^{-1}(x)$, and $\det\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)$ is the determinant of the Jacobian matrix of the conditional transformation f_c .

Conditional normalizing flow

Definition [C.Winkler and al. (2019)]

Affine coupling layers are a type of coupling layer used in normalizing flows, which transforms data in a way that guarantees the bijectiveness of the transformation while maintaining computational efficiency. In an affine coupling layer, the transformation f(x) is split into two parts:

$$f(x) = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \exp(s(x_1)) \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ t(x_1) \end{pmatrix}$$

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Affine coupling layers

The inverse of the affine coupling layer is computed as:

$$\mathbf{x}_1 = \mathbf{y}_1,$$
 $\mathbf{x}_2 = (\mathbf{y}_2 - t(\mathbf{y}_1)) \odot \exp(-s(\mathbf{y}_1)).$

The Jacobian of the affine coupling layer is a triangular matrix due to the structure of the transformation. Therefore, the determinant of the Jacobian is:

$$\det\left(rac{\partial(\mathbf{y}_1,\mathbf{y}_2)}{\partial(\mathbf{x}_1,\mathbf{x}_2)}
ight) = \prod_i \exp(s_i(\mathbf{x}_1)),$$

where $s_i(\mathbf{x}_1)$ are the elements of the scale function $s(\mathbf{x}_1)$.

The log-determinant of the Jacobian is:

$$\log \det \left(\frac{\partial (\mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2)}{\partial (\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2)} \right) = \sum_i s_i(\mathbf{x}_1).$$

Condition modules [C.Winkler and al. (2019)]

Conditional Prior:
$$p(z|x) = \mathcal{N}(z; \mu(x), \sigma^2(x))$$

Conditional Coupling:
$$y_0 = s(z_1, x) \cdot z_0 + t(z_1, x)$$
; $y_1 = z_1$

In practice :

$$\mu(x), \sigma^2(x) = NN(condition)$$

Stabilizing the normalizing flow

Idea [Daniel Andrade (2024)] : Threshold high and low scaling factors to ensure that $\alpha_{\rm neg} \leq s(z_1,x) \leq \alpha_{\rm pos}$, where the thresholds $\alpha_{\rm pos}$ and $\alpha_{\rm neg}$ is set to a fixed small value.

$$c(s) = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{\pi} \alpha_{\mathsf{pos}} \arctan\left(\frac{s}{\alpha_{\mathsf{pos}}}\right), & \text{if } s \geq 0, \\ \frac{2}{\pi} \alpha_{\mathsf{neg}} \arctan\left(\frac{s}{\alpha_{\mathsf{neg}}}\right), & \text{if } s < 0, \end{cases}$$

MINE

Definition [M. Belghazi and al. (2018)]

Mutual Information Neural Estimator (MINE) is a method for estimating the mutual information I(X; Y) between two random variables X and Y. MINE relies on the Donsker-Varadhan representation of the Kullback-Leibler divergence:

$$I(X;Y) = \sup_{T_{\theta}} \mathbb{E}_{p(X,Y)}[T_{\theta}(x,y)] - \log \mathbb{E}_{p(X)p(Y)} \left[e^{T_{\theta}(x,y)} \right],$$

where T_{θ} is a neural network parameterized by θ , which acts as a critic function to distinguish between joint samples $(x,y) \sim p(X,Y)$ and marginal samples $(x,y) \sim p(X)p(Y)$.

MINE

$$total_loss = normalizingfow_loss + \beta \times (-I(X; Y))$$

Conclusion

- The model's performance was suboptimal.
- Base case result on the test dataset: **0.98**.
- Likely explanation:
 - Latent embeddings produced by the normalizing flow were not sufficiently representative
 of the condition.
 - This issue persisted despite employing various techniques to improve the embedding quality.

LLMs

• T5 (Text-to-Text Transfer Transformer)

- Powerful at generating meaningful and coherent textual embeddings.
- Captures contextual information from input text.
- Effective for diverse text-based tasks, including graph link prediction.

BERT (Bidirectional Encoder Representations from Transformers))

- Captures nuanced contextual information from text.
- Considers both the left and right context of a word,
- Excels in understanding sentence-level semantics, which aids in generating detailed node representations in graph models.

Baseline Results

- Variational Graph Autoencoder (VGAE) with standard F1 loss.
- Baseline MAE: 0.8
- Improved Performance
 - T5 embeddings: MAE = 0.41
 - BERT embeddings: MAE = 0.50

Modified Loss Function

- Original: Standard F1 loss.
- Modifications:
 - Replaced with L1 loss to minimize absolute errors.
 - Added L2 regularization for better generalization.
- Results:
 - T5 embeddings: MAE remains at 0.41 (optimized).
 - BERT embeddings: MAE improved to 0.50.

Modified Loss Function

- Combines GNNs and transformers for graph-based learning.
- Key Components:
 - Self-attention for global dependencies in the graph.
 - Global pooling for fixed-size graph representation.
 - Decoder to reconstruct graph structure.
- Predicts graph relationships effectively:

Using T5 BERT with Graph Transformer

- Integration: T5 and BERT embeddings as node features.
- Enhancements:
 - Enriched node representations with semantic information.
 - Captures both textual context and graph structure.
- Results: MAE = 0.70.

Analysis

- T5 and BERT significantly enhance link prediction tasks.
- Modified loss function (L1 + L2 regularization) improves accuracy.
- Graph Transformers effectively combine semantic and structural data.

Table

Response 1	Response 2
0.0003262	0.562
0.0015681	0.910
0.0009271	0.296
	0.0003262 0.0015681

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Theorem

Theorem (Mass-energy equivalence)

$$E = mc^2$$

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