# The Presentation of Entities and Relations and its Application in Inference

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### Overview

- Knowledge Graph: a directed graph with entities and relations
- Knowledge Inference: link prediction in knowledge graph
- Representation: efficient and scalable inference methods

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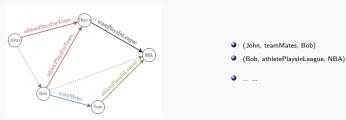
# Knowledge Graph

• Knowledge graph is a directed graph comprised by entities and relations.



- (John, athletePlaysForTeam, 76ers)
- (Bob, athletePlaysForTeam, 76ers)
- (Tom, athleteMates, Tom)
- (Tom, athletePlaysInLeague, NBA)
- (76ers, teamPlaysInLeague, NBA)
- However the knowledge graph is incomplete: it only covers small part of facts.

• Knowledge inference: link prediction in knowledge graph.



• Inference in Knowledge Graph can increase the coverage.

# Methods

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- Inference based on representation learning.
  - Occilective Matrix Factoriation (Nickel et al., 2011)
  - Neural Tensor Networks (Socher et al., 2013)
  - Translating Embeddings(Bordes et al., 2013)
- Inference based on markov random field.
  - Markov Logic Networks (Richardson and Domingos, 2006)
  - Probabilistic Soft Logic (Brocheler et al., 2012)
- Inference based on random walk.
  - Path Ranking (Lao et al., 2011)

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#### Prediction

• Using the model and objective function to inference.

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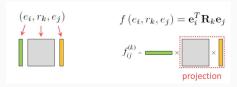
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#### Objective function

- Reconstruction error
- Ranking loss

## RESCAL: reconstruction error

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Learn based on reconstruction error:

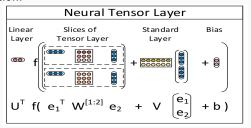
$$\min_{e_i, R_k} \sum_{k} \sum_{i} \sum_{j} (y_{i,j}^k - f(e_i, r_k, e_j))^2 + \lambda R$$

#### assumption

It is assumed that all pairs not contained in dataset are negative.

# Neural Tensor Network: ranking loss

 Representation in hidden vector/matrix space and the corresponding fitness function:



$$f(e_i, r_k, e_j) = U_k^T g(e_i^T W_k^{[1:K]} e_j + V_k[e_i : e_j] + b_k)$$

• Learn based on ranking loss:

$$\min_{e_i, R_k} \sum_{t^+ \in O} \sum_{t^- \in D} (\lambda + f(e_i, r_k, e_j) - f(e'_i, r_k, e'_j))$$

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# Representation in hidden vector space and the corresponding fitness

 Representation in hidden vector space and the corresponding fitness function:

$$\begin{aligned} (e_i, r_k, e_j) & \qquad & f\left(e_i, r_k, e_j\right) = \|\mathbf{e}_i + \mathbf{r}_k - \mathbf{e}_j\|_1 \\ \downarrow & \qquad & \downarrow \\ f_{ij}^{(k)} & = \boxed{ + \boxed{ }} - \boxed{ } \\ & \qquad & \text{translation} \end{aligned}$$

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It is assumed that pairs not contained in dataset are partially negative.

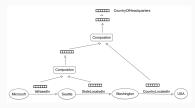
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Previous approaches only consider triples information, it's better to take long-range information into consideration.

- Relation between Relations (Bowman et al., 2014)
- Combining Long-Range Interation (Wu et al., 2015)

 This model leaves out the representation of entities and concern the relation between relations.



• It tries to minimize the difference between the inferred relation  $v_r(\pi)$  (w.r.t. path  $\pi$ ) and the single relation r.

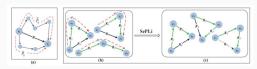
$$v_r(\pi) = RNN(\pi)$$

$$f(\pi_r, r) = sigmoid(v_r(\pi), r)$$

• And negative samples are used to maximize the margin.

# Combining Long-Range Interation (Wu et al., 2015)

• This paper jointly utilizes the triple information and long-range interaction in knowledge base.



Ranking loss for triples:

$$\min_{e_i, R_k} \sum_{t^+ \in O} \sum_{t^- \in D} (\lambda + f(e_i, r_k, e_j) - f(e_i', r_k, e_j'))$$

• And long-range loss:

$$f(\pi_r, r) = L(v_r(\pi), r)$$

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# Prons and Cons

- Pros
  - Hidden space model can capture the complex concepts.
  - It is computationally efficient.
- Cons
  - It is not logical: we can capture the co-occurrence information but not logical properties of relation, e.g. transitivity, reflexivity..
  - ② It is not precise: data-driven methods will be noisy-prone.

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# **Thanks**

Question & Answer?