



All Your GNN Models And Data Belong To Me^{*}

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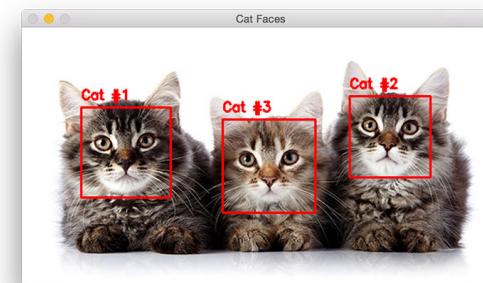
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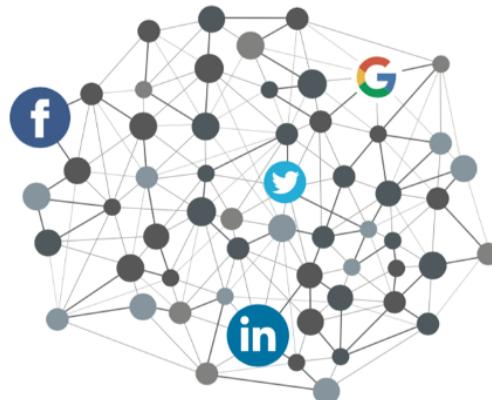
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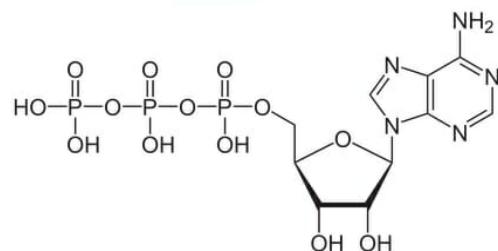
Graphs Are Everywhere

Graphs are **combinatorial structures**, have arbitrary sizes, and contain multi-modal information

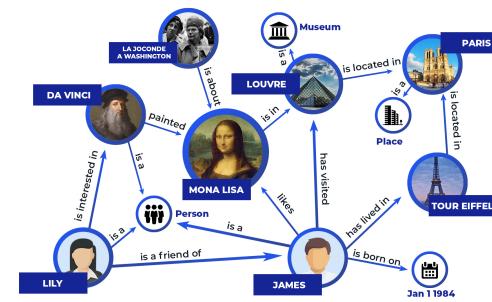
Social Networks



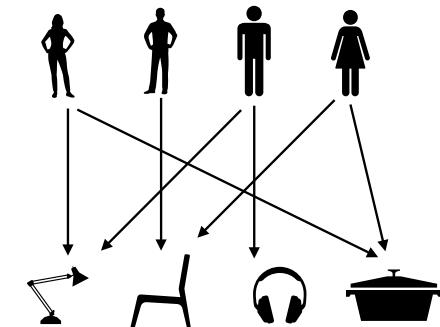
Molecules



Knowledge Graphs



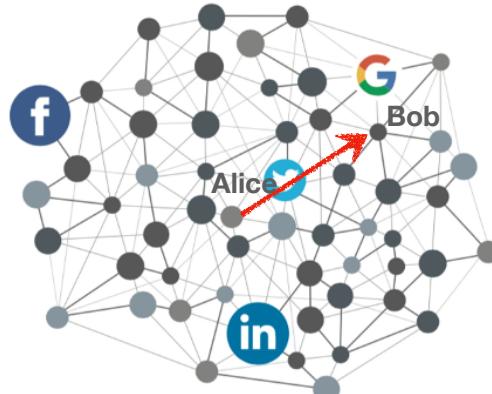
User-Item Graphs



Graph Applications Are Everywhere

Graph-based applications pervasively exist in our everyday life

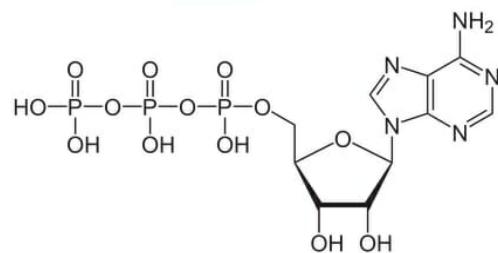
Social Networks



Demographic Inference
Age group of Bob

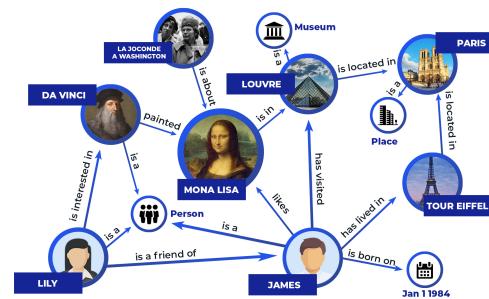
Link Prediction
Do you (Alice) know Bob?

Molecules



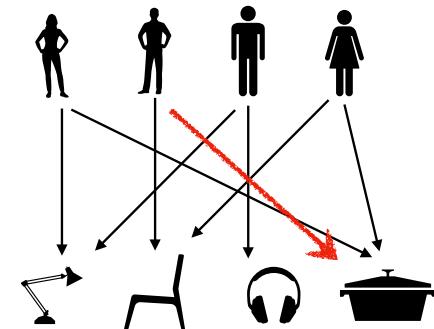
Toxicity Prediction

Knowledge Graphs



Knowledge Mining

User-Item Graphs

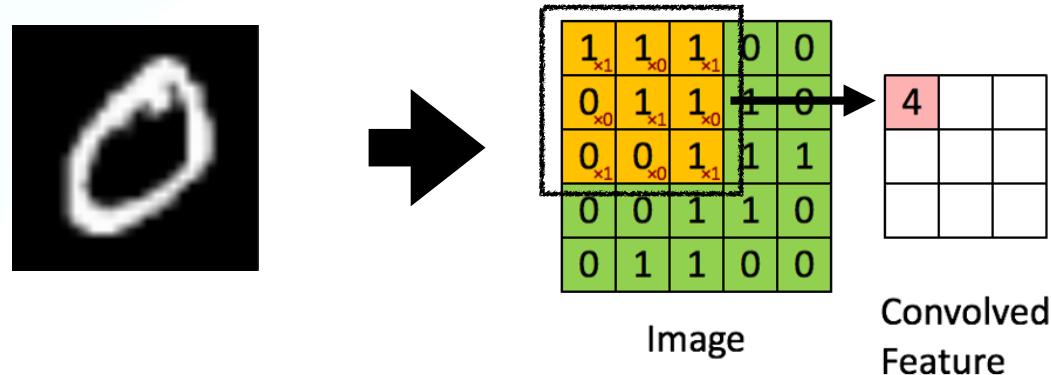


Recommendation

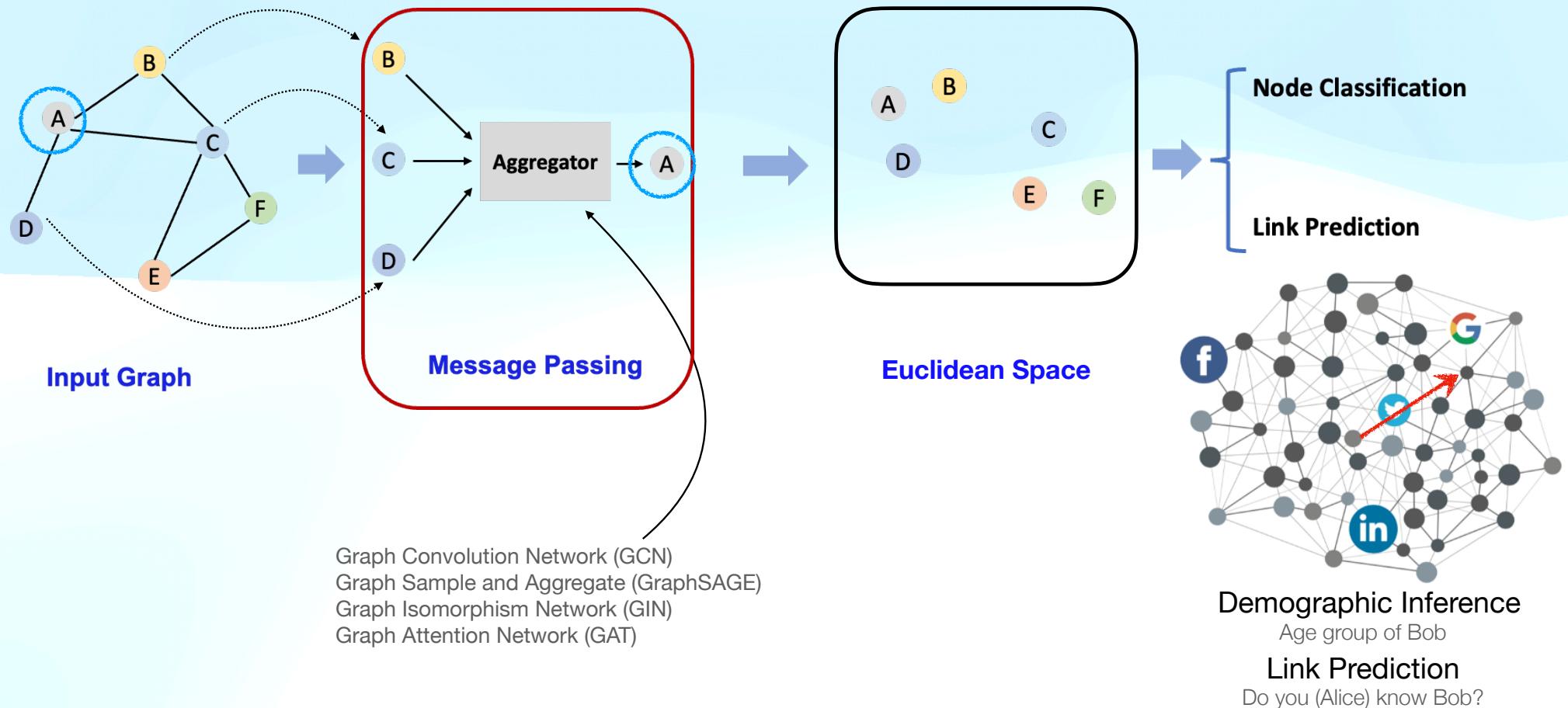
We found an item you may be interested!

Graph Neural Network (GNN)

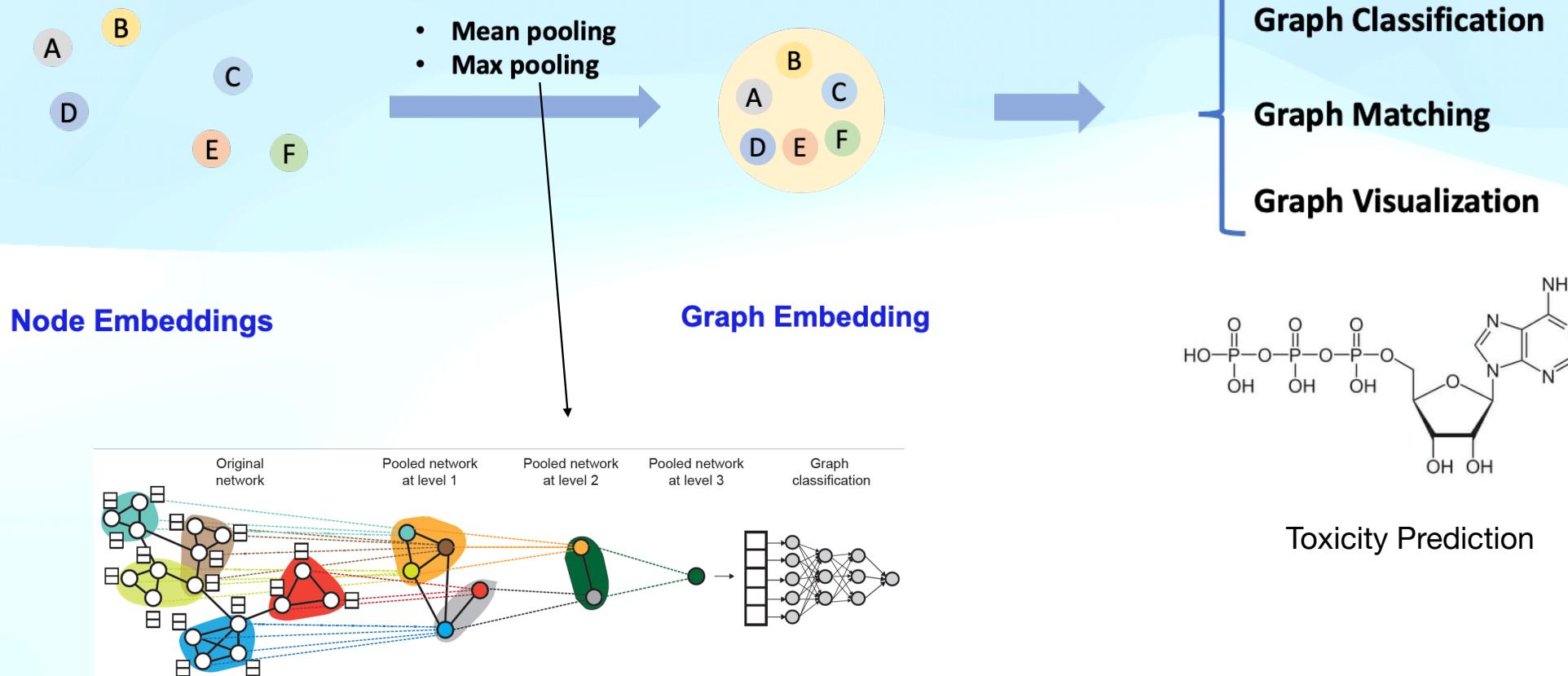
- Traditional neural networks are designed for grids (e.g., images) or sequences (e.g., text)
 - CNNs for images
 - RNNs for sequences



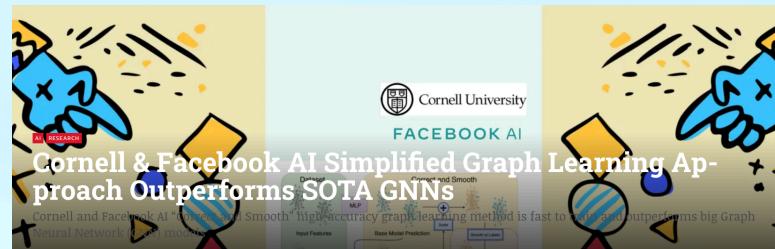
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A screenshot of a blog post titled "Graph ML at Twitter" by Michael Bronstein. The post is dated Wednesday, 2 September 2020. It includes social media sharing icons for Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, and GitHub. The main content area is currently empty.

A screenshot of the Neo4j Graph Data Science landing page. It features a circular graphic with nodes and connections. The heading is "WHAT IS IT? Neo4j Graph Data Science". Below it, a subtext explains: "Neo4j Graph Data Science is a connected data analytics and machine learning platform that helps you understand the connections in big data to answer critical questions and improve predictions." A blue button at the bottom right says "Read 5 Graph Data Science Basics".

Introducing Amazon SageMaker Support for Deep Graph Library (DGL): Build and Train Graph Neural Networks

Posted On: Dec 3, 2019

Amazon SageMaker support for the Deep Graph Library (DGL) is now available. With DGL, you can improve the prediction accuracy of recommendation, fraud detection, and drug discovery systems using Graph Neural Networks (GNNs).

A screenshot of the Kumo AI landing page. The logo "kumo" is in pink. Below it, there are links for "how it works", "about us", and "request early access". A subtext reads "From siloed tasks to an enterprise graph." To the right, there is a graphic showing a complex network of interconnected colored blocks (blue, green, yellow, red) representing data relationships.

Graph

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AI Poisoning Is the Next Big Risk in Cybersecurity

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How Adversarial Attacks Could Destabilize Military AI Systems

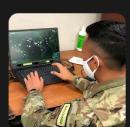


The Age of Adversarial Machine Learning

Air Force Magazine

Does AI Present a New Attack Surface for Adversaries?

29 Sept 2021



WIRED

Even Artificial Neural Networks Can Have Exploitable 'Backdoors'



Overview*

Security

Privacy

Graph

GNN

Model extraction attack

Link re-identification attack

Property inference attack

Subgraph inference attack

Link Re-Identification Attack

	Graph	GNN
Security		
Privacy	Link re-identification attack	Identify if two nodes are connected in the <u>training data</u>

Link Re-Identification Attack (Scenario 1)

Scenario

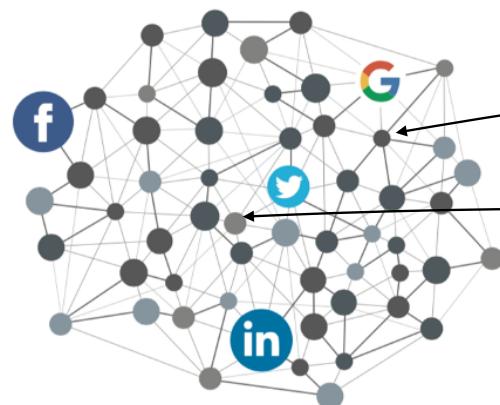


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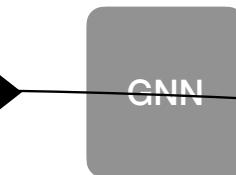
GNN model:
Node classification

Attacker's capability:

1. posteriors of nodes (from training data) obtained from the target model

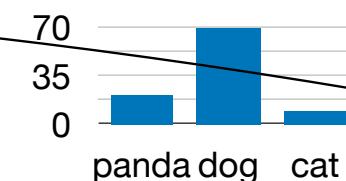
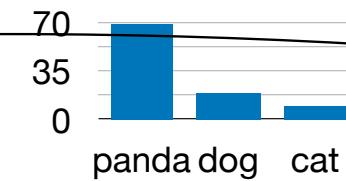


GPU intensive



Posterior Scores

Private Information

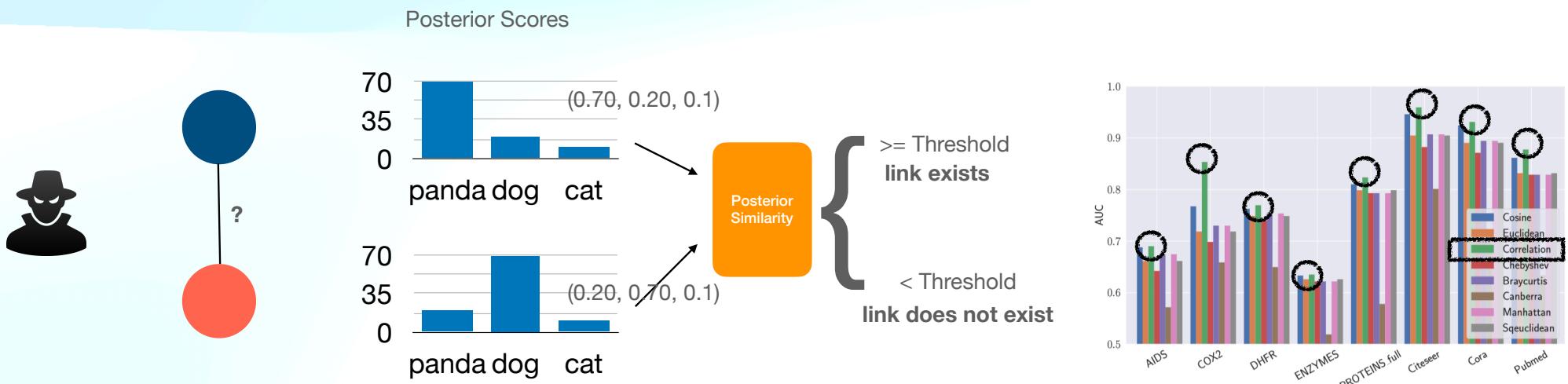
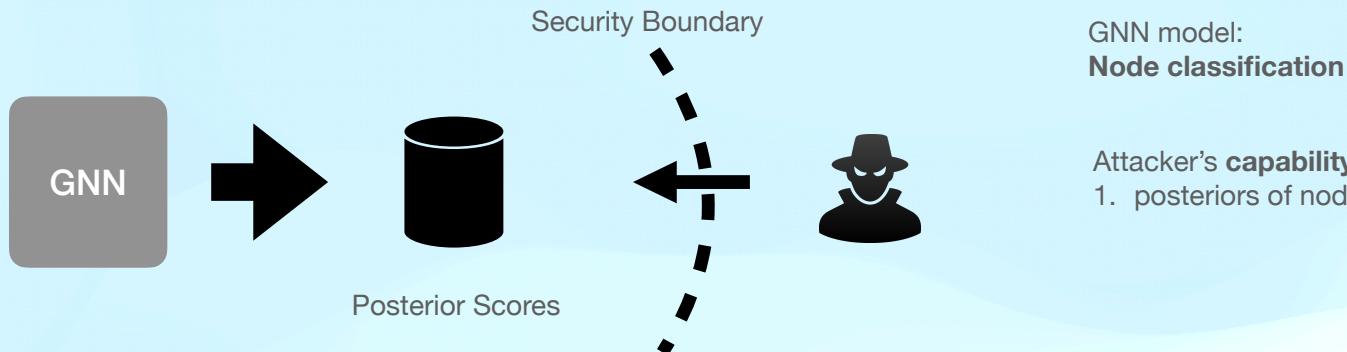


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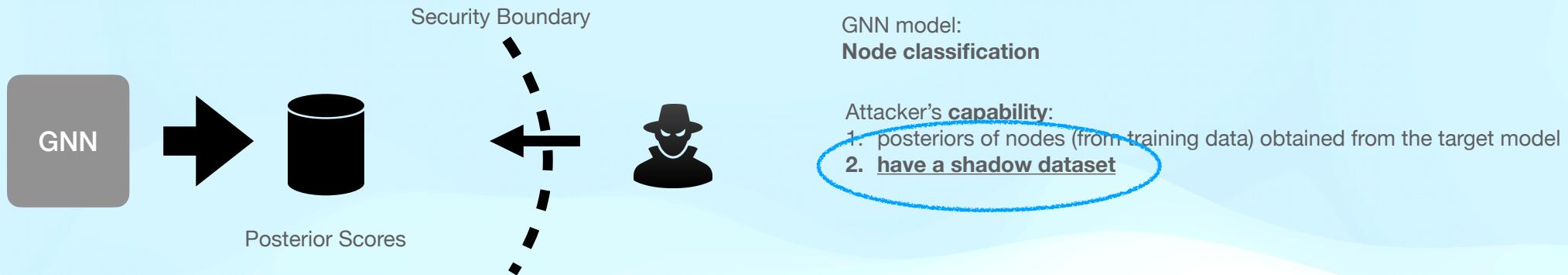
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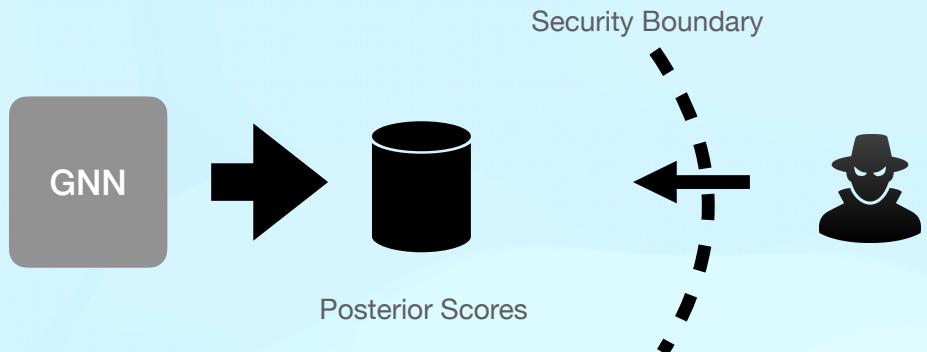
Link Re-Identification Attack (Scenario 2)

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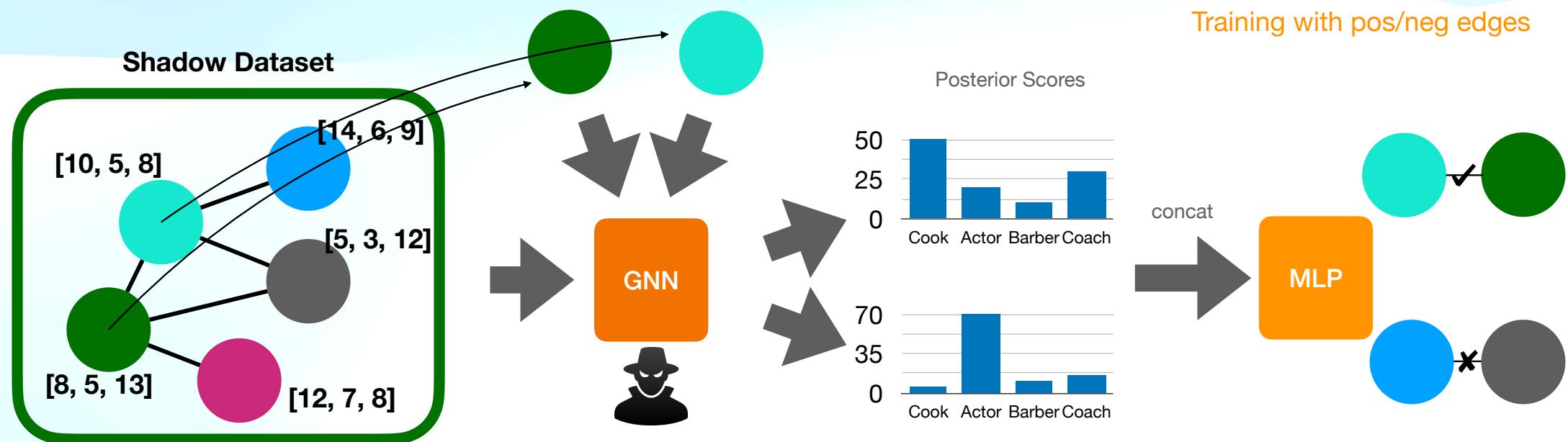
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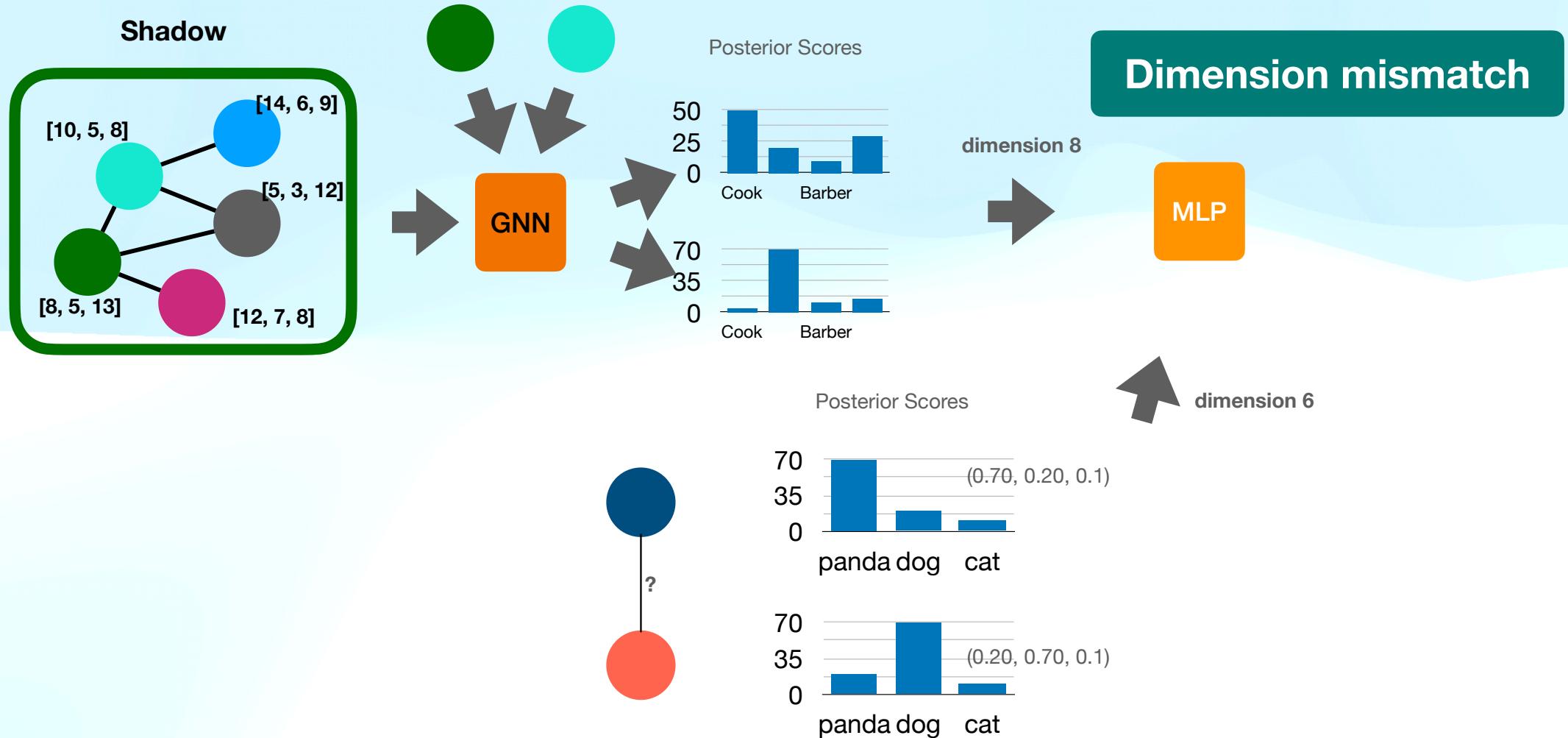


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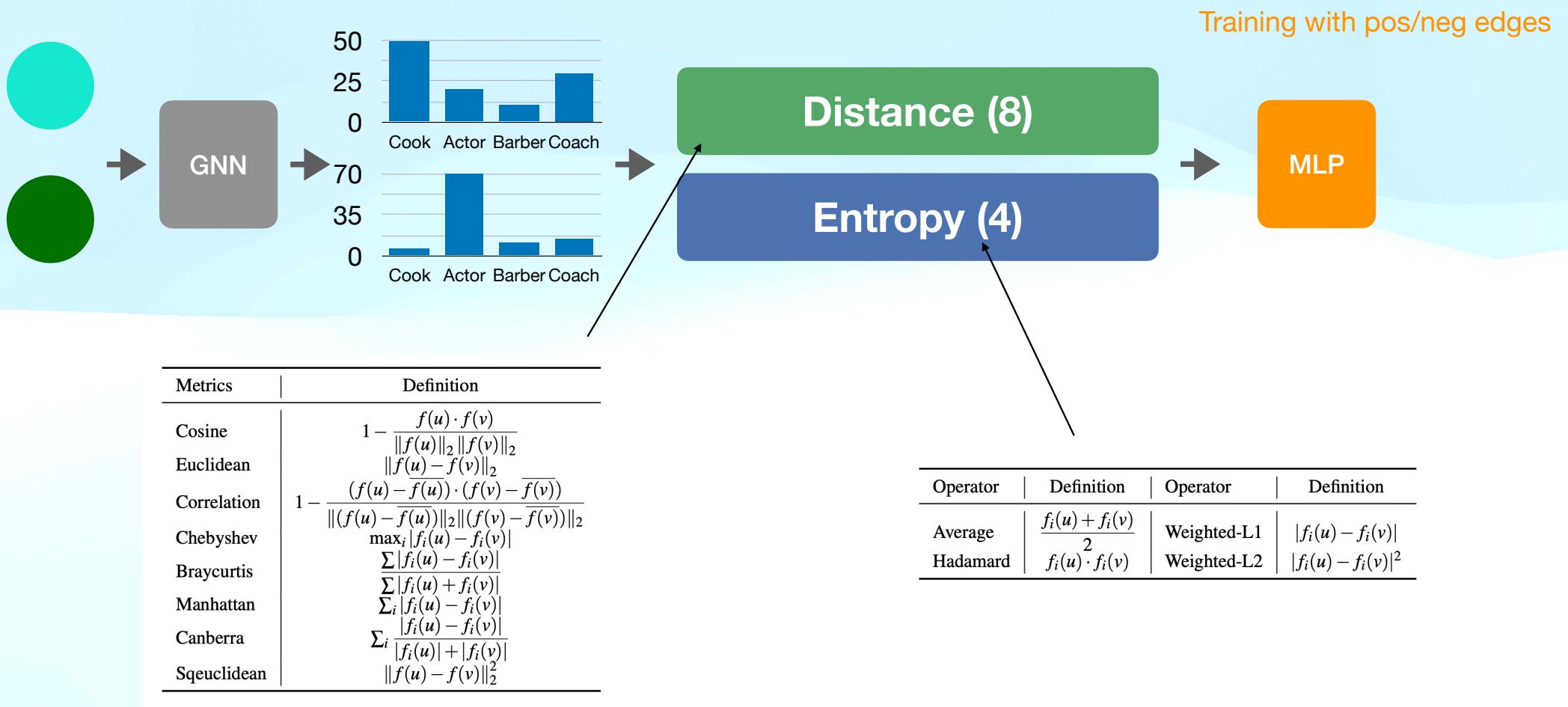
Attacker's capability:
1. posteriors of nodes (from training data) obtained from the target model
2. have a shadow dataset



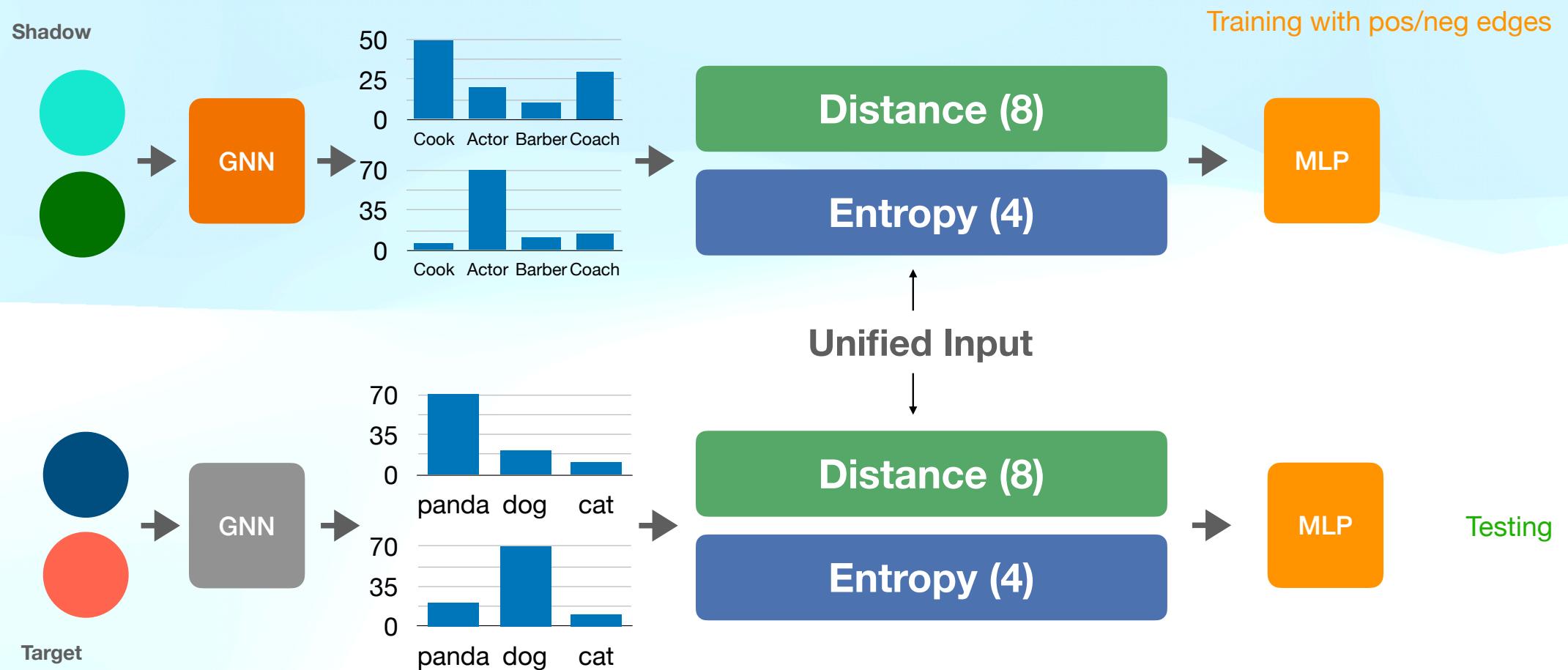
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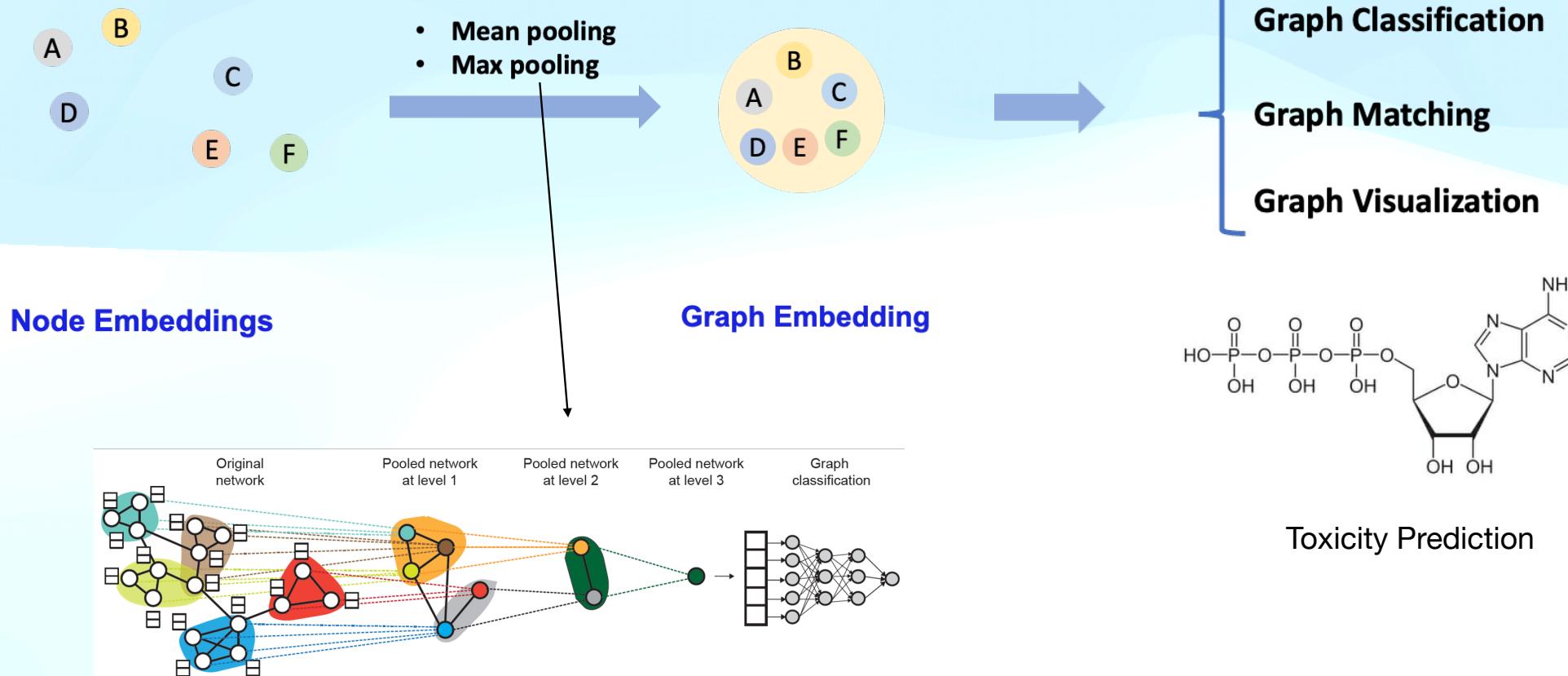
AUC

Target Dataset	Shadow Dataset								
	AIDS	COX2	DHFR	ENZYMES	PROTEINS_full	Citeseer	Cora	Pubmed	
AIDS	-	0.720 ± 0.009	0.690 ± 0.005	0.730 ± 0.010	0.720 ± 0.005	0.689 ± 0.019	0.650 ± 0.025	0.667 ± 0.014	
COX2	0.755 ± 0.032	-	0.831 ± 0.005	0.739 ± 0.116	0.832 ± 0.009	0.762 ± 0.009	0.773 ± 0.008	0.722 ± 0.024	
DHFR	0.689 ± 0.004	0.771 ± 0.004	-	0.577 ± 0.044	0.701 ± 0.010	0.736 ± 0.005	0.740 ± 0.003	0.663 ± 0.010	
ENZYMES	0.747 ± 0.014	0.695 ± 0.023	0.514 ± 0.041	-	0.691 ± 0.030	0.680 ± 0.012	0.663 ± 0.009	0.637 ± 0.018	
PROTEINS_full	0.775 ± 0.020	0.821 ± 0.016	0.528 ± 0.038	0.822 ± 0.020	-	0.823 ± 0.004	0.809 ± 0.015	0.809 ± 0.013	
Citeseer	0.801 ± 0.040	0.920 ± 0.006	0.842 ± 0.036	0.846 ± 0.042	0.848 ± 0.015	-	0.965 ± 0.001	0.942 ± 0.003	
Cora	0.791 ± 0.019	0.884 ± 0.005	0.811 ± 0.024	0.804 ± 0.048	0.869 ± 0.012	0.942 ± 0.001	-	0.917 ± 0.002	
Pubmed	0.705 ± 0.039	0.796 ± 0.007	0.704 ± 0.042	0.708 ± 0.067	0.752 ± 0.014	0.883 ± 0.006	0.885 ± 0.005	-	

Property/Subgraph Inference Attack

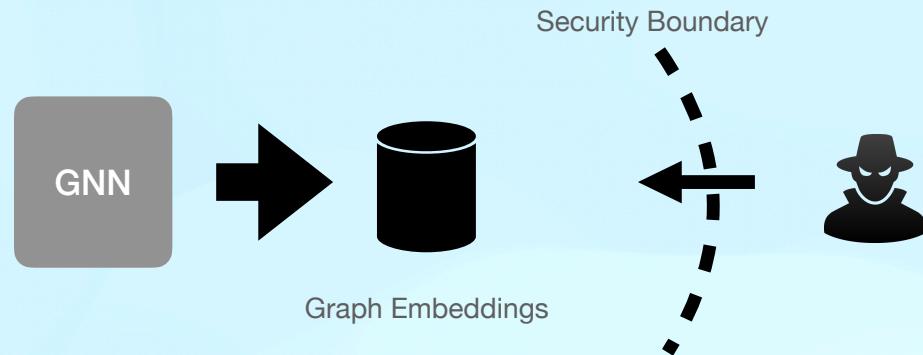
	Graph	GNN
Security		
Privacy	Property inference attack Subgraph inference attack	Infer basic graph properties of a graph via its graph embedding Infer if a certain subgraph exists in a graph via its graph embedding

Graph Neural Network (GNN)



Property Inference Attack

Scenario

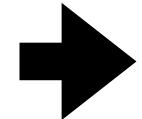
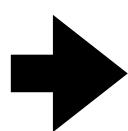
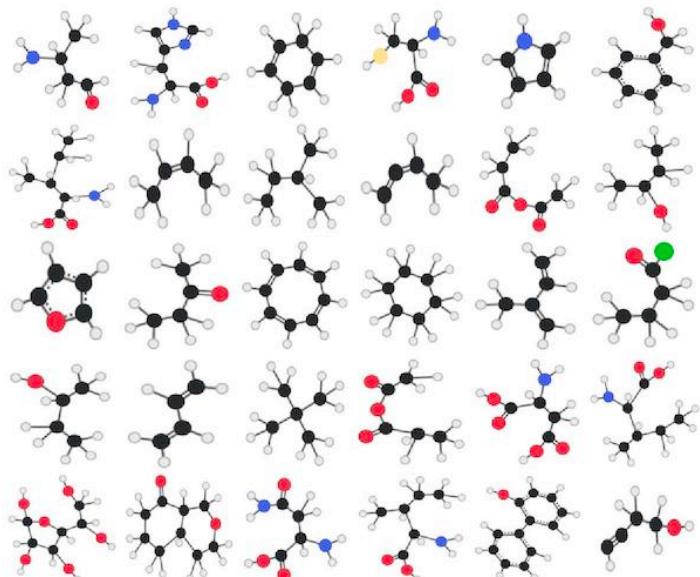


GNN model:
Graph classification

Attacker's capability:

1. Embeddings of graphs (from training data) obtained from the target model
2. Can query the GNN model

Private Graph

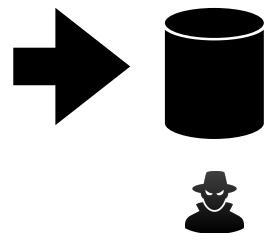


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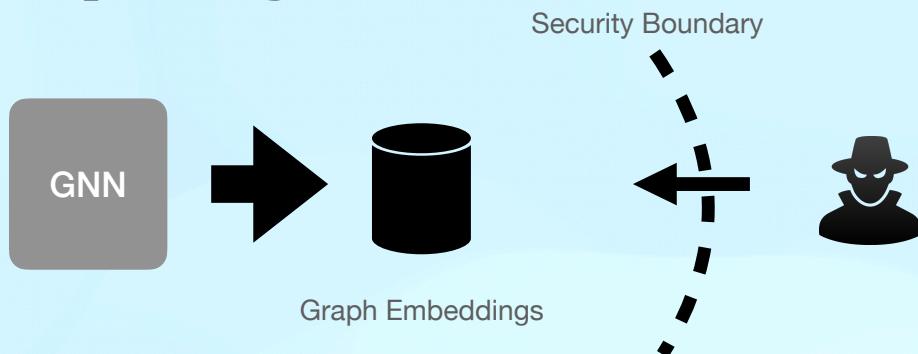
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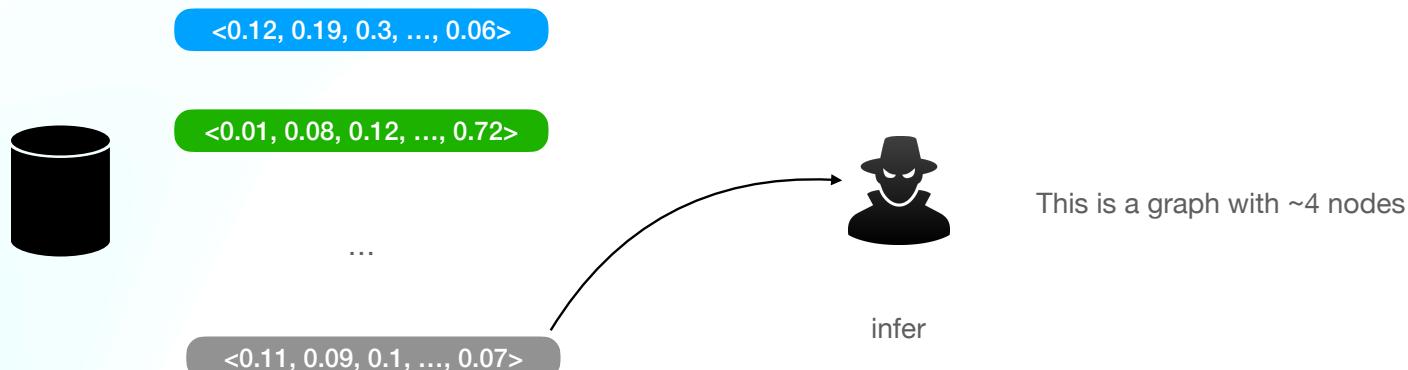
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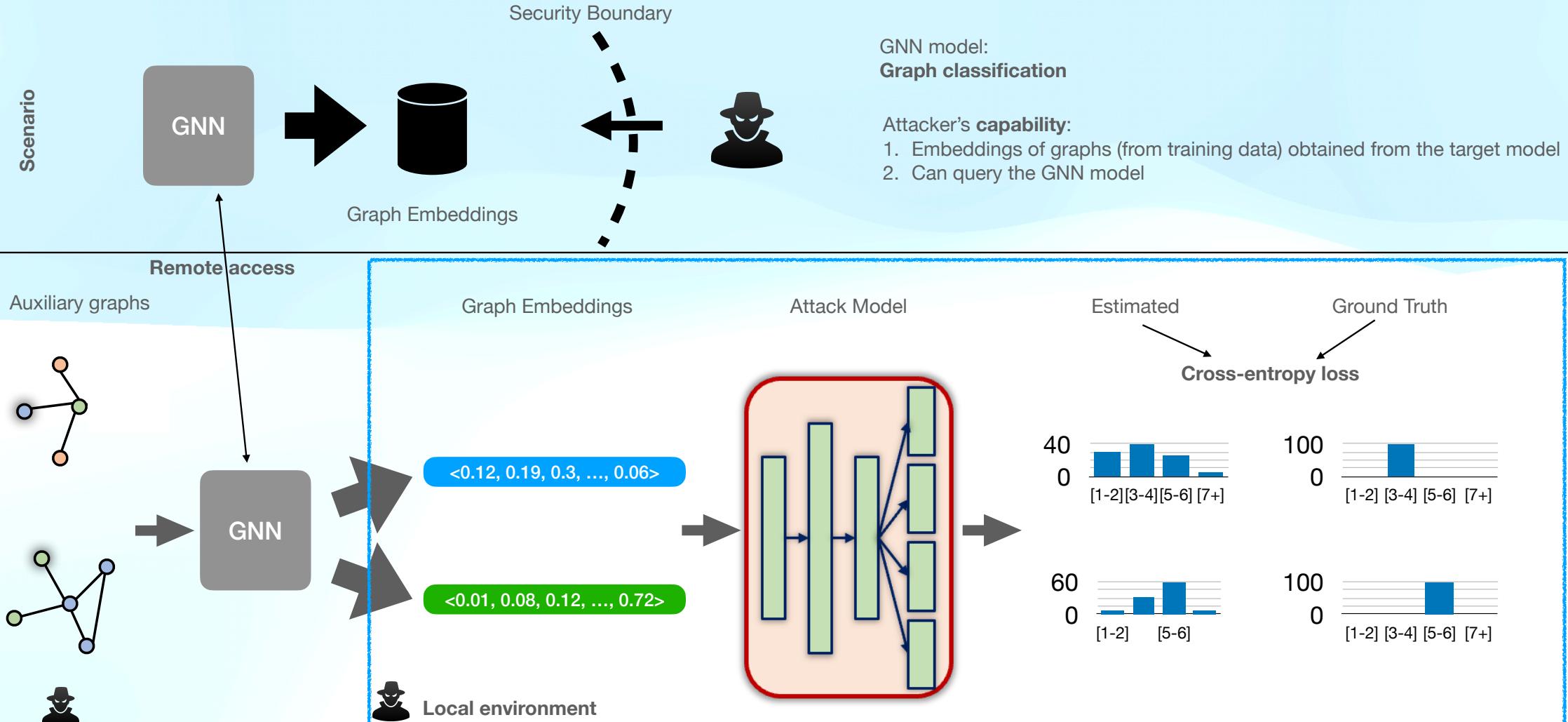
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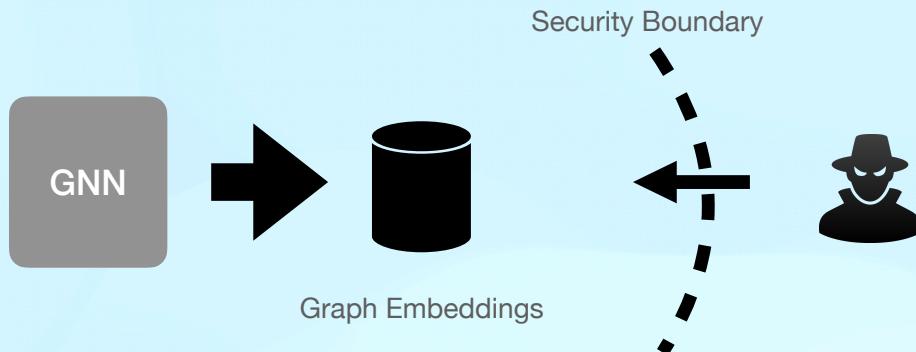


Property Inference Attack



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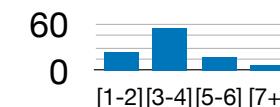
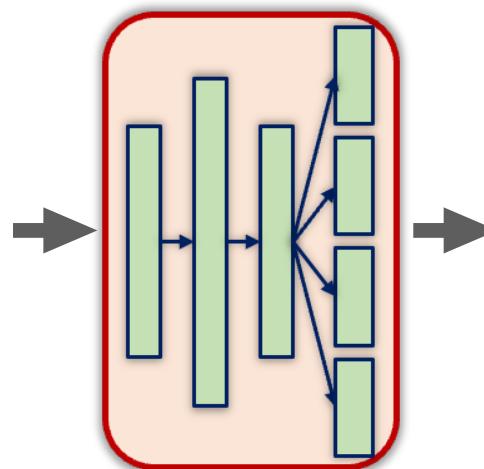
Graph Embeddings

Attack Model

Estimated



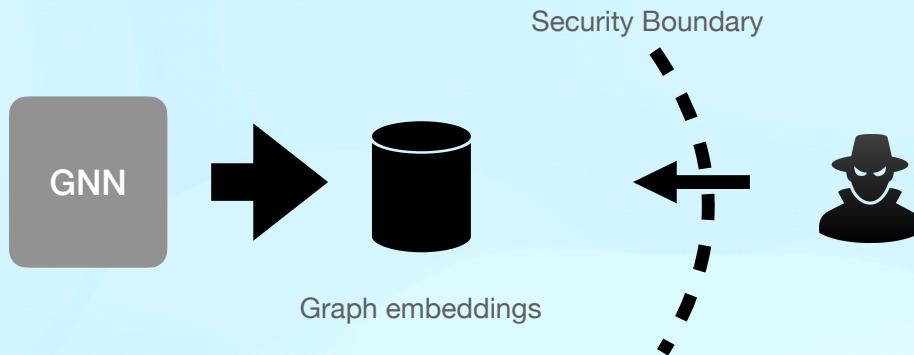
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This is a graph with ~4 nodes

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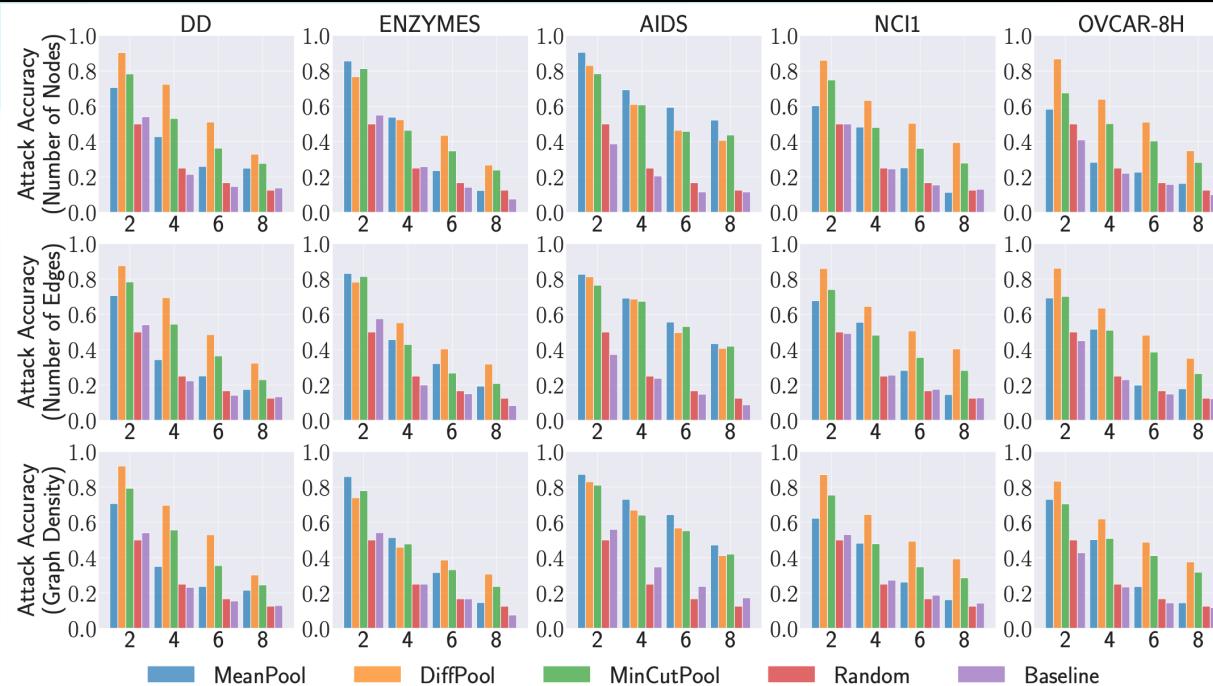
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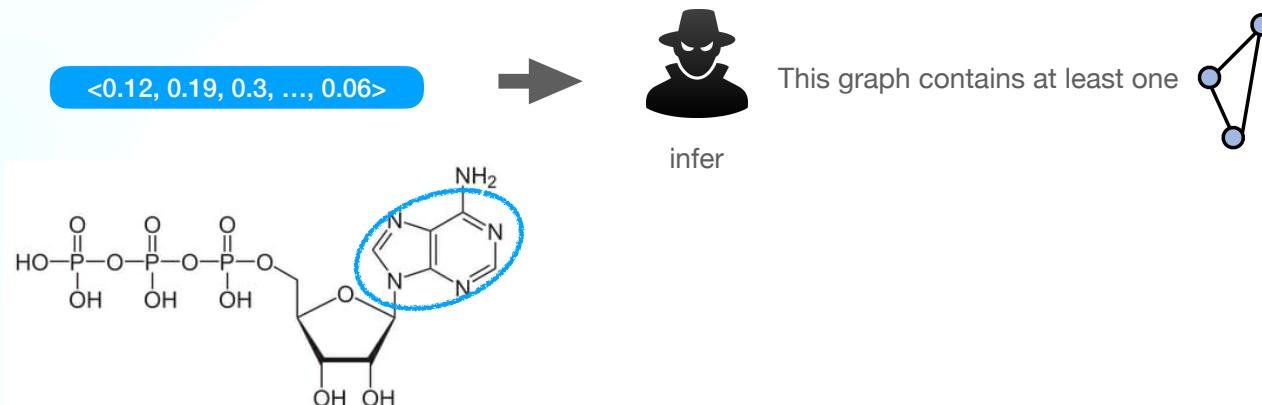
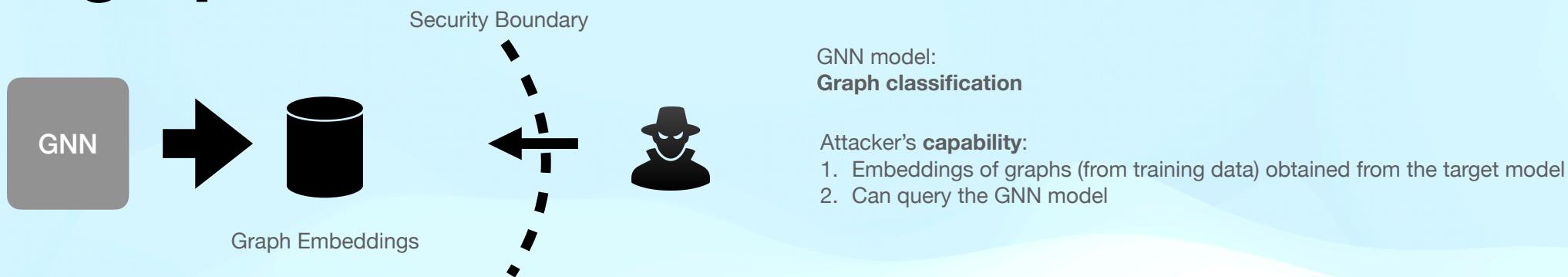
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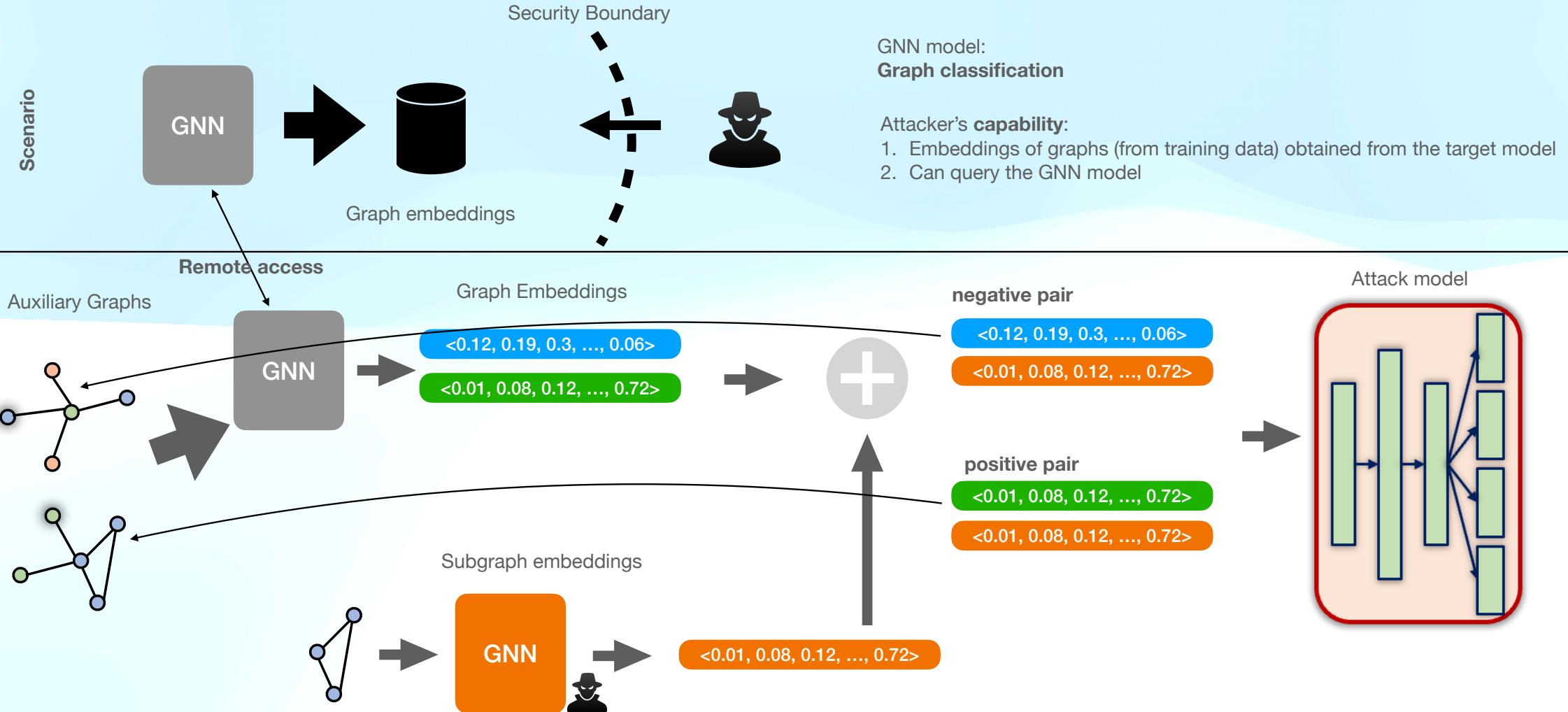


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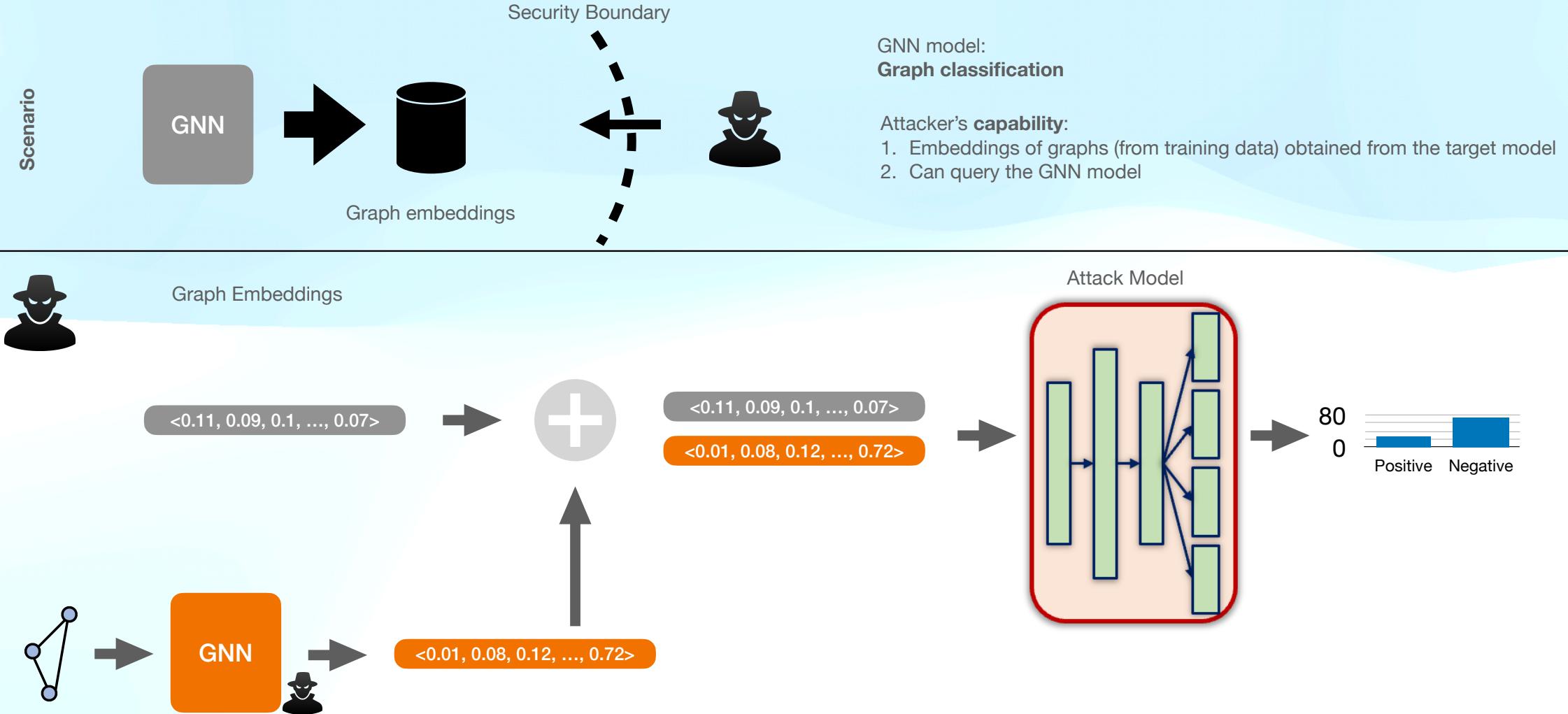
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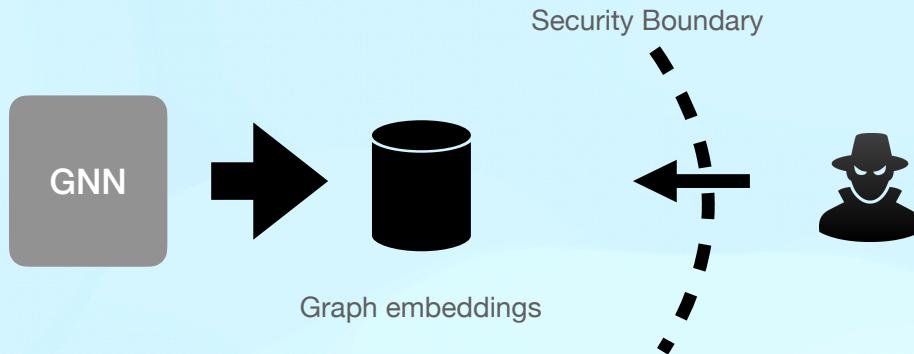


Subgraph Inference Attack



Subgraph Inference Attack

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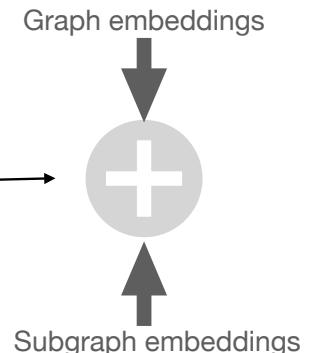
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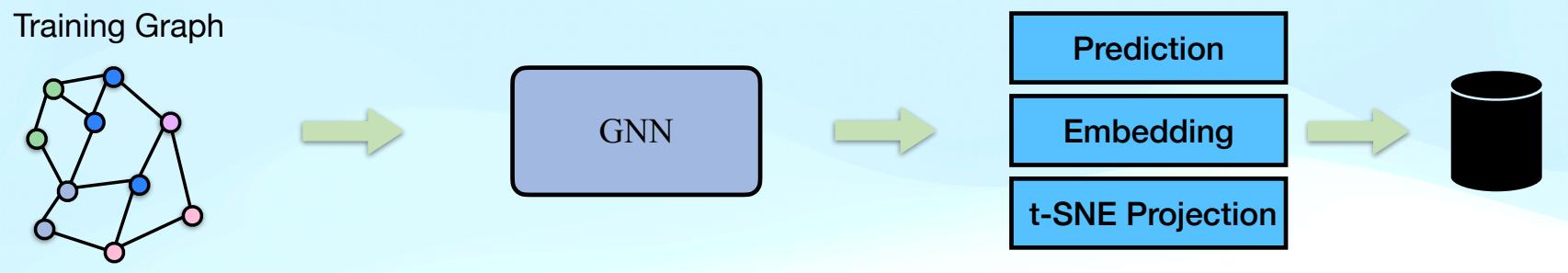
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AUC

Dataset	0.8			0.6			0.4			0.2		
	Concat	EDist	EDiff									
DD	0.53 ± 0.01	0.81 ± 0.06	0.88 ± 0.01	0.51 ± 0.01	0.79 ± 0.04	0.87 ± 0.01	0.52 ± 0.01	0.79 ± 0.02	0.85 ± 0.01	0.50 ± 0.02	0.71 ± 0.08	0.80 ± 0.00
ENZYMEs	0.49 ± 0.02	0.63 ± 0.10	0.88 ± 0.03	0.52 ± 0.03	0.71 ± 0.10	0.88 ± 0.03	0.54 ± 0.02	0.56 ± 0.07	0.86 ± 0.01	0.48 ± 0.02	0.53 ± 0.03	0.78 ± 0.01
AIDS	0.51 ± 0.01	0.53 ± 0.04	0.78 ± 0.04	0.55 ± 0.01	0.51 ± 0.02	0.76 ± 0.05	0.54 ± 0.01	0.51 ± 0.03	0.73 ± 0.06	0.56 ± 0.02	0.50 ± 0.00	0.76 ± 0.05
NCI1	0.51 ± 0.00	0.51 ± 0.02	0.70 ± 0.06	0.49 ± 0.02	0.52 ± 0.01	0.67 ± 0.06	0.50 ± 0.01	0.51 ± 0.01	0.64 ± 0.03	0.49 ± 0.01	0.51 ± 0.01	0.64 ± 0.00
OVCAR-8H	0.54 ± 0.01	0.63 ± 0.12	0.89 ± 0.02	0.50 ± 0.04	0.69 ± 0.09	0.88 ± 0.02	0.51 ± 0.03	0.74 ± 0.02	0.84 ± 0.01	0.54 ± 0.01	0.60 ± 0.13	0.82 ± 0.02



Analysis

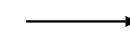


Link re-identification attack



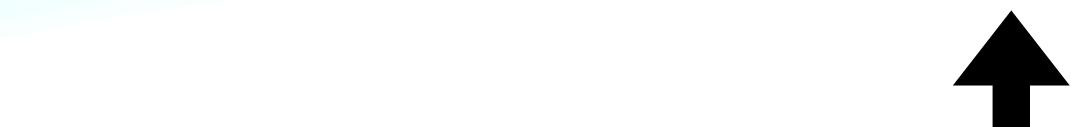
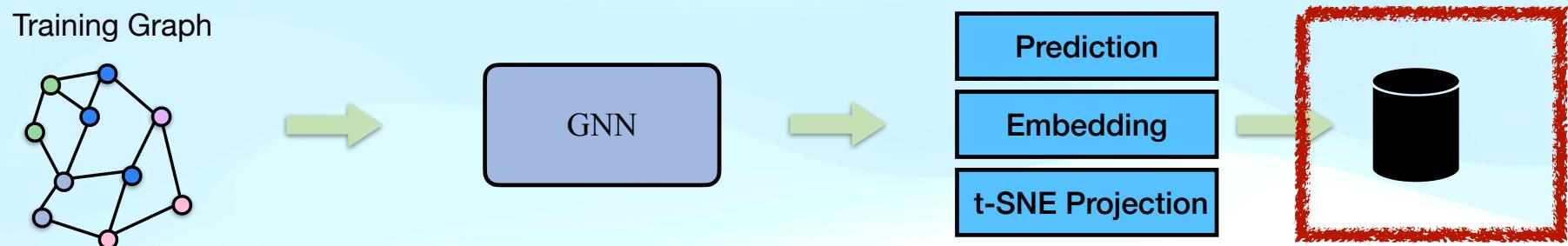
Training graph's node posterior scores

Property inference attack



Training graph's graph embeddings

Analysis



Link re-identification attack



Training graph's node posterior scores

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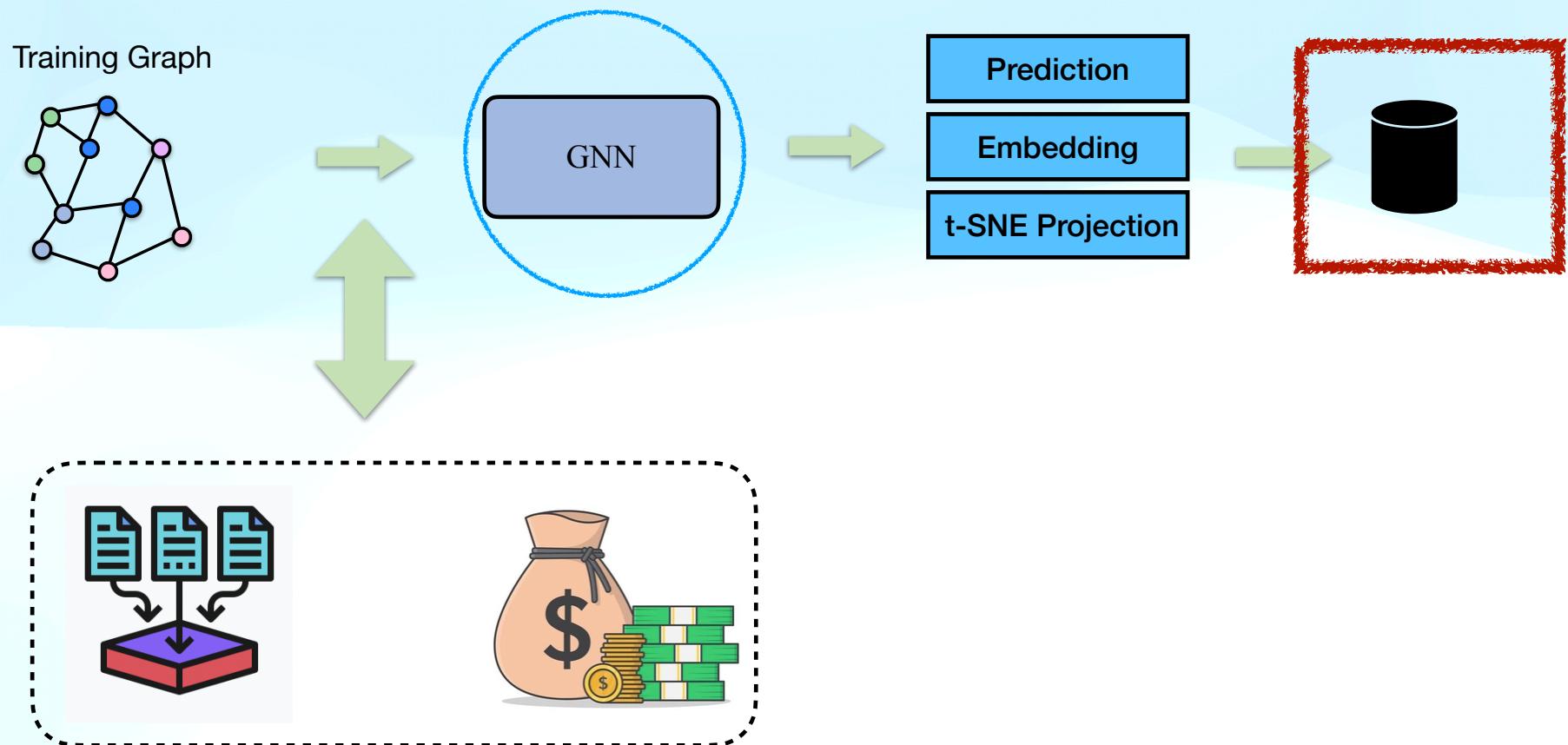


Training graph's graph embeddings

Takeaways (1)

- Secure your infrastructure
- Audit your GNN-based machine learning pipeline

What Is Next?



Overview*

Security

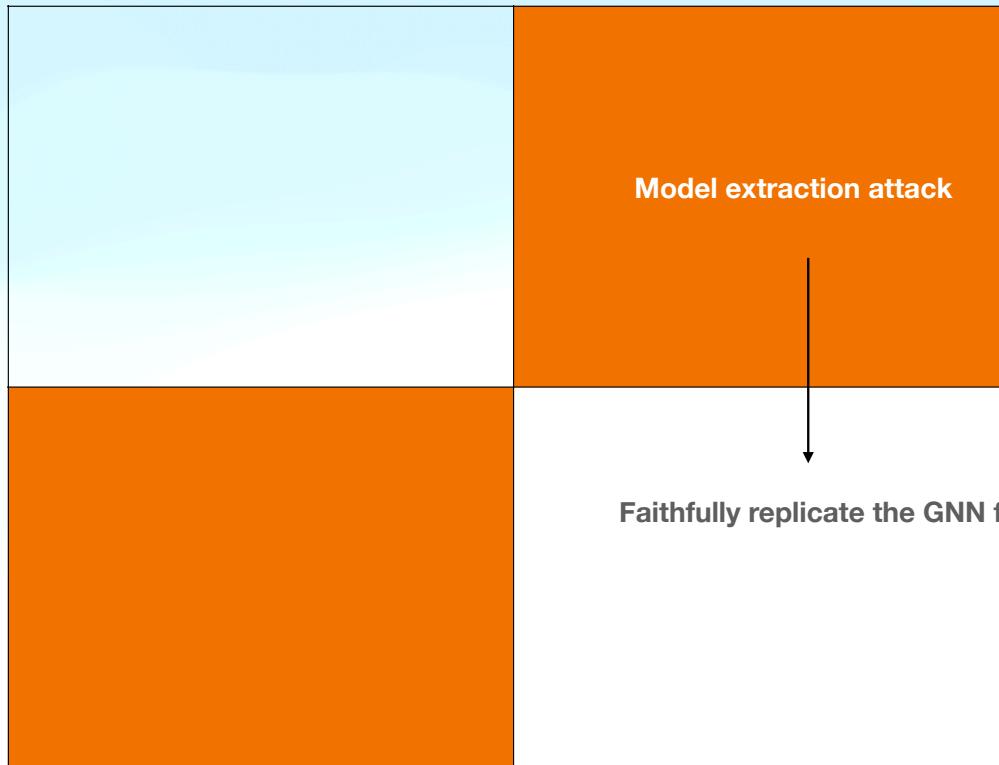
Privacy

Graph

GNN

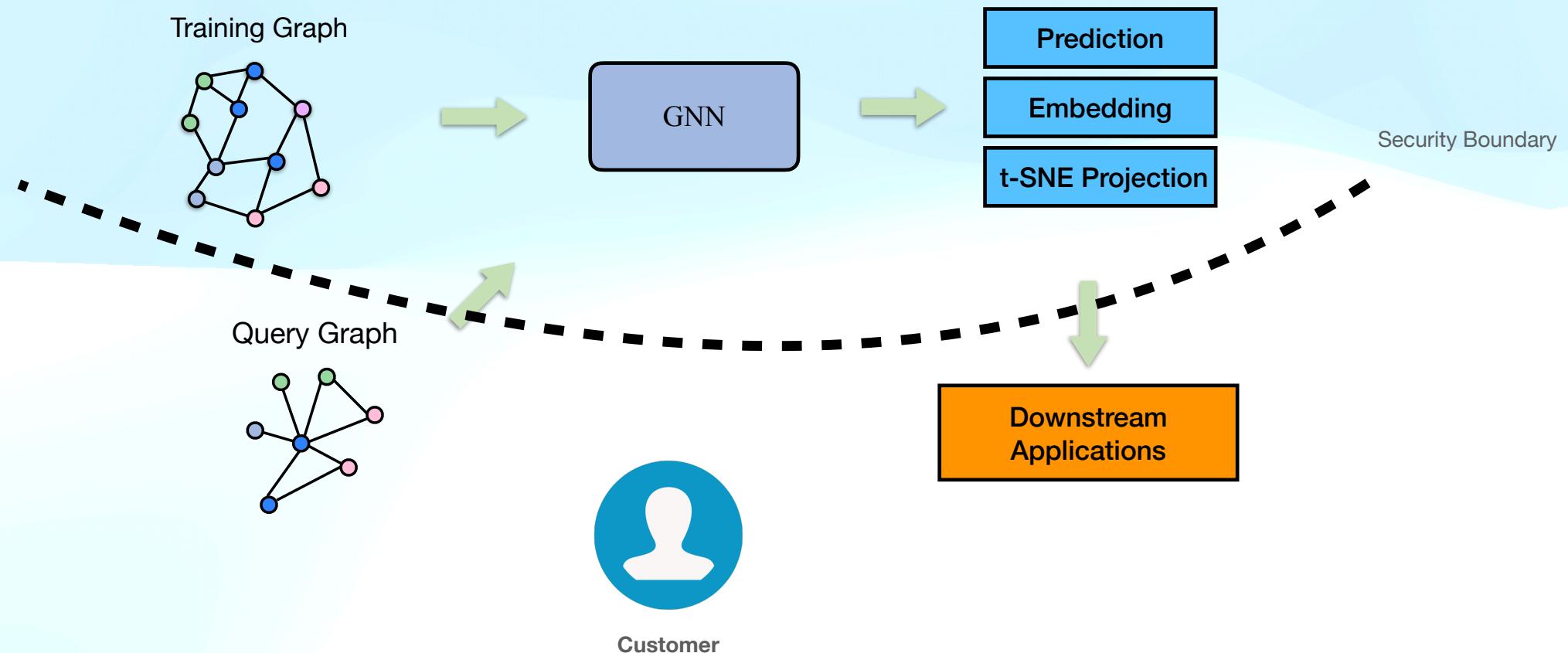
Model extraction attack

Faithfully replicate the GNN functionality

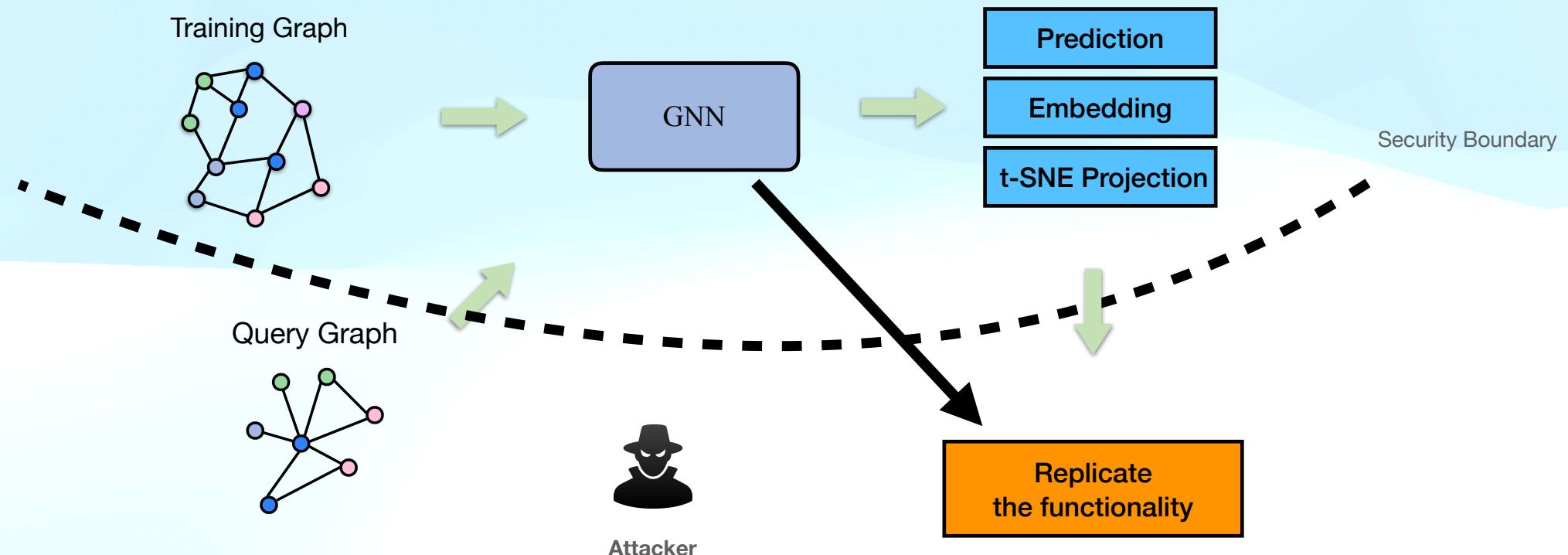


*All attacks discussed in this talk are simulated in the lab environment.

Model Stealing Attack

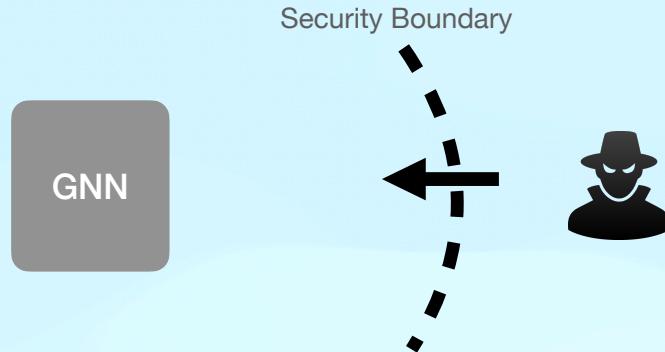


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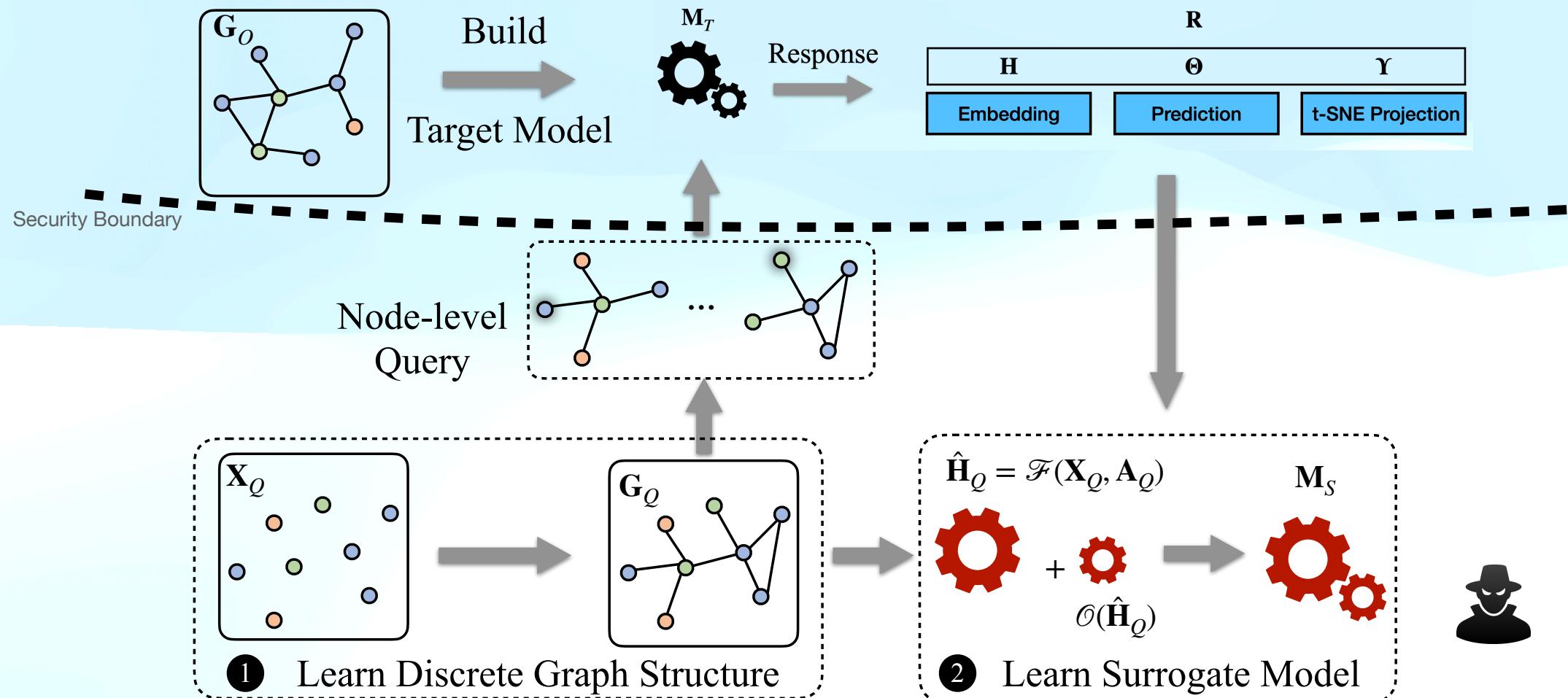
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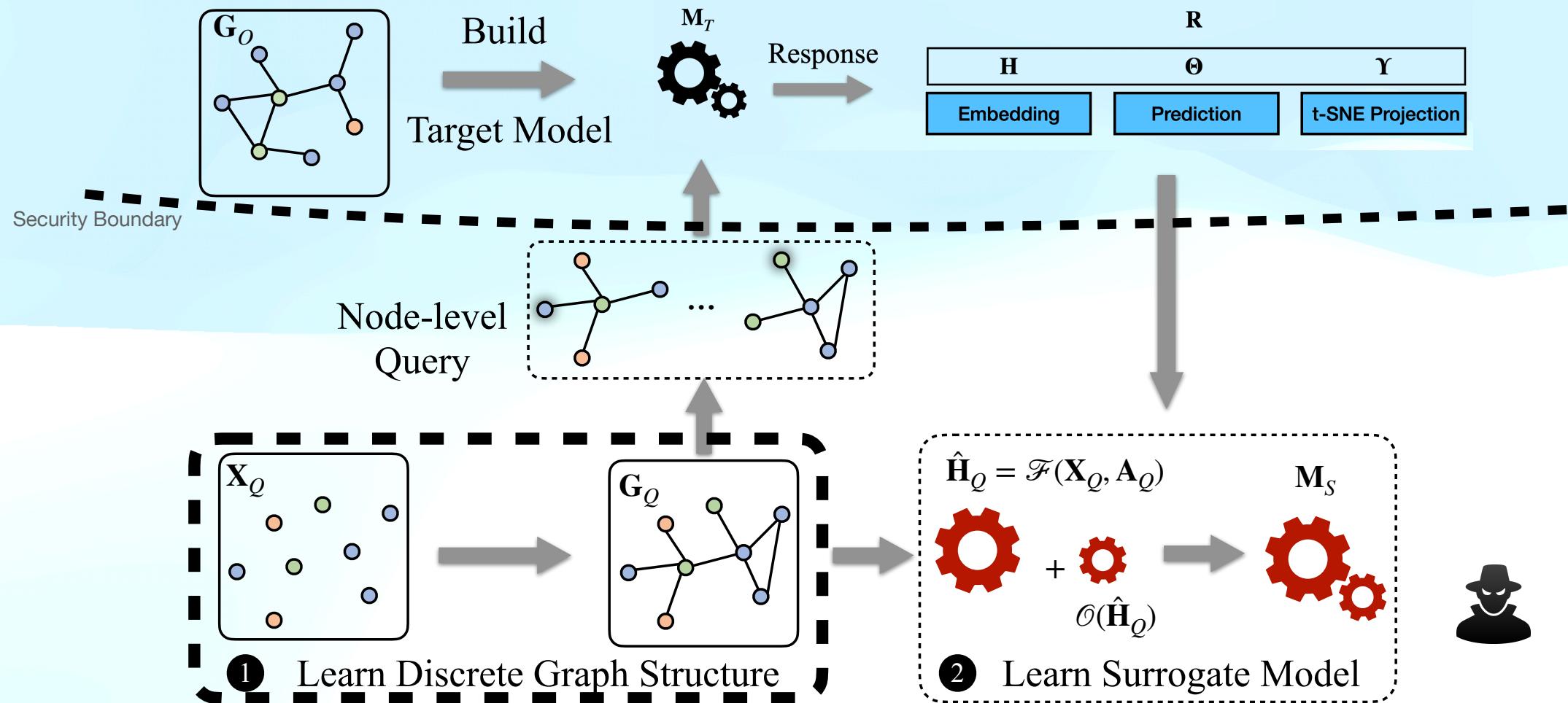
GNN model:
Node classification

Attacker's **capability**:
1. Can query the GNN model via publicly accessible API

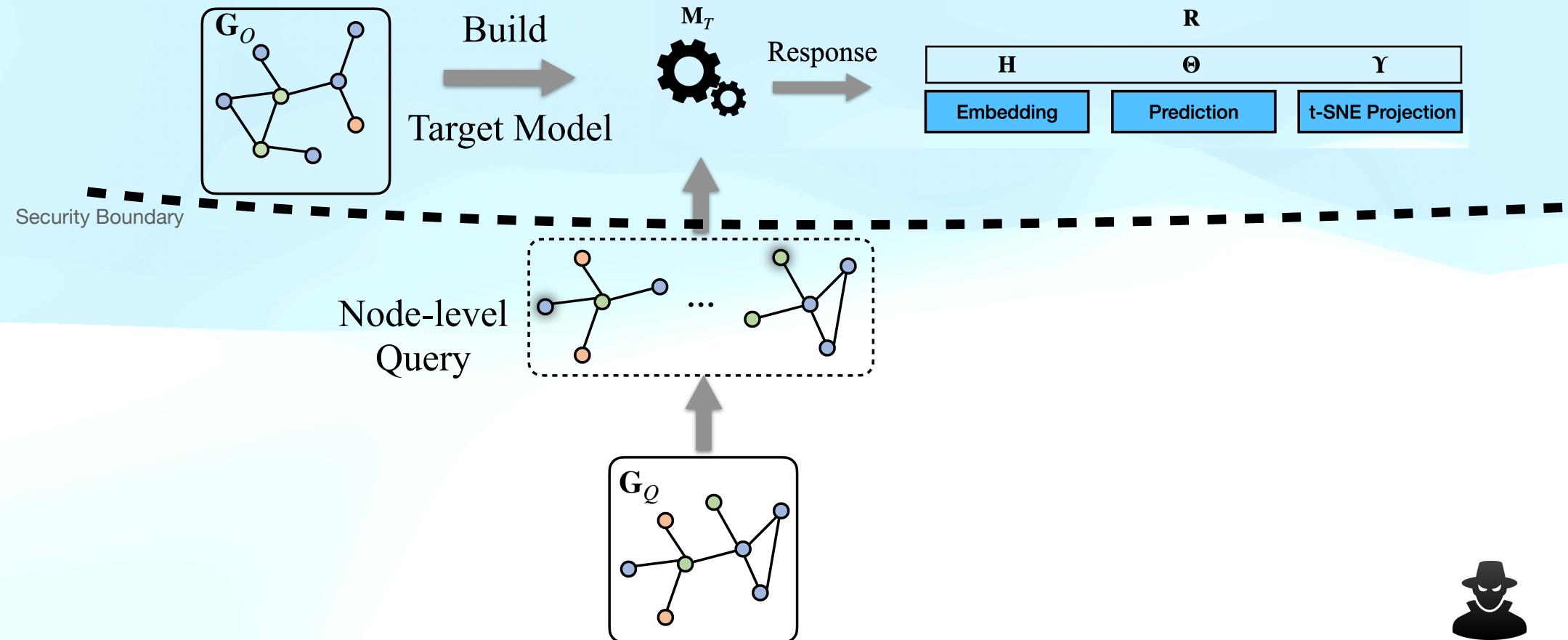
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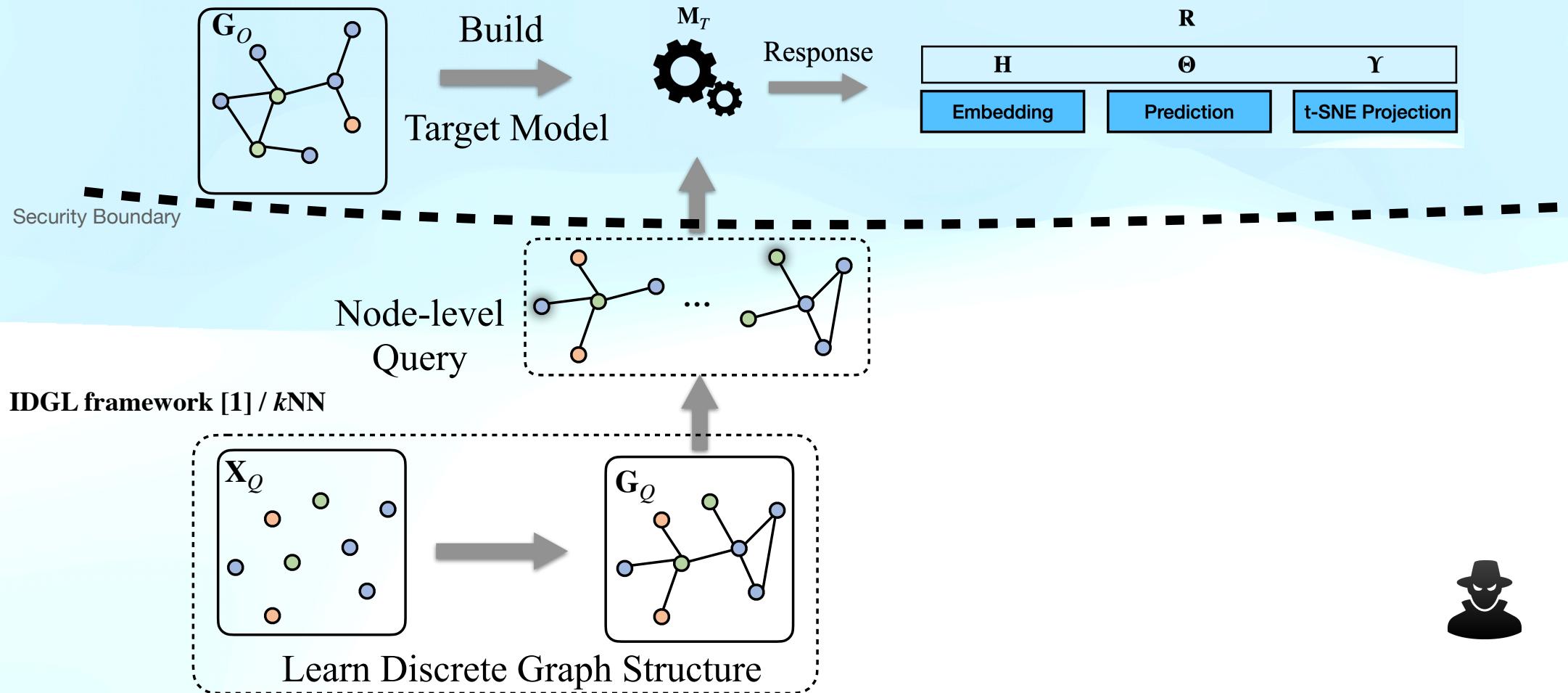
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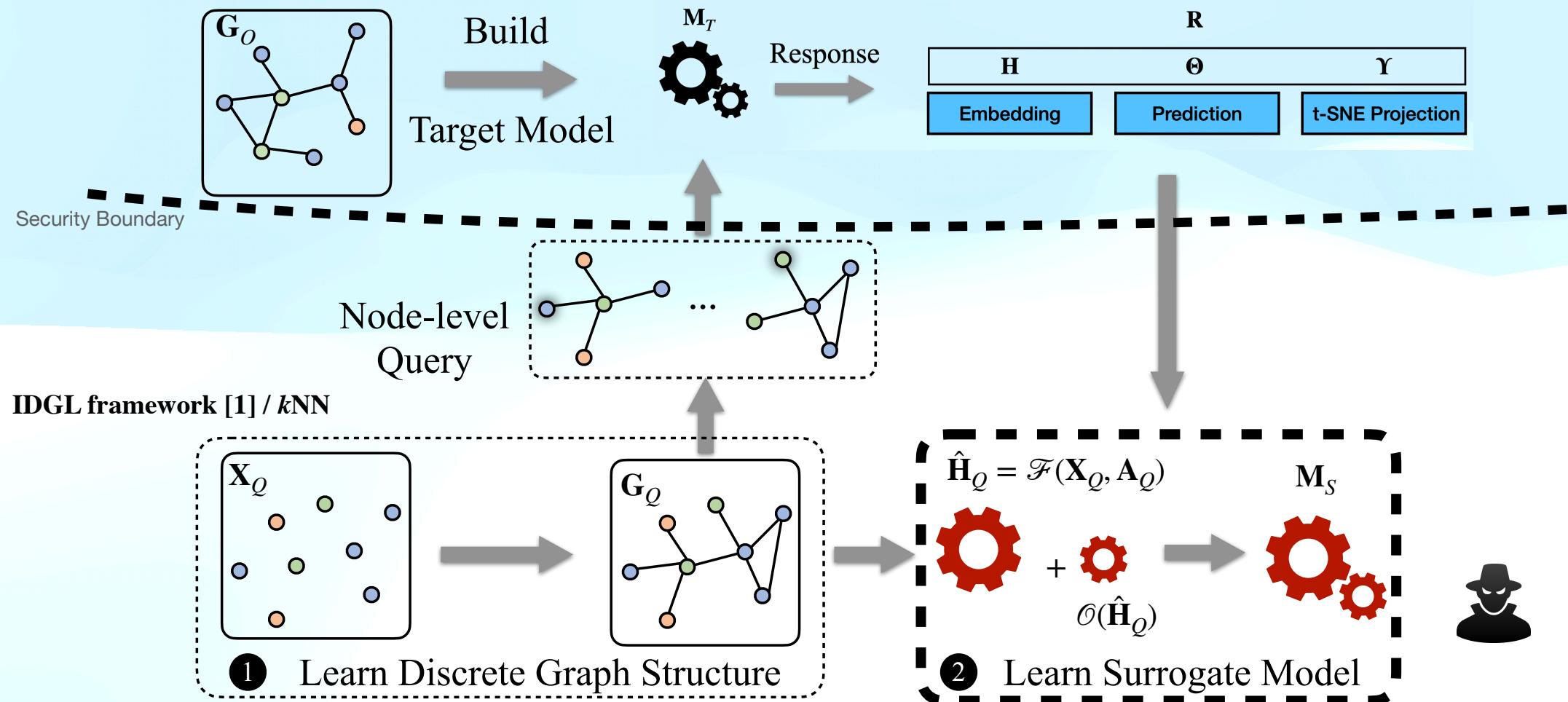
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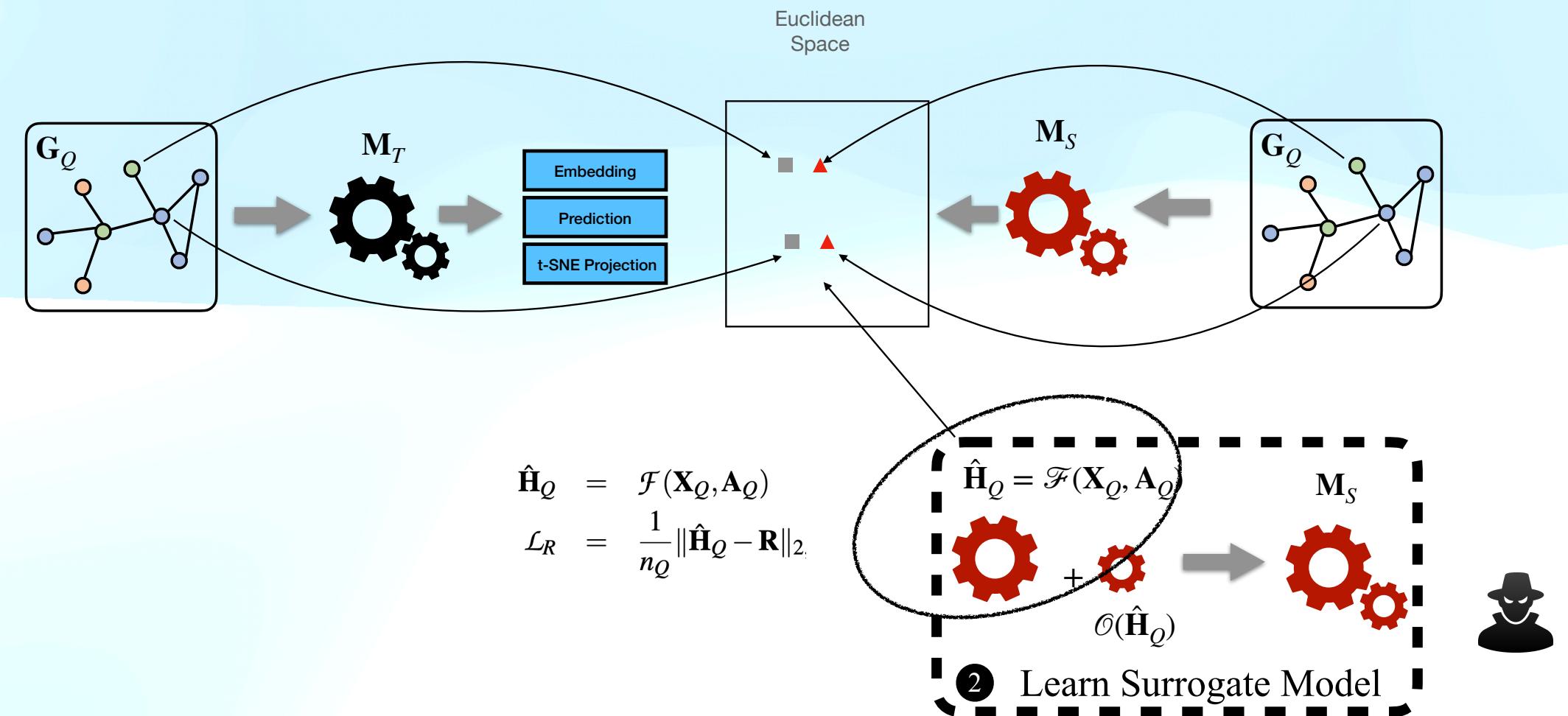
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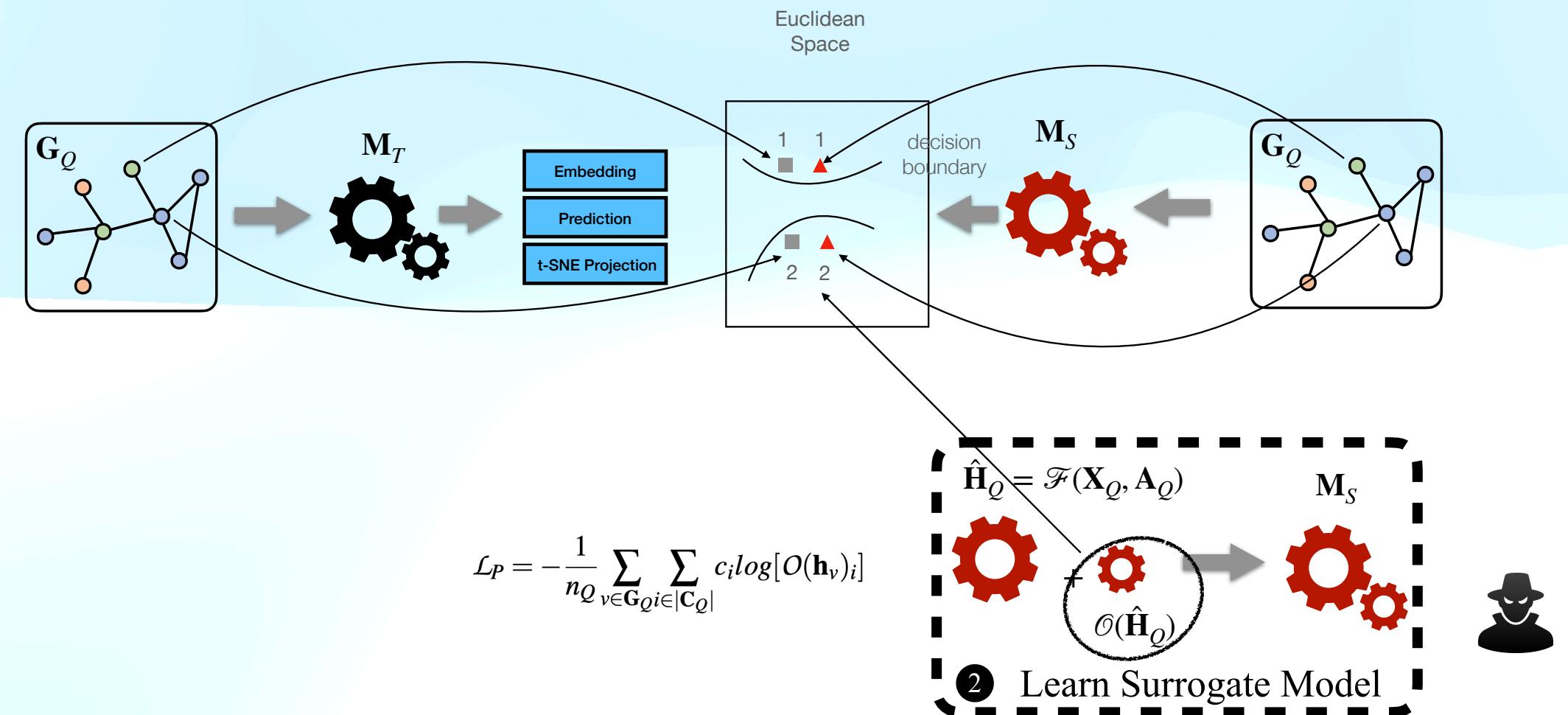
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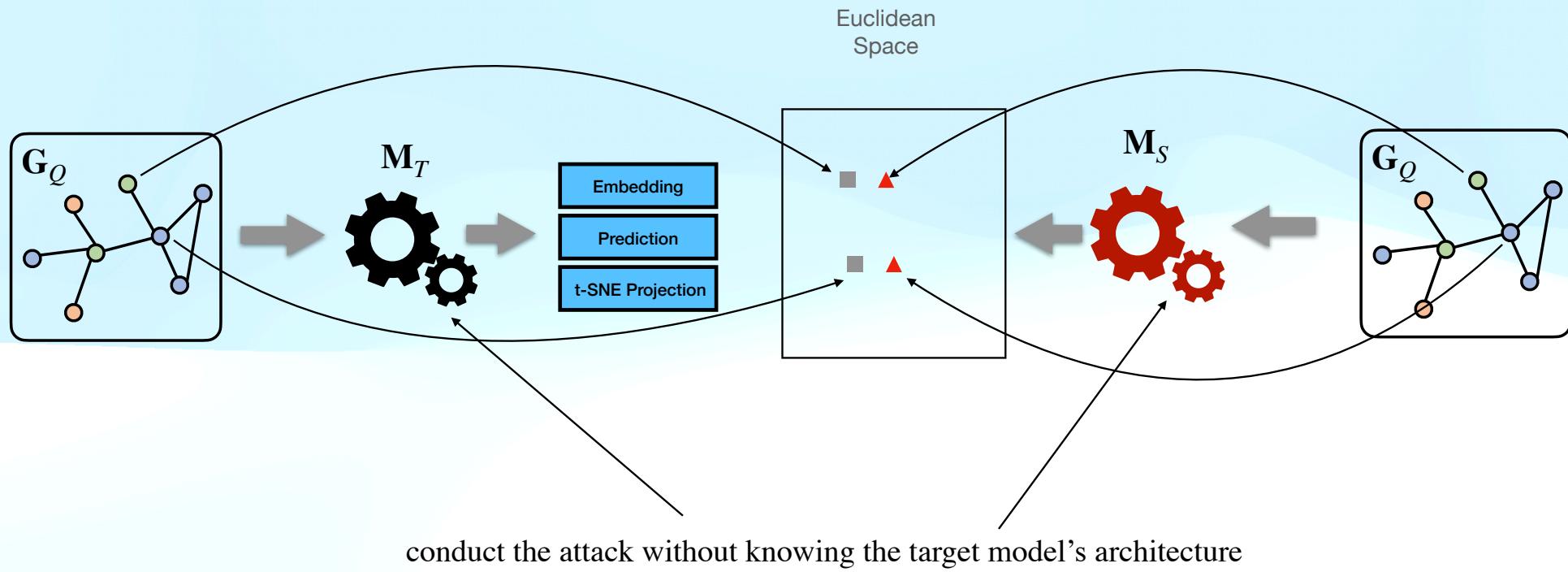
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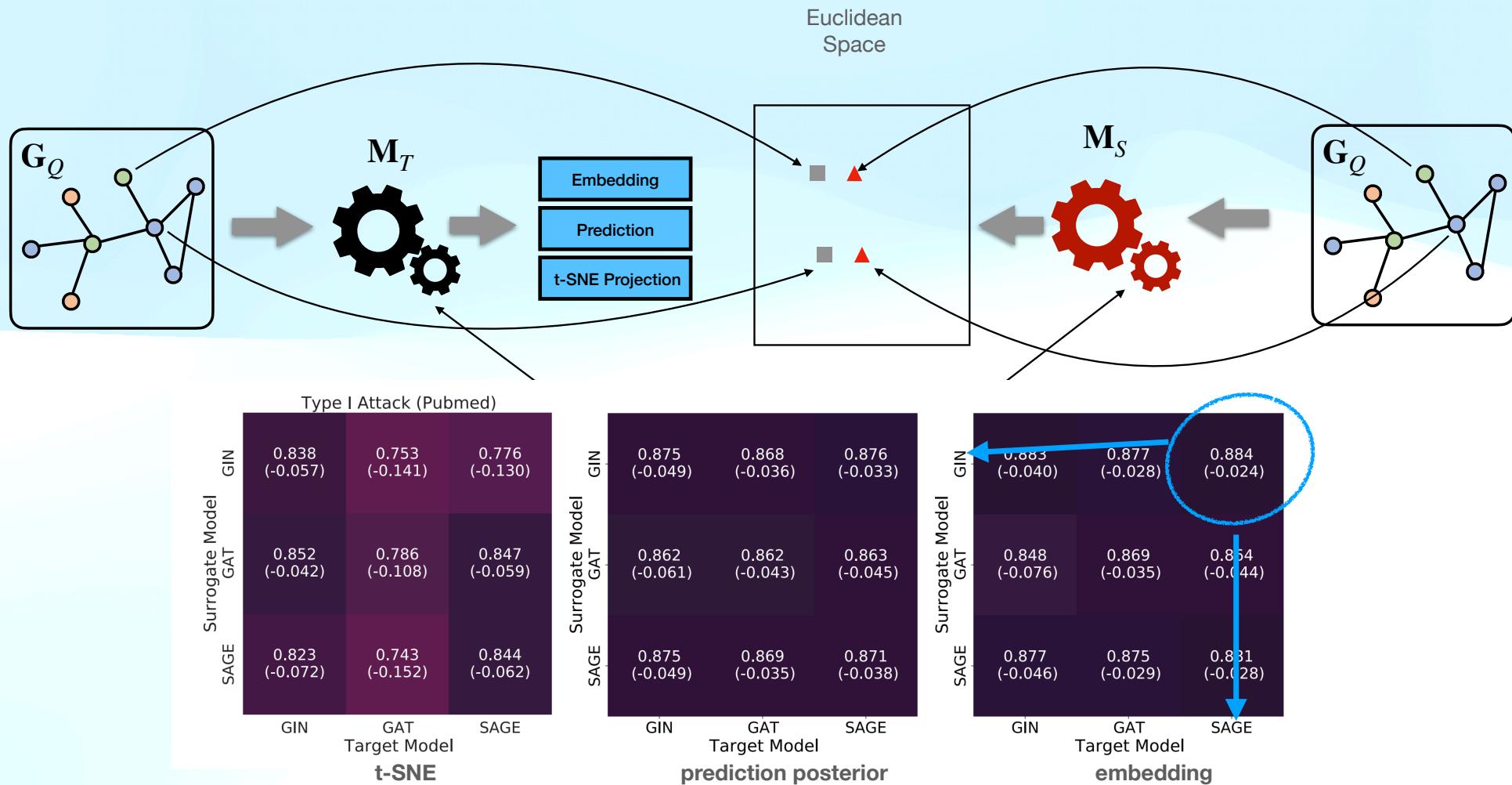
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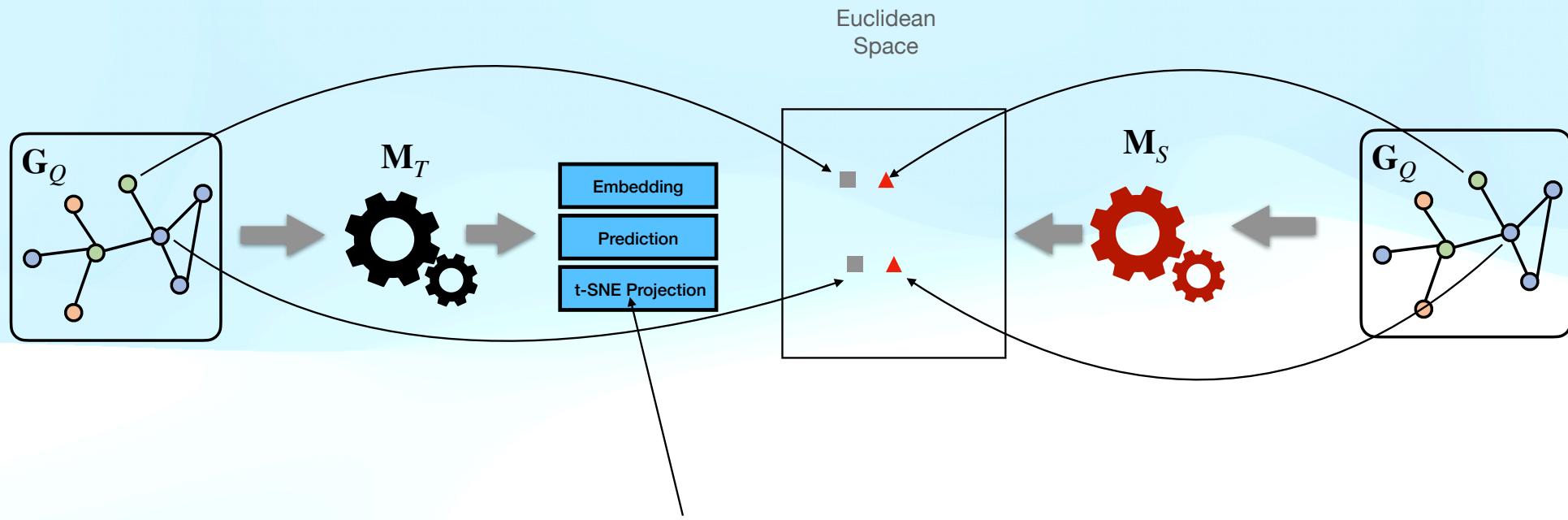
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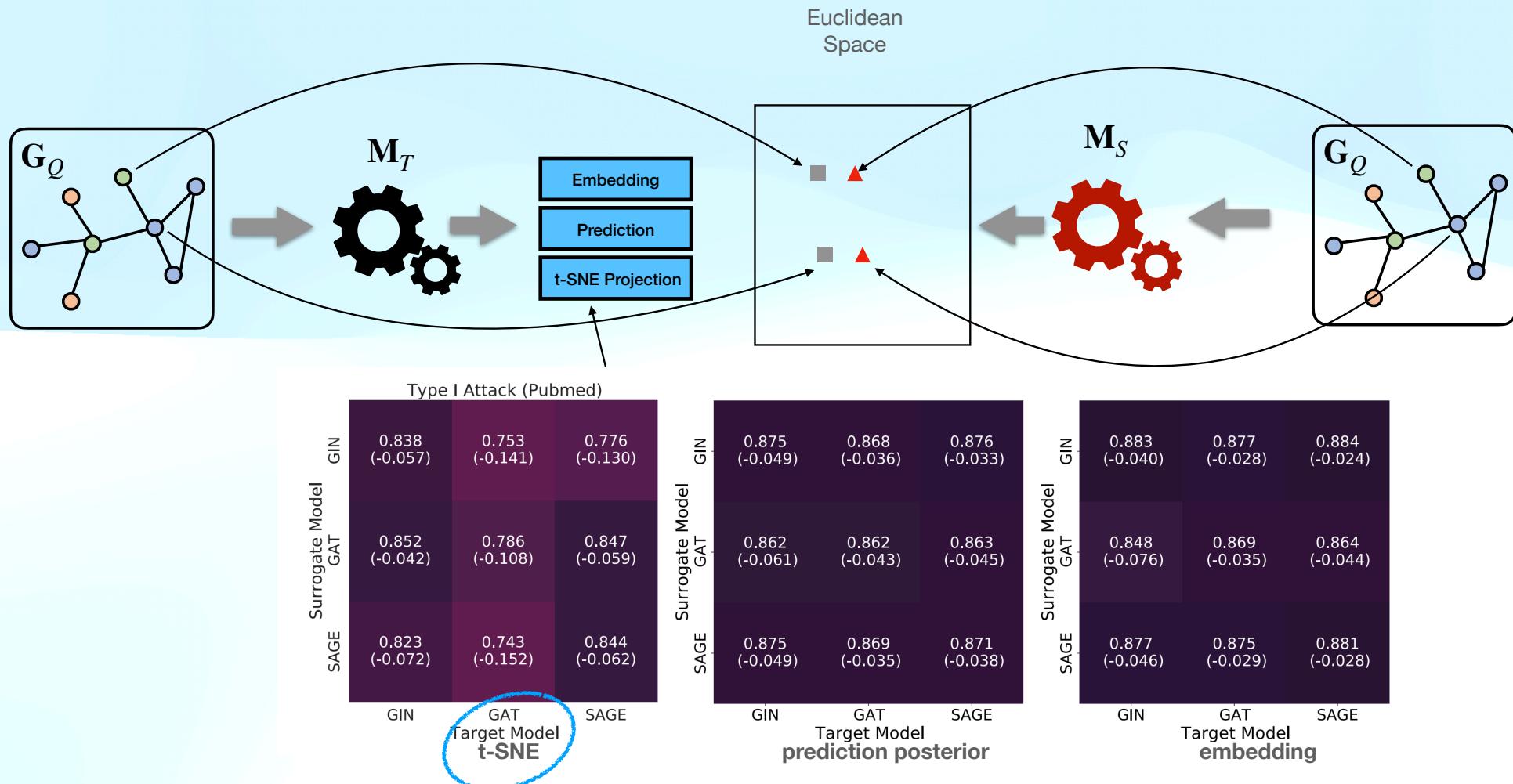


Model Stealing Attack



2 dimensional t-SNE projection can be the new attack surface

Model Stealing Attack



Takeaways (2)

- Secure your infrastructure
- Audit your GNN-based machine learning pipeline
- Monitor your model logs for anomalies
- Evaluate the security and privacy posture of your Graph Neural Network (GNN) models

Code

- **Link re-identification attack**

https://github.com/xinleihe/link_stealing_attack

- **Property/Subgraph inference attack**

<https://github.com/Zhangzhk0819/GNN-Embedding-Leaks>

- **Model stealing attack**

<https://github.com/xinleihe/GNNStealing>

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