

My solutions to  
Deep Learning: Foundations and Concepts

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## 13 Graph Neural Networks

### 13.1

The adjacency matrices corresponding to (b) and (c) in Figure 13.2 are

$$A := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{A} := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

respectively. With (13.1) it follows that

$$\begin{aligned} PAP^\top &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \tilde{A} \end{aligned}$$

## 13.2

Consider node  $m$  of a given simple graph with  $N$  nodes, and denote by  $N_m$  the number of edges connected to that node. It follows immediately from the definition of adjacency matrix  $A$  that  $N_m = \sum_{n=1}^N A_{mn}$ . It then holds that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (AA)_{m,m} &= \sum_{n=1}^N A_{m,n}A_{n,m} \\
 &= \sum_{n=1}^N A_{m,n}^2 \quad \text{by symmetry of } A \\
 &= \sum_{n=1}^N A_{m,n} \quad A_{m,n} \in \{0,1\} \text{ f.a. } n \\
 &= N_m
 \end{aligned}$$

## 13.4

For every  $m \in \{1, \dots, N\}$  it holds that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (PX)_{m,:} &= \sum_{k=1}^N P_{m,k} X_{k,:} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^N (u_{\pi(m)}^\top)_k X_{k,:} \quad (13.3) \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^N \delta_{\pi(m),k} X_{k,:} \quad \text{by def. of } u \\
 &= X_{\pi(m),:}
 \end{aligned}$$

## 13.5

For every  $m \in \{1, \dots, N\}$ ,  $n \in \{1, \dots, N\}$  it holds that

$$\begin{aligned}
 (PAP^\top)_{m,n} &= \sum_{k=1}^N (PA)_{m,k} (P^\top)_{k,n} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^N A_{\pi(m),k} (P^\top)_{k,n} \quad \text{analogous to exercise 13.4} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^N A_{\pi(m),k} P_{n,k} \quad \text{by def. of transpose}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{k=1}^N A_{\pi(m),k} \left( u_{\pi(n)}^\top \right)_k \quad (13.3) \\
&= \sum_{k=1}^N A_{\pi(m),k} \delta_{\pi(n),k} \quad \text{by def. of } u \\
&= A_{\pi(m),\pi(n)}
\end{aligned}$$