# TP DI Graph Letter Classification Student-Correction

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# 1 A Simple Graph Neural Network from Scratch

#### 2 Goals:

- 1. An illustration of GCN for graph classification
- 2. A toy application to Letter classification
- 3. A lecture on Structured Machine Learning

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## 4 Acknowledgement

1. Datasets and functions to read data are taken from http://gmprdia.univ-lr.fr/

### 4.1 Install requirements

- Network
- Pytorch

#### 5 The lecture

The content of the is notebook is based on the following lectures : Supervised Machine Learning for structured input/output: Polytech, Tours

- 1. Introduction to supervised Machine Learning: A probabilistic introduction PDF
- 2. Connecting local models: The case of chains PDF slides
- 3. Connecting local models: Beyond chains and trees.PDF slides
- 4. Machine Learning and Graphs: Introduction and problems PDF slides
- 5. Graph Neural Networks. PDF slides
- 6. Graph Kernels. PDF slides

#### 5.1 Download Data

#### 5.1.1 Letter Database

Graphs that represent distorted letter drawings. They consider the 15 capital letters of the Roman alphabet that consist of straight lines only (A, E, F, H, I, K, L, M, N, T, V, W, X, Y, Z). Each node is labeled with a two-dimensional attribute giving its position relative to a reference coordinate system. Edges are unlabeled. The graph database consists of a training set, a validation set, and a test set of size 750 each. Also, three levels of distortions are provided.

This dataset is part of IAM Graph Database Repository and it is also linked in the IAPR TC15 resources.

It can be considered as a **TOY EXAMPLE** for graph classification.

Riesen, K. and Bunke, H.: IAM Graph Database Repository for Graph Based Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning. In: da Vitora Lobo, N. et al. (Eds.), SSPR&SPR 2008, LNCS, vol. 5342, pp. 287-297, 2008.

## 5.2 Prepare data reader

IAM graphs are provided as a GXL file:

```
<gxl>
  <graph id="GRAPH_ID" edgeids="false" edgemode="undirected">
    <node id="_0">
      <attr name="x">
        <float>0.812867</float>
      </attr>
      <attr name="y">
        <float>0.630453</float>
      </attr>
    </node>
    <node id="_N">
    </node>
    <edge from="_0" to="_1"/>
    <edge from="_M" to="_N"/>
  </graph>
</gxl>
```

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In [3]: import numpy as np
        import xml.etree.ElementTree as ET
        import networkx as nx
        import torch
        def read letters(file):
          """Parse GXL file and returns a networkx graph
          tree_gxl = ET.parse(file)
          root_gxl = tree_gxl.getroot()
          node_label = {}
          node_id = []
          # Parse nodes
          for i, node in enumerate(root_gxl.iter('node')):
            node_id += [node.get('id')]
            for attr in node.iter('attr'):
              if (attr.get('name') == 'x'):
                x = float(attr.find('float').text)
              elif (attr.get('name') == 'y'):
                y = float(attr.find('float').text)
            node_label[i] = [x, y]
          node_id = np.array(node_id)
          # Create adjacency matrix
          am = np.zeros((len(node_id), len(node_id)))
          for edge in root_gxl.iter('edge'):
            s = np.where(node_id==edge.get('from'))[0][0]
            t = np.where(node_id==edge.get('to'))[0][0]
            # Undirected Graph
            am[s,t] = 1
            am[t,s] = 1
          # Create the networkx graph
          G = nx.from_numpy_matrix(am)
          nx.set_node_attributes(G, node_label, 'position')
          return G
5.3 Load Data with NetworkX
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In [4]: import os
        # Select distortion [LOW, MED, HIGH]
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distortion = 'LOW'

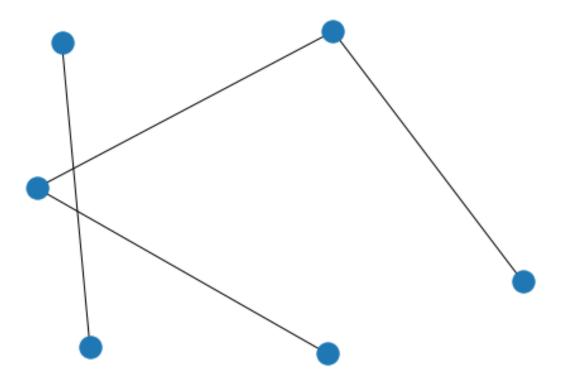
# Select letter [A, E, F, H, I, K, L, M, N, T, V, W, X, Y, Z]

letter = 'K'

# Select id [0-149]
id=100

# Read the graph and draw it using networkx tools

G = read_letters(os.path.join('Letter', distortion, letter+'P1_'+ str(id).zfill(4) +'.gentletand')))
```



#### 5.3.1 Define dataset

</GraphCollection>

**Dataset Division** The dataset is divided by means of CXL files in *train, validation* and *test* with the correspondance filename and class:

```
In [5]: def getFileList(file_path):
    """Parse CXL file and returns the corresponding file list and class
    """

    elements, classes = [], []
    tree = ET.parse(file_path)
    root = tree.getroot()

    for child in root:
        for sec_child in child:
            if sec_child.tag == 'print':
                  elements += [sec_child.attrib['file']]
                  classes += sec_child.attrib['class']

    return elements, classes
```

**Define Dataset Class** Pytorch provides an abstract class representig a dataset, torch.utils.data.Dataset. We need to override two methods:

- \_\_len\_\_ so that len(dataset) returns the size of the dataset.
- \_\_getitem\_\_ to support the indexing such that dataset[i] can be used to get i-th sample

```
In [6]: import torch.utils.data as data
        from torch.utils.data import DataLoader
        class Letters(data.Dataset):
          def __init__(self, root_path, file_list):
            self.root = root_path
            self.file_list = file_list
            # List of files and corresponding labels
            self.graphs, self.labels = getFileList(os.path.join(self.root, self.file_list))
            # Labels to numeric value
            self.unique_labels = np.unique(self.labels)
            self.num_classes = len(self.unique_labels)
            self.labels = [np.where(target == self.unique_labels)[0][0]
                           for target in self.labels]
          def __getitem__(self, index):
            # Read the graph and label
            g = read_letters(os.path.join(self.root, self.graphs[index]))
            target = self.labels[index]
            nodelist, nodes = map(list, zip(*g.nodes(data='position')))
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nodes = np.array(nodes)
            edges = np.array(nx.adjacency_matrix(g, nodelist=nodelist).todense())
            return nodes, edges, target
          def label2class(self, label):
            # Converts the numeric label to the corresponding string
            return self.unique_labels[label]
          def __len__(self):
            # Subset length
            return len(self.labels)
        # Define the corresponding subsets for train, validation and test.
        trainset = Letters(os.path.join('Letter', distortion), 'train.cxl')
        validset = Letters(os.path.join('Letter', distortion), 'validation.cxl')
        testset = Letters(os.path.join('Letter', distortion), 'test.cxl')
       print(len(trainset.labels))
        print((trainset.labels[100]))
       print(len(trainset.graphs))
       print((trainset.graphs[0]))
       print((trainset.unique labels))
       print((trainset.num_classes))
       print(len(validset.labels))
        print(len(testset.labels))
       print(trainset.__getitem__(100)[0])
       print(trainset.__getitem__(100)[1])
       print(trainset.__getitem__(100)[2])
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['A' 'E' 'F' 'H' 'I' 'K' 'L' 'M' 'N' 'T' 'V' 'W' 'X' 'Y' 'Z']
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[[0.626163 2.85025]
 [0.617416 0.715336]
 [0.572522 1.65465 ]
 [1.65172 1.66186]
 [2.1
           2.78
 [0.706782 0.799407]]
[[0. 1. 0. 0. 1. 0.]
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