

Combining bottom up and top down approaches for Drug-Target-Interaction prediction

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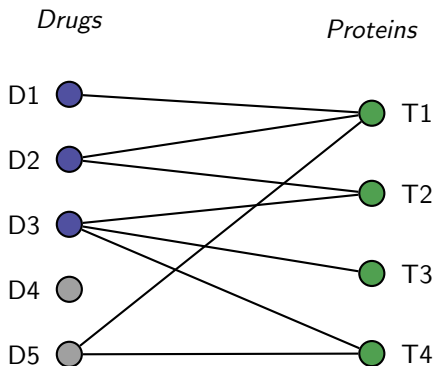
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Problem Description

Prediction over bipartite graph:



Classification of recent approaches¹²

| | Drugs | Protein |
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| bottom-up | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ GCN over molecules▶ drug similarity | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ secondary structure prediction▶ contact prediction▶ convolution over amino acid sequences |
| top-down | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ network approaches▶ drug similarity | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ protein similarity |

¹Chen Wang et al., Briefings in Bioinformatics, 2018

²Yu Ding, Briefings in Bioinformatics, 2019

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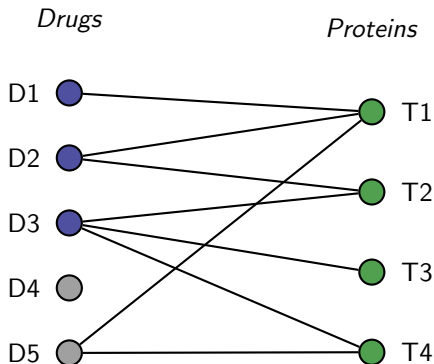
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