

Composition-based Multi-Relational Graph Convolutional Networks

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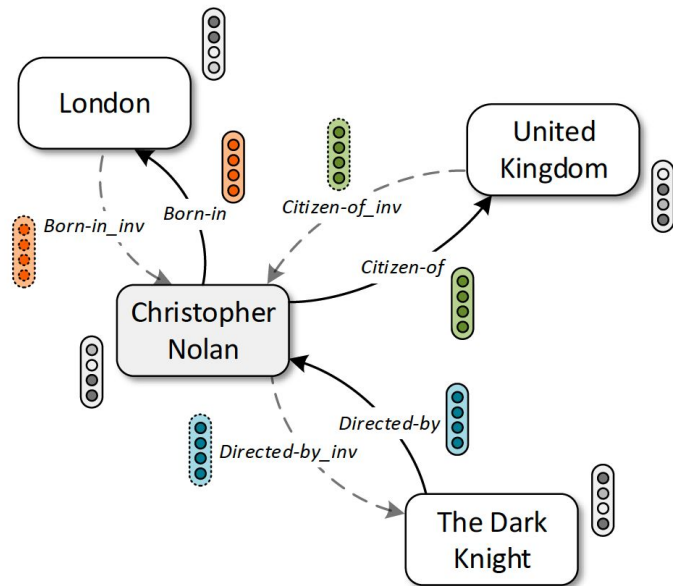
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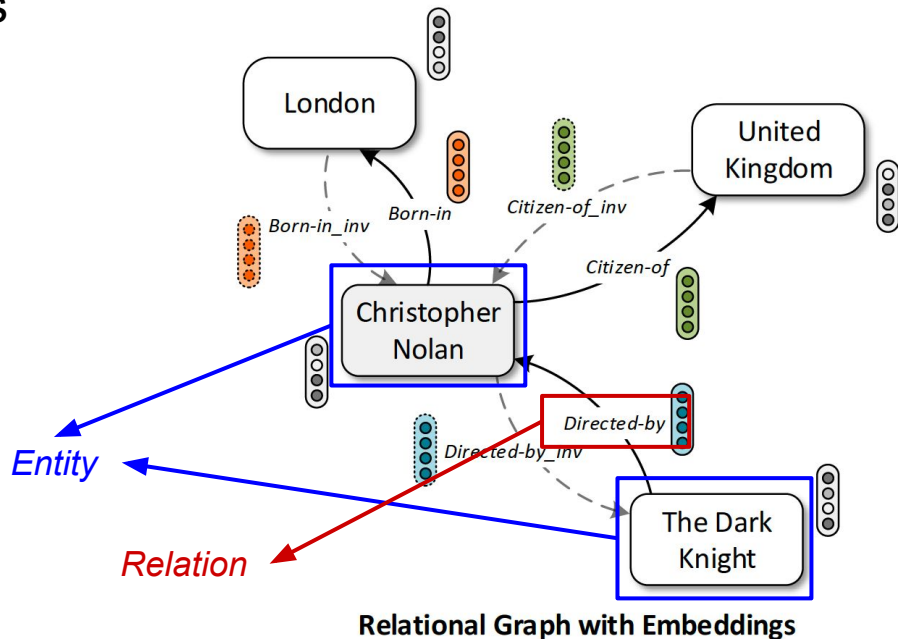
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- **Solution:**
 - **Combine both: GCN + KE**

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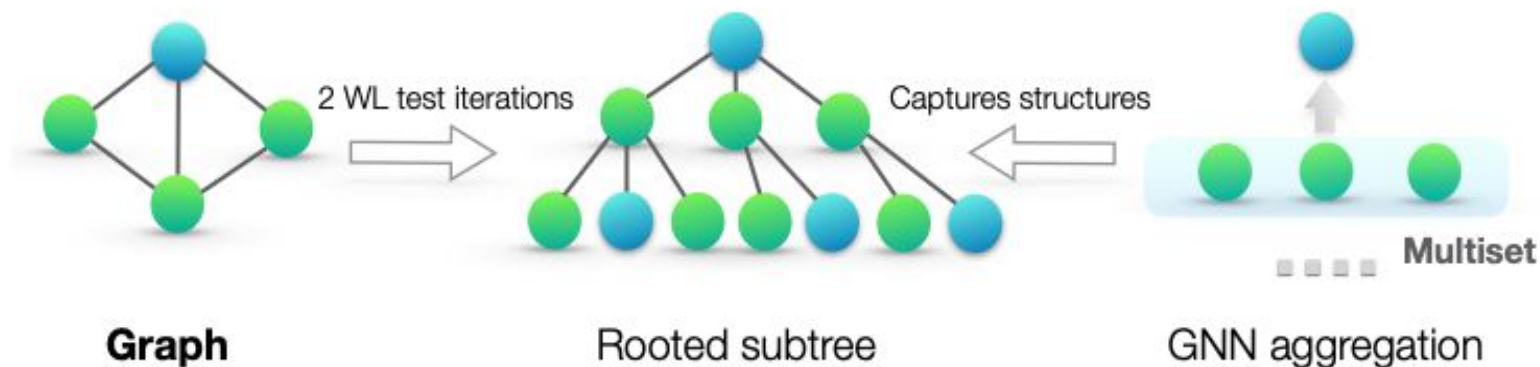
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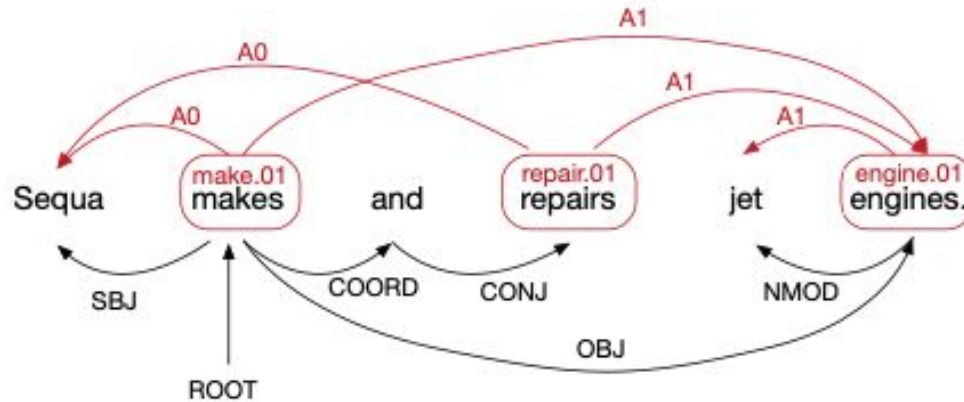
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Middle panel: **rooted subtree structures** (at the blue node) that the *WL test* uses to distinguish different graphs. Right panel: if a GNN's aggregation function captures the *full multiset* of node neighbors, the GNN can capture the rooted subtrees in a recursive manner and be as powerful as the WL test.

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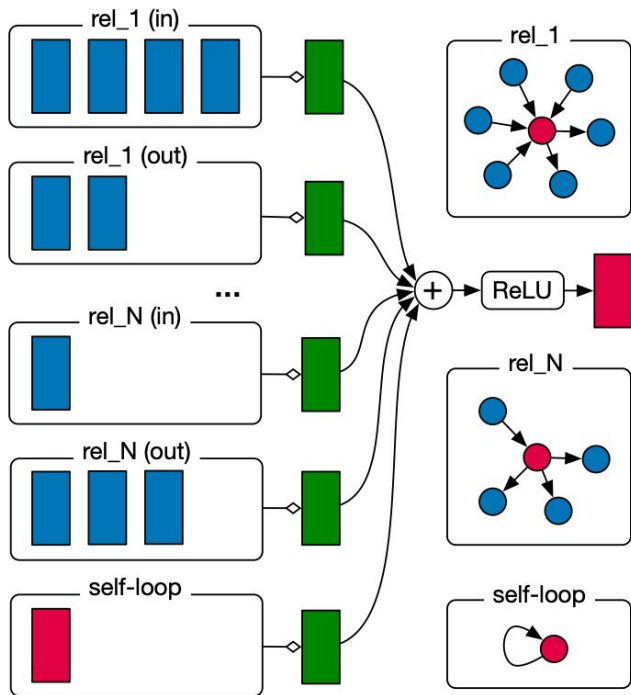
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An example sentence annotated with semantic (top) and syntactic dependencies (bottom).

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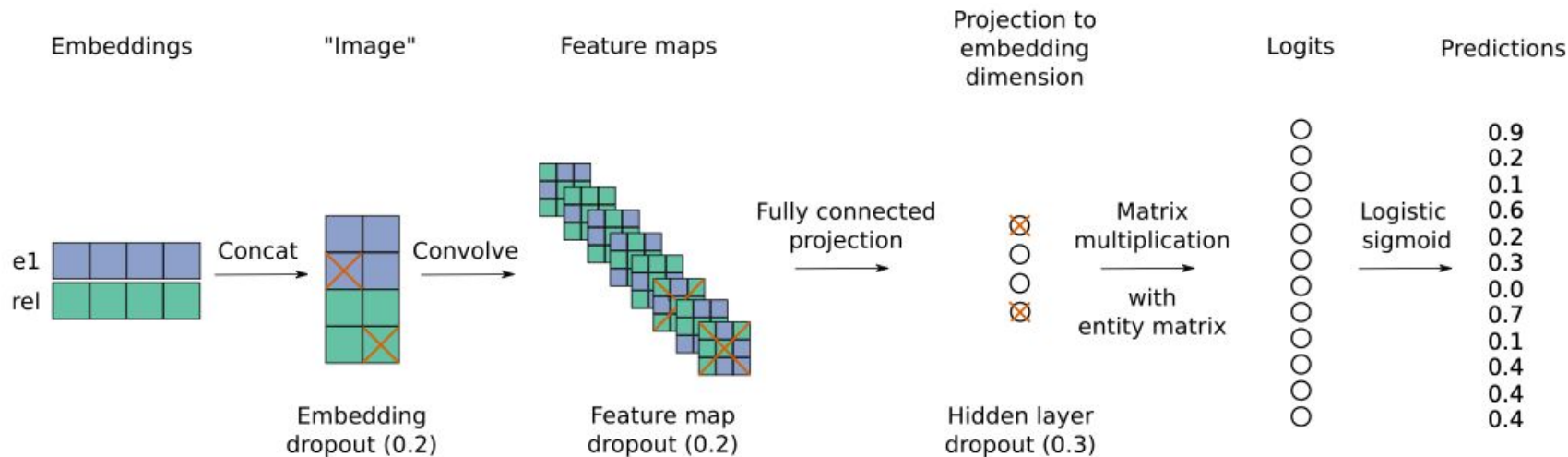
Update in the **R-GCN** model.

Activations (d-dimensional vectors) from neighboring nodes (dark blue) are gathered and then transformed *for each relation type individually* (for both in- and outgoing edges). The resulting representation (green) is accumulated in a (normalized) sum and passed through an activation function (such as the ReLU).

[Schlichtkrull et al., 2017]

Related Works

- Knowledge Graph Embedding



In the **ConVE** model, the entity and relation embeddings are first reshaped and concatenated (steps 1, 2); the resulting matrix is then used as input to a convolutional layer (step 3); the resulting feature map tensor is vectorised and projected into a k-dimensional space (step 4) and matched with all candidate object embeddings (step 5).

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GCN on Undirected Graphs

- Undirected Graph: $G = (V, E, X)$
 - V : set of vertices
 - E : set of edges
 - $X \in \mathbb{R}^{|V| \times d_0}$: d_0 -dimensional input features of each node
- The node representation for a single GCN layer: $H = f(\hat{A}XW)$
 - $\hat{A} = D^{-1/2}(A+I)D^{-1/2}$
 - $D_{ii} = \sum_j (A+I)_{ij}$,
 - $W \in \mathbb{R}^{d_0 \times d_1}$
 - f : some activation function

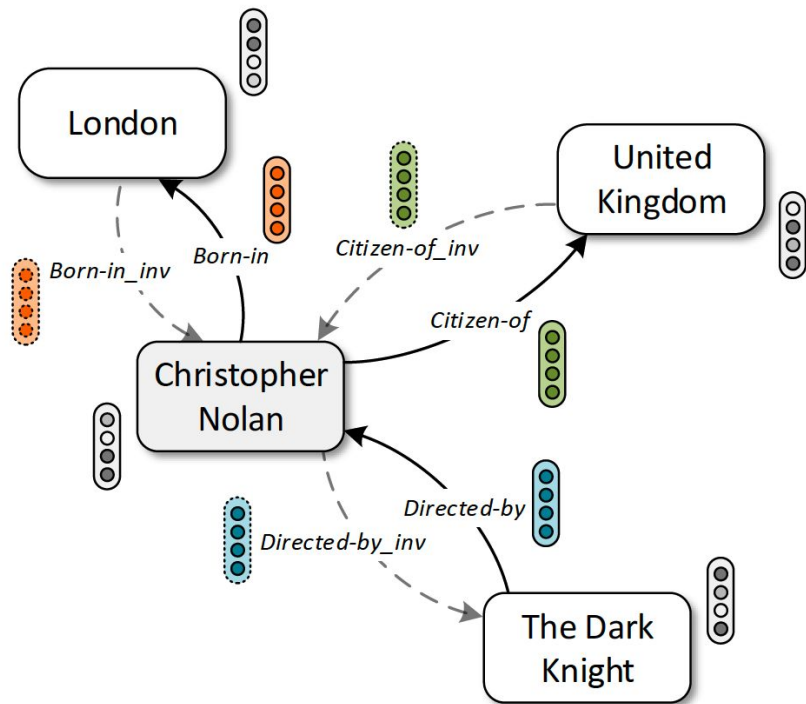
GCN on Multi-Relational Graphs

- Multi-Relational Graph: $G = (V, R, E, X)$
 - R : set of relations
 - (u, v, r) : relation $r \in R$ from node u to v .
 - Inverse edge: (v, u, r^{-1})
- k -th layer representations of a relational graph: $H^{k+1} = f(\hat{A}H^k W_r^k)$
 - W_r^k : relation-specific parameters

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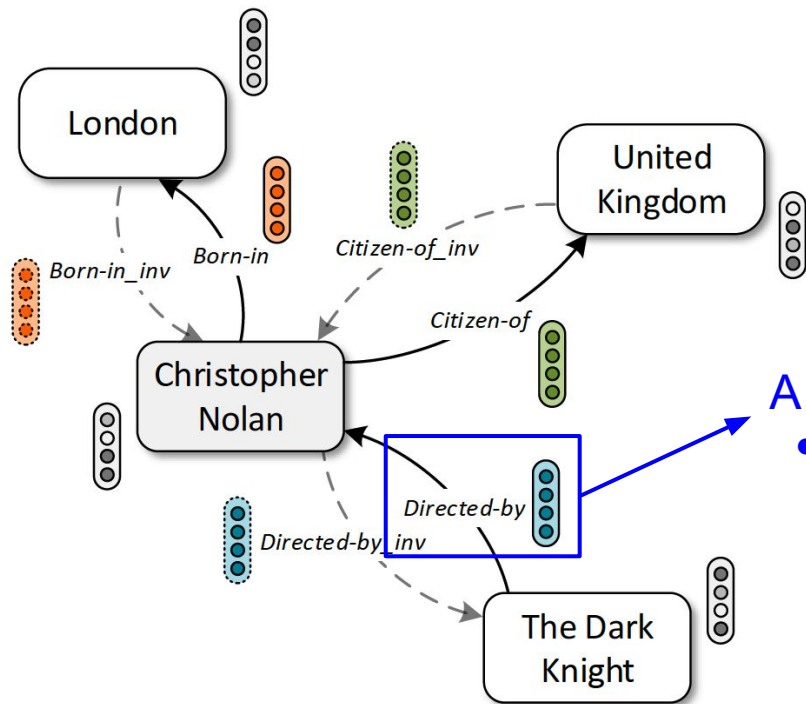
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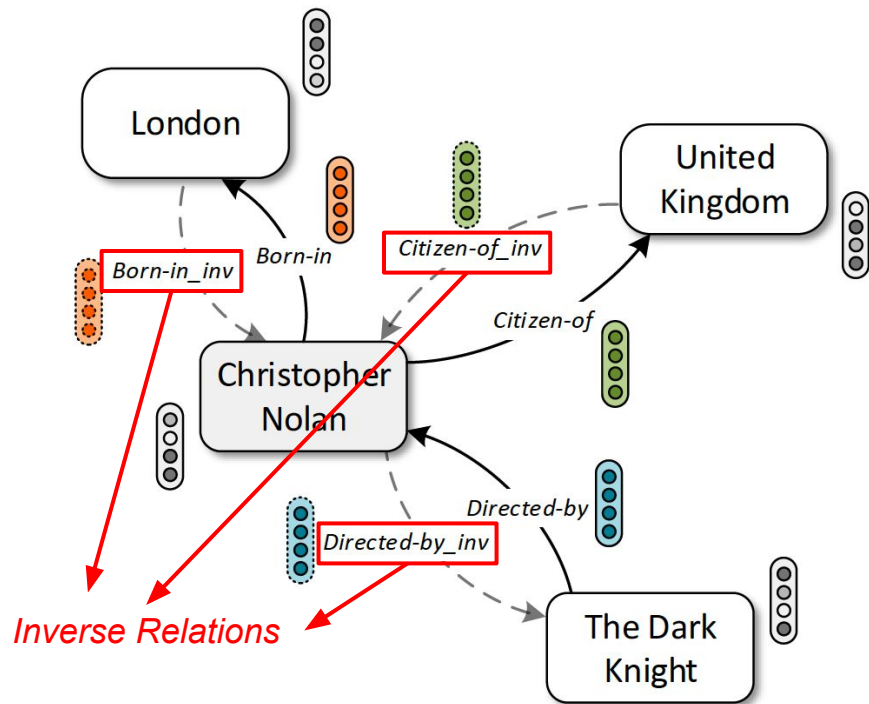


A KG Triplet (E1, R, E2):

- Eg. (The Dark Knight, Directed by, Christopher Nolan)

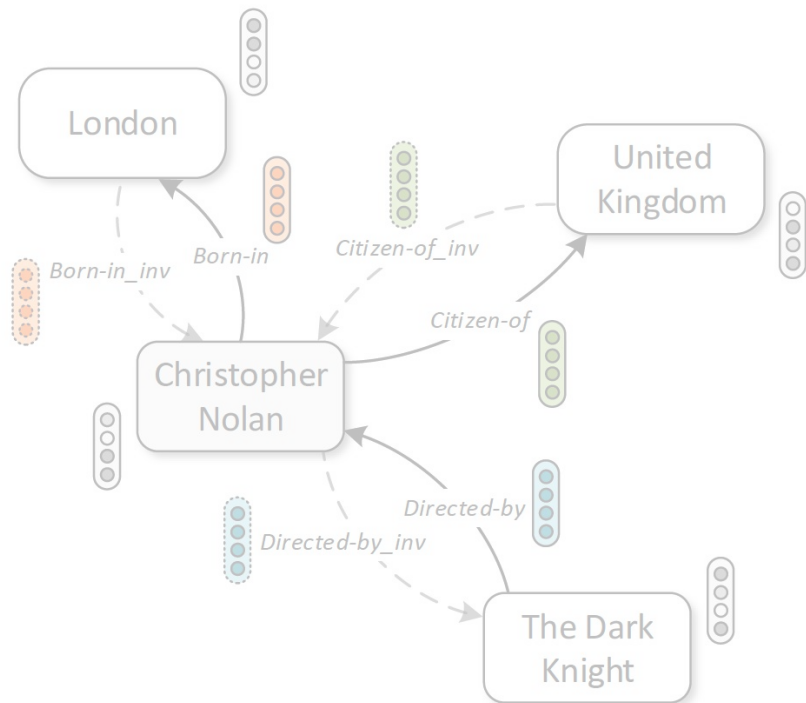
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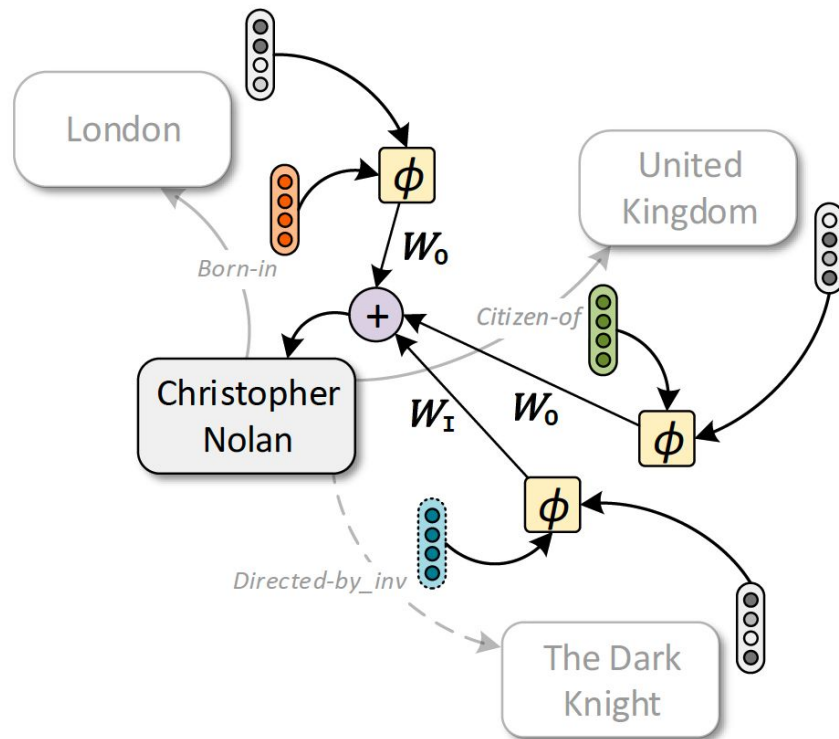


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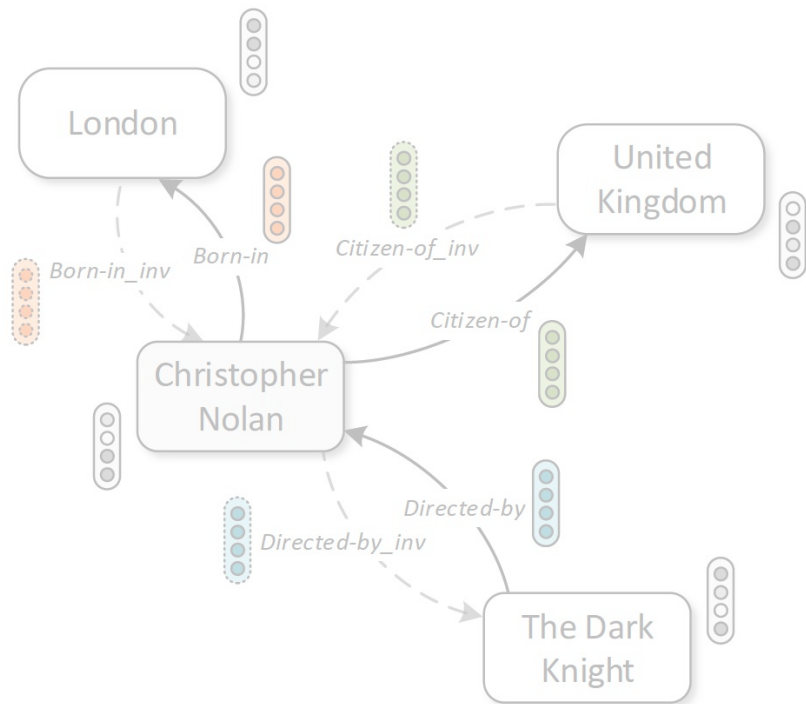


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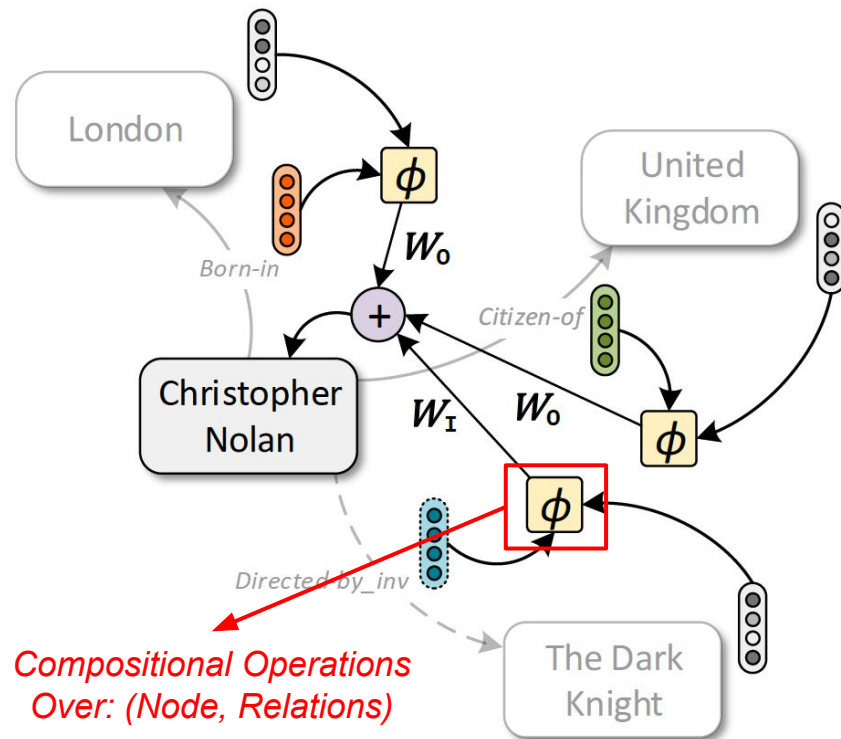


CompGCN Update

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Compositional Operations
Over: (Node, Relations)

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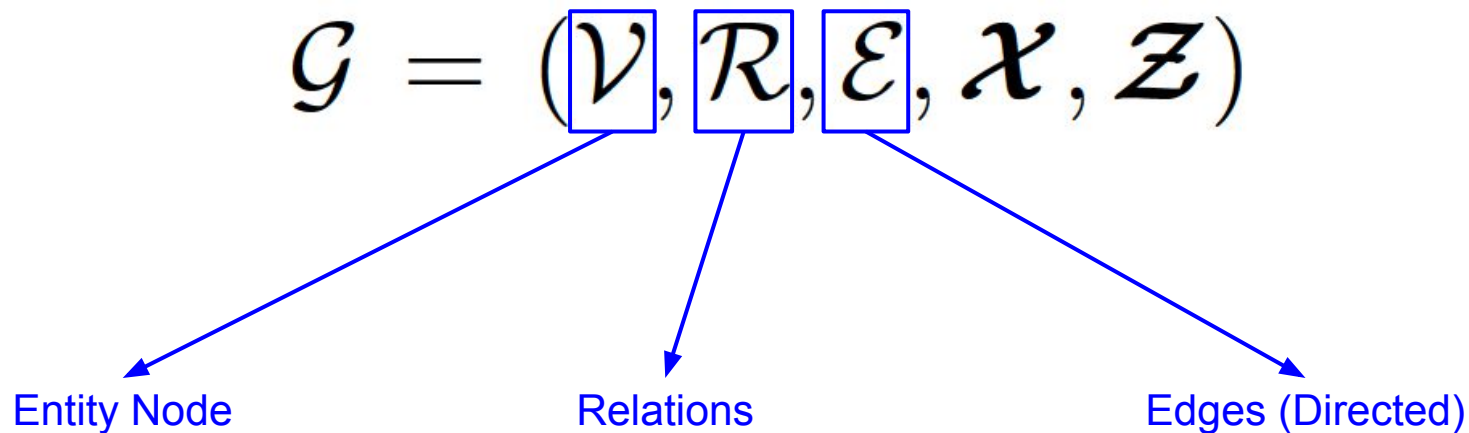
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Entity Node

Relations

Edges (Inverse & Self-Loops)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{R}' &= \mathcal{R} \cup \mathcal{R}_{inv} \cup \{\top\} & \mathcal{E}' &= \mathcal{E} \cup \{(v, u, r^{-1}) \mid (u, v, r) \in \mathcal{E}\} \\ \mathcal{R}_{inv} &= \{r^{-1} \mid r \in \mathcal{R}\} & & \cup \{(u, u, \top) \mid u \in \mathcal{V}\}\end{aligned}$$

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Node Input Features

Initial Relation Features

$$\mathcal{Z} \in \mathbb{R}^{|\mathcal{R}| \times d_0}$$

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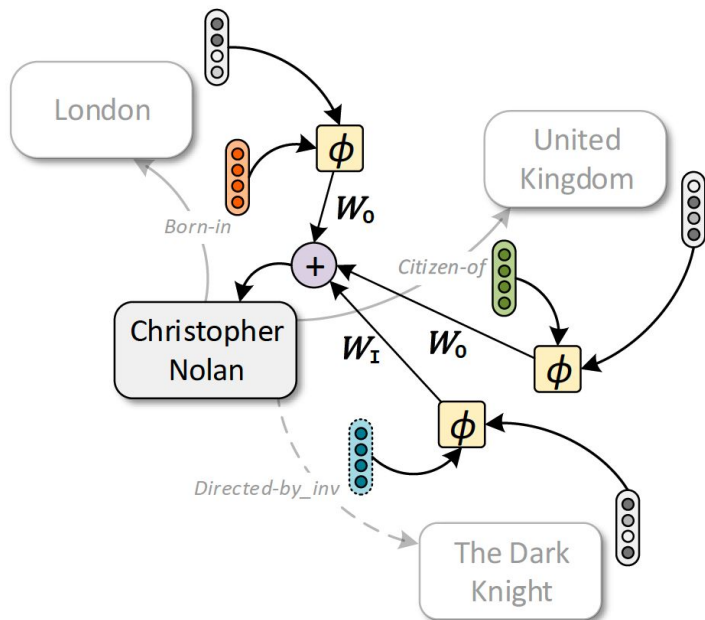
$$\mathbf{e}_o = \phi(\mathbf{e}_s, \mathbf{e}_r)$$

$$\phi : \mathbb{R}^d \times \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$$

Non-Parameterized Operations

- Subtraction
- Multiplication
- Circular-Correlation $[\mathbf{a} \star \mathbf{b}]_k = \sum_{i=0}^{d-1} a_i b_{(k+i) \bmod d}$

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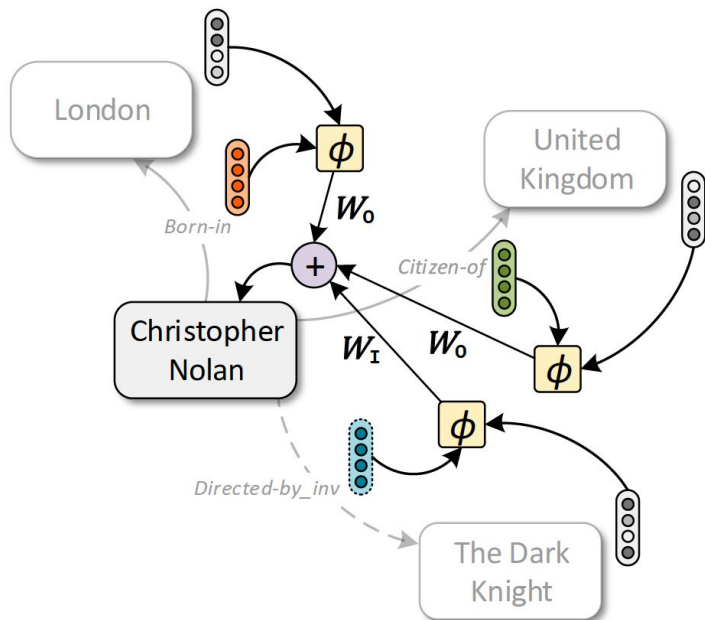


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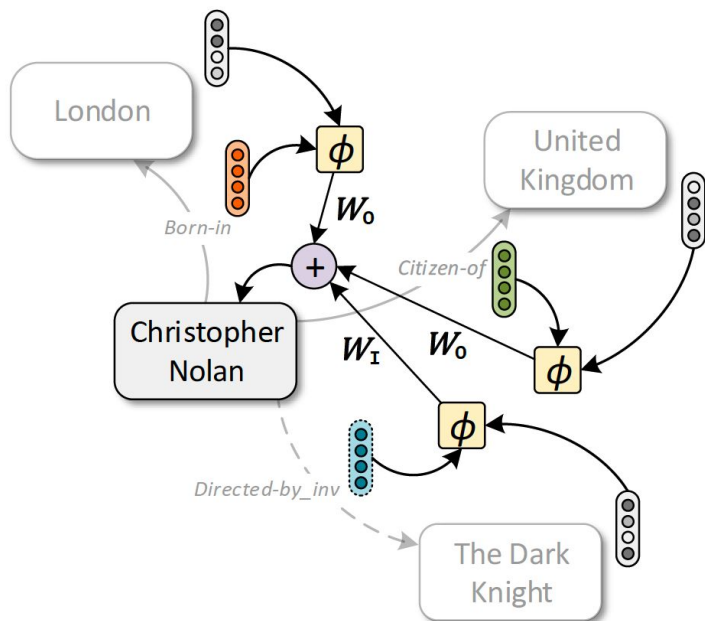
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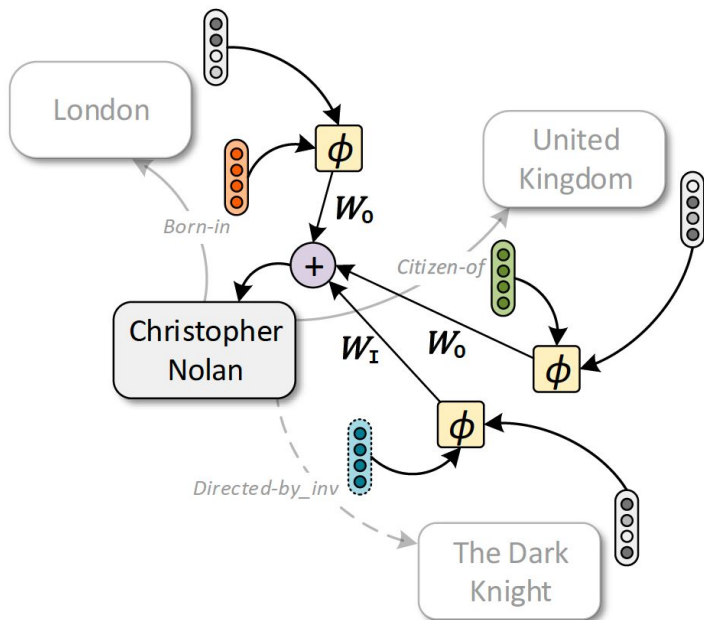
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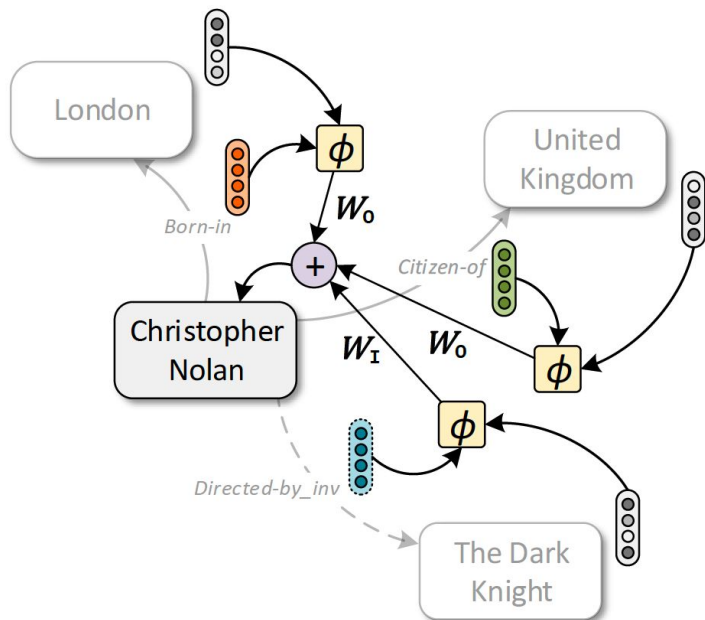
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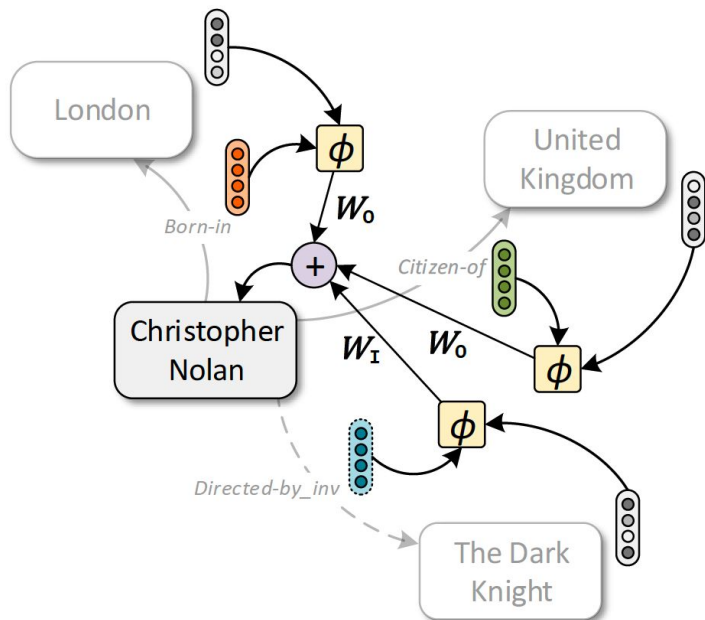
$$\mathbf{W}_{\text{dir}(r)} = \begin{cases} \mathbf{W}_O, & r \in \mathcal{R} \\ \mathbf{W}_I, & r \in \mathcal{R}_{\text{inv}} \\ \mathbf{W}_S, & r = \top \text{ (self-loop)} \end{cases}$$

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$$h_r = \mathbf{W}_{\text{rel}} \mathbf{z}_r \quad \mathbf{W}_{\text{rel}} \in \mathbb{R}^{d_1 \times d_0}$$

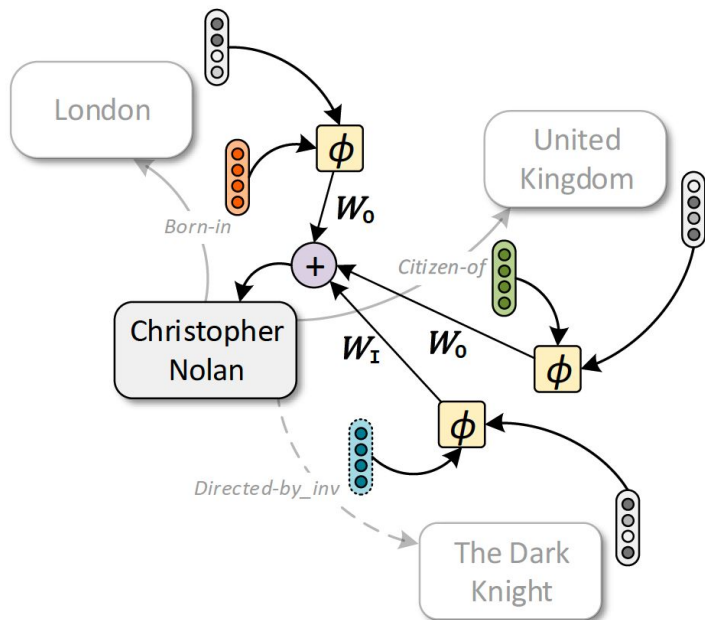
Scaling the Number of Relations

- Relational Vectors are:
 - **Linear Combinations** of a set of *learnable basis vectors*

$$\mathbf{z}_r = \sum_{b=1}^{\mathcal{B}} \alpha_{br} \mathbf{v}_b \quad \{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_{\mathcal{B}}\}$$


Learnable Scalar Weights: $\alpha_{br} \in \mathbb{R}$

Stacking CompGCN (k-Layers)



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Node Embedding Update:

$$\mathbf{h}_v^{k+1} = f \left(\sum_{(u,r) \in \mathcal{N}(v)} \mathbf{W}_{\lambda(r)}^k \phi(\mathbf{h}_u^k, \mathbf{h}_r^k) \right)$$

Relational Embedding Update:

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GCN Comparisons

Methods	Node Embeddings	Directions	Relations	Relation Embeddings	Number of Parameters
GCN Kipf & Welling (2016)	✓				$\mathcal{O}(Kd^2)$
Directed-GCN Marcheggiani & Titov (2017)	✓	✓			$\mathcal{O}(Kd^2)$
Weighted-GCN Shang et al. (2019)	✓		✓		$\mathcal{O}(Kd^2 + K \mathcal{R})$
Relational-GCN Schlichtkrull et al. (2017)	✓	✓	✓		$\mathcal{O}(\mathcal{B}Kd^2 + \mathcal{B}K \mathcal{R})$
COMPGCN (Proposed Method)	✓	✓	✓	✓	$\mathcal{O}(Kd^2 + \mathcal{B}d + \mathcal{B} \mathcal{R})$

- **K**: Number of GCN Layers
- **d**: Embedding dimension
- **B**: Number of bases
- **|R|**: Total number of relations

Reduction of CompGCN

Proposition 4.1. *COMP GCN generalizes the following Graph Convolutional based methods: **Kipf-GCN** (Kipf & Welling, 2016), **Relational GCN** (Schlichtkrull et al., 2017), **Directed GCN** (Marcheggiani & Titov, 2017), and **Weighted GCN** (Shang et al., 2019).*

Proof. For Kipf-GCN, this can be trivially obtained by making weights ($\mathbf{W}_{\lambda(r)}$) and composition function (ϕ) relation agnostic in Equation 5, i.e., $\mathbf{W}_{\lambda(r)} = \mathbf{W}$ and $\phi(\mathbf{h}_u, \mathbf{h}_r) = \mathbf{h}_u$. Similar reductions can be obtained for other methods as shown in Table 2. \square

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- **Link Predictions**

- Inferring missing facts based on known facts in KGs
- **Datasets:** FB15k-237 (FreeBase), WN18-RR (WordNet)
- **Metrics:** MRR & MR & Hits@N

- **Node Classifications**

- Predicting labels of nodes
- Based on node features and connections
- **Datasets:** MUTAG & AM

- **Graph Classifications**

- Learns representations of graphs, and predicts the types of graphs
- **Datasets:** MUTAG & PTC

Dataset Statistics

	Link Prediction		Node Classification		Graph Classification	
	FB15k-237	WN18RR	MUTAG (Node)	AM	MUTAG (Graph)	PTC
Graphs	1	1	1	1	188	344
Entities	14,541	40,943	23,644	1,666,764	17.9 (Avg)	25.5 (Avg)
Edges	310,116	93,003	74,227	5,988,321	39.6 (Avg)	29.5 (Avg)
Relations	237	11	23	133	4	4
Classes	-	-	2	11	2	2

GCN Baselines

- Relational-GCN (R-GCN) (Schlichtkrull et al., 2017)
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 - Relation-specific weight matrices
 - Linear combinations of a set of basis matrices
- **Directed-GCN (D-GCN)** (Marcheggiani & Titov, 2017)
 - Separate weight matrices for incoming, outgoing edges and self-loops
 - Relation-specific biases
- **Weighted-GCN (W-GCN)** (Shang et al., 2019)
 - Learnable scalar weights assigned to each relation
 - Multiplies the weights with an “incoming message”

Task-Specific Baselines

- **Link Predictions**
 - TransE, DistMult, KBGAN, ComplEx, ... etc.
- **Node Classifications**
 - Feat, WL, RDF2Vec, ... etc.
- **Graph Classifications**
 - Deep Graph CNN, Graph Isomorphism Network, ... etc.

TransE Objective:
$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{(h,\ell,t) \in S} \sum_{(h',\ell,t') \in S'_{(h,\ell,t)}} [\gamma + d(\mathbf{h} + \ell, \mathbf{t}) - d(\mathbf{h}' + \ell, \mathbf{t}')]_+$$

Goals of Experiments

- Q1. CompGCN compared to existing methods on Link Predictions
- Q2. Compare different GCN encoders and compositional operators
- Q3. CompGCN scalability
- Q4. CompGCN performance on node & graph classification

Results - Link Predictions

	FB15k-237					WN18RR				
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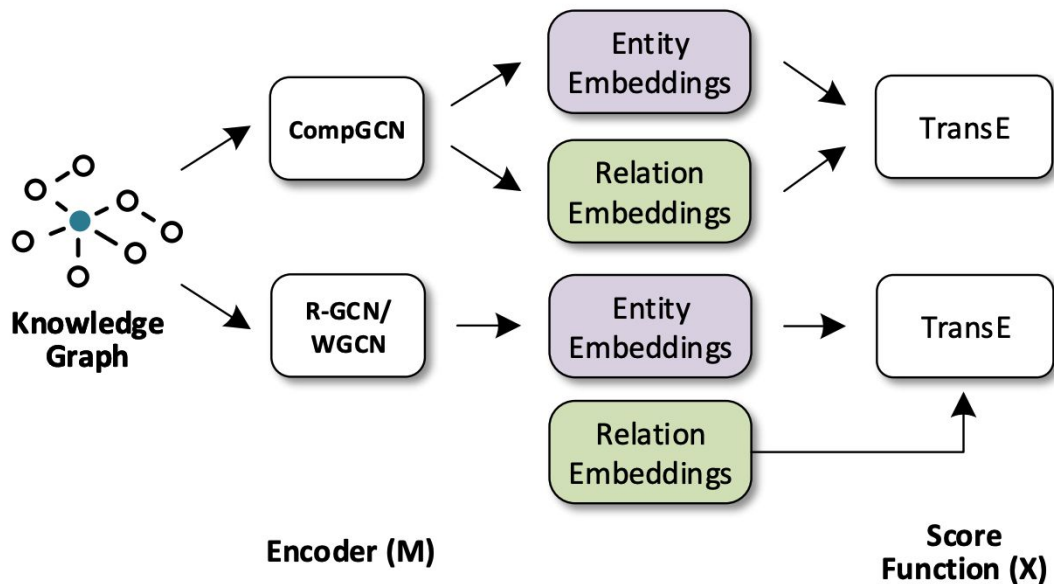
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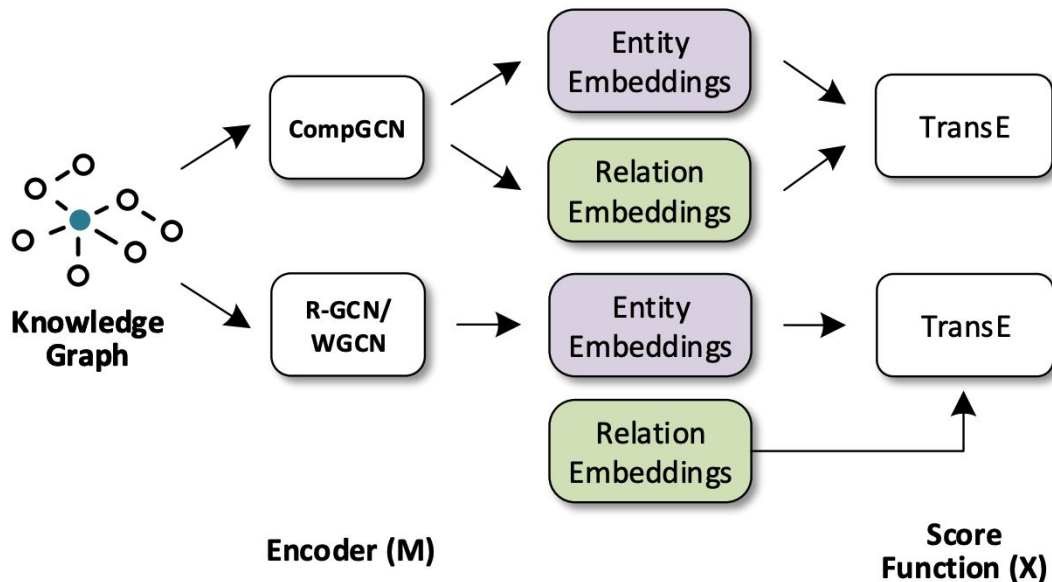
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- **Subtraction (Sub):** $\phi(e_s, e_r) = e_s - e_r$.
- **Multiplication (Mult):** $\phi(e_s, e_r) = e_s * e_r$.
- **Circular-correlation (Corr):** $\phi(e_s, e_r) = e_s \star e_r$

GCN Comparison Results - Link Predictions

- X + M (Y): method M is used for obtaining entity/relation embeddings with X as scoring function. Y is the composition operator.

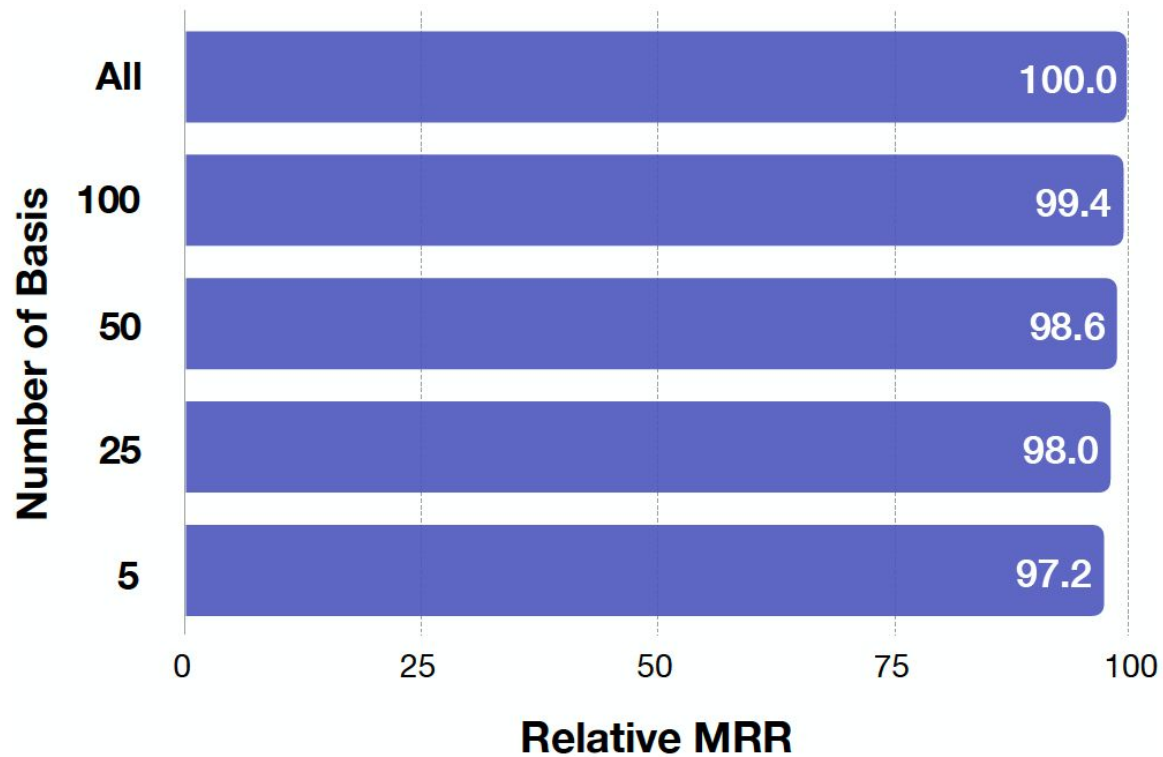
Scoring Function (=X) →	TransE			DistMult			ConvE		
Methods ↓	MRR	MR	H@10	MRR	MR	H@10	MRR	MR	H@10
X	0.294	357	0.465	0.241	354	0.419	0.325	244	0.501
X + D-GCN	0.299	351	0.469	0.321	225	0.497	0.344	200	0.524
X + R-GCN	0.281	325	0.443	0.324	230	0.499	0.342	197	0.524
X + W-GCN	0.267	1520	0.444	0.324	229	0.504	0.344	201	0.525
X + COMPGCN (Sub)	0.335	194	0.514	0.336	231	0.513	0.352	199	0.530
X + COMPGCN (Mult)	0.337	233	0.515	0.338	200	0.518	0.353	216	0.532
X + COMPGCN (Corr)	0.336	214	0.518	0.335	227	0.514	0.355	197	0.535
X + COMPGCN ($\beta = 50$)	0.330	203	0.502	0.333	210	0.512	0.350	193	0.530

CompGCN Code Demo

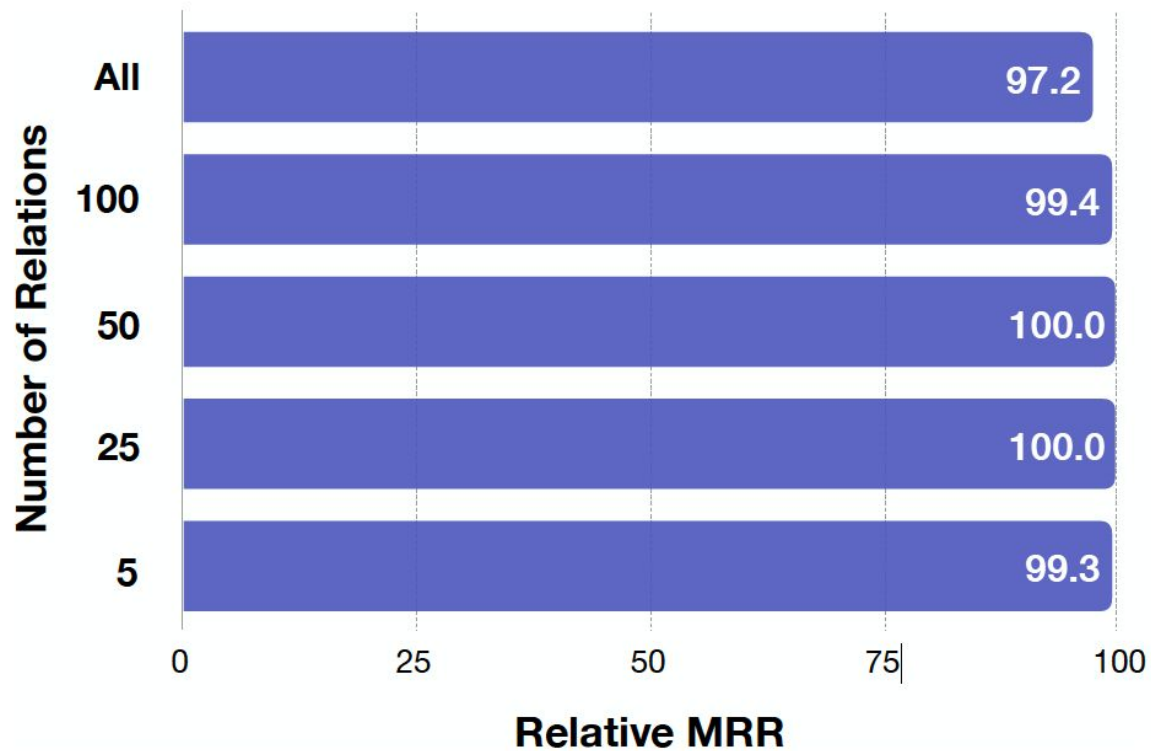
Evaluating the Scalability

- Effect of different number of basis vectors
- Scaling up different number of relations
- Compare to prior work R-GCN
 - Basis matrices instead of basis vectors

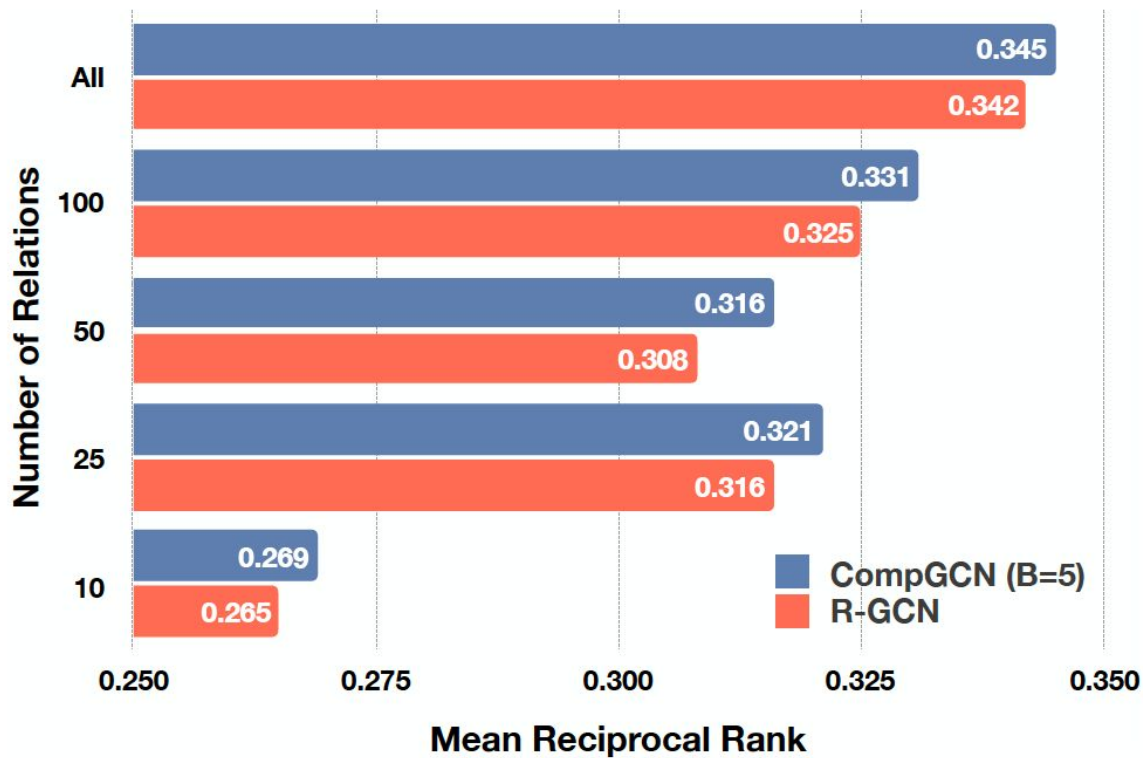
Number of Base Vectors



Number of Relations



Compared to R-GCN



Node & Graph Classifications

Node Classification

	MUTAG (Node)	AM
Feat*	77.9	66.7
WL*	80.9	87.4
RDF2Vec*	67.2	88.3
R-GCN*	73.2	89.3
SynGCN	74.8 \pm 5.5	86.2 \pm 1.9
WGCN	77.9 \pm 3.2	90.2 \pm 0.9
COMP GCN	85.3 \pm 1.2	90.6 \pm 0.2

Graph Classification

	MUTAG (Graph)	PTC
PACHYSAN [†]	92.6 \pm 4.2	60.0 \pm 4.8
DGCNN [†]	85.8	58.6
GIN [†]	89.4 \pm 4.7	64.6 \pm 7.0
R-GCN	82.3 \pm 9.2	67.8 \pm 13.2
SynGCN	79.3 \pm 10.3	69.4 \pm 11.5
WGCN	78.9 \pm 12.0	67.3 \pm 12.0
COMP GCN	89.0 \pm 11.1	71.6 \pm 12.0

Read Out:
$$h_{\mathcal{G}} = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{V}|} \sum_{v \in \mathcal{V}} h_v$$

Outline

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Summaries of CompGCN

- Multi-Relational Knowledge Graphs
- Representing Relations as Vectors
- Compositional Operators
- CompGCN Model
 - General
 - Alleviates over-parameterization
 - Scalable with basis vectors
- Extensive Experiments

CompGCN Future Works

- More complex compositional operators
 - Learnable eg. ConvE
 - Superior compositional operations
- Interpretable relational vectors

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COMPOSITION-BASED MULTI-RELATIONAL GRAPH CONVOLUTIONAL NETWORKS

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ABSTRACT

Graph Convolutional Networks (GCNs) have recently been shown to be quite successful in modeling graph-structured data. However, the primary focus has been on handling simple undirected graphs. Multi-relational graphs are a more general and prevalent form of graphs where each edge has a label and direction associated with it. Most of the existing approaches to handle such graphs suffer from over-parameterization and are restricted to learning representations of nodes only. In this paper, we propose COMPGCN, a novel Graph Convolutional framework which jointly embeds both nodes and relations in a relational graph. COMPGCN leverages a variety of entity-relation composition operations from Knowledge Graph Embedding techniques and scales with the number of relations. It also generalizes several of the existing multi-relational GCN methods. We evaluate our proposed method on multiple tasks such as node classification, link prediction, and graph classification, and achieve demonstrably superior results. We make the source code of COMPGCN available to foster reproducible research.

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