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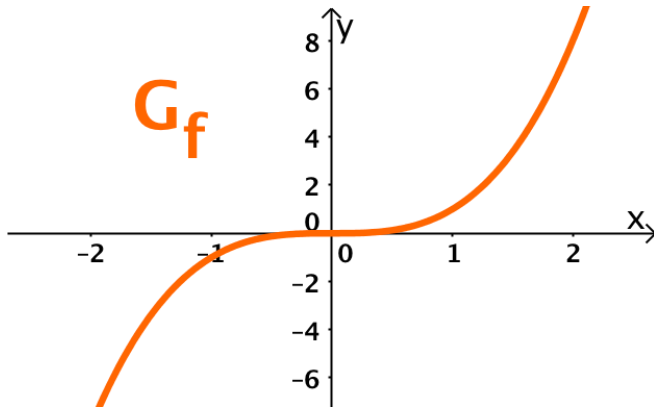
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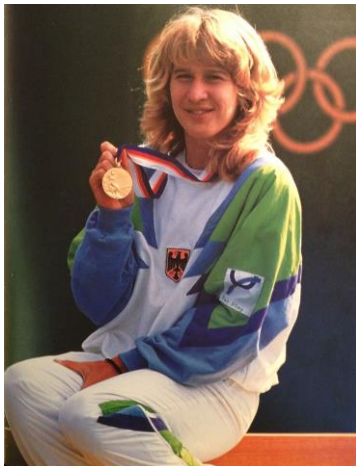
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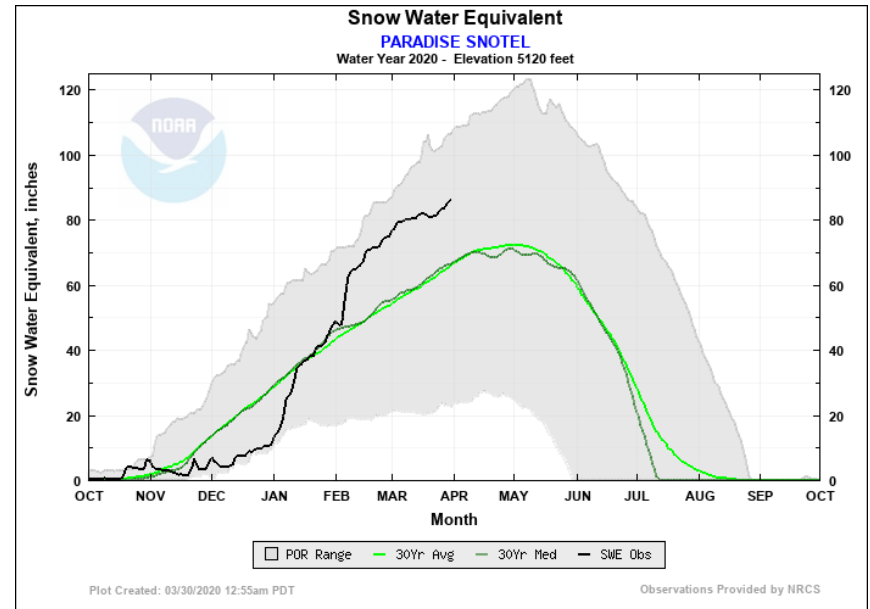


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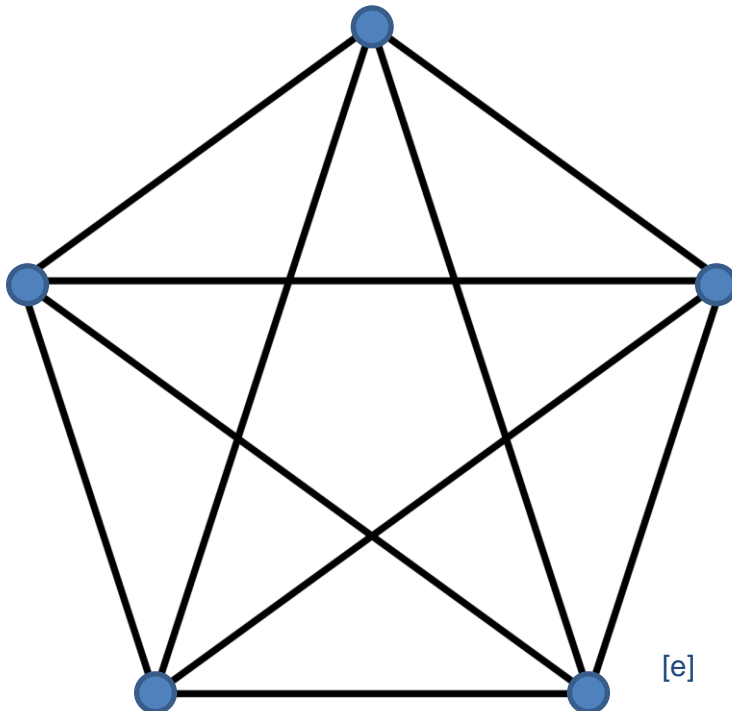


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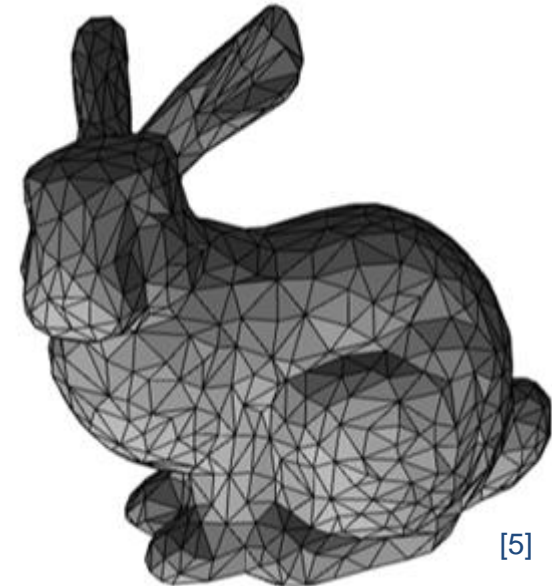
Computer Scientist:

A **Graph** is
a set of nodes
connected through edges



Mathematician:

A **Graph** is
a manifold
but a discrete one

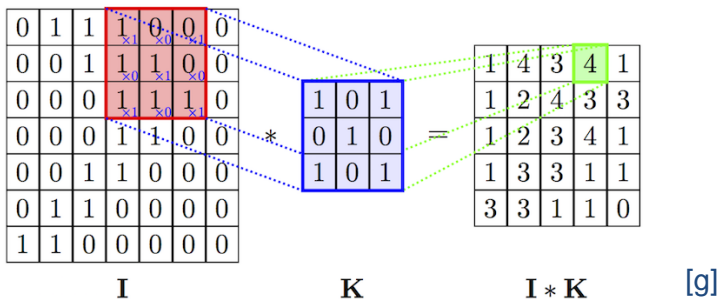
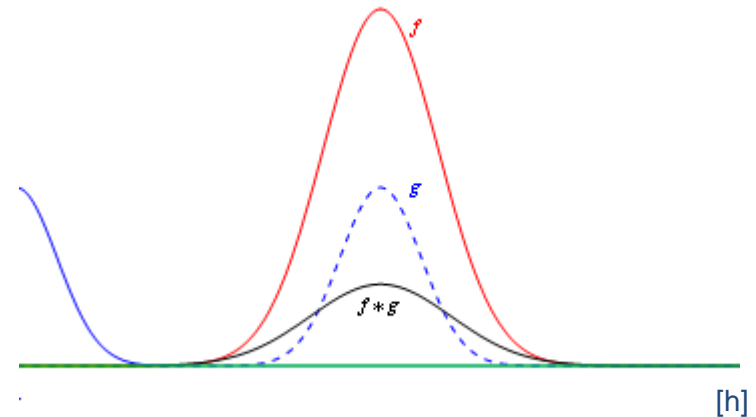
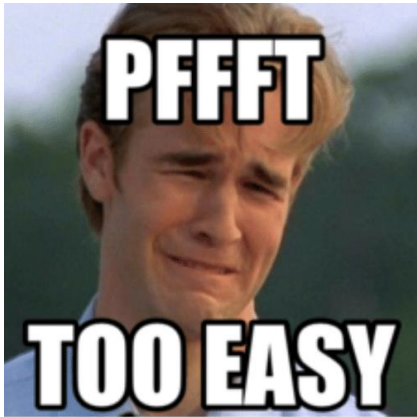


How would you define a convolution on Euclidean space?

Computer Scientist + Mathematician:

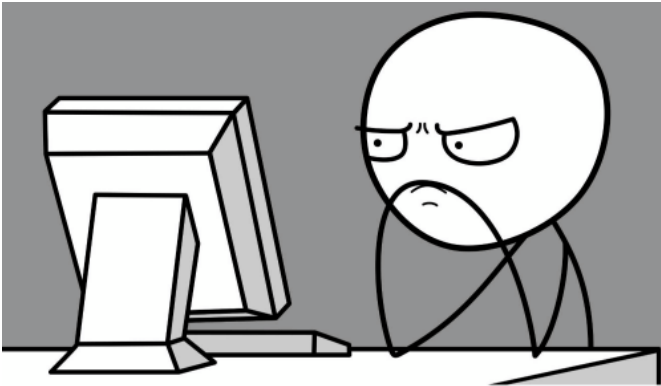
$$(f \star g)(n) = \sum_{k \in D} f(k)g(n - k)$$

$$(f \star g)(n) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(\tau)g(x - \tau)d\tau$$



How would you define a convolution on graphs?

Computer Scientist:



Mathematician:

$$\Delta f = -\text{div}(\nabla f)$$

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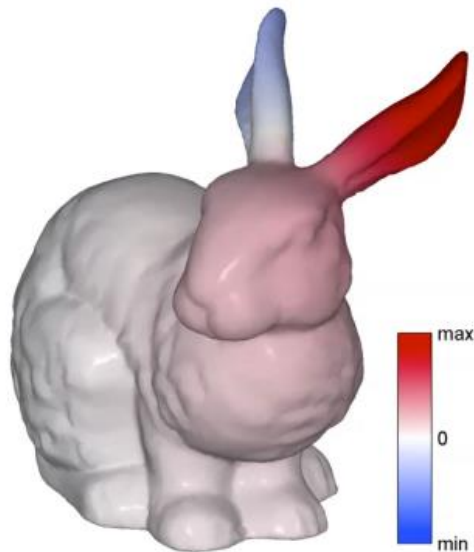
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How would you define a convolution on graphs?

Manifold Idea:

1. We know to convolve manifolds
2. We can discretize convolutions
3. Thus, we know how to convolve graphs

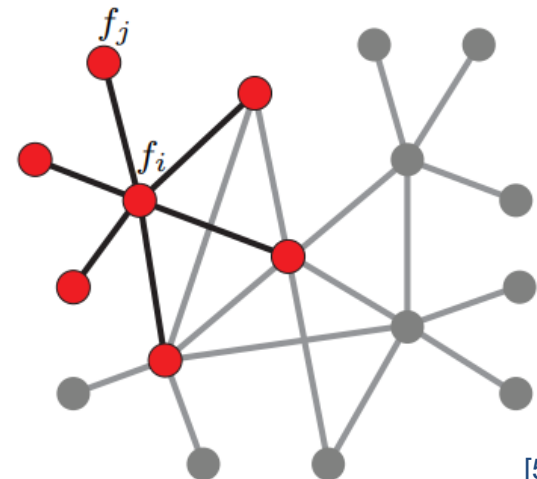
Convolution on manifolds



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discretize

Convolution on graphs



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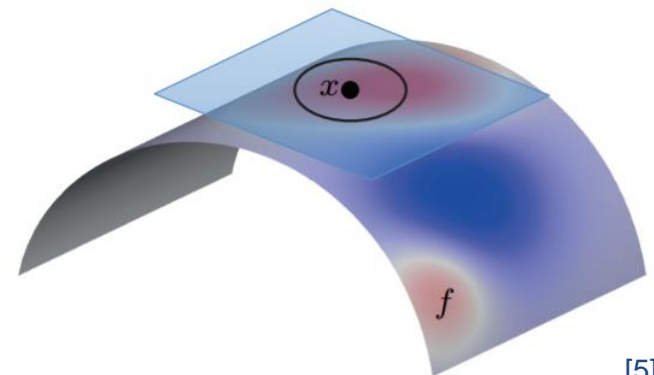
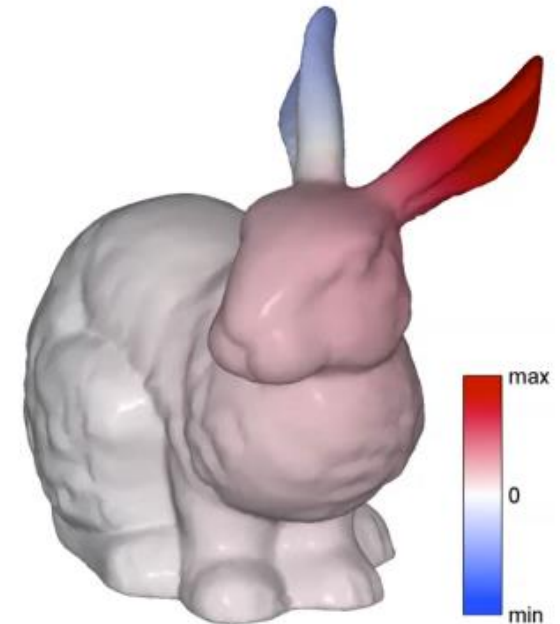
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Lets diffuse some heat with Newton's Law of Cooling [6]:

$$f_t(x, t) = -\Delta f(x, t)$$

$$f(x, 0) = f_0(x)$$

- $f(x, t)$ amount of heat at point x at time t
- $f_0(x)$ initial heat distribution
- $\Delta f(x) = -\text{div}(\nabla f)$ (Laplacian)
difference between $f(x)$ and the average of f on an infinitesimal sphere around x



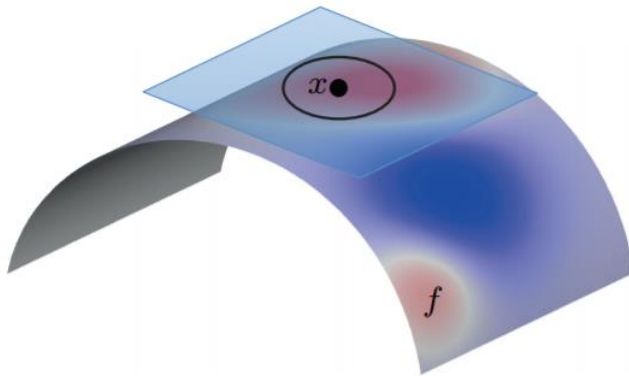
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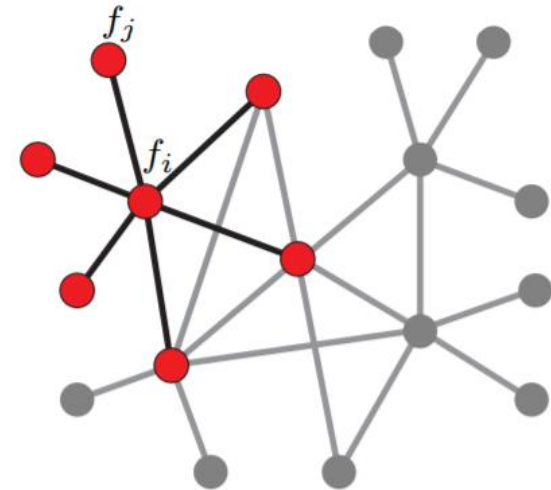
How do we express the Laplacian in a discrete form?

- $\Delta f(x) = -\operatorname{div}(\nabla f)$

“difference between $f(x)$ and the average of f on an infinitesimal sphere around x ”



$$(\Delta f)_i = \frac{1}{d_i} \sum_{j:(i,j) \in E} a_{ij}(f_i - f_j)$$



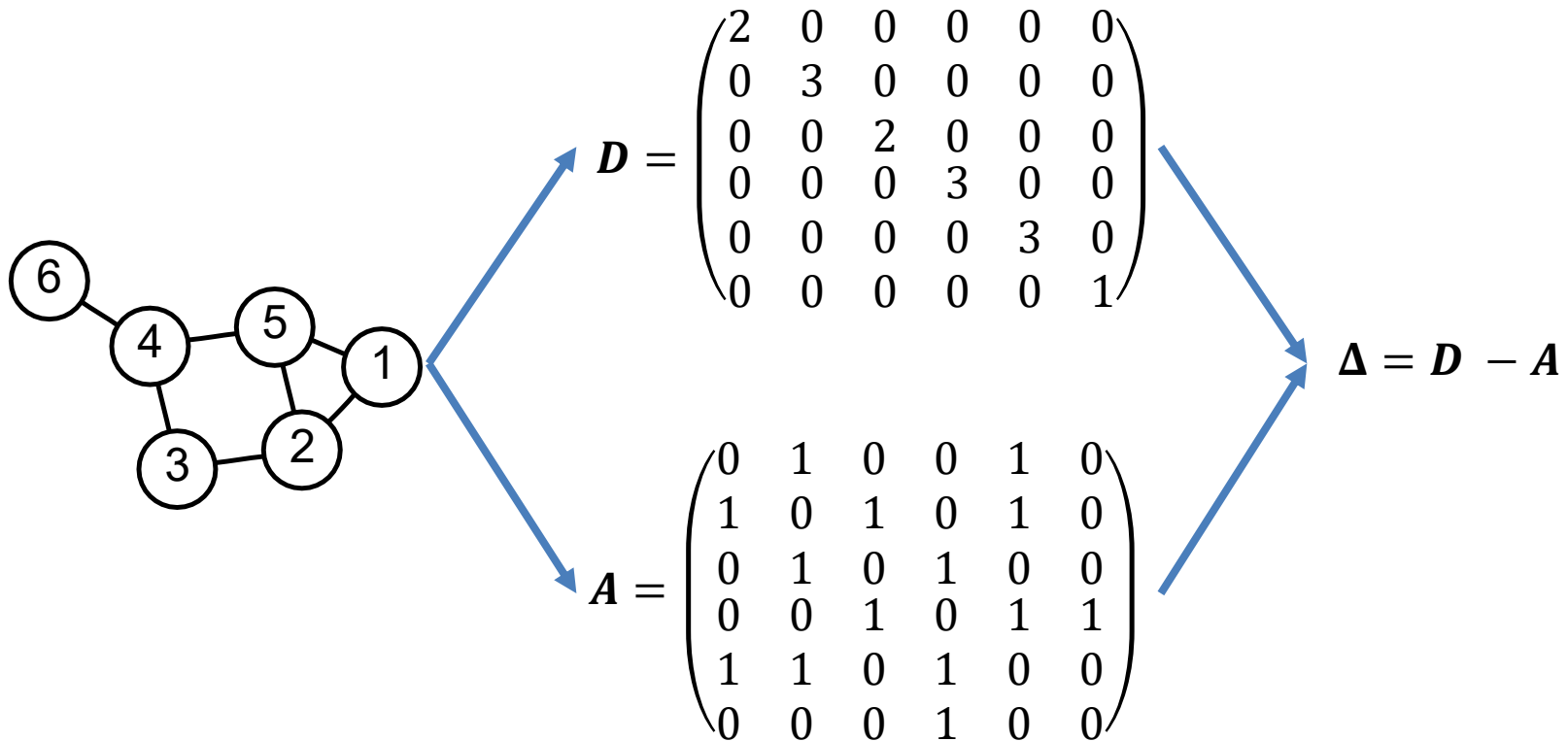
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Is there another way of expressing this? (Below without the normalization d_i)

$$(\Delta f)_i = \sum_{j:(i,j) \in E} a_{ij}(f_i - f_j)$$

Yes.



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- $\Delta \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$ is known as the **Laplacian Matrix** of a (sub-)graph consisting of N nodes
- $D \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$ is the **Degree Matrix** and describes the number of edges connected to each node
- $A \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$ is the **Adjacency Matrix** and describes the connectivity of the graph
- For a directed graph Δ is not s.p.d. thus we normalize Δ and get Δ_{sym} s.t.

$$\Delta = D - A$$

$$\Delta_{sym} = D^{-\frac{1}{2}} \Delta D^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Delta_{sym} = D^{-\frac{1}{2}} (D - A) D^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Delta_{sym} = D^{-\frac{1}{2}} D D^{-\frac{1}{2}} - D^{-\frac{1}{2}} A D^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Delta_{sym} = I - D^{-\frac{1}{2}} A D^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

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Let's do some magic!

- Δ_{sym} is now s.p.d.

$$\Delta_{sym} = U\Lambda U^T$$

$$U = [\mathbf{u}_0, \dots, \mathbf{u}_{N-1}] \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$$

$$\Lambda = \text{diag}([\lambda_0, \dots, \lambda_{N-1}]) \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}$$

- $\mathbf{u}_0, \dots, \mathbf{u}_{N-1} \in \mathbb{R}^N$: Eigenvectors are known as the graph Fourier modes
- $\lambda_0, \dots, \lambda_{N-1} \in \mathbb{R}$: Eigenvalues are known as the spectral frequencies
- **That means:** We can use U and U^T in order to Fourier transform a graph whereas Λ are the spectral filter coefficients!

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Let's do some magic!

- Let $x \in \mathbb{R}^N$ be some signal (a scalar for every node)
- and using the Laplacians eigenvectors we can define its Fourier transform using U^T

$$\hat{x} = U^T x$$

and inverse

$$x = U\hat{x}$$

- We can therefore describe as convolution with a filter g in spectral domain

$$g \star x = U((U^T g) \cdot (U^T x))$$

- Lets construct a filter \hat{G} composed by a k -th order polynomial of Laplacians with $\theta_i \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\hat{G} = \sum_i^k \theta_i \Lambda^i = \theta_k \Lambda^k + \dots + \theta_1 \Lambda^1 + \theta_0$$

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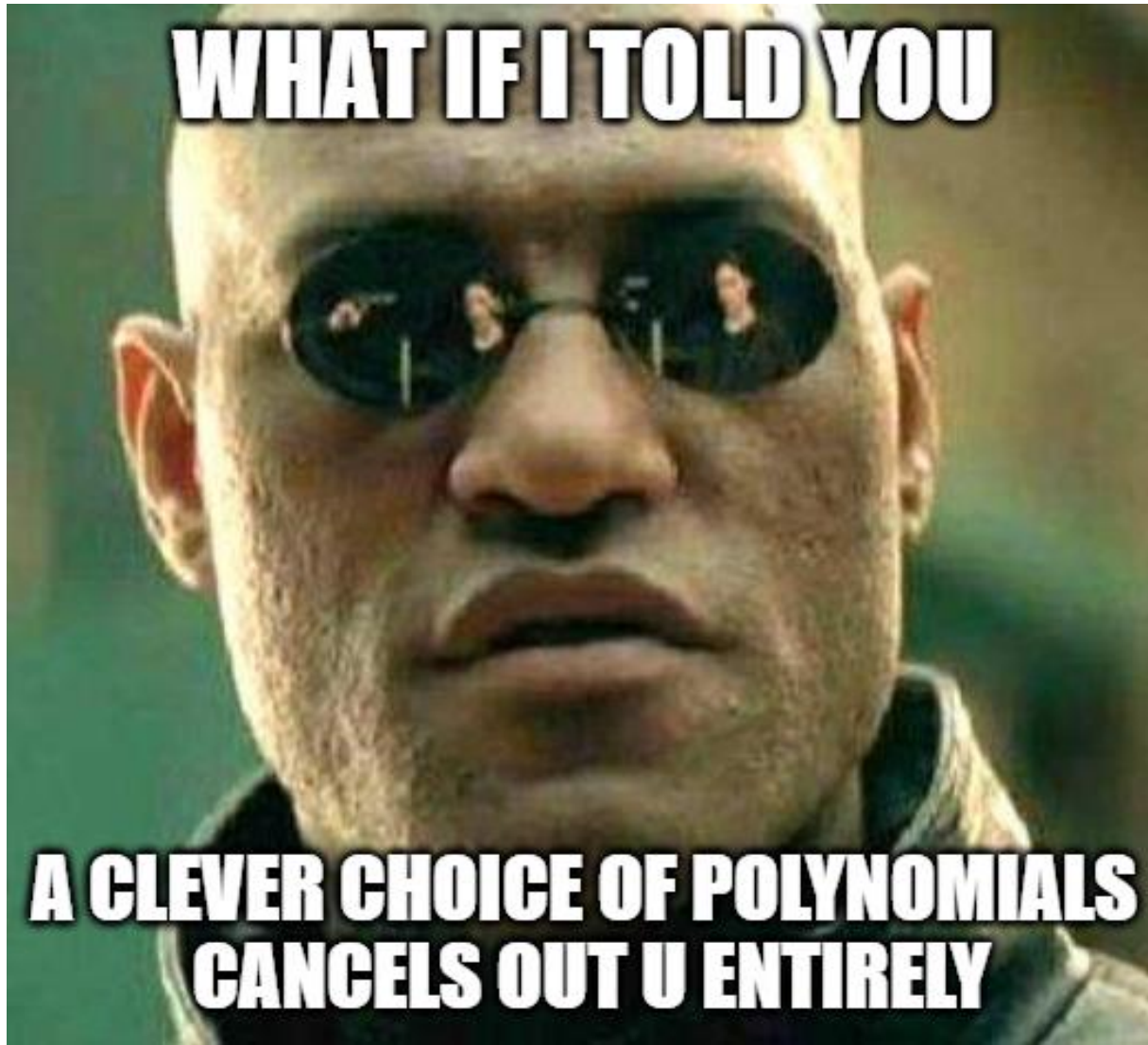
$$\hat{G} = \sum_i^k \theta_i \Lambda^i$$

- and filter some signal

$$U \hat{G} U^T x = U \left(\sum_i^k \theta_i \Lambda^i \right) U^T x$$

- **And now what?!**
 - We can convolve now x using Laplacian as we adapt θ_i
 - ... but U is heavy to compute for every (sub-)graph we want to convolve!

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$$U\hat{G}U^T x = U \left(\sum_i^k \theta_i \Lambda^i \right) U^T x$$

- **Remedy:** We choose k and θ such that we get rid of U
- Let $k = 1$, $\theta_0 = 2\theta$ and $\theta_1 = -\theta$ we get the following polynomial

$$\begin{aligned}
 U\hat{G}U^T x &= U(2\theta\Lambda^0 - \theta\Lambda^1)U^T x \\
 &= (U2\theta\Lambda^0U^T - U\theta\Lambda U^T)x \\
 &= (2\theta UU^T - \theta U\Lambda U^T)x & \Delta_{sym} &= U\Lambda U^T \\
 &= (2\theta I - \theta\Delta_{sym})x \\
 &= \theta(2I - \Delta_{sym})x & \Delta_{sym} &= I - D^{-\frac{1}{2}}AD^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\
 &= \theta(2I - I + D^{-1/2}AD^{-1/2})x \\
 &= \theta(I + D^{-1/2}AD^{-1/2})x
 \end{aligned}$$

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We can convolve x in spectral domain

Polynomial is $k = 1$,
 $\theta_0 = 2\theta$ and $\theta_1 = -\theta$
now only depends on
 θ

$$U\hat{G}U^T x = \theta(I + D^{-1/2}AD^{-1/2})x$$

We construct \hat{G} as a
polynomial of
Laplacian filters

$$\hat{G} = \sum_i^k \theta_i \Lambda^i$$

With all restrictions we
got rid of the Fourier
transform U^T

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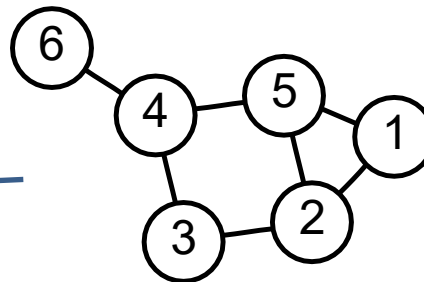
Basic GCN Operation [1]:

$$\mathbf{U}\hat{\mathbf{G}}\mathbf{U}^T\mathbf{x} = \theta(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{D}^{-1/2}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{D}^{-1/2})\mathbf{x}$$

Optimize
 θ

$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



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Question:

Is it *really* necessary to motivate the Graph Convolution from Spectral Domain?



No.

We can motivate spatially as well

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Computer Scientist:

A **Graph** is
a set of nodes (vertices)
connected through edges

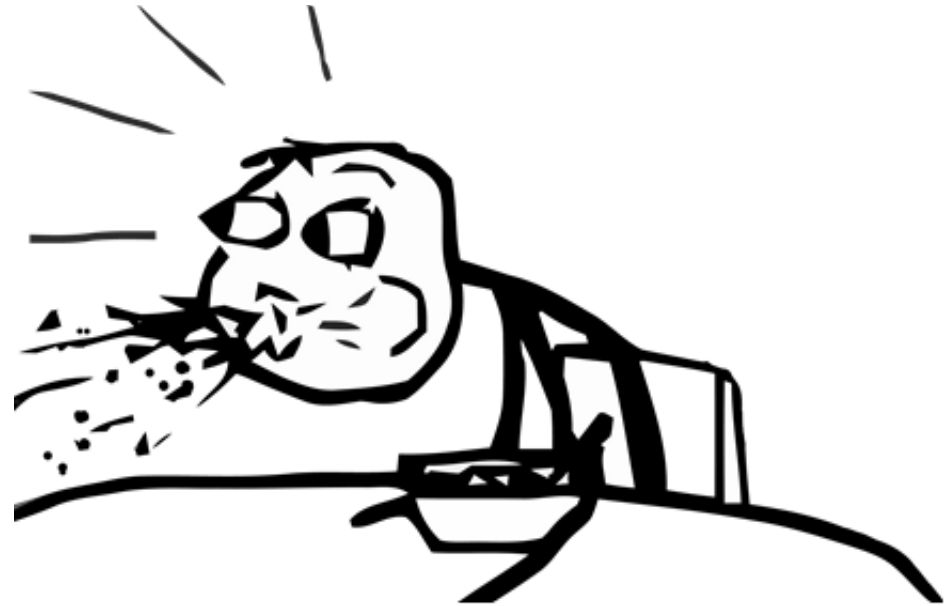


We define how to **aggregate**
the information of one Vertex
through its **Neighbors**



Spatial Graph Convolution

Mathematician:



Spectral Graph Convolution

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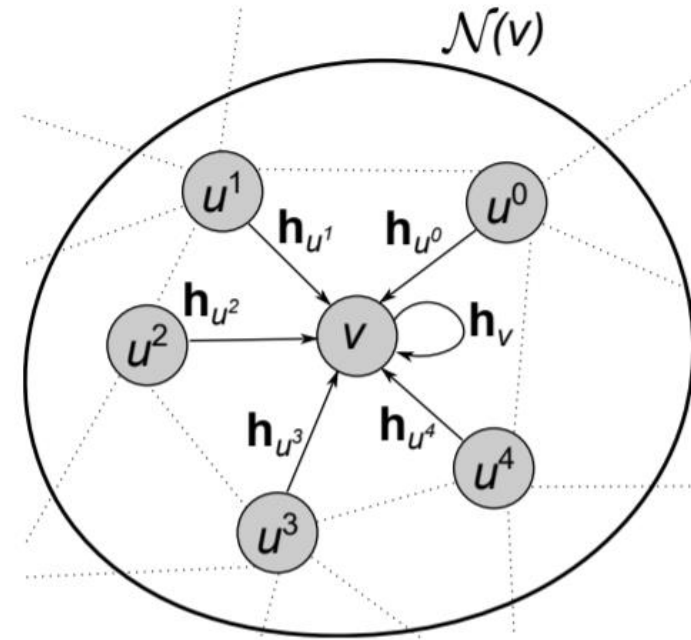
GraphSAGE [2]

Practically:

- We define a vertex of interest
- We define how neighbors contribute to vertex of interest

Technically:

- Feature vector at node v in k -th layer: \mathbf{h}_v^k
e.g. the 0-th layer may contains the input: $\mathbf{h}_v^0 = \mathbf{x}_v$
- We aggregate \mathbf{h}_v^k over \mathbf{h}_v^{k-1} with its neighbors $\mathbf{h}_u^{k-1} \forall u \in N(v)$



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GraphSAGE [2] - The Algorithm

Algorithm 1: GraphSAGE embedding generation (i.e., forward propagation) algorithm

Input : Graph $\mathcal{G}(\mathcal{V}, \mathcal{E})$; input features $\{\mathbf{x}_v, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}\}$; depth K ; weight matrices $\mathbf{W}^k, \forall k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$; non-linearity σ ; differentiable aggregator functions $\text{AGGREGATE}_k, \forall k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$; neighborhood function $\mathcal{N} : v \rightarrow 2^{\mathcal{V}}$

Output : Vector representations \mathbf{z}_v for all $v \in \mathcal{V}$

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1  $\mathbf{h}_v^0 \leftarrow \mathbf{x}_v, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$ ;
2 for  $k = 1 \dots K$  do
3   for  $v \in \mathcal{V}$  do
4      $\mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{N}(v)}^k \leftarrow \text{AGGREGATE}_k(\{\mathbf{h}_u^{k-1}, \forall u \in \mathcal{N}(v)\})$ ;
5      $\mathbf{h}_v^k \leftarrow \sigma \left( \mathbf{W}^k \cdot \text{CONCAT}(\mathbf{h}_v^{k-1}, \mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{N}(v)}^k) \right)$ 
6   end
7    $\mathbf{h}_v^k \leftarrow \mathbf{h}_v^k / \|\mathbf{h}_v^k\|_2, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$ 
8 end
9  $\mathbf{z}_v \leftarrow \mathbf{h}_v^K, \forall v \in \mathcal{V}$ 

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GraphSAGE [2] - Aggregators

- Mean Aggregator:

$$\mathbf{h}_v^k \leftarrow \sigma(\mathbf{W} \cdot \text{MEAN}(\{\mathbf{h}_v^{k-1}\} \cup \{\mathbf{h}_u^{k-1}, \forall u \in \mathcal{N}(v)\}))$$

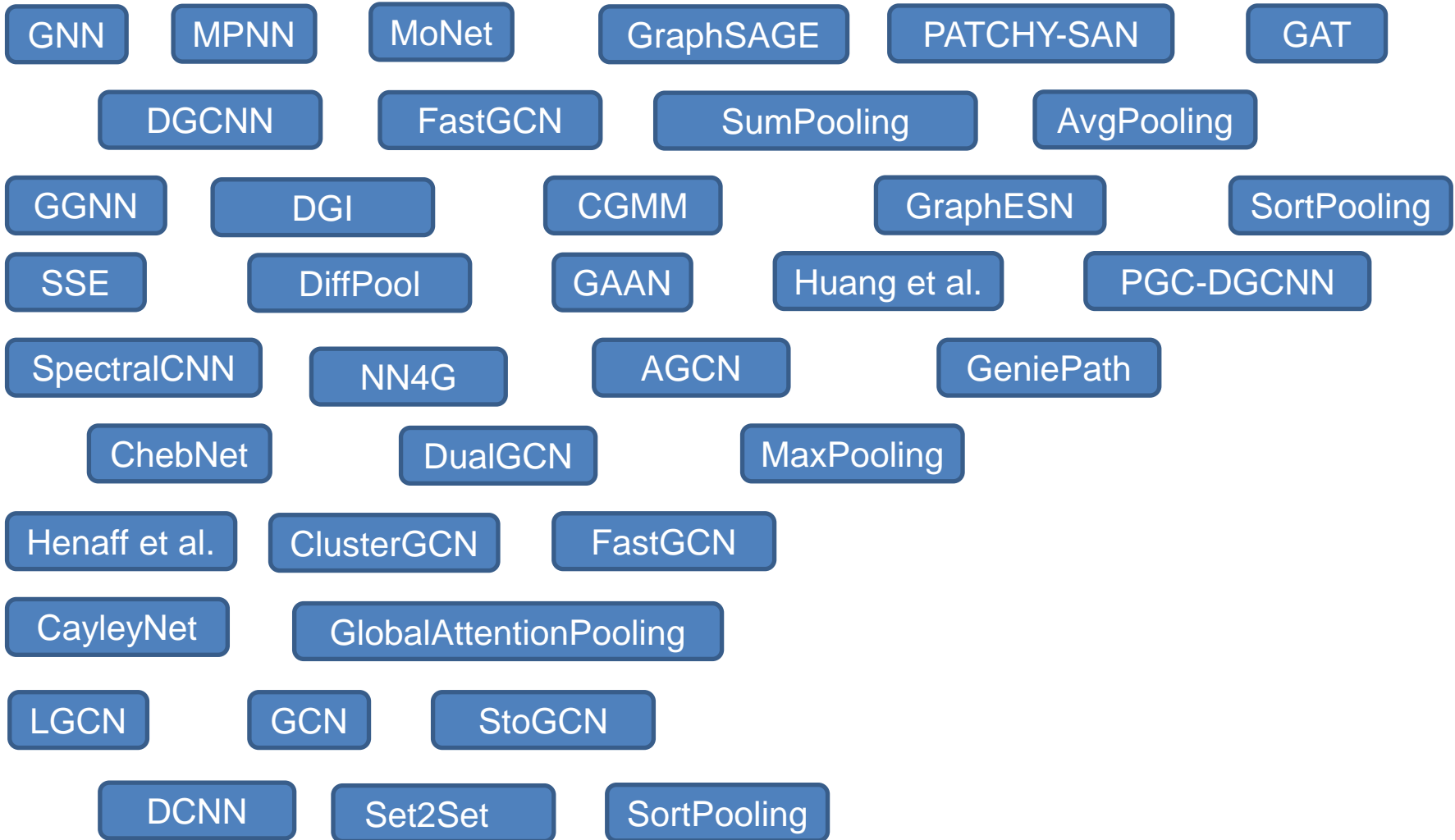
- GCN Aggregator
- Pooling Aggregator

$$\text{AGGREGATE}_k^{\text{pool}} = \max(\{\sigma(\mathbf{W}_{\text{pool}} \mathbf{h}_{u_i}^k + \mathbf{b}), \forall u_i \in \mathcal{N}(v)\}),$$

- LSTM Aggregator

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