

IFT 4030/7030,
Machine Learning for Signal Processing
**Week 10: Graphs in Signal Processing
and Machine Learning**

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- Do not forget to fill in the project sign-up sheet!
It's first come first serve.
 - ▶ N'oubliez pas le sign-up sheet pour les projets. C'est premier arrivé premier servi.
- There will be a last homework to be done in groups.
 - ▶ Il y aura un dernier devoir à faire en groupes!

Today's Lecture

- Graphs!
- Using Graphs instead of vectors / matrices
 - ▶ On va utiliser des graphs au lieu de vecteurs / matrices
- Graph Signal Processing Basics
 - ▶ Les bases du traitement du signal avec des graphs
- Graph Machine Learning
 - ▶ De l'apprentissage automatique avec des graphs

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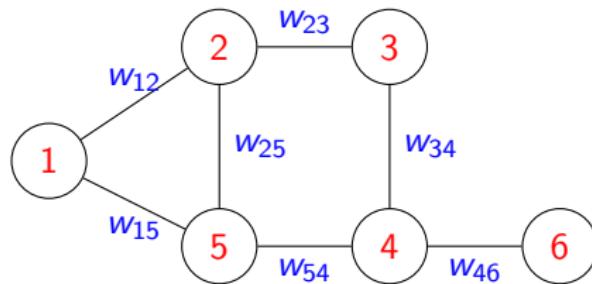
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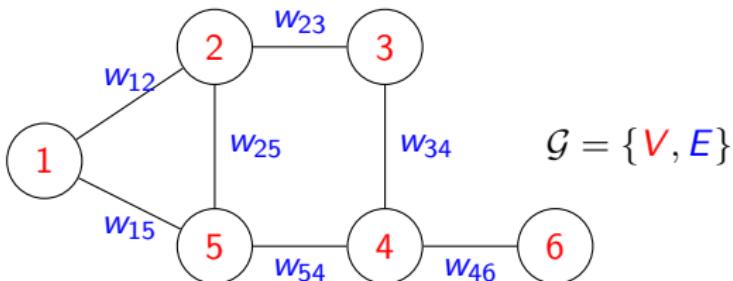
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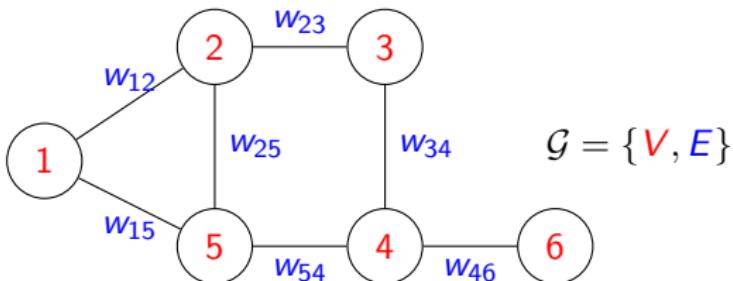
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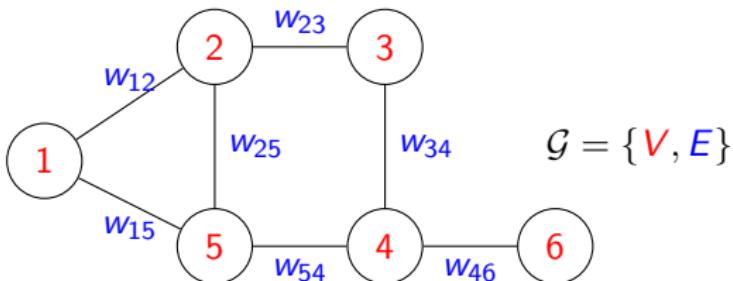
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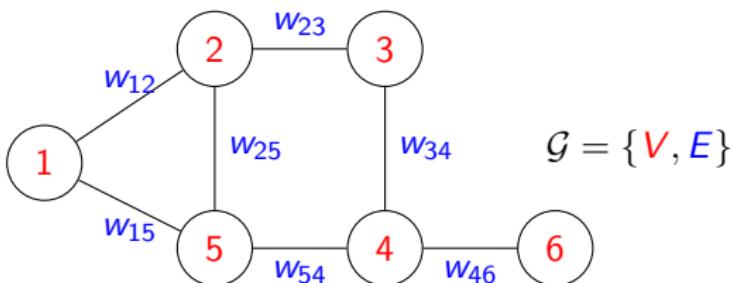
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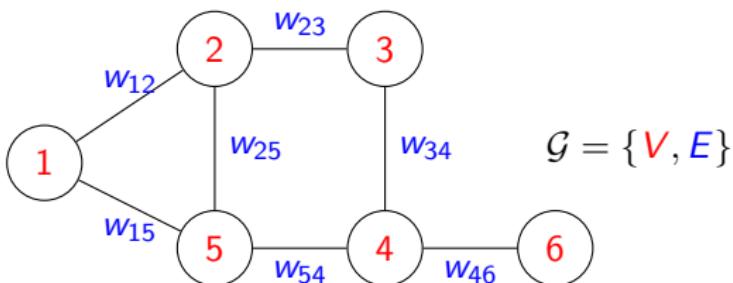
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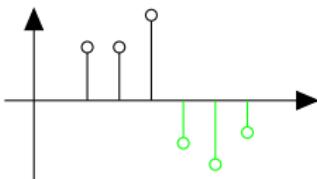
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- Graphs model **pairwise** relationships.
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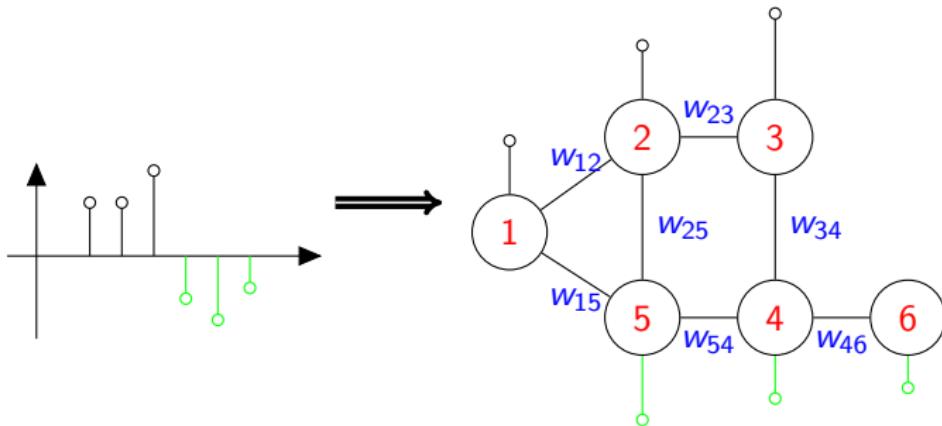
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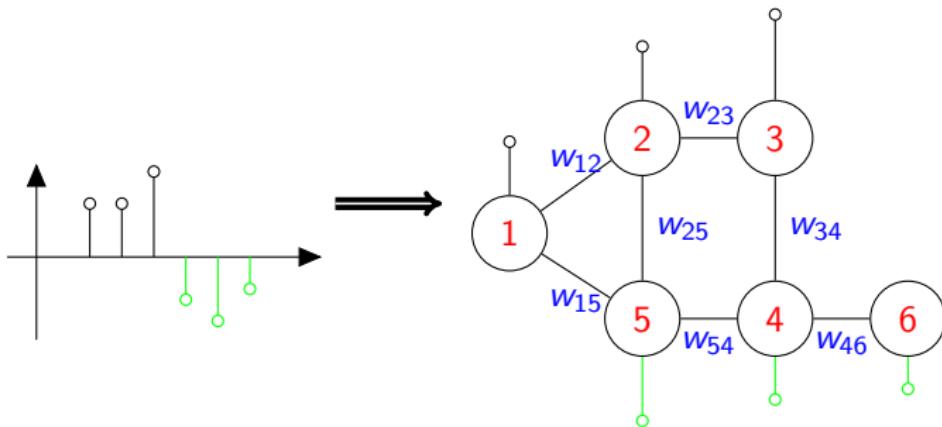
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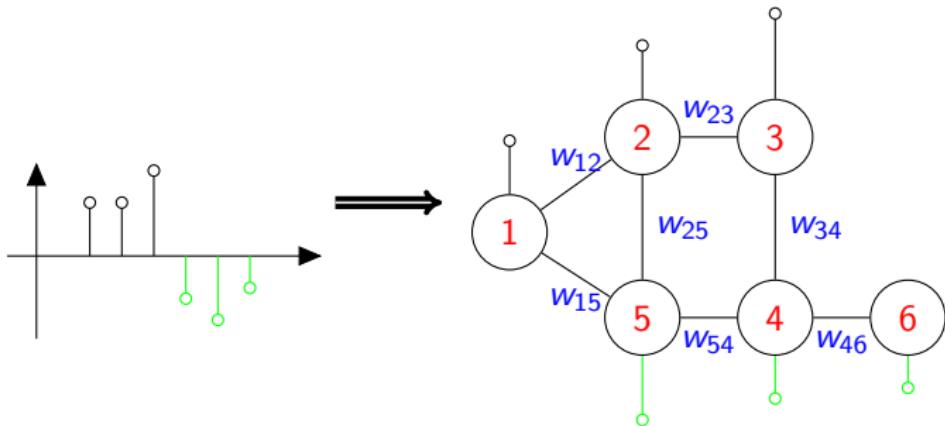
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- This enables us to explicitly model specific dependence structures, and it's a good representation if irregular signals.
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- We will pack the node values in a vector $v \in \mathbb{R}^N$. / On mets les features pour chaque node dans un vecteur v .
 - ▶ v_i gives the feature value of node i . v_i donne le valeur du feature du node i .

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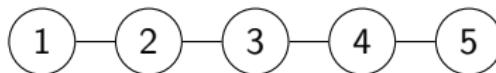
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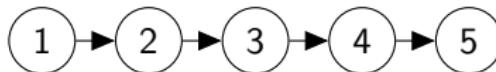
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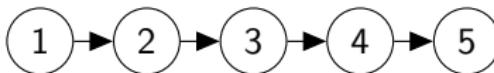
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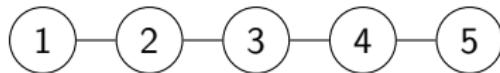
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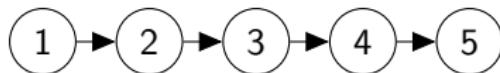
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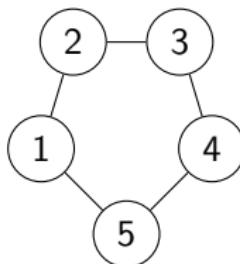
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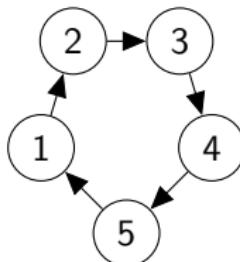
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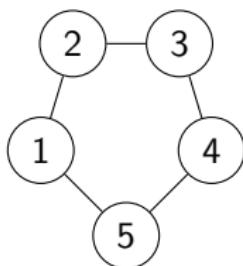


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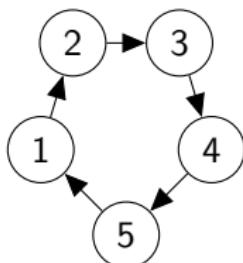
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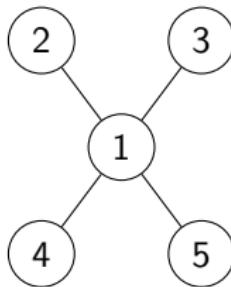
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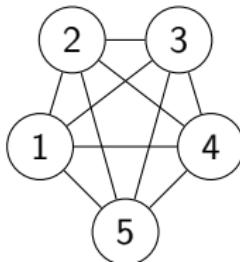
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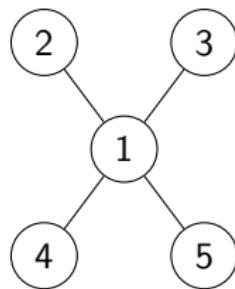


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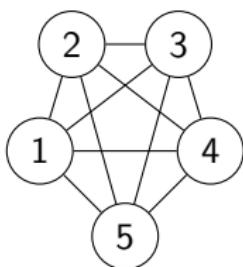
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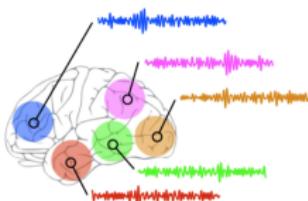
Real-World Examples

- Social Network Graph / Graphe d'un réseau sociale



Vertices: 1000 Twitter/X Users/Utilisateurs, **Edges:** Follower/not,
Node Features: How many times did they tag IEEE MLSP 2023.

- Brain Measurements / Mésurements du cerveau



Vertices: Different regions , **Edges:** Structural Connectivity,
Node Features: Brain activity measured as a 1d signal.

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- Also, GSP enables learning over graphs. / On peut aussi apprendre des modèles sur des graphes.

New things to worry about

- Classical Signal Processing
 - ▶ Time / Pixel Domain
 - ▶ We model relationships of samples laid on a regular grid / On modélise des relations sur un grille régulaire.
- Frequency Domain
 - ▶ Fourier Transform / DCT
- How do we move from spatial to graph domain? / Comment on va aller du domain spatial à la domaine de graphe?
 - ▶ We will use the Graph Laplacian L . / On va utiliser la graph laplacian L .

- Graph Signal Processing
 - ▶ The graph domain.
 - ▶ Can model relationships described using an adjacency matrix. / On peut modéliser des relations plus général défini par une matrice d'adjacency.
- Graph Spectral Domain
 - ▶ Graph Fourier Transform

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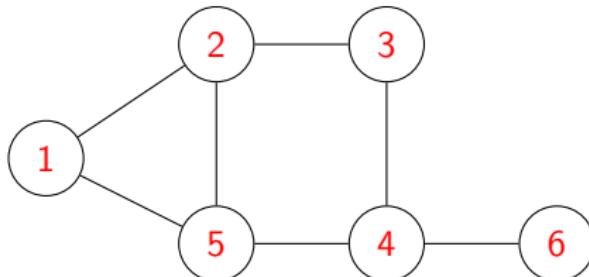
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- Consider this graph, with all weights equal to 1 / Considérons ce graph avec les poids égaux à 1.



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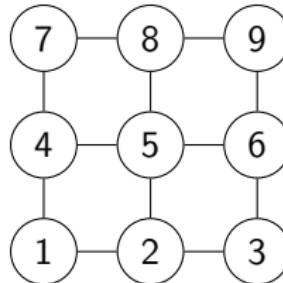
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This looks like the second derivative operator! (Discrete approximation to 2nd gradient) / C'est le noyau Laplacien, une approximation à la deuxième dérivée.

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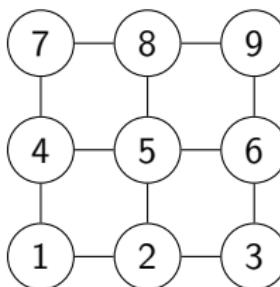


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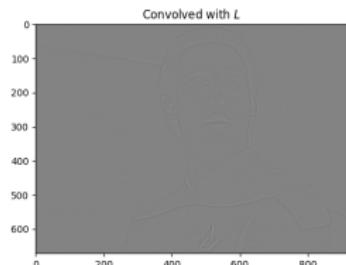
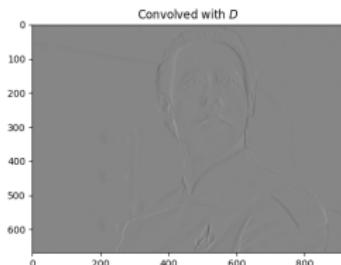
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L $D = \text{diag}(1^T W)$ A

This looks like the second derivative operator! (Discrete approximation to 2nd gradient) / C'est le noyau Laplacien, une approximation à la deuxième dérivée.

Laplacian Operator on Images

Data is back!

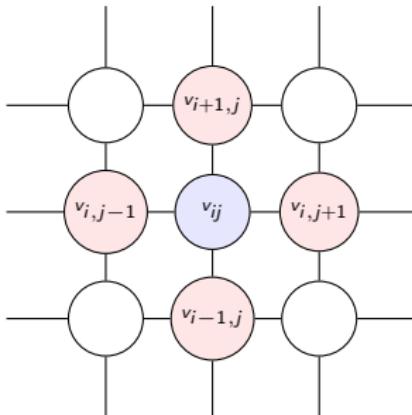


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L is an edge detector here.

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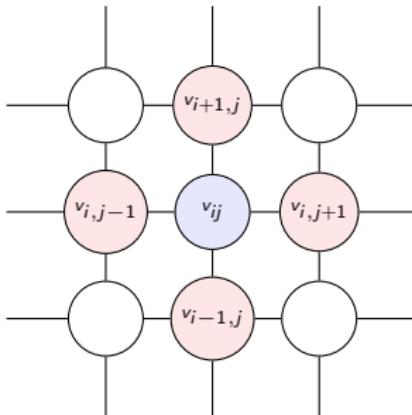
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The Graph Fourier Transform

- Given a Graph G containing a signal s , / Étant donné le graphe qui contient un signal s .
- Get Graph Laplacian L . / Obtiens la Laplancienne L .
- Do the eigenvalue decomposition on L . / Fait la décomposition éigen de L :

$$L = V \Lambda V^\top$$

- Transform the graph signal / Transforme le signal dans le graphe,

$$S = V^\top s$$

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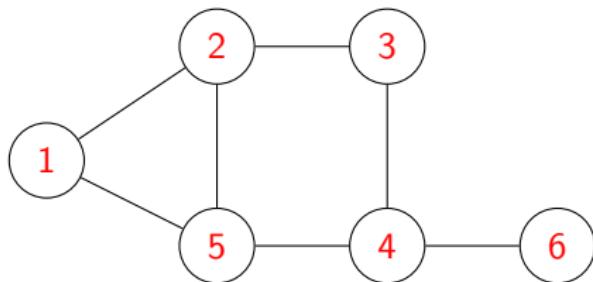
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- Eigenvectors of u ! / Vecteurs propres de u !
- Also, note that larger $u^\top L^\top u$ is, higher frequency we have in the signal u . / Notez que plus $u^\top L^\top u$ est large, plus le signal dans u est de haute fréquence.

Example



$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 3 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

x	$x^\top L x$
[1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1]	0
[0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0]	3
[1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0]	5

Low and High Frequency Graph Signals

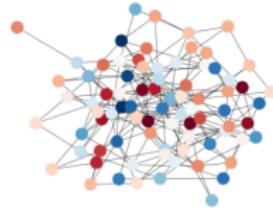
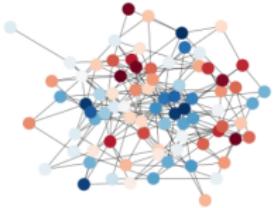
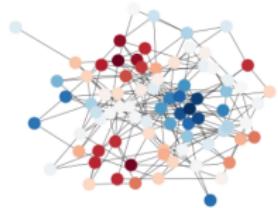
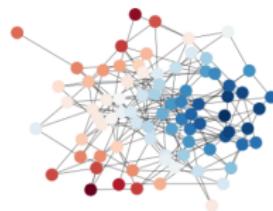
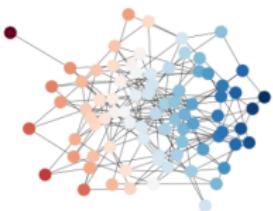
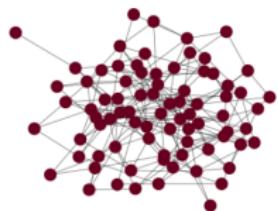
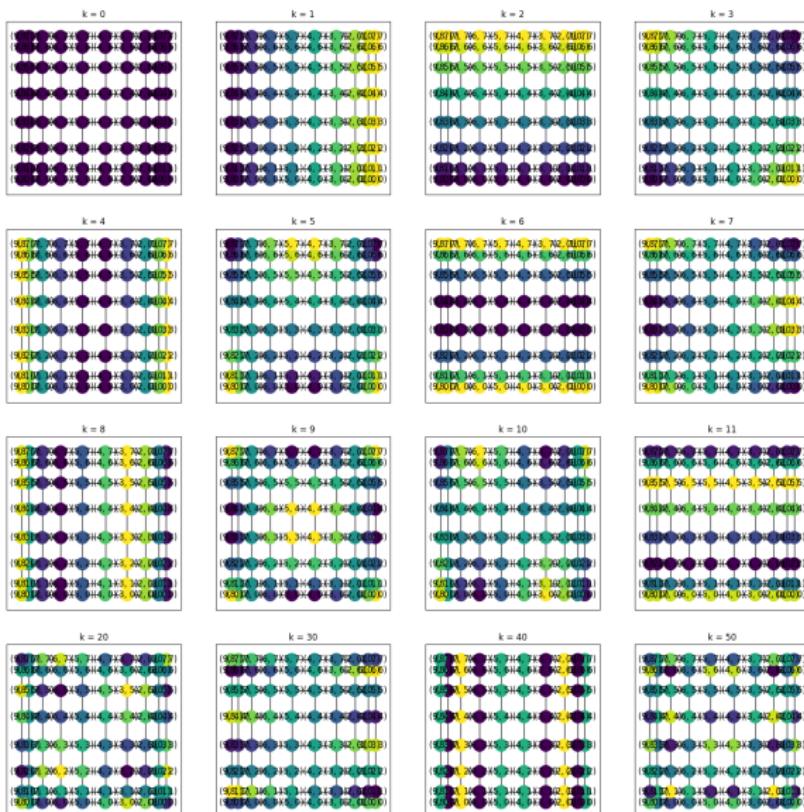
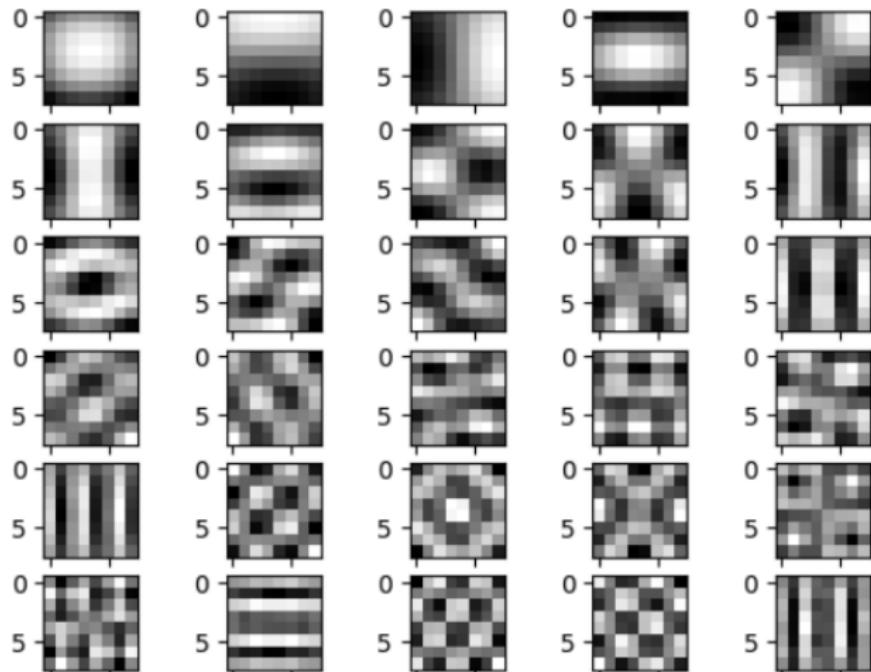


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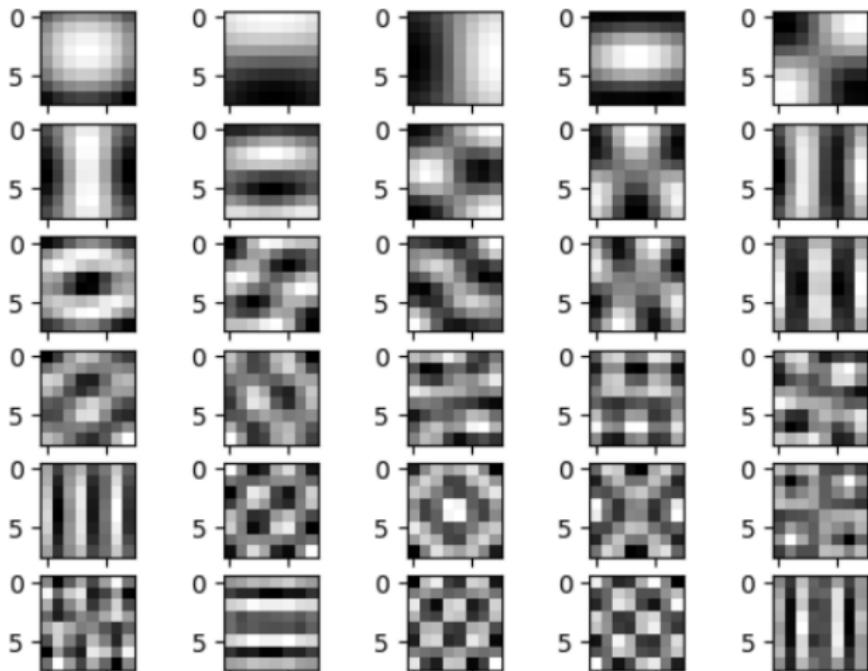
Grid Graph



Do you remember this?



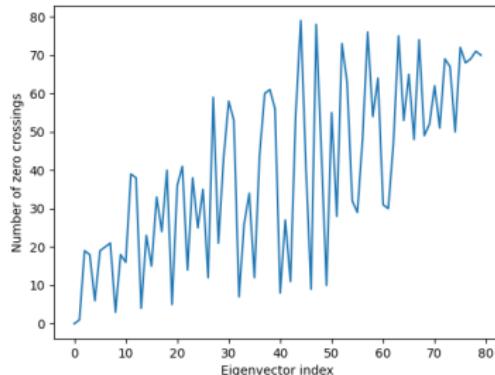
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- It seems we were learning eigenvectors that correspond to a grid graph!
 - ▶ On apprenait des vecteurs propres qui correspondent à un graphe grille!

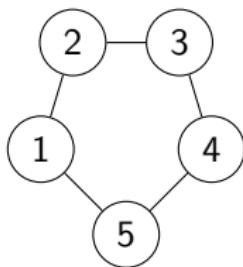
Eigenvalues as a measure of frequency

- The eigenvalues measure graph frequency
 - ▶ Les valeurs propres mesurent la fréquence de chaque base
- We can rank the eigenvectors by their eigenvalues / On peut mettre les vecteurs propres par leur valeurs propres
 - ▶ First eigenvectors are slow / change slowly. Les premiers vecteurs propres changent lentement
- The number of zero crossings for each eigenvector / le nombre de croisements zeros pour chaque vecteur propre:



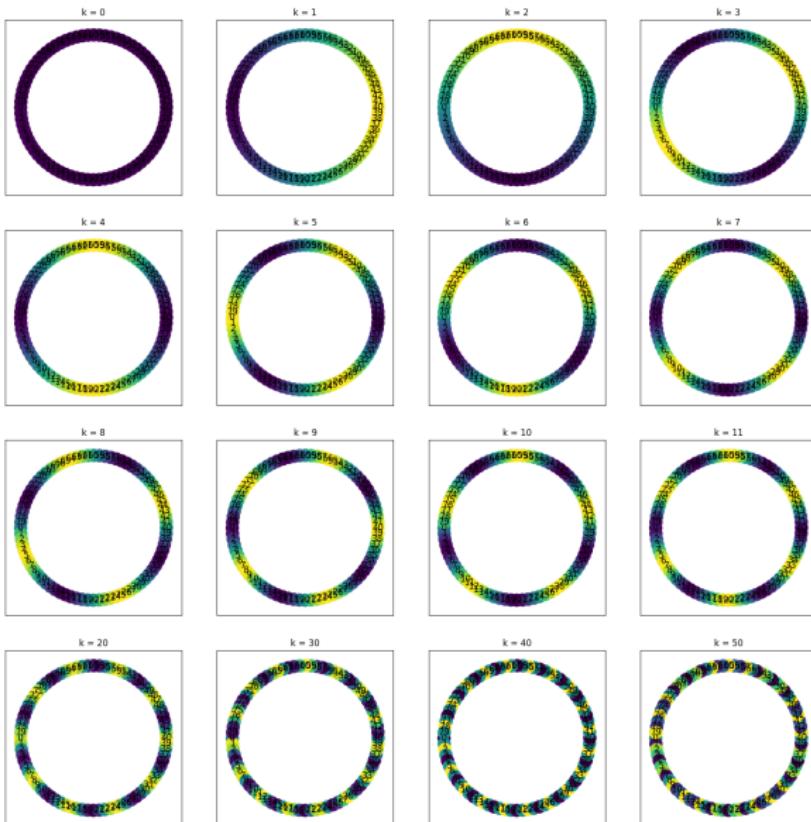
Special Case: DFT

■ Undirected Ring Graph



$$A = \begin{bmatrix} & & & & \text{to} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ \\ \\ \\ \text{from} \end{matrix}$$

- Eigenvectors of L correspond to the Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)! / Les vecteurs propres de L correspondent à DFT!



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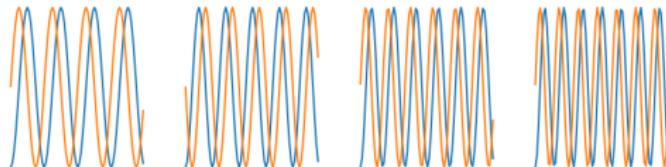


$k = 7$

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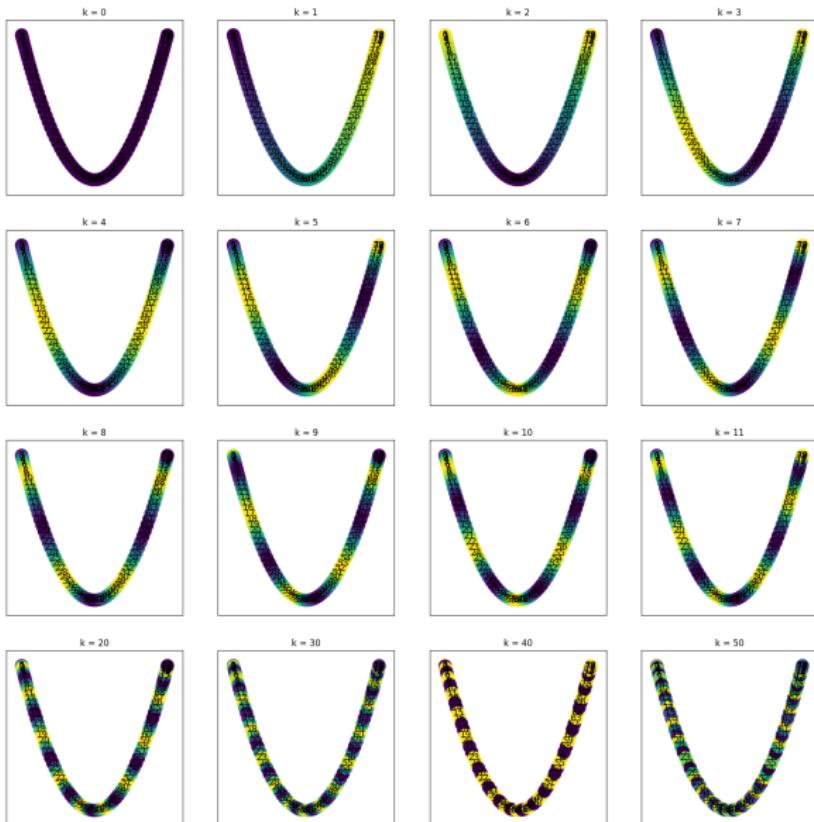


Special Case 2, Discrete Cosine Transform

- Undirected Path Graph


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- Eigenvectors of the Graph Laplacian will correspond to the DCT bases!
 - ▶ Les vecteurs propres du Laplacien correspondent aux bases DCT!



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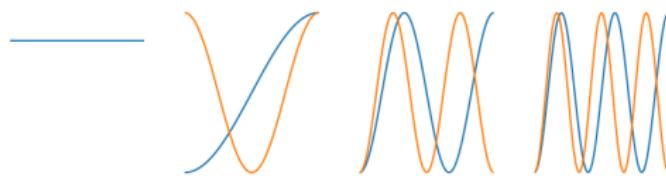
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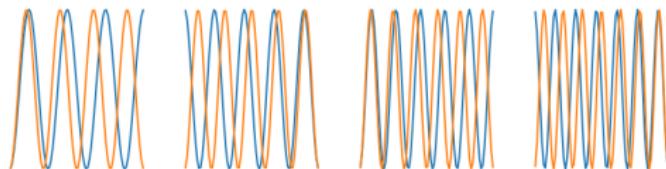


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Imposing a Graph

- Recap so far / Sommaire de ce qu'on a vu:
 - ▶ Graphs are collection of nodes and edges. / Un graphe est une collection des nodes et des edges.
 - ▶ A node is defined by an adjacency matrix A / Un graphe est défini par un adjacency matrix A .
 - ▶ Graph Laplacian $L = D - A$.
 - ▶ Is used to compute the Graph Fourier Transform. / Est utilisé pour calculer le Graph Fourier Transform.
 - ▶ This generalizes the classical Fourier Transform / Ça généralise le Fourier Transforme.
- We understand that standard SP assumes an underlying graph / Tout ça nous montre que le SP classique suppose un graphe.
 - ▶ Can we adjust the graph so that it's more suitable? / Peut-on ajuster le graph pour qu'il est plus ajusté?

Defining a Graph from a Signal

- We can define adjacency based on spatial location / On peut définir le voisinage en utilisant la localisation spatiale, temporelle

$$A_{ij}^t = \exp(-\alpha \|t_i - t_j\|)$$

- Or, we can define an adjacency based on sample values / Ou, on peut définir le voisinage en utilisant les valeurs
 - ▶ Do you remember this from somewhere else? / Souvenez-vous de ça d'ailleurs?

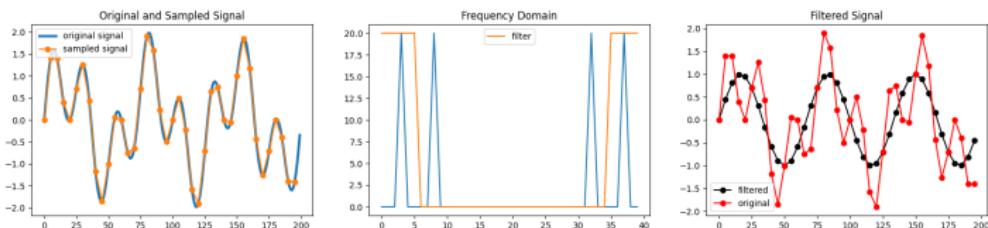
$$A_{ij}^x = \exp(-\beta \|x_i - x_j\|)$$

- We can define an overall adjacency matrix / On peut définir une matrice de voisinage ultime:

$$A = \gamma A^t + (1 - \gamma) A^x$$

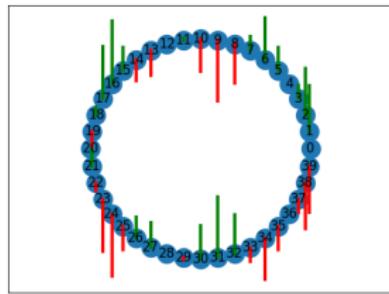
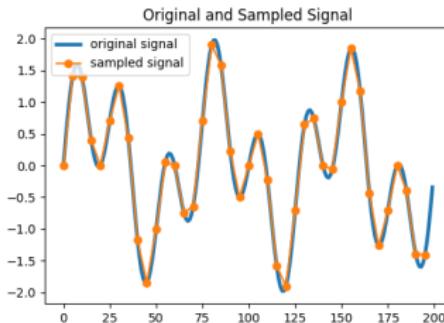
Classical filtering

■ $x_t = \cos(3\omega t) + \cos(8\omega t)$

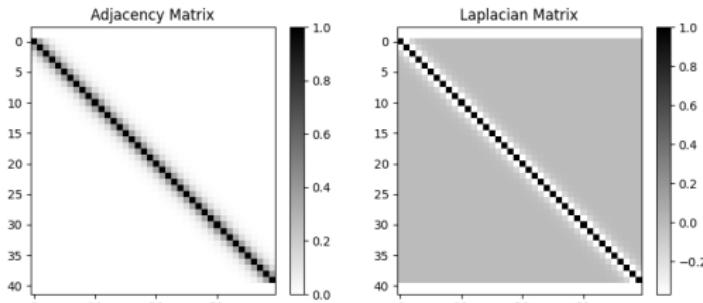


Let's do the same thing with Graphs

- Now we will define the same signal on a graph / On définit maintenant le même signal sur un graphe

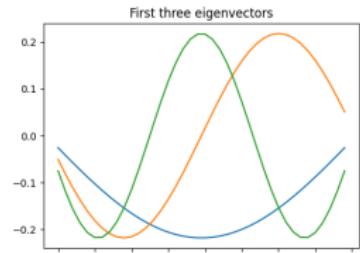
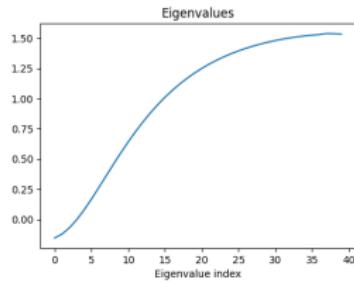
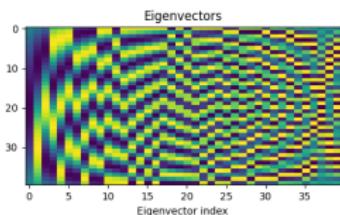


- Adjacency matrix, and the Laplacian (for a cycle graph)
 - $A_{ij} = \exp(-\alpha \|t_i - t_j\|)$



Step 1: Obtain the frequency bases of L

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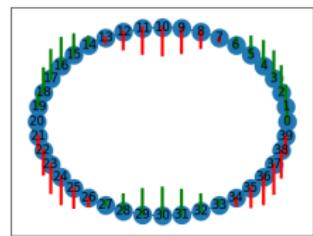
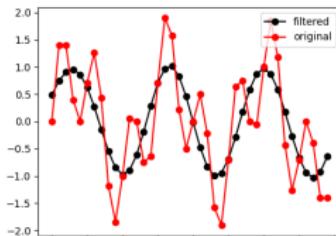
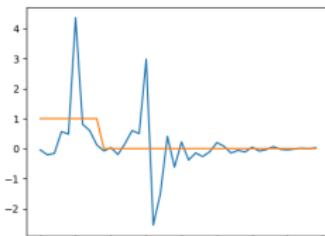
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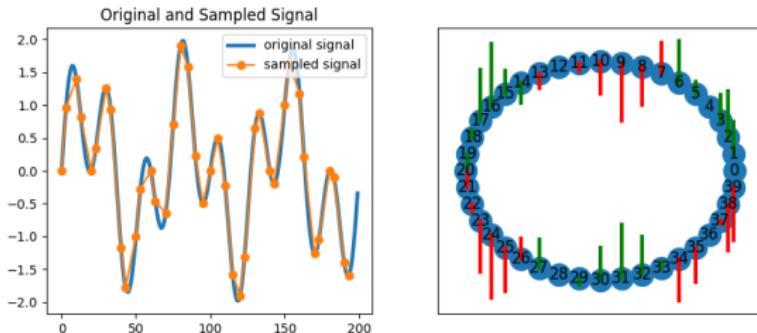
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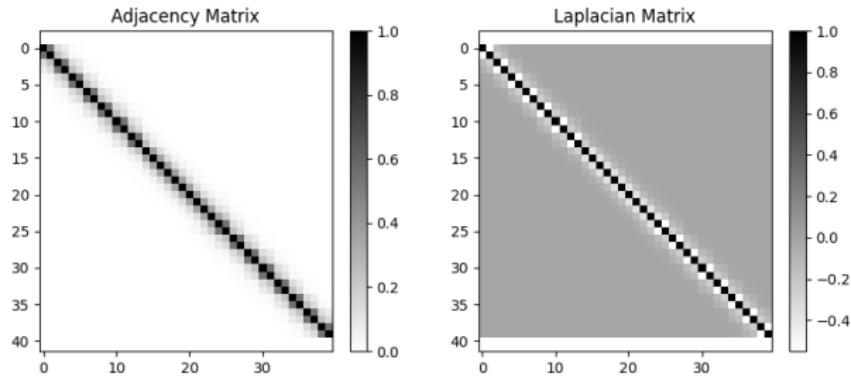


Nothing new with this, so why?

- What if the sample rate was not as regular / Et si le taux d'échantillonnage n'était pas si régulier?
- We can use a corresponding irregular graph maybe? / On peut utiliser la graph qui correspond?

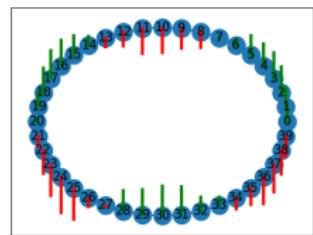
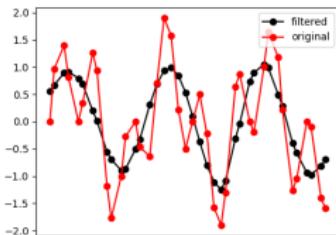
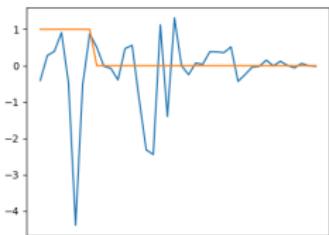


The new graph structure



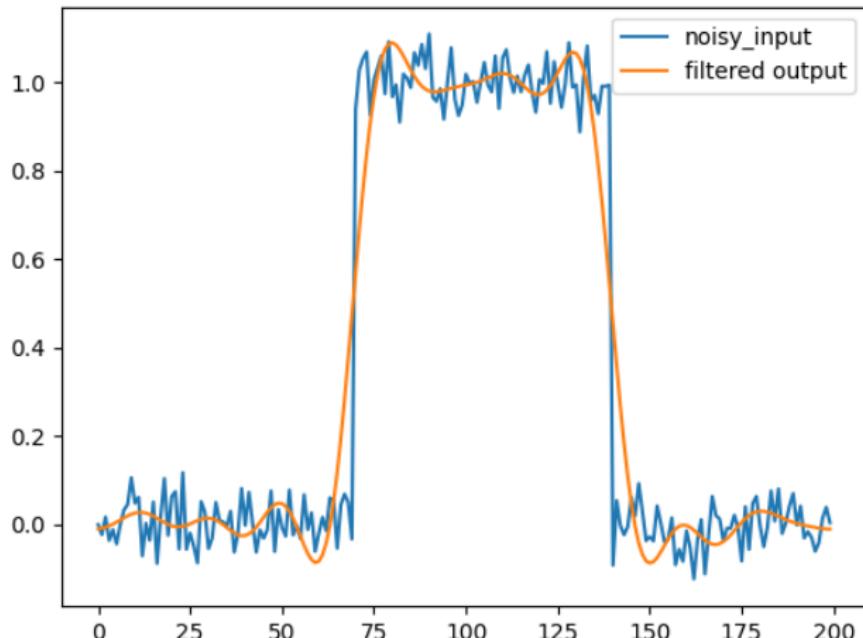
Non Uniform Graph Filtering

- We can still apply the same process as before / On peut encore appliquer le même processus



Encoding context from a signal

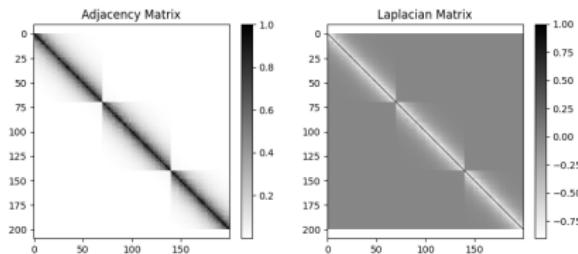
- Consider this noisy signal with steep edges / Considérons ce signal avec des sautes



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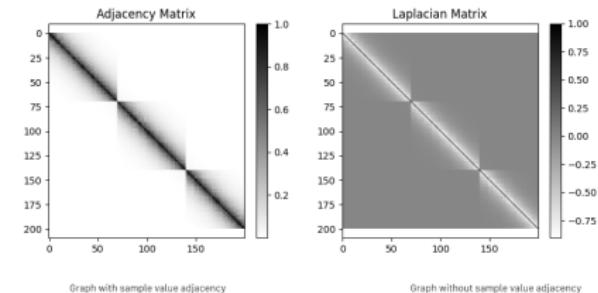
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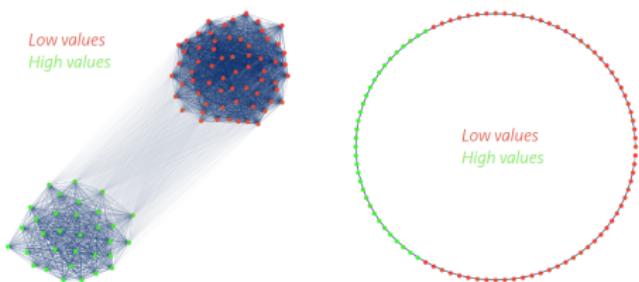
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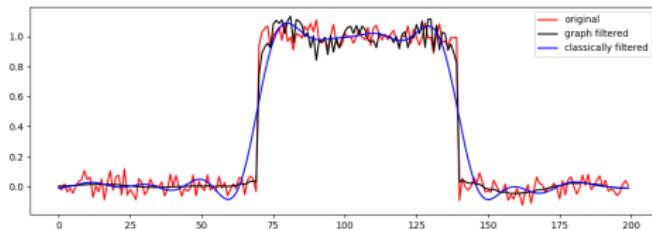
Graph with sample value adjacency

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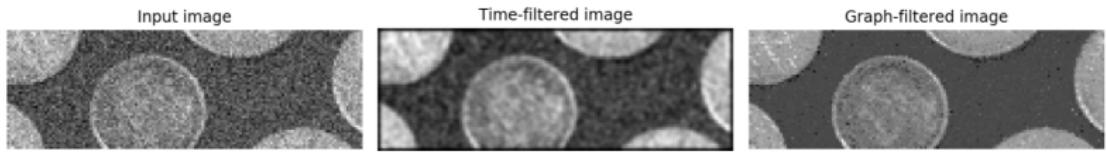
Edge preserving filter

- We can see that the graph filtering better preserves the edges / On voit que le filtre de graph mieux protège les sautes.



Edge preserving 2D example

- We can also apply the same thing on 2D signals / On peut appliquer la même affaire sur des signaux 2D aussi.



Defining Graphs from Data

- We already did this! / On a déjà fait ça
 - ▶ Eigendecomposition on an affinity matrix = KPCA/MDS/ISOMAP.
 - ▶ Clustering the eigenvectors = Spectral Clustering.

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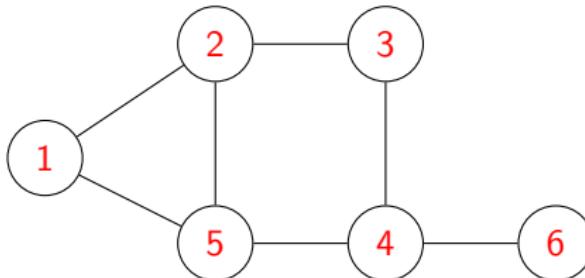
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Filtering in the graph spatial domain

- In regular signals we have the frequency domain / time domain filtering duality. / Dans les signaux réguliers on a une dualité entre filtrage dans le domaine de temps / domaine de fréquence.
- Filtering in the time domain is defined by convolution which uses shifts. Filtrage dans le domaine de temps utilise des shifts.
- We can also define a shift operator on graphs. / On définit un opérateur de décalage sur les graphes



$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I + A$$

Graph Filtering / Convolution

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$$Sx = [1, 1, 2, 0, 1, 0]^\top, S^2x = [3, 5, 3, 3, 3, 0]^\top$$

$$y = h_0x + h_1Sx + h_2S^2x = [1, 5, 2.5, 1.5, 2, 0]^\top$$

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$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I + A$$

$$Sx = [1, 1, 2, 0, 1, 0]^\top, S^2x = [3, 5, 3, 3, 3, 0]^\top$$

$$y = h_0x + h_1Sx + h_2S^2x = [1, 5, 2.5, 1.5, 2, 0]^\top$$

- Notice that S defines a kernel with which we convolve! / Notez que S implique une sorte de noyau de convolution!

To summarize

- Signals can be defined as graphs / Signaux peut-être défini comme des graphs.
 - ▶ It enables us to represent more structured sample relations / Ça nous permet d'établir des relations plus structurées entre les échantillons.
- We can define analogs to classical DSP / On peut définir des analogues aux DSP.
- Now, let's briefly mention that we can do ML also! / On peut faire du ML aussi!

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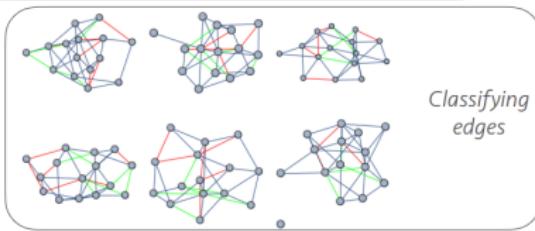
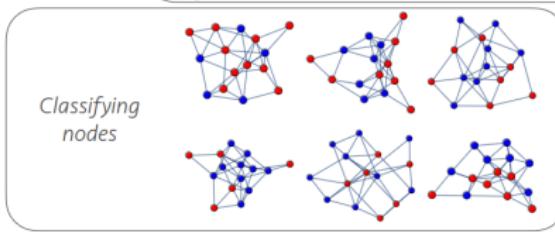
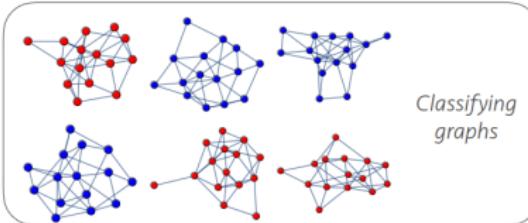
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 - ▶ Using the graph shift matrix, we can define CNNs, RNNs.. / On peut définir des CNNs / RNNs en utilisant l'opérateur graph shift.
- Useful for things like / Utile pour des choses comme:
 - ▶ Molécules, social graphs, mesh representations, LIDAR, ...
- Hot topic / Je ne suis pas expert du tout!

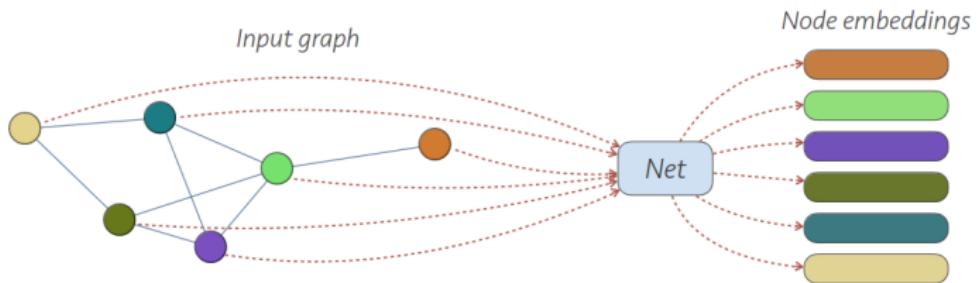
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- Graph Level Processing, e.g. classifying a molecule
- Node Level Processing, e.g. LIDAR pixel classification
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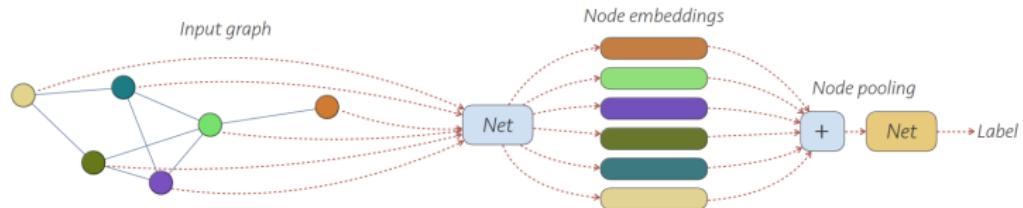
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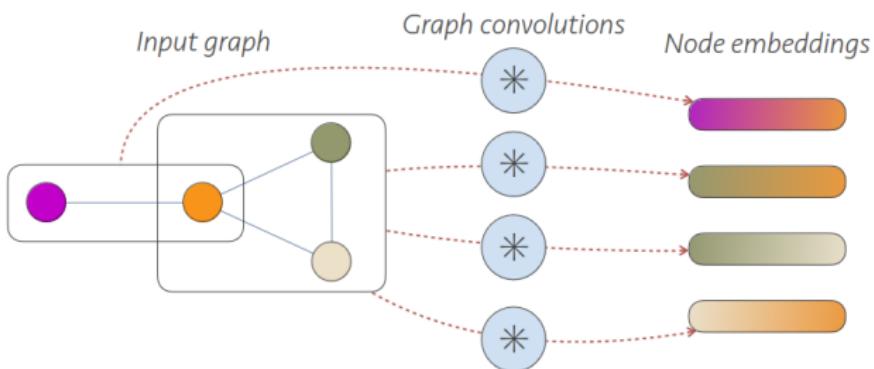
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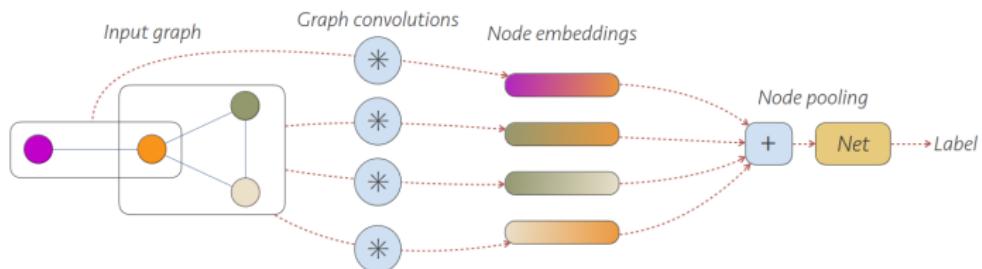
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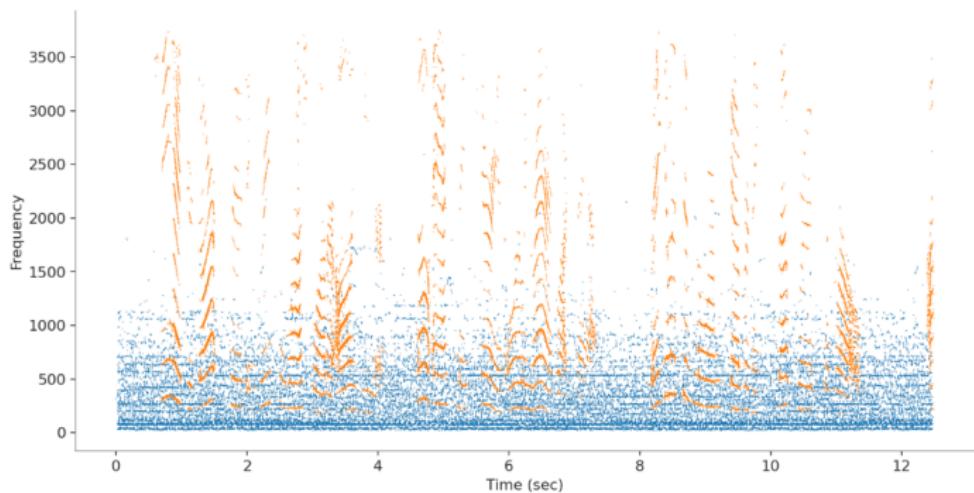
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- Note that if we want to express the transformation above with matrix multiplications, we can do the following: / On peut faire la même chose avec des multiplications de matrices.

$$h^k = \widetilde{W^k} \bar{A} h^{k-1} / (1^\top A)$$

' where $\bar{A} = A + I$, A being the adjacency matrix of the graph (size node by node), I is the identity matrix, and $\widetilde{W^k}$ combines W^k and B^k .

Audio Example

- Using point clouds for a spectrogram / Nuage de points pour un spectrogram (Look up re-assigned spectrograms)



- Instead of having series of vectors, we have a point cloud / on a un nuage de points au lieu de vecteurs: $C = [(f_1, t_1), (f_2, t_2), \dots, (f_N, t_N)]$.
- The paper (see the reading list) claims that training is faster, model is smaller, performance is better. (Best paper award in WASPAA 2021). / Le papier dit que l'entraînement est plus rapide, modèle est plus petit, et la performance est mieux.

Recap

- Signals are graphs! It's better to be aware of that to be able to generalize. / Les signaux sont des graphs en tout cas! Si on voit ça, on peut généraliser.
- Signal processing with Graph Perspective / Traitement du Signal avec un Perspective de Graphe
 - ▶ The Graph Fourier Transform
- Graph Neural Networks
 - ▶ Useful in many structured data domains (e.g. drug design) / Utile dans plusieurs données avec structure

Reading Material

- Graph Signal Processing:
<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1712.00468.pdf>
- GNN tutorial:
<https://distill.pub/2021/understanding-gnns/>
- Audio point cloud GNN stuff:
<https://arxiv.org/pdf/2105.02469.pdf>

Next and last week

- I will talk about speech/audio. But let me know if you want me look into other things also. / Je vais parler sur speech/audio. Mais laissez-moi savoir si vous voulez voir d'autres sujets aussi.