# Bipartite Edge Prediction via Transductive Learning over Product Graphs

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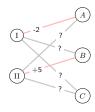
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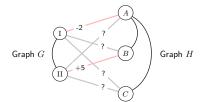
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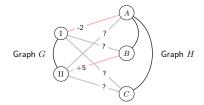
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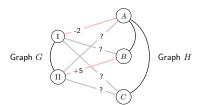
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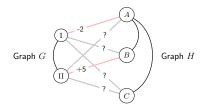


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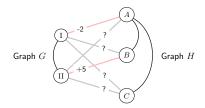
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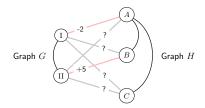
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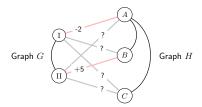
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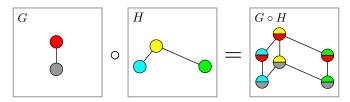


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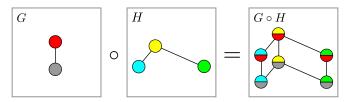
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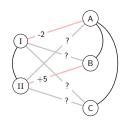


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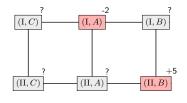
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# Vertex Prediction (Equivalent Problem)

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To compute the adjacency matrices of PG

$$\bullet \ G \circ_{Tensor} H = \underbrace{G \otimes H}_{}$$

Kronecker (a.k.a. Tensor) Product

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Commutative Property:  $G \circ H$  and  $H \circ G$  are isomorphic. Bipartite Edge Prediction via Transductive Learning over Product Graphs

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- $f_i$  system-predicted value for vertex i in A
- $\ell(f)$  quantifies the gap between f and partially observed labels.
- $\lambda f^{\top} A^{-1} f$  quantifies the smoothness over graph
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All can be viewed as to transform the spectrum of  $A := \sum_i \theta_i u_i u_i^{\mathsf{T}}$ 

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Movielens-100K	Users	Movies	
Cora	Publications	Publications	
Courses	Courses	Prerequisite Courses	

#### **Baselines**

MC Matrix Completion.

■ Ignores the info of *G* and *H*.

TK Tensor Kernel.

■ Implicitly construct PG, no transduction

GRMC Graph Regularized Matrix Completion.

■ Transduction over G and H, no PG constructed

### Results

### Performance of several interesting combinations of $\circ$ and $\kappa$

Dataset	Graph Transduction	Graph Product	MAP	AUC	ndcg@3
Courses	Random Walk	Tensor	0.488	0.827	0.461
	Diffusion	Cartesian	0.518	0.872	0.500
	von-Neumann	Tensor	0.472	0.861	0.449
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	Sigmoid	Cartesian	0.443	0.617	0.431
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MovieLens	Random Walk	Tensor	-	-	0.7695
	Diffusion	Cartesian	-	-	0.7702
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	von-Neumann	Cartesian	-	-	0.7624
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# Proposed method (Diff + Cartesian GP) v.s. Baselines

Dataset	Method	MAP	AUC	ndcg@3	
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Courses	GRMC	0.366	0.777	0.343	
	TK	0.449	0.810	0.446	
	Proposed	0.490	0.838	0.473	
Cora	МС	0.101	0.697	0.086	
	GRMC	0.115	0.702	0.101	
	TK	0.248	0.872	0.231	
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### On-going Work

- Extend to k Graphs (k > 2)
  - lacksquare Bipartite Graph o k-partite Graph
  - $\blacksquare \ \mathsf{Edge} \to \mathsf{Hyperedge}$
- Determine the "optimal" graph product for any given problem.

# Thanks!

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