

Knowledge Graphs

Lecture 6 – Intelligent Applications with Knowledge Graphs and Deep Learning

6.1 The Graph in Knowledge Graphs

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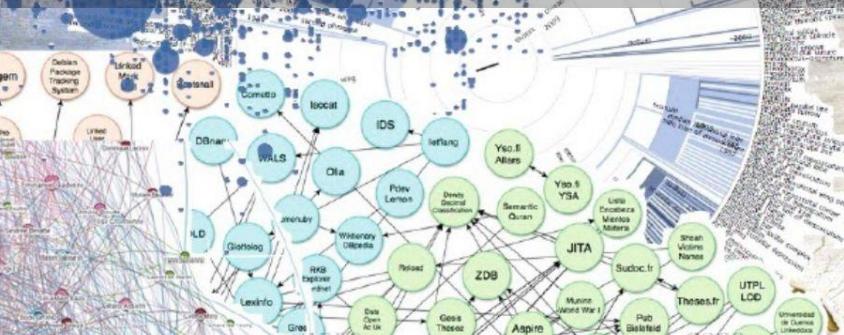
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Knowledge Graph Recap



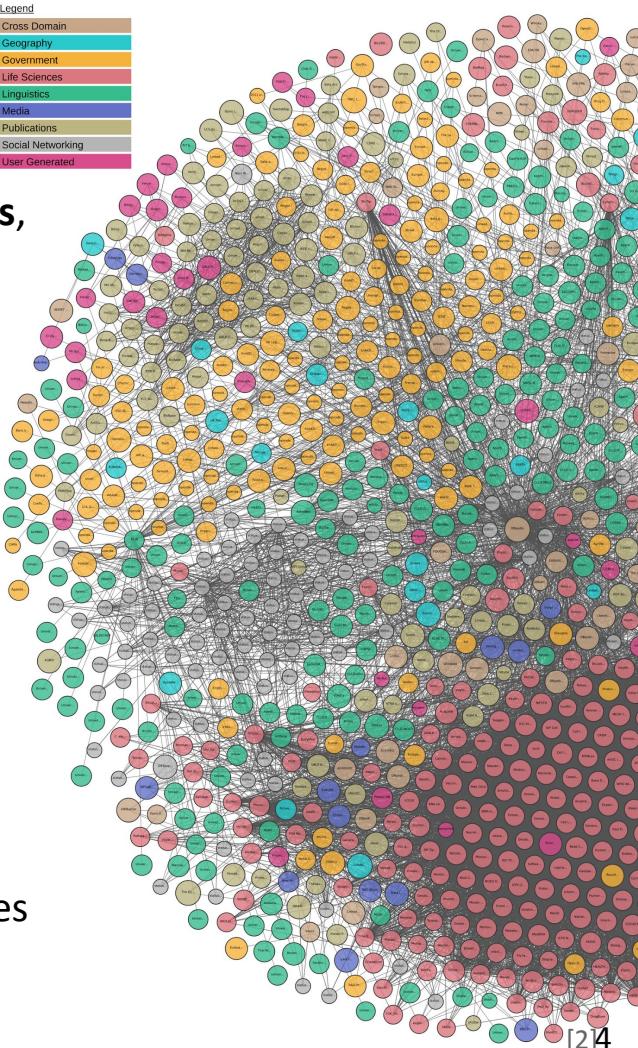
A knowledge graph

1. mainly describes real world entities and their interrelations, organized in a graph,
 2. defines possible classes and relations of entities in a schema,
 3. allows for potentially interrelating arbitrary entities with each other and
 4. covers various topical domains.



Knowledge Graphs

- A **Graph** consisting of **concepts, classes, properties, relationships, and entity descriptions**
- Based on **formal knowledge representations** (RDF(S), OWL)
- Data can be **open** (e.g. DBpedia, Wikidata), **private** (e.g. supply chain data), or **closed** (e.g. product models)
- Data can be **original, derived, or aggregated**
- We distinguish
 - **instance data** (ground truth),
 - **schema data** (vocabularies, ontologies)
 - **metadata** (e.g. provenance, versioning, licensing)
- **Taxonomies** are used to categorize entities
- **Links** exist between internal and external data
- Including **mappings** to data stored in other systems and databases
- *Fully compliant with **FAIR Data principles***



Graphs

A Knowledge Graph is a Knowledge Base that is a **Graph**.

Definition

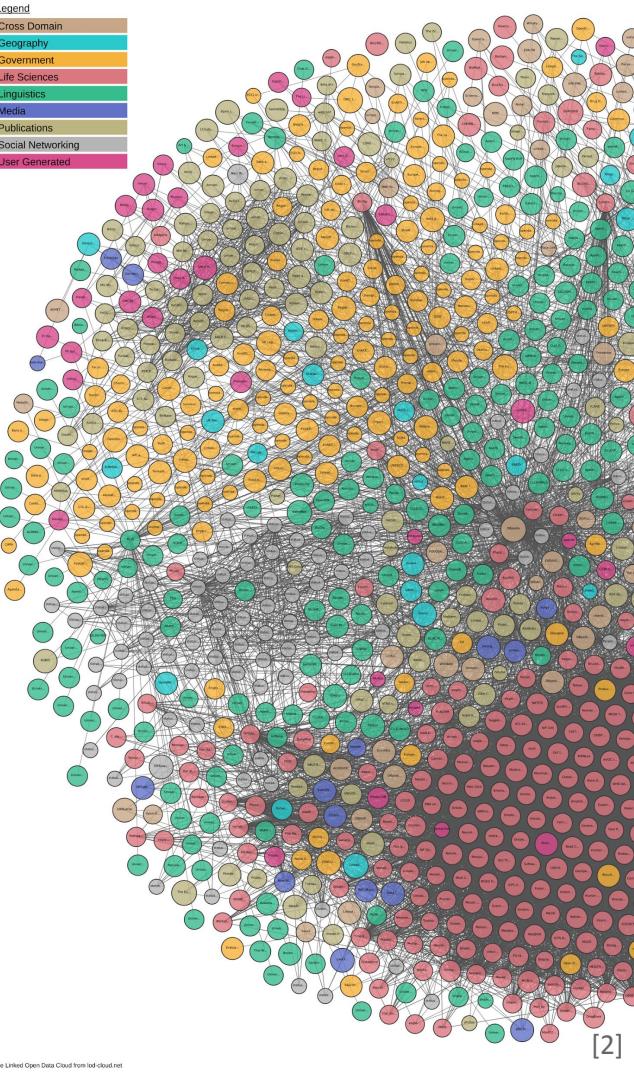
1.1

A **simple directed graph** $G=(V,E)$ consists of a set V of **vertices**, $|V|=n$, and a set E of **directed edges**, $E \subseteq V \times V$, where each edge $e_i=(v_k, v_l)$, $e_i \in E$

is an ordered pair of two vertices (v_k, v_l) with $v_k, v_l \in V$.

Definition 1.2

- A **graph with self-loops** is a graph extended with the option of having edges that relate a vertex to itself.
- A **multi-graph** is a graph that may have multiple edges with the same vertices.
- An **edge-labelled graph** is a graph that has an additional **labelling function** $\lambda : E \rightarrow L$ that maps each edge in E to an element in a set of labels L (similarly for vertex-labelled graphs).



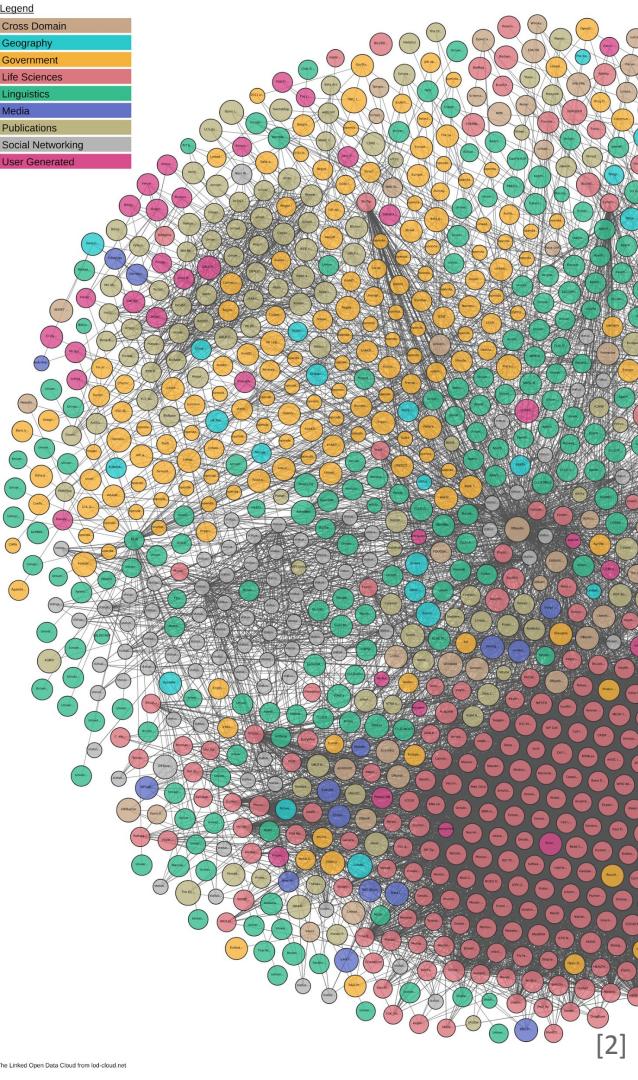
Graphs (contd.)

Definition 1.3

- An edge is said to be **incidental** to the vertices it connects.
- The **degree** of a vertex is the number of edges that are incidental to it.
- In a directed graph, the **in-degree** of a vertex is the number of edges pointing towards it; analogously for **out-degree**.

Definition 1.4

- A **directed path** in a directed graph is a sequence of consecutive edges (e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n) with $e_i = (v_l, v_k)$ and $e_{i+1} = (v_k, v_m)$.
- A directed graph is **strongly connected** if there is a directed path from any vertex to every other vertex.



How Can You Characterize a Knowledge Graph?

"Should I use Knowledge Graph A or Knowledge Graph B to solve my problem?"

- How to compare two Knowledge Graphs?
 - Size
 - Coverage
 - Completeness
 - Level of Detail
 - Accuracy
 - Reliability
 - etc.
- Idea: Structural Comparison by just comparing the Graphs

Graph Centrality Measures

- Network analysis has developed methods for **finding the most important vertices in a graph**.
- **Vertex importance** based on the structure of such graphs is called **centrality**.
- But, what makes a node important?

What makes a Node important?

- Many networks can be considered to describe a **flow** of something (goods, information, etc.)
- A node might be **important**, if
 - a lot flows from it (in a supply chain),
 - to it (in a network of links), or
 - through it (in a communication network)
- Flow might be modelled by (weighted) paths, possibly factoring in their length and/or number
- Paths might be more important if they pass through important nodes
- In knowledge graphs, the importance of edges and nodes may also depend on more complex features (e.g., edge or vertex labels)

What makes a Node important?

Wikidata Example:

- A Wikidata entity (node) might be important, if it is referenced by many Wikipedia pages
- **who is the most important Science Fiction author?**

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SELECT ?authorLabel (SUM(?link) AS ?importance)
WHERE {
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[Link to Query](#)

5208 results in 3356 ms

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| authorLabel | importance |
|--------------------|------------|
| Mark Twain | 236 |
| Voltaire | 234 |
| Edgar Allan Poe | 206 |
| Rudyard Kipling | 176 |
| Bertrand Russell | 176 |
| Arthur Conan Doyle | 174 |
| Jules Verne | 174 |
| Steven Spielberg | 158 |
| H. G. Wells | 157 |

Degree Centrality

- A simple form of centrality restricts to incoming/outgoing paths of length one

Definition 1.5

- The **in-degree centrality** of a directed graph is given by the in-degree of each node.
- The **out-degree centrality** and the **degree centrality** (for undirected graphs) are defined analogously.

- There are more sophisticated forms of centrality, as:
Eigenvector centrality, Katz centrality, PageRank, etc.

More Centrality Measures

- Further Measures to characterize a Knowledge Graph

- Sizes
 - number of nodes
 - number of facts
 - average number of facts per node
- KG diameter

Definition 1.6

- The **eccentricity** of a node is the maximal distance between a certain node and any other node.
- The **diameter** of a graph is the maximum **eccentricity** of a graph, i.e. the greatest distance between any pair of nodes.
- To find the diameter of a graph, first find the **shortest path** between each pair of nodes. The greatest length of any of these paths is the **diameter of the graph**.

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More Centrality Measures

- Further Measures to characterize a Knowledge Graph
 - Sizes
 - number of nodes
 - number of facts
 - average number of facts per node
 - KG diameter
 - KG radius

Definition 1.7

The **radius** of a graph is the minimum eccentricity of a graph, i.e. the shortest of the maximum distances between any pair of nodes.

More Centrality Measures

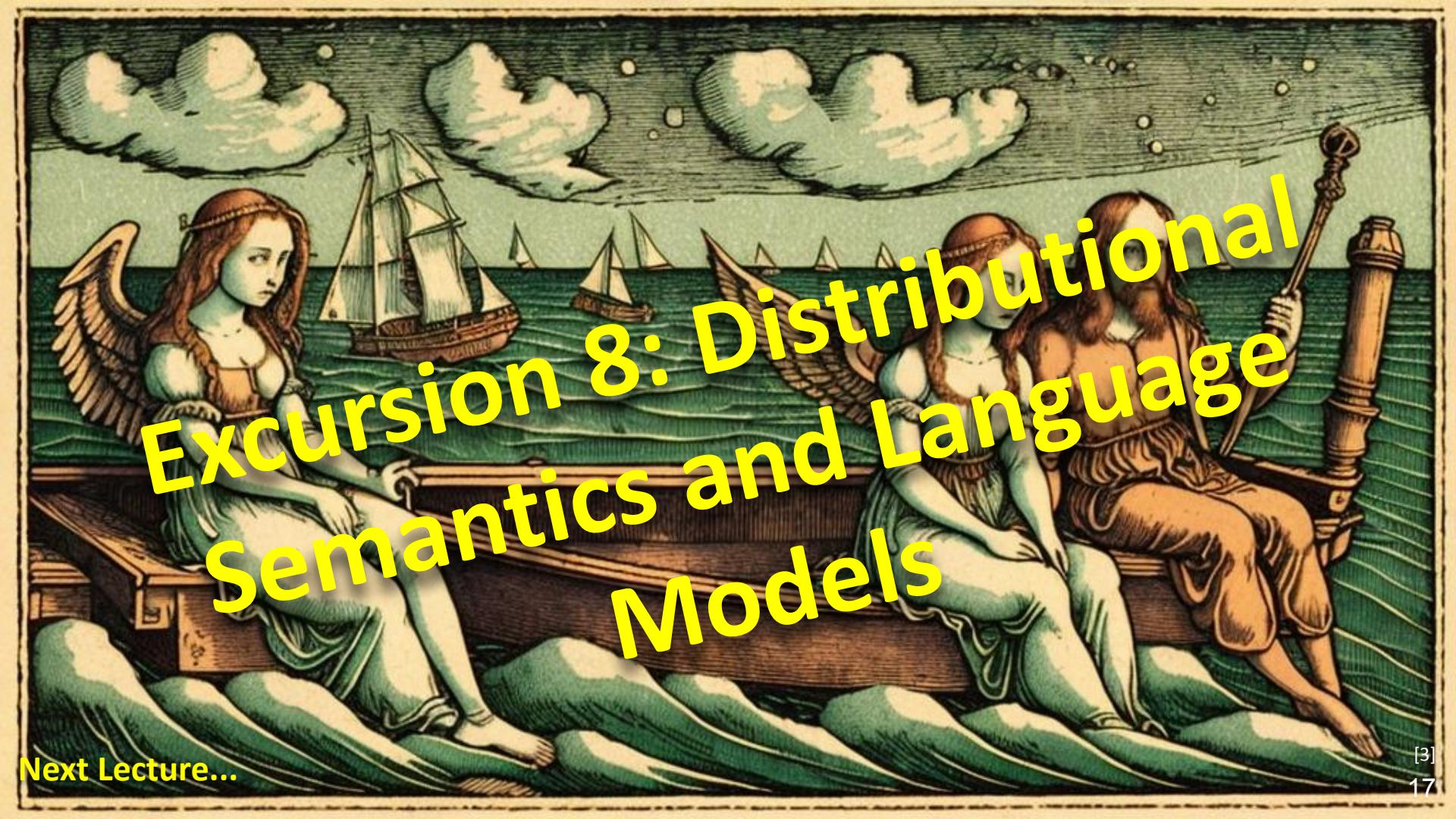
Further (structural) measures to characterize a Knowledge Graph:

- Sizes
 - number of nodes
 - number of facts
 - average number of facts per node
- KG diameter
- KG radius
- average in/out degree
- average path length
- and many more...

Important Nodes in Knowledge Graphs

In **Knowledge Graphs**, the importance of nodes might further depend on:

- the properties (i.e. edge attributes)
- the node labels (i.e. further attributes of nodes)
- specific nodes or edges might be ignored, e.g.
 - Basically for every entity in a (OWL encoded) knowledge graph the following fact holds:
`:entity rdf:type owl:Thing`
 - Therefore, we might ignore this fact if we want to determine the importance of nodes



Excursion 8: Distributional Semantics and Language Models

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