

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

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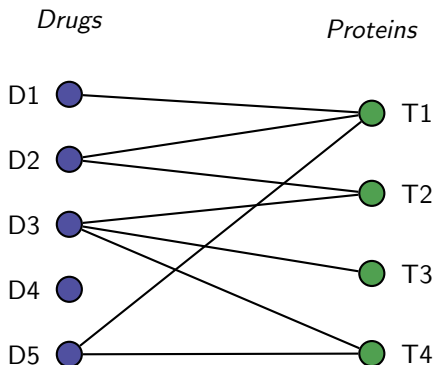
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Outline

1. Problem Description
2. Recent approaches
3. A medium approach to DTI prediction

Problem Description

Prediction over bipartite graph:



Classification of recent approaches¹²

	Drugs	Protein
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 et al., Briefings in Bioinformatics, 2019

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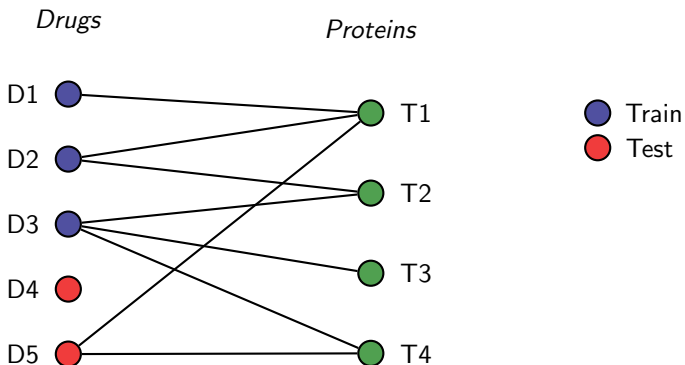
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Full citations

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