HL-Pretrained Filterbank GNNs

Original Idea: Complete the missing half

- GNNs message passing assumption: smoothness
 - Node aggregation: node-level low-pass filter (LP).
 - Capturing low-frequency signals (smooth features) across the graph and make nodes become similar to their neighbors.

Problem:

- Homophily assumption does not always hold
- On networks like dating network and online purchasing network, non-smooth pattern turn out to be important.
- Signal defined on graph is generally a mixture of smooth and nonsmoothgraphsignalsandeachpartplaysanindispensable role.

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- Proposed method:
 - Normalized affinity matrix as the low-pass filter

$$A_{sym} = D^{-1/2}AD^{-1/2}$$

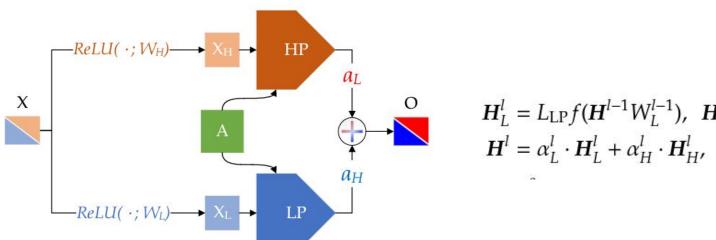
Normalized laplacian matrix as the high-pass filter

$$-L_{sym} = D^{-1/2}LD^{-1/2}$$

- o low-pass filter: aim at aggregating node information
- o high-pass filter: aim at diversify node information

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 $A_{sym} + L_{sym} = I$

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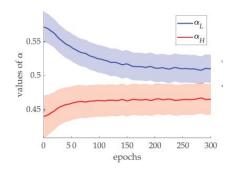


$$\mathbf{H}_{L}^{l} = L_{\text{LP}} f(\mathbf{H}^{l-1} W_{L}^{l-1}), \ \mathbf{H}_{H}^{l} = L_{\text{HP}} f(\mathbf{H}^{l-1} W_{H}^{l-1})$$

 $\mathbf{H}^{l} = \alpha_{L}^{l} \cdot \mathbf{H}_{L}^{l} + \alpha_{H}^{l} \cdot \mathbf{H}_{H}^{l}, \ l = 1, ..., n$

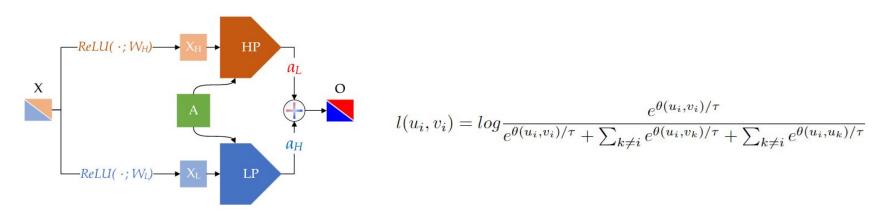
Problem

- Only applicable when there are a large amount of labeled data
 - Original paper data split: 60%/20%/20%
 - When the labels are scarce: weighting parameter becomes unstabilized and converge to different values based on different initialization.
 - Performance suffers and the average-10-run classification accuracies becomes lower than non-FB assisted GCN.
 - Filterbank cannot balance the smoothness & nonsmoothness proportion



Proposed method: HL-Pretrained Filterbank

- Utilize contrastive learning in pretraining
 - Use the high-frequency-signal extractor and low-frequency-signal extractor as augmentation methods.
 - By maximize the mutual information between two output representation, seek to balance out the smooth & nonsmooth proportion without utilizing additional labels



Datasets

- Cora (Homo)
 - 7 classes, 2708 nodes, 5429 edges
- Citeseer (Homo)
 - o 6 classes, 3327 nodes, 4732 edges
- Chameleon (Hetero)
 - o 5 classes, 2277 nodes, 36101 edges
- Texas (Hetero)
 - o 5 classes, 183 nodes, 309 edges
- Squirrel (Hetero)
 - 5 classes, 5201 nodes, 217073 edges

Result (data split: 5%/35%/60%)

Accuracy	Chameleon	Citeseer	Cora	Texas	Squirrel
Original Idea (W/O pretraining)	0.6386	0.7867	0.8587	0.6812	0.4963
Proposed method	0.5957	0.7705	0.8275	0.5215	0.4579