

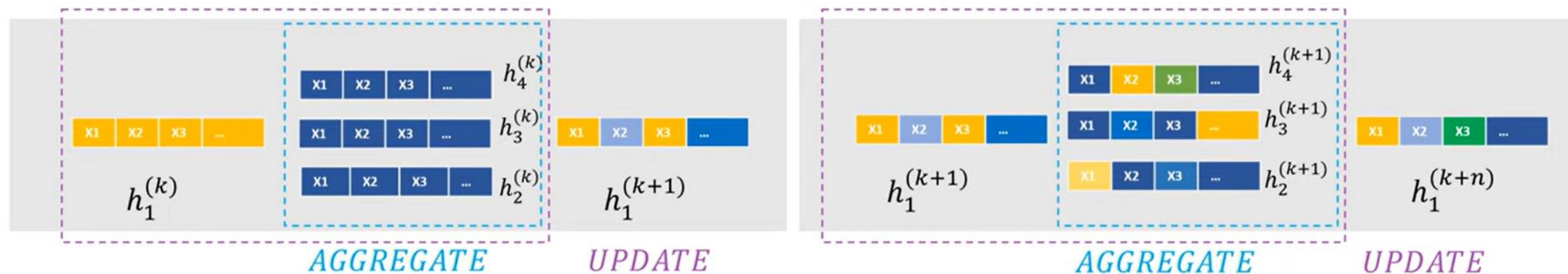
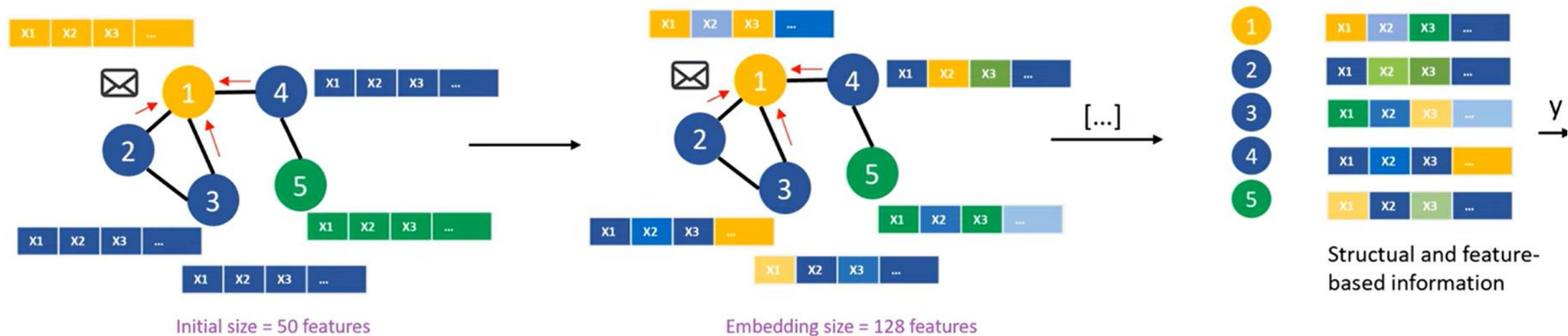
GNN

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Link: [Understanding Graph Attention Networks - YouTube](#)

What is happening in the Message Passing Layers?



Message Passing Update and Aggregation Functions

Differentiable functions

$$h_u^{(k+1)} = \text{UPDATE}^{(k)} \left(h_u^{(k)}, \text{AGGREGATE}^{(k)}(\{h_v^{(k)}, \forall v \in \mathcal{N}(u)\}) \right)$$

- Mean
- Max
- Neural Network
- Recurrent NN

- Mean
- Max
- Normalized Sum
- Neural Network



GNN variants

GNN variants

AGGREGATE
(permutation invariant)



UPDATE



Graph Convolutional Networks,
Kipf and Welling [2016]

$$\mathbf{h}_v^{(k)} = \sigma \left(\overset{\text{Self-loop}}{\mathbf{W}^{(k)}} \sum_{v \in \mathcal{N}(u) \cup \{u\}} \frac{\mathbf{h}_v}{\sqrt{|\mathcal{N}(u)| |\mathcal{N}(v)|}} \right) \quad \text{Sum of normalized neighbor embeddings}$$

Multi-Layer-Perceptron as
Aggregator, Zaheer et al. [2017]

Aggregated message

$$\mathbf{m}_{\mathcal{N}(u)} = \underset{\text{trainable!}}{\text{MLP}_{\theta}} \left(\sum_{v \in \mathcal{N}(u)} \text{MLP}_{\phi}(\mathbf{h}_v) \right) \quad \text{Send states through a MLP}$$

Graph Attention Networks,
Veličković et al. [2017]

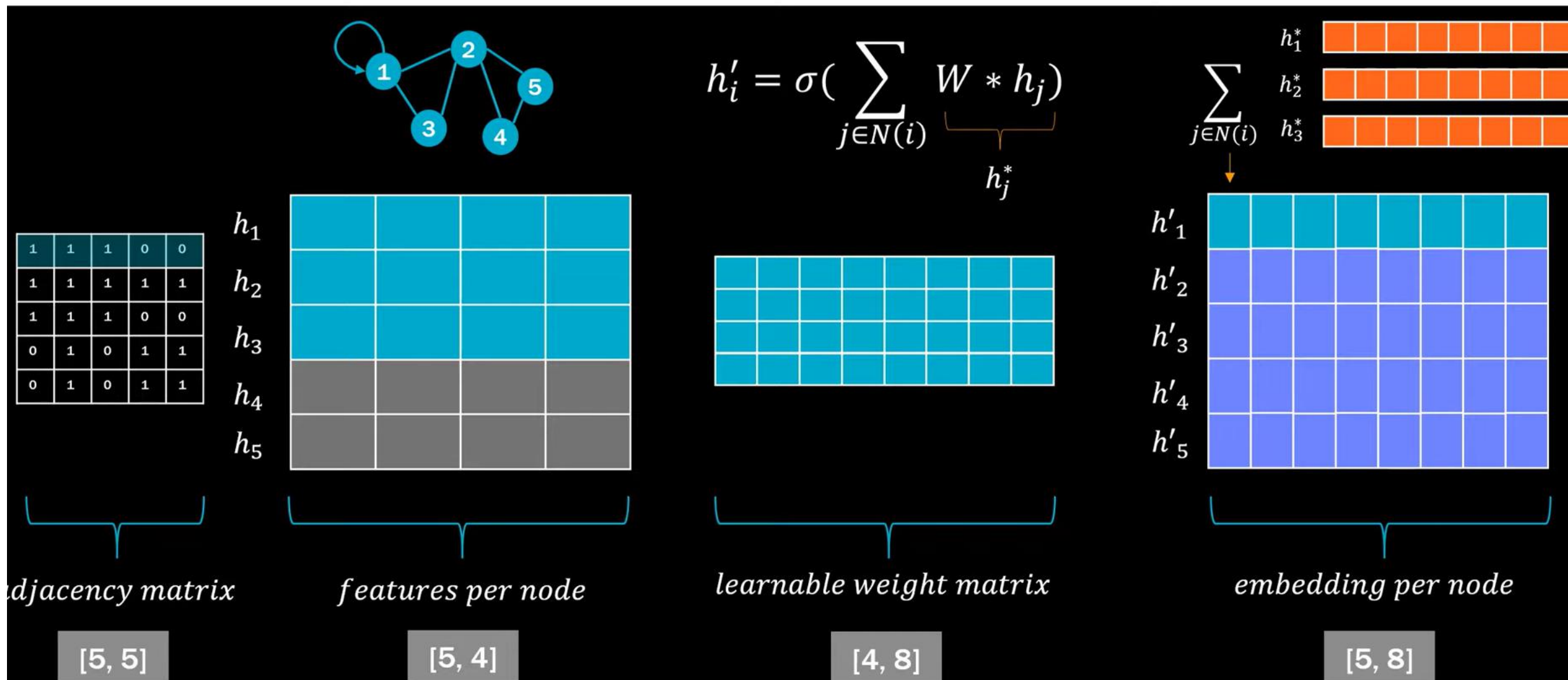
$$\mathbf{m}_{\mathcal{N}(u)} = \sum_{v \in \mathcal{N}(u)} \alpha_{u,v} \mathbf{h}_v \quad \alpha_{u,v} = \frac{\exp(\mathbf{a}^{\top} [\mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_u \oplus \mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_v])}{\sum_{v' \in \mathcal{N}(u)} \exp(\mathbf{a}^{\top} [\mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_u \oplus \mathbf{W}\mathbf{h}_{v'}])}$$

Attention weights

Gated Graph Neural Networks,
Li et al. [2015]

$$\mathbf{h}_u^{(k)} = \text{GRU}(\mathbf{h}_u^{(k-1)}, \mathbf{m}_{\mathcal{N}(u)}^{(k)}) \quad \text{Recurrent update of the state}$$

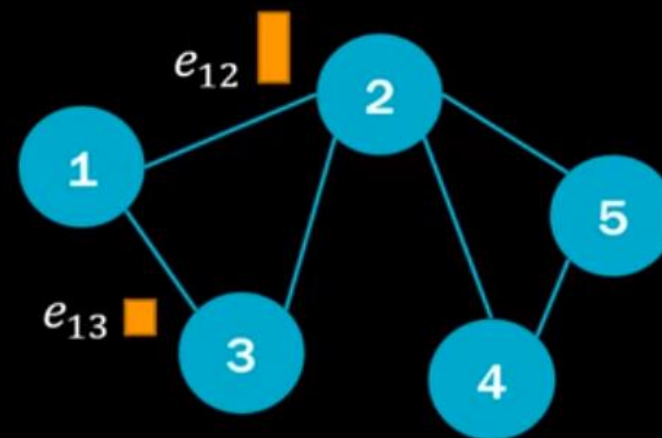
Graph Neural Networks



Self attention

$$e_{ij} = a(Wh_i, Wh_j)$$

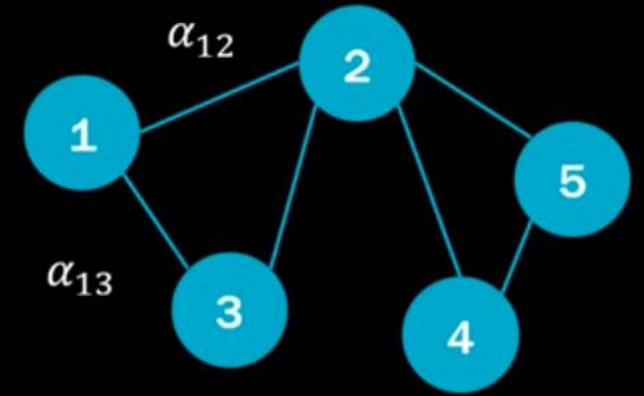
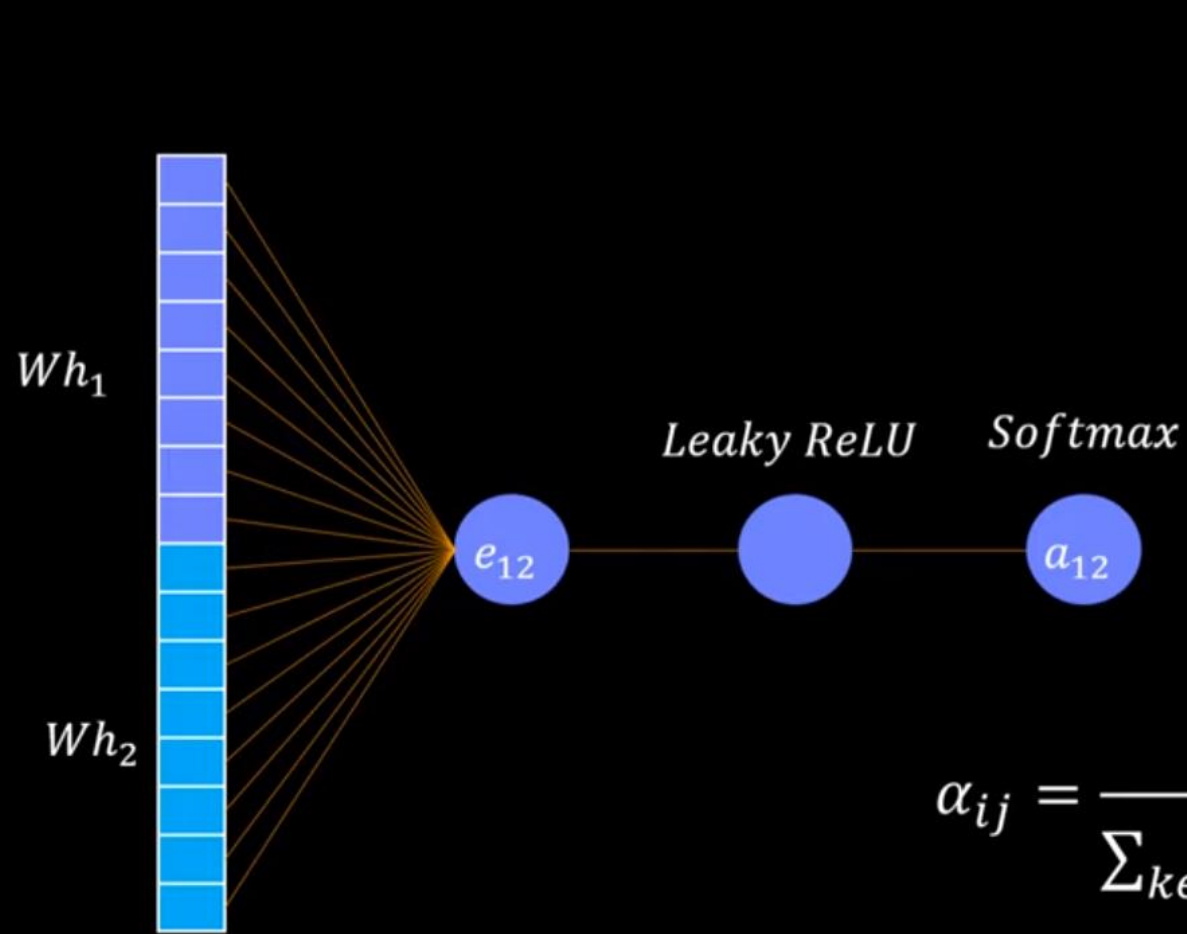
attention coefficient



$$\alpha_{ij} = \text{softmax}_j(e_{ij}) = \frac{\exp(e_{ij})}{\sum_{k \in N(i)} \exp(e_{ik})} = \frac{\exp(a(Wh_i, Wh_j))}{\sum_{k \in N(i)} \exp(a(Wh_i, Wh_j))}$$

normalized attention coefficient

The self attention mechanism



$$\alpha_{ij} = \frac{\exp(\text{LeakyReLU}(\overrightarrow{w_a^T} [Wh_i || Wh_j]))}{\sum_{k \in N(i)} \exp(\text{LeakyReLU}(\overrightarrow{w_a^T} [Wh_i || Wh_j]))}$$

Overview of Graph attention Neural Network

