


Neural Graph Matching for Pre-training Graph Neural Networks

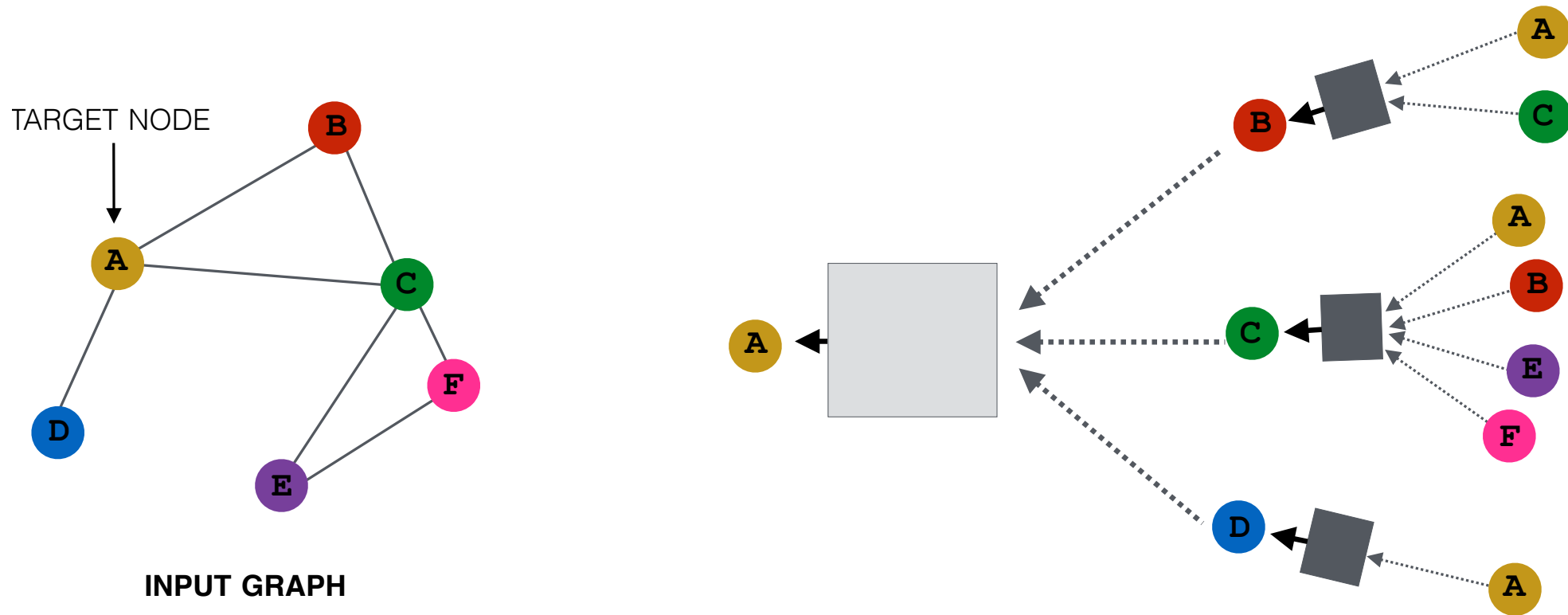
Yupeng Hou¹, Binbin Hu², Wayne Xin Zhao¹,,
Zhiqiang Zhang², Jun Zhou², Ji-Rong Wen¹

1. Gaoling School of Artificial Intelligence, Renmin University of China

2. Ant Group

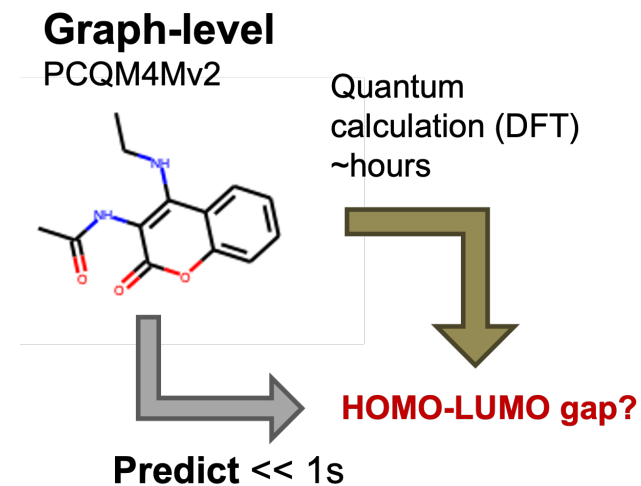
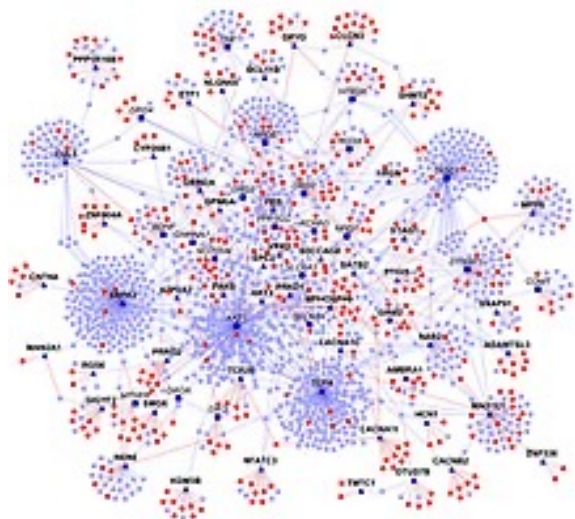
Background – GNN

- Graph Neural Networks (GNNs)

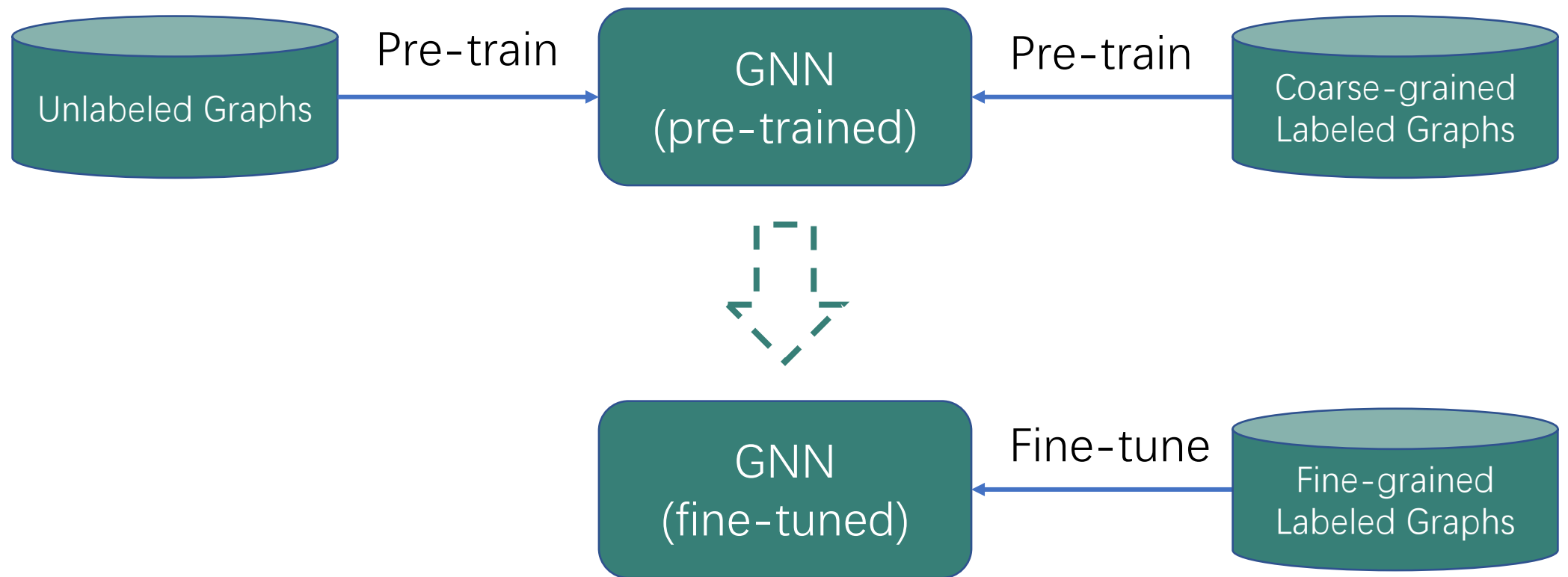


Background – GNN

- **Data** for Graph Neural Networks (GNNs)
 - Requiring abundant task-specific labeled graph data
 - **Sparse** (especially for scientific domains)



GNN Pre-training



Downstream Applications

GNN Pre-training



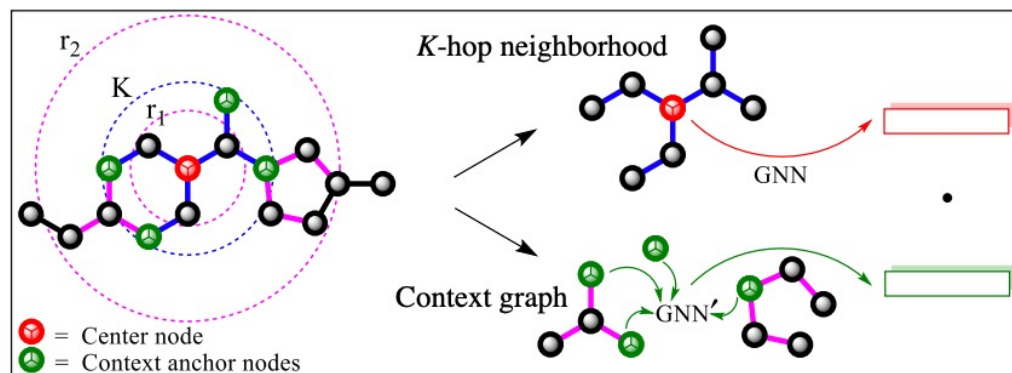
GNN pre-training strategies

- (1) node-level tasks
- (2) graph-level tasks

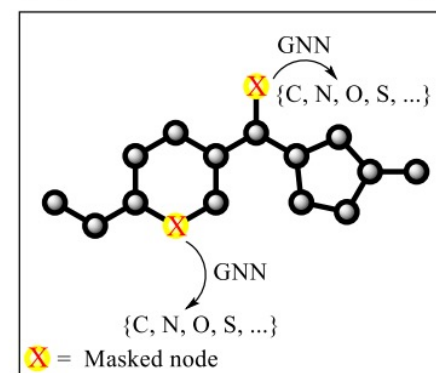
Node-level tasks

GNN Pre-training

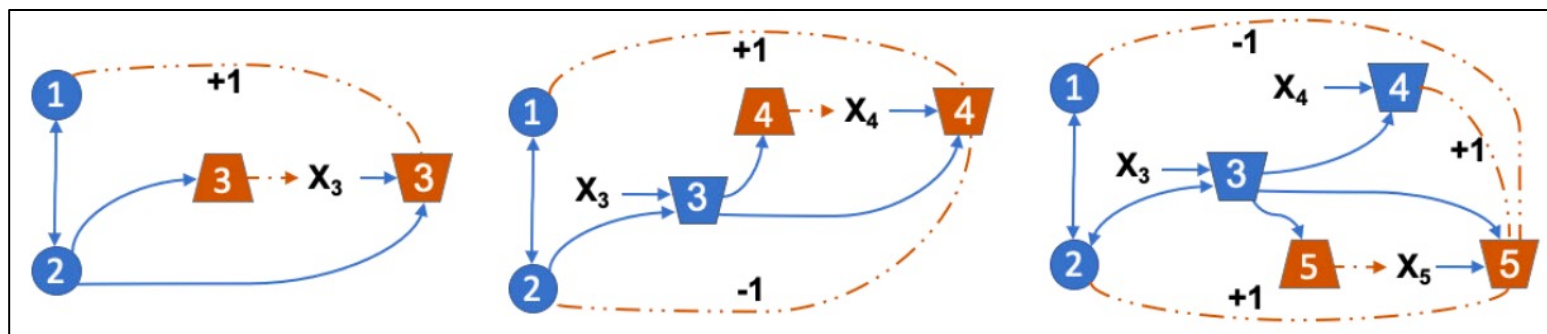
(a) Context Prediction



(b) Attribute Masking

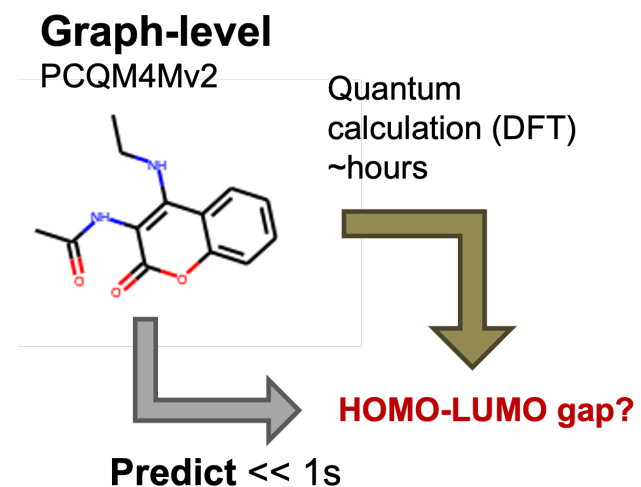
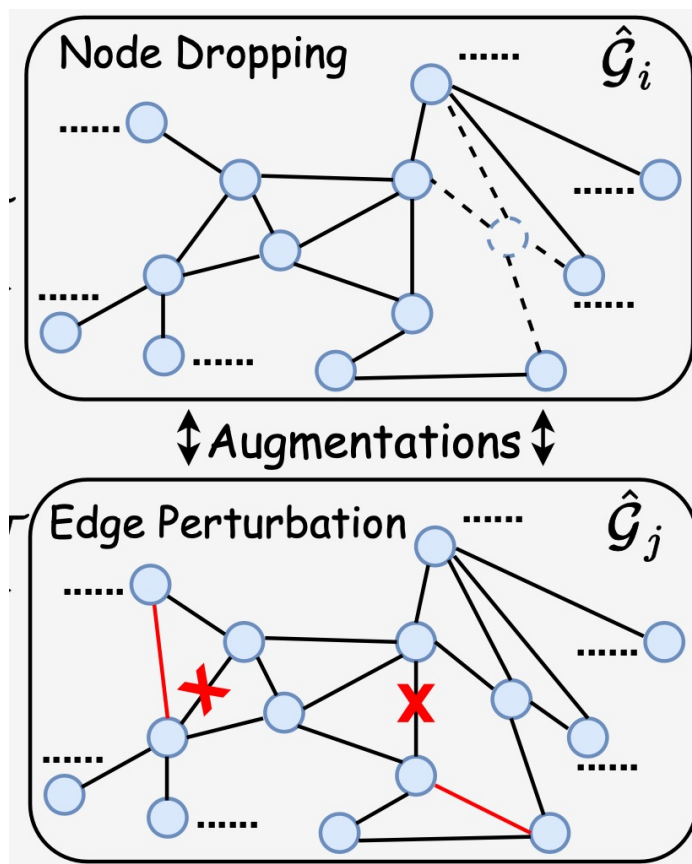


(c) graph structure reconstruction



Graph-level tasks

GNN Pre-training

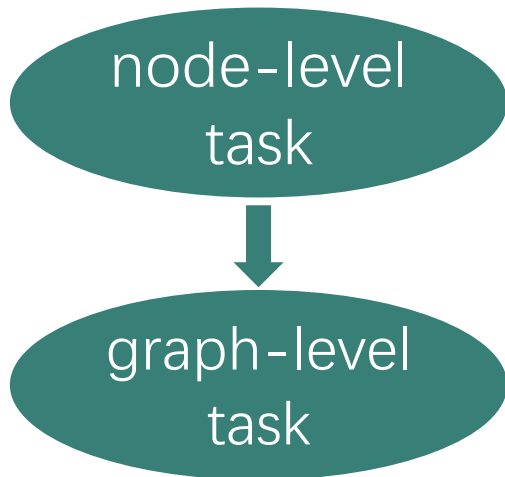


Yuning You et al. Graph Contrastive Learning with Augmentations. NeurIPS 2020.

Weihua Hu et al. OGB-LSC: A Large-Scale Challenge for Machine Learning on Graphs. NeurIPS 2021.

Challenge

- **Combining** both node- and graph-level optimization goals
 - essential for GNN pre-training



(a) two-stage



$$\mathcal{L} = \ell_n + \ell_g$$

(b) multi-task

- Each individual task is **not** aware of all the **optimization goals** at **different levels**

Challenge

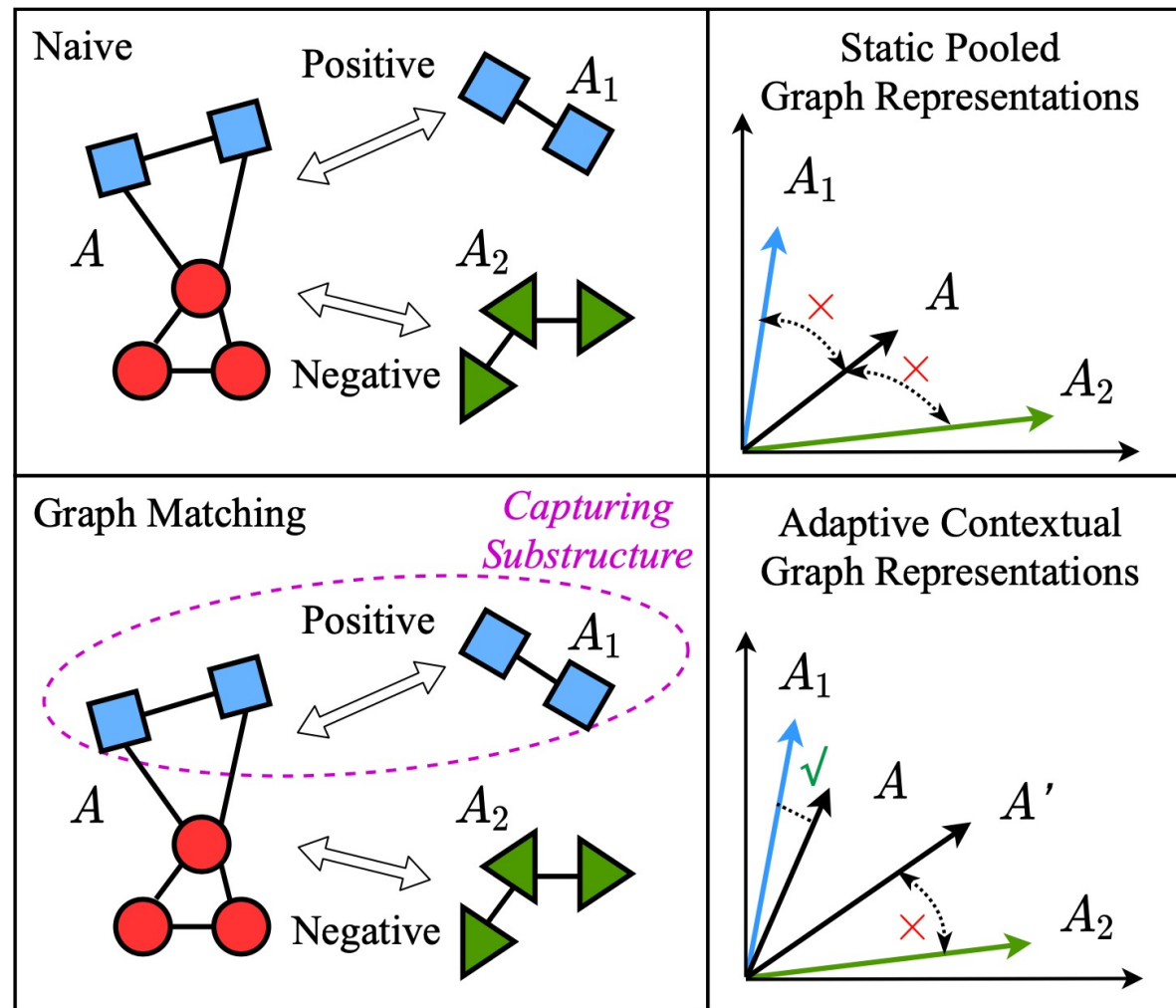
- **Combining** both node- and graph-level optimization goals
 - essential for GNN pre-training

(c) one single task? 🤔

- Can we have one single GNN pre-training task,
- capturing **node-** and **graph-level** characteristics **simultaneously**

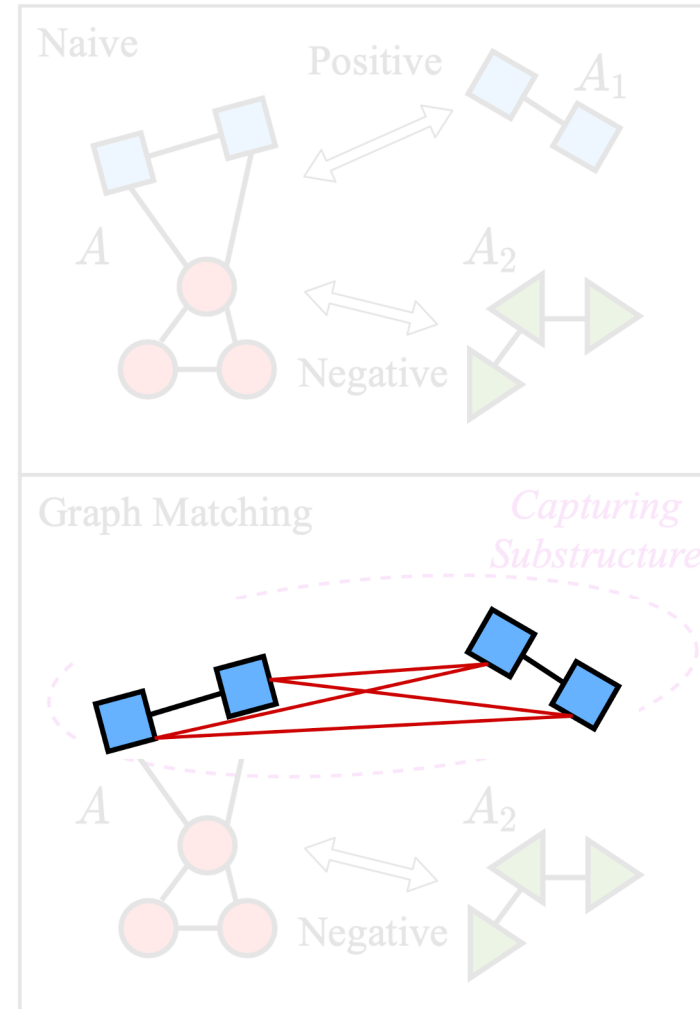
Idea

- Neural Graph Matching Task



Idea

- Neural Graph Matching Task
 - Node-level correspondence
(structural matching)

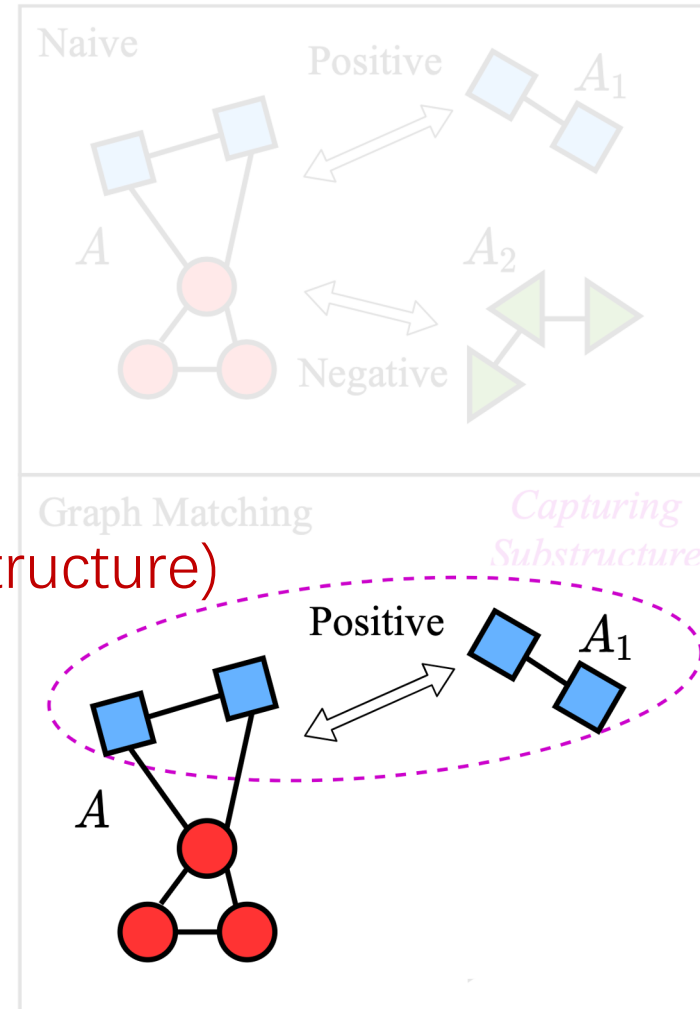


Idea

- Neural Graph Matching Task

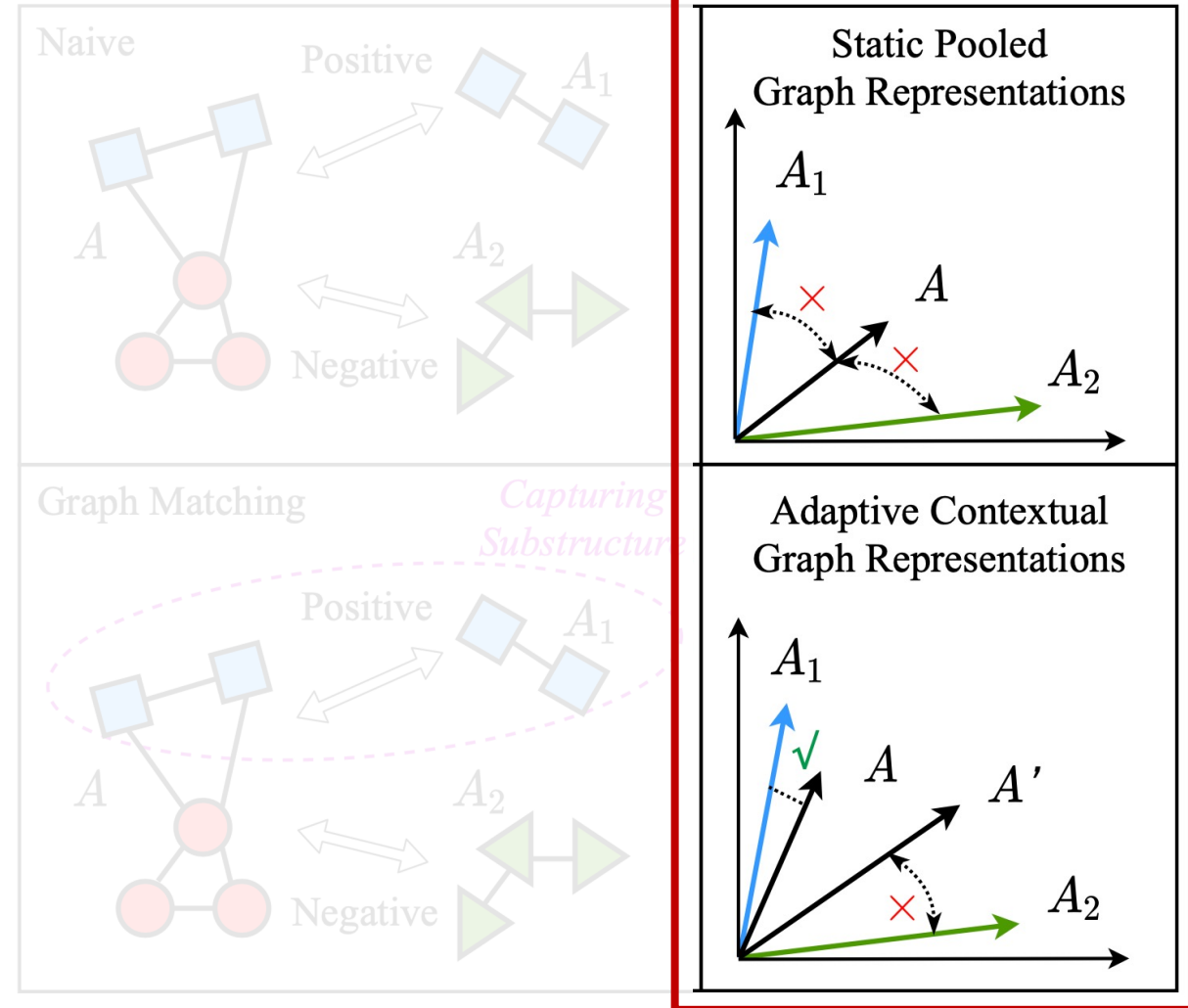
- Node-level correspondence
(structural matching)

- Graph-level properties
(whether containing shared substructure)



Idea

- Neural Graph Matching Task
 - Adaptive graph representations
(while pre-training)



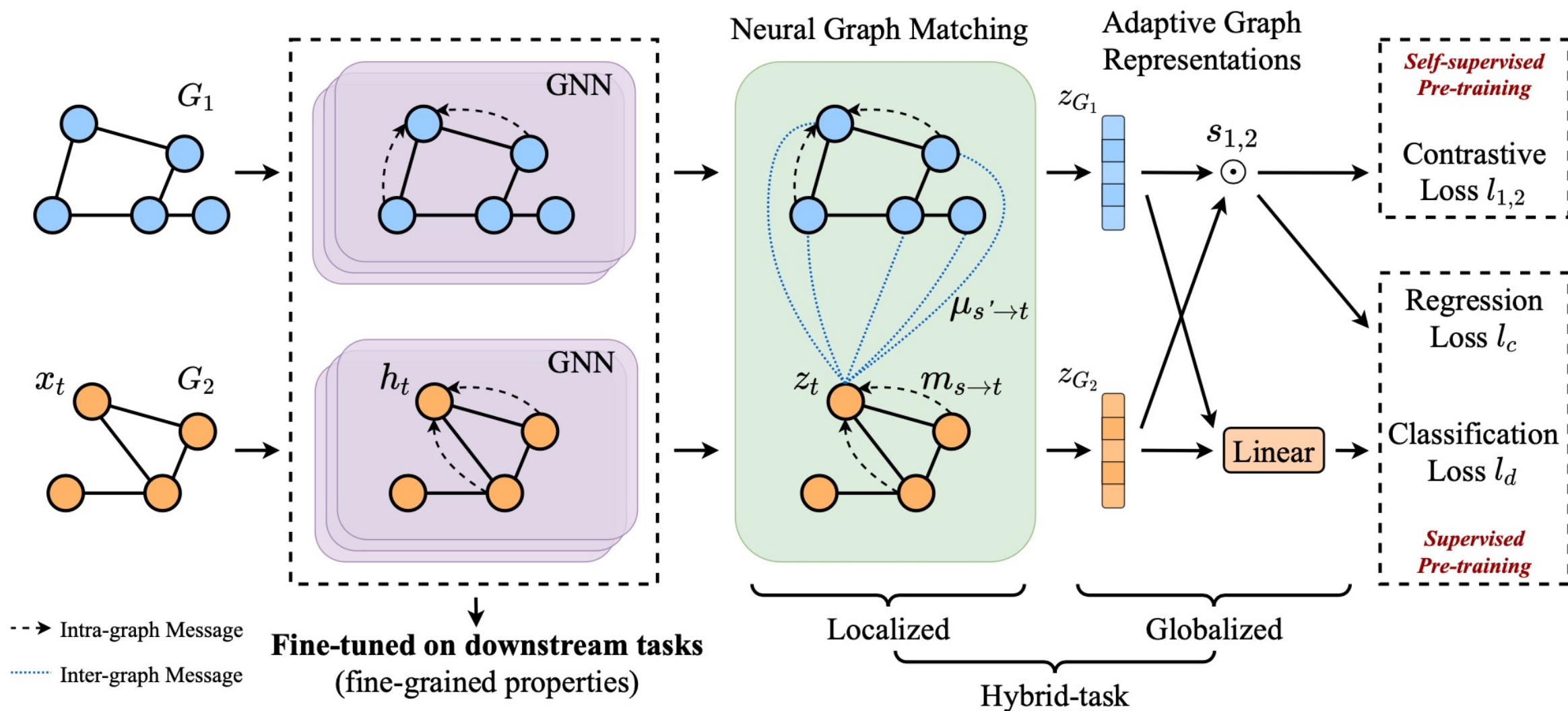
Methodology, GMPT



Graph Matching based GNN Pre-Training, GMPT

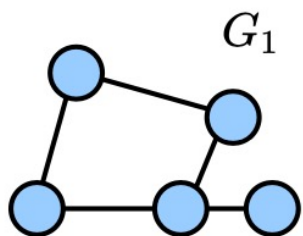
Self-supervised Pre-training

GMPT-CL



Self-supervised Pre-training

GMPT-CL

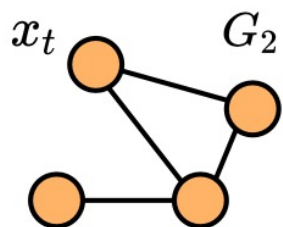


Graph Augmentation

Node/edge perturbation

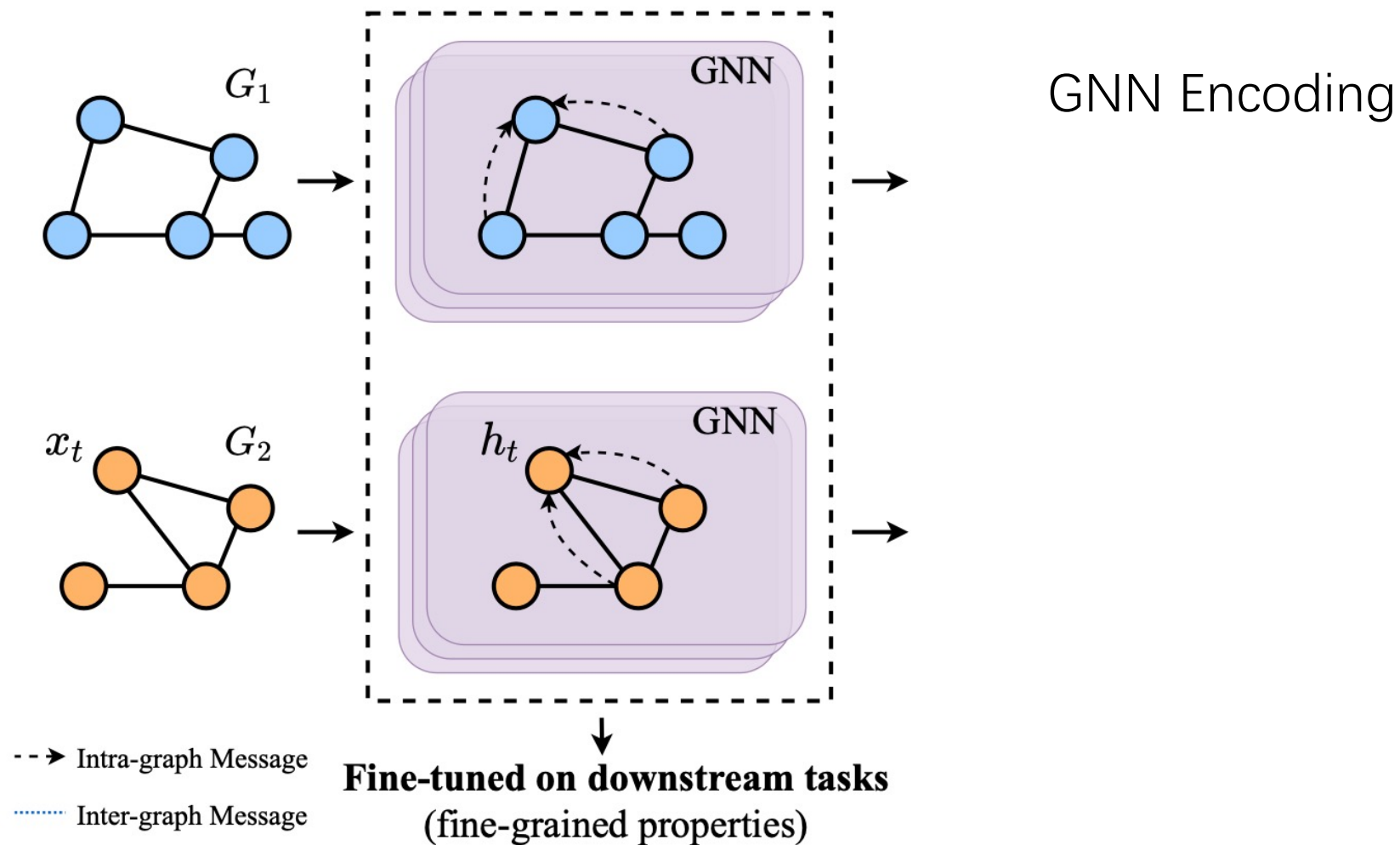
Subgraph sampling

... ..



Self-supervised Pre-training

GMPT-CL



Self-supervised Pre-training

GMPT-CL

Graph Matching Module

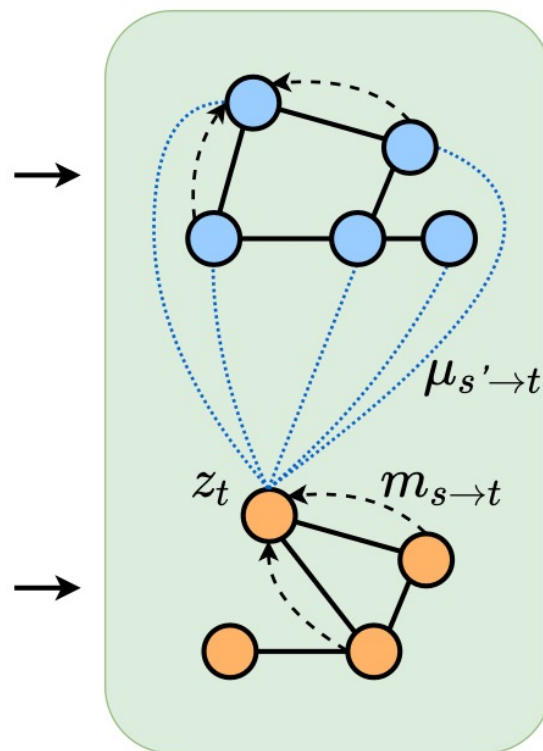
$$\mathbf{m}_{s \rightarrow t} = \text{MSG}_{\text{intra}} \left(\mathbf{h}_s^{(1)}, \mathbf{h}_t^{(1)}, \mathbf{e}_{st} \right),$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}_{s' \rightarrow t'} = \text{MSG}_{\text{inter}} \left(\mathbf{h}_{s'}^{(1)}, \mathbf{h}_{t'}^{(2)} \right),$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}_{s' \rightarrow t'} = a_{s' \rightarrow t'} \cdot \mathbf{h}_{s'}^{(1)},$$

$$a_{s' \rightarrow t'} = \frac{\exp(\text{sim}(\mathbf{h}_{s'}^{(1)}, \mathbf{h}_{t'}^{(2)}))}{\sum_{k \in \tilde{G}_2} \exp(\text{sim}(\mathbf{h}_{s'}^{(1)}, \mathbf{h}_k^{(2)}))}$$

Neural Graph Matching



Self-supervised Pre-training

GMPT-CL

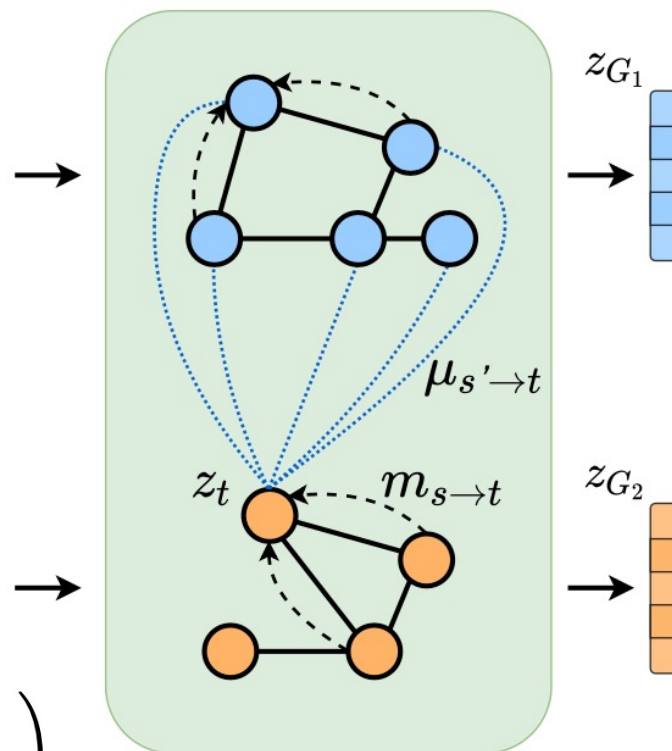
Adaptive Graph Representations

$$\mathbf{m}_{s \rightarrow t} = \text{MSG}_{\text{intra}} \left(\mathbf{h}_s^{(1)}, \mathbf{h}_t^{(1)}, \mathbf{e}_{st} \right),$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}_{s' \rightarrow t'} = \text{MSG}_{\text{inter}} \left(\mathbf{h}_{s'}^{(1)}, \mathbf{h}_{t'}^{(2)} \right),$$

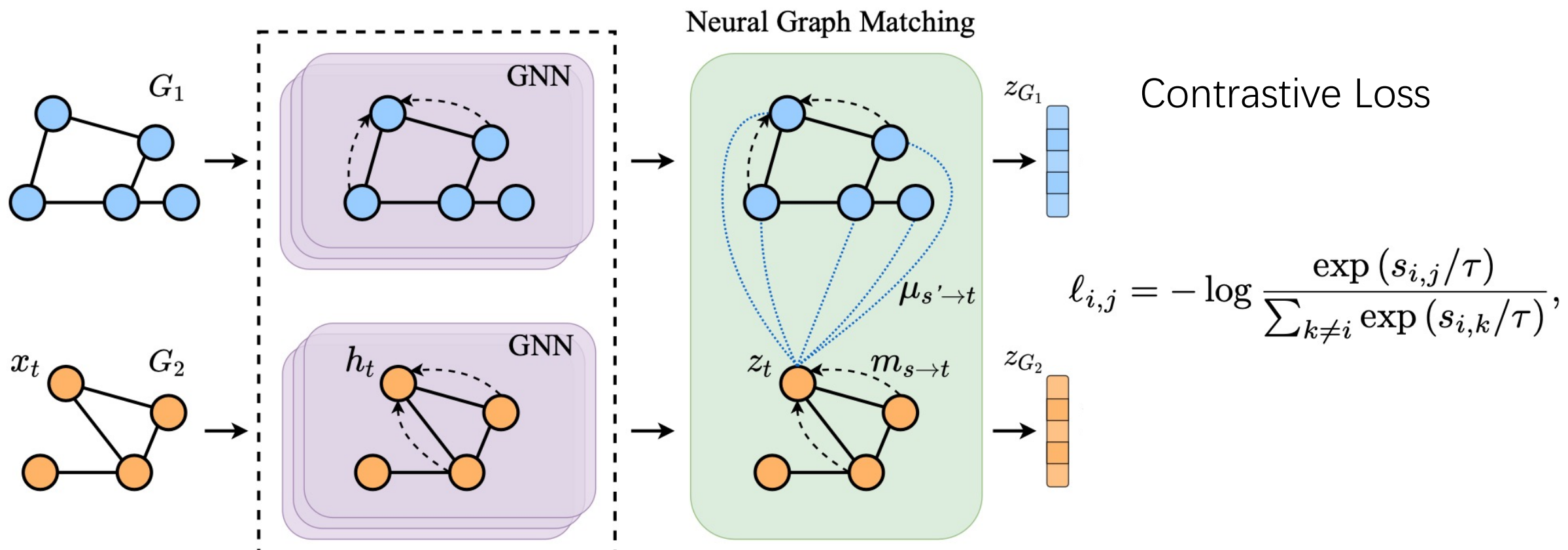
$$\mathbf{z}_t = \text{Update} \left(\mathbf{h}_t, \sum_{s \in \mathcal{N}_{\text{intra}}} \mathbf{m}_{s \rightarrow t}, \sum_{s' \in \mathcal{N}_{\text{inter}}} \boldsymbol{\mu}_{s' \rightarrow t} \right),$$

Neural Graph Matching



Self-supervised Pre-training

GMPT-CL



Approximate Contrastive Training

GMPT-CL

Graph Matching

- > node-node similarity calculation
- > high computation cost

- > additional $O(m^2 \cdot d)$, where $m = \sum_{i=1}^{2n} |\mathcal{V}_i|$
quadratic time and space cost

Approximate Contrastive Training

GMPT-CL

Sampling!

Comparison from $2n \times 2n$ to $q \times 2n$

Additional Cost	Naive	Approximate Contrastive Training
Time	$O(m^2 \cdot d)$	$O(\frac{q}{2n} \cdot m^2 \cdot d)$

Approximate Contrastive Training

GMPT-CL

Gradients Accumulation

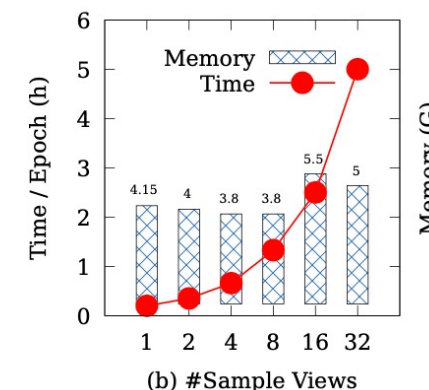
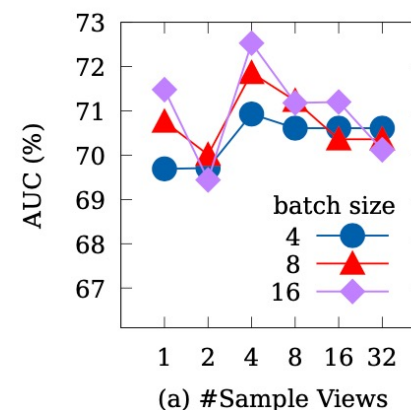
Additional Cost	Naive	Approximate Contrastive Training
Time	$O(m^2 \cdot d)$	$O(\frac{q}{2n} \cdot m^2 \cdot d)$
Space	$O(m^2 \cdot d)$	$O(\frac{1}{2n} \cdot m^2 \cdot d)$

Approximate Contrastive Training

GMPT-CL

Both **theoretically** and **empirically** verified

LEMMA 3.2. *Optimizing Eqn. (3.5) with approximate contrastive training algorithm has the same optimization lower bound as originally in expectation.*



Additional Cost	Naive	Approximate Contrastive Training
Time	$O(m^2 \cdot d)$	$O(\frac{q}{2n} \cdot m^2 \cdot d)$
Space	$O(m^2 \cdot d)$	$O(\frac{1}{2n} \cdot m^2 \cdot d)$

Supervised Pre-training

GMPT-Sup

Supervised pre-training with **coarse-grained** labeled graphs

Jointly predict graph properties

Supervised Pre-training

GMPT-Sup

Continuous labels as **real-value vectors**

$$s_p = \text{sim}(\mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2), s_g = \text{sim}(\mathbf{z}_{G_1}, \mathbf{z}_{G_2}),$$

Similar graphs \sim similar labels

$$\ell_c = \text{MSE}(s_p, s_g)$$

Supervised Pre-training

GMPT-Sup++

Discrete labels

$$\ell_d = \sum_{k=1,2} \text{BCE}(\mathbf{y}_k, \mathbf{W}_k \cdot \mathbf{z}_{G_k} + \mathbf{b}_k),$$

Experiments

Benchmark datasets

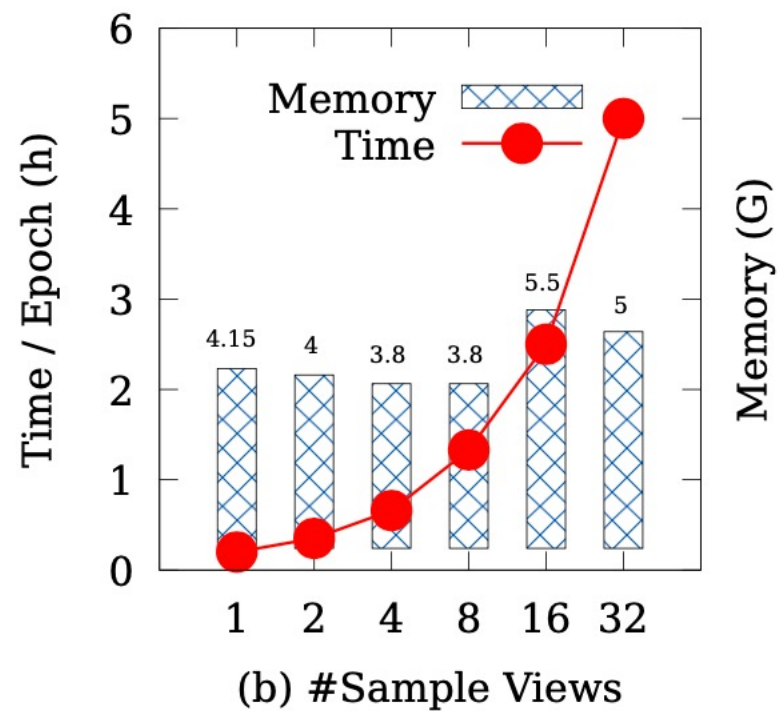
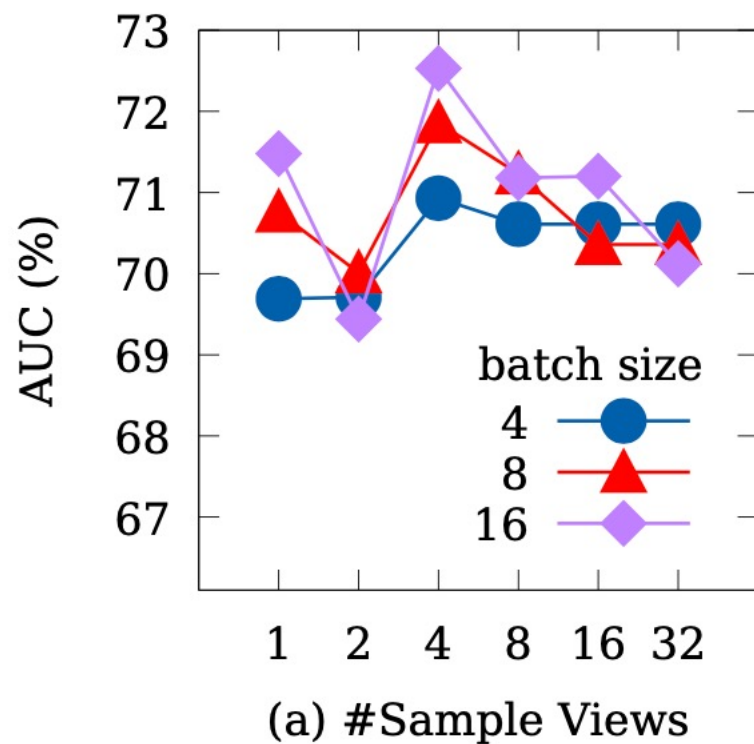
Dataset	Bio	Chem
#(sub)graphs for self-supervised PT	307K	2,000K
#(sub)graphs for supervised PT/FT	88K	456K
#Coarse-grained labels for PT	5,000	1,310
#Downstream FT tasks	40	678*

Experiments

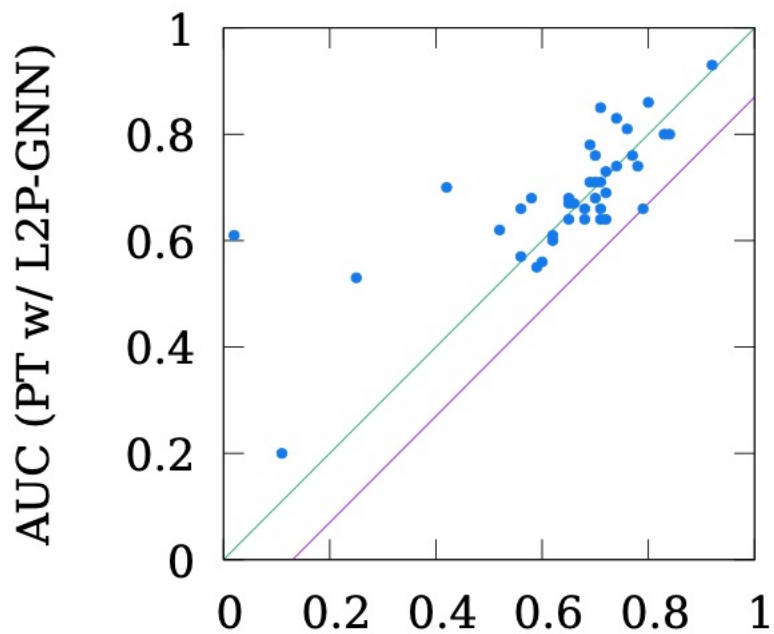
Pre-training methods	GCN	GraphSAGE	Bio GAT	GIN	Average	Chem
w/o pre-training	63.20 ± 1.00	65.70 ± 1.20	68.20 ± 1.10	64.80 ± 1.00	65.48	67.0
Infomax	62.83 ± 1.22	67.21 ± 1.84	66.94 ± 2.61	64.10 ± 1.50	65.27	70.3
EdgePred	63.18 ± 1.12	66.05 ± 0.78	65.72 ± 1.17	65.70 ± 1.30	65.16	70.3
ContextPred	62.81 ± 1.87	66.47 ± 1.27	67.86 ± 1.19	65.20 ± 1.60	65.59	71.1
AttrMasking	62.40 ± 1.35	63.32 ± 1.01	61.72 ± 2.70	64.40 ± 1.30	62.96	70.9
GraphCL	67.05 ± 1.16	71.53 ± 0.46	65.68 ± 3.98	67.88 ± 0.85	68.04	70.8
L2P-GNN	66.48 ± 1.59	69.89 ± 1.63	69.15 ± 1.86	70.13 ± 0.95	68.91	70.4
GMPT-CL	70.65 ± 0.53	70.29 ± 0.21	71.07 ± 0.14	72.53 ± 0.42	71.13	71.5

Pre-training methods	Bio	Chem
w/o pre-training	64.8 ± 1.0	67.0
PropPred	69.0 ± 2.4	70.0
GMPT-Sup	70.84 \pm 0.59	–
GMPT-Sup ₊₊	70.73 ± 0.42	70.4

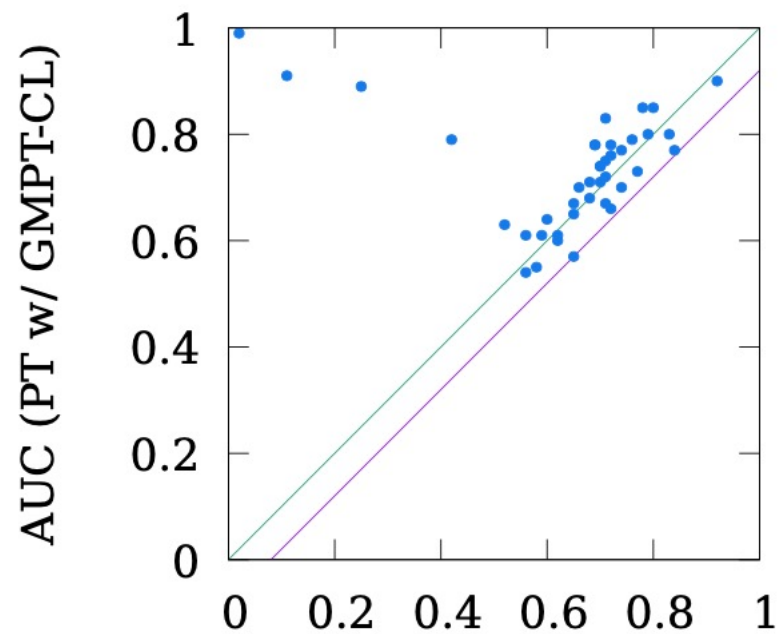
Experiments



Experiments



(a) AUC (w/o PT)



(b) AUC (w/o PT)

Conclusion & QA

Yupeng Hou
hoyupeng@ruc.edu.cn



- GMPT: Graph Matching tasks for pre-training GNNs
 - Node- and graph-level characteristics **in one single task**;
 - **Adaptive** graph representations;
 - 🌟 <https://github.com/RUCAIBox/GMPT> for code & pre-trained models

