# node2vec: Scalable Feature Learning for Networks

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## **Introduction to Graph Embeddings**

- Represent graph-structured data.
- Applications:
   Social network analysis, recommender systems, molecular structure modelling, etc.
- Challenge: Limitations of traditional methods.
- Development of techniques specially for graph representations.

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#### **Related Work**

A taxonomy of graph embedding techniques<sup>1</sup>.

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Shallow Embedding Method

Unsupervised Learning / Distance-based: Multi-dimensional scaling
Semi-supervised Learning Outer Product-based Matrix Factorization

Deep Embedding Method: GCN
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Kevin P. Murphy. *Probabilistic Machine Learning: An Introduction*. Adaptive Computation and Machine Learning series. MIT Press, 2022. ISBN: 9780262046824.

## **Experiment 1: Multi-label Classification**

- Task description
  - $\circ$  Labels from a finite set  $\mathcal{L}$
  - o Training: A fraction of nodes and all their labels.
  - Predict the labels for the remaining nodes.
- Data

Dataset	Nodes	Edges	Labels
BlogCatalog	10,312	333,983	39
Protein-Protein Interactions (PPI)	3,890	76,584	50
Wikipedia	4,777	184,812	40

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## **Experiment 1: Multi-label Classification**

#### Results

Algorithm		<b>Dataset</b>	
	${\sf BlogCatalog}$	PPI	Wikipedia
Spectral Clustering	0.0405	0.0681	0.0395
DeepWalk	0.2110	0.1768	0.1274
LINE	0.0784	0.1447	0.1164
node2vc	0.2581	0.1791	0.1552
node2vec settings (p, q) Gain of node2vec [%]	0.25, 0.25 <b>22.3</b>	4, 1 <b>1.3</b>	4, 0.5 <b>21.8</b>

## **Experiment 2: Link Prediction**

- Task description
  - o A network with a fraction of edges removed.
  - o Predict these missing edges.
- Data

Facebook       4,039       88,234         Protein-Protein Interactions (PPI)       19,706       390,633         arXiv ASTRO-PH       18,722       198,110	Dataset	Nodes	Edges
		19,706	390,633

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#### **Experiment 2: Link Prediction**

#### Results

Algorithm		<b>Dataset</b>	
	Facebook	PPI	$\operatorname{arXiv}$
Common Neighbors	0.8100	0.7142	0.8153
Jaccard's Coefficient	0.888.0	0.7018	0.8067
Adamic-Adar	0.8289	0.7126	0.8315
Pref. Attachment	0.7137	0.6670	0.6996
Spectral Clustering	0.6192	0.4920	0.5740
DeepWalk	0.9680	0.7441	0.9340
LINE	0.9490	0.7249	0.8902
mode2vec	0.9680	0.7719	0.9366

# **Preliminary Results**

#### **Future work**