







Optimal transport for graph data

Barycenters and dictionary learning

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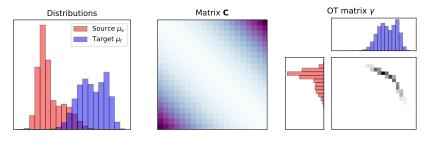
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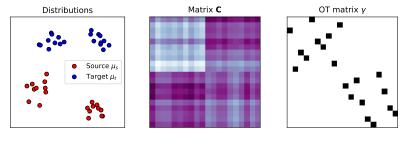
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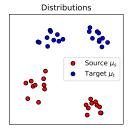
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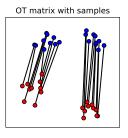
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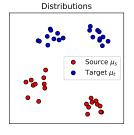
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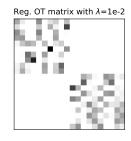
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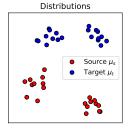


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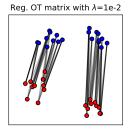
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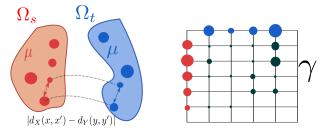


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Gromov-Wasserstein divergence



Inspired from Gabriel Peyré

GW for discrete distributions [Memoli, 2011]

$$\mathcal{GW}_{p}(\mu_{s}, \mu_{t}) = \left(\min_{T \in \Pi(\mu_{s}, \mu_{t})} \sum_{i, j, k, l} |D_{i, k} - D'_{j, l}|^{p} T_{i, j} T_{k, l}\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

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- Distance between metric measured spaces : across different spaces.
- Search for an OT plan that preserve the pairwise relationships between samples.
- Invariant to isometry in either spaces (e.g. rotations and translation).

Solving the Gromov Wasserstein optimization problem

$$\mathcal{GW}_{p}^{p}(\mu_{s}, \mu_{t}) = \min_{\mathbf{T} \in \Pi(\mu_{s}, \mu_{t})} \sum_{i, j, k, l} |D_{i, k} - D'_{j, l}|^{p} T_{i, j} T_{k, l}$$

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Optimization problem

- Quadratic Program (Wasserstein is a linear program).
- Nonconvex, NP-hard, related to Quadratic Assignment Problem (QAP).

Optimization algorithm

- Large problem and non convexity forbid standard QP solvers.
- Local solution can be obtained with conditional gradient (Frank-Wolfe)
 [Vayer et al., 2018] (each iteration is an OT problems).
- Gromov in 1D has a close form (solved in discrete with a sort) [Vayer et al., 2019].
- Can be regularized by entropy similarly to classical OT.

Entropic Gromov-Wasserstein

Optimization Problem [Peyré et al., 2016a]

$$\mathcal{GW}_{p,\epsilon}^{p}(\mu_{s},\mu_{t}) = \min_{\mathbf{T} \in \Pi(\mu_{s},\mu_{t})} \sum_{i,j,k,l} |D_{i,k} - D'_{j,l}|^{p} T_{i,j} T_{k,l} + \epsilon \sum_{i,j} T_{i,j} \log T_{i,j}$$
(1)

with
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• Smoothing the original GW with a convex and smooth entropic term.

Solving the entropic \mathcal{GW} [Peyré et al., 2016a]

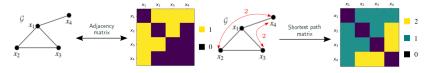
- Problem (1) can be solved using a KL mirror descent.
- ullet This is equivalent to solving at each iteration t

$$\mathbf{T}^{(t+1)} = \min_{\mathbf{T} \in \mathcal{P}} \left\langle \mathbf{T}, \mathbf{G}^{(t)} \right\rangle_F + \epsilon \sum_{i,j} T_{i,j} \log T_{i,j}$$

Where $G_{i,j}^{(t)} = 2\sum_{k,l} |D_{i,k} - D'_{j,l}|^p T_{k,l}^{(t)}$ is the gradient of the GW loss at previous point $\mathbf{T}^{(k)}$.

- Problem above can be solved using a Sinkhorn-Knopp algorithm of entropic OT.
- Very fast approximation exist for low rank distances [Scetbon et al., 2021].

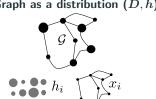
Gromov-Wasserstein between graphs



Modeling the graph structure with a pairwise matrix D

- ullet An undirected graph $\mathcal{G}:=(V,E)$ is defined by $V=\{x_i\}_{i\in[N]}$ set of the N nodes and $\mathbf{E} = \{(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_i) | \mathbf{x}_i \leftrightarrow \mathbf{x}_i \}$ set of edges.
- ullet Structure represented as a symmetric matrix D of relations between the nodes.
- Possible choices: Adjacency matrix (used in this study), Laplacian matrix, Shortest path matrix.

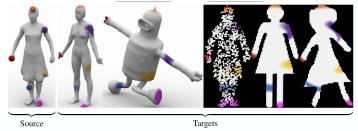
Graph as a distribution (D, h)



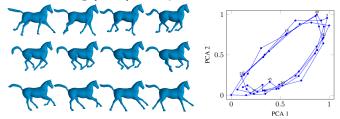
- Graph represented as a discrete distribution $\mu_X = \sum_i h_i \delta_{x_i}$.
- The positions x_i are implicit and represented as the pairwise matrix D.
- h_i are the masses on the nodes of the graphs (uniform by default).

Applications of GW [Solomon et al., 2016]

Shape matching between 3D and 2D surfaces



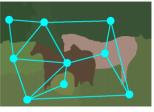
Multidimensional scaling (MDS) of shape collection



Fused Gromov-Wasserstein

Structured data





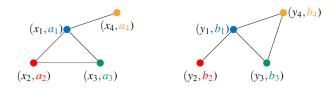
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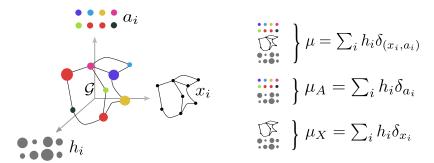
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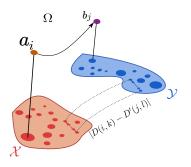


Graph data representation

$$\mu = \sum_{i=1}^{n} h_i \delta_{(x_i a_i)}$$

- Nodes are weighted by their mass h_i .
- ullet But no common metric between the structure points x_i of two different graphs.
- ullet Features values a_i can be compared through the common metric

Fused Gromov-Wasserstein distance



Fused Gromov Wasserstein distance

$$\mu_s = \sum_{i=1}^n h_i \delta_{x_i, a_i}$$
 and $\mu_t = \sum_{j=1}^m g_j \delta_{y_j, b_j}$

$$\mathcal{FGW}_{p,q,\alpha}(D,D', \underline{\mu_s}, \underline{\mu_t}) = \left(\min_{\mathbf{T} \in \Pi(\underline{\mu_s}, \mu_t)} \sum_{i,j,k,l} \left((1-\alpha) C_{i,j}^q + \alpha | \underline{D_{i,k}} - \underline{D'_{j,l}}|^q \right)^p T_{i,j} T_{k,l} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

with
$$D_{i,k} = ||x_i - x_k||$$
 and $D'_{i,l} = ||y_i - y_l||$ and $C_{i,j} = ||a_i - b_j||$

- Parameters q > 1, $\forall p \ge 1$.
- $\alpha \in [0,1]$ is a trade off parameter between structure and features.

FGW Properties (1)

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Metric properties [Vayer et al., 2020]

- \mathcal{FGW} defines a metric over structured data with measure and features preserving isometries as invariants.
- \mathcal{FGW} is a metric for q=1 a semi metric for q>1, $\forall p\geq 1$.
- The distance is nul iff:
 - There exists a Monge map $T\#\mu_s = \mu_t$.
 - Structures are equivalent through this Monge map (isometry).
 - Features are equal through this Monge map.

Other properties for continuous distributions

- Interpolation between \mathcal{W} ($\alpha=0$) and \mathcal{GW} ($\alpha=1$) distances.
- Geodesic properties (constant speed, unicity).

FGW Properties (2)

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Bounds and convergence to finite samples [Vayer et al., 2020]

• The following inequalities hold:

$$\mathcal{FGW}(\mu_s, \mu_t) \ge (1 - \alpha) \mathcal{W}(\mu_A, \mu_B)^q$$

 $\mathcal{FGW}(\mu_s, \mu_t) \ge \alpha \mathcal{GW}(\mu_X, \mu_Y)^q$

• Bound when $\mathcal{X} = \mathcal{Y}$:

$$\mathcal{FGW}(\mu_s, \mu_t)^p \le 2\mathcal{W}(\mu_s, \mu_t)^p$$

• Convergence of finite samples when $\mathcal{X} = \mathcal{Y}$ with $d = Dim(\mathcal{X}) + Dim(\Omega)$:

$$\mathbb{E}[\mathcal{FGW}(\mu,\mu_n)] = O\left(n^{-\frac{1}{d}}\right)$$

Computing FGW

Algorithm 1 Conditional Gradient (CG) for FGW

- 1: $\mathbf{T}^{(0)} \leftarrow \mu_X \mu_Y^\top$
- 2: **for** i = 1, ..., do
- 3: $G \leftarrow \text{Gradient from Eq. (16) } w.r.t. \ \mathbf{T}^{(i-1)}$
- 4: $\tilde{\mathbf{T}}^{(i)} \leftarrow \mathsf{Solve} \; \mathsf{OT} \; \mathsf{with} \; \mathsf{ground} \; \mathsf{loss} \; G$
- 5: $\tau^{(i)} \leftarrow \text{Line-search for loss with } \tau \in (0,1)$
- 6: $\mathbf{T}^{(i)} \leftarrow (1 \tau^{(i)})\mathbf{T}^{(i-1)} + \tau^{(i)}\tilde{\mathbf{T}}^{(i)}$
- 7: end for

Algorithmic resolution (p = 1)

$$\mathbf{T}^* = \underset{\mathbf{T} \in \mathcal{P}(\mu_{\mathbf{s}}, \mu_{\mathbf{t}})}{\operatorname{rec}(\mathbf{T})} \operatorname{vec}(\mathbf{T}) + \operatorname{vec}((1-\alpha)\mathbf{C})^T \operatorname{vec}(\mathbf{T}), \quad \text{with } \mathbf{Q} = -2\alpha\mathbf{D}' \otimes \mathbf{D}$$

- Problem is a non-convex Quadratic Program (GW with an additional linear term).
- We use Conditional gradient [Ferradans et al., 2014] with network simplex solver.
- Convergence to a local minima [Lacoste-Julien, 2016].
- With entropic regularization, KL mirror descent descent [Peyré et al., 2016b].

Application of FGW distance on structured data classification

Vector attributes	AIDS	BZR	COX2	CUNEIFORM	ENZYMES	PROTEIN	SYNTHETIC
FGW SP	99.44+/-0.47	85.12+/-4.15	77.23+/-4.86	76.67+/-7.04	71.00+/-6.76	74.55+/-2.74	100.00+/-0.00
FGW SP REGUL	-	85.61+/-5.05	77.66 + / -4.17	-	70.17+/-6.81	74.64 + / -2.99	-
FGW WSP	99.55 + / -0.35	84.88+/-4.34	78.09 + / -3.81	-	69.50+/-7.30	75.09 + / -2.34	-
FGWDMM SP	-	84.39+/-5.48	76.81 + / -4.30	-	61.67+/-7.19	75.00 + / -2.59	-
FGWDMM wsp	-	83.17 + / -5.05	78.30 + / -3.53	-	59.17 + / -6.55	75.09 + / -3.03	-
HOPPER ALL CV	99.50+/-0.59	84.15+/-5.26	79.57+/-3.46	32.59+/-8.73	45.33+/-4.00	71.96+/-3.22	90.67+/-4.67
PROPA ALL CV	98.45+/-1.06	79.51 + / -5.02	77.66+/-3.95	12.59 + / -6.67	71.67+/-5.63	61.34 + / - 4.38	64.67+/-6.70
PSCN k=10	99.80+/-0.24	80.00+/-4.47	71.70 + / -3.57	25.19 + / -7.73	26.67+/-4.77	67.95+/-11.28	100.00+/-0.00
PSCN k=5	99.85+/-0.23	82.20+/-4.23	71.91 + / -3.40	24.81 + / -7.23	27.33+/-4.16	71.79 + / -3.39	100.00+/-0.00

Graph classification

- Classifiation accuracy on classical graph datasets.
- Comparison with state-of-the-art graph kernel approaches and Graph CNN.
- We use $\exp(-\gamma \mathcal{FGW})$ as a non-positive kernel for an SVM [Loosli et al., 2015] (FGW).
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DISCRETE ATTRIBUTES	MUTAG	NCI1	PTC
FGW RAW SP	83.26+/-10.30	72.82+/-1.46	55.71+/-6.74
FGW WL H=2 SP	86.42+/-7.81	85.82+/-1.16	63.20 + / -7.68
FGW wl $H=2$ sp regul	84.74+/-8.03	-	63.37 + / -6.75
FGW WL H=4 SP	88.42+/-5.67	86.42 +/- 1.63	65.31+/-7.90
FGW wl h=4 sp regul	86.42 + / - 8.81	-	63.83 + / -7.83
GK к=3	82.42+/-8.40	60.78+/-2.48	56.46+/-8.03
PSCN k=10	83.47+/-10.26	70.65 + / -2.58	58.34 + / -7.71
PSCN k=5	83.05+/-10.80	69.85 + / -1.79	55.37 + / -8.28
RW all cv	79.47 + / -8.17	58.63 + / -2.44	55.09 + / -7.34
SP all cv	82.95 + / - 8.19	74.26 + / -1.53	-
WL all cv	86.21+/-8.48	85.77+/-1.07	62.86 + / -7.23
WL H=2	86.21+/-8.15	81.85+/-2.28	61.60+/-8.14
WL $H=4$	83.68+/-9.13	85.13+/-1.61	62.17+/-7.80

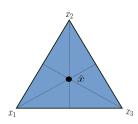
WITHOUT ATTRIBUTE	IMDB-B	IMDB-M
FGW RAW SP	63.80+/-3.49	48.00+/-3.22
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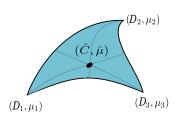
FGW barycenter

Euclidean barycenter



$$\min_{x} \sum_{k} \lambda_{k} \|x - x_{k}\|^{2}$$

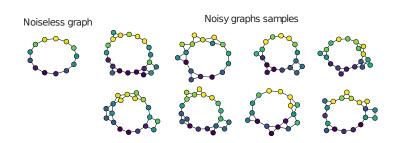
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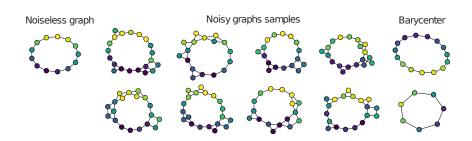
$$\min_{D \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}, \mu} \sum_{i} \lambda_{i} \mathcal{FGW}(D_{i}, D, \mu_{i}, \mu)$$

FGW barycenter p = 1, q = 2

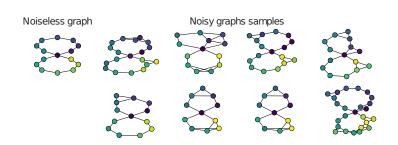
- Estimate FGW barycenter using Frechet means (similar to [Peyré et al., 2016a]).
- Barycenter optimization solved via block coordinate descent (on $T, D, \{a_i\}_i$).
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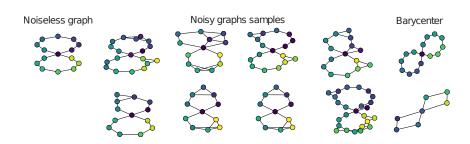
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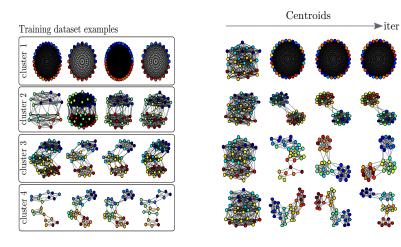


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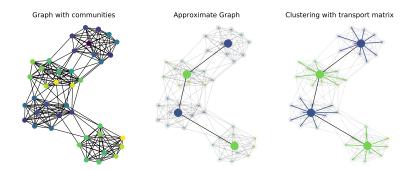
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FGW for graphs based clustering



- ullet Clustering of multiple real-valued graphs. Dataset composed of 40 graphs (10 graphs \times 4 types of communities)
- ullet k-means clustering using the FGW barycenter

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Graph approximation and community clustering

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Graph with bimodal communities

Approximate Graph

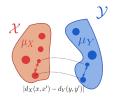
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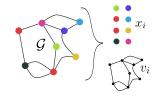
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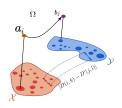
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GW and FGW for graph modeling







Gromov-Wasserstein distance [Memoli, 2011]

- Divergence between distributions across metric spaces.
- Can be used to measure similarity between graphs seen as distribution their pairwise node relationship.

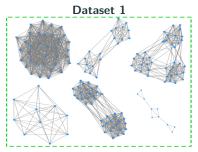
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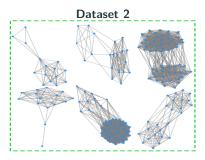
- Model labeled structured data as joint structure/labels distributions.
- New versatile method for comparing structured data based on Optimal Transport
- New notion of barycenter of structured data such as graphs or time series

How to sue GW/FGW to model data variability in a dataset of graphs?

Online Graph Dictionary Learning

Datasets of graphs



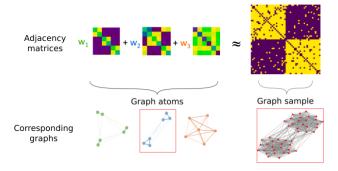


SBM with balanced communities $\{1,2,3\}$.

Two communities of variable proportions.

- We have access to large datasets of graphs with variable number of nodes.
- How to model the variability of those graphs?
- A natural formulation is to use factorization.
- We propose to use a linear model for representing te graph associated to and estimation of the linear basis: Dictionary learning.

Linear model

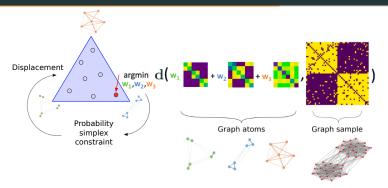


Linear modeling of graphs

$$D \approx \sum_{s \in [S]} w_s \overline{D_s} \tag{2}$$

- ullet Approximate a given graph structure D as a non-negative weighted sum of template graphs $\overline{D_s}.$
- ullet $\{\overline{D_s}\}_s$ is the dictionary of templates that all have the same order (nb. of nodes).

Gromov-Wasserstein Linear unmixing



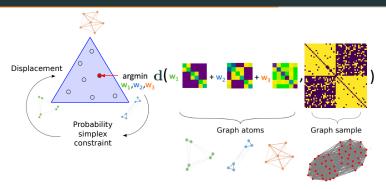
Sparse linear unmixing with Gromov-Wasserstein

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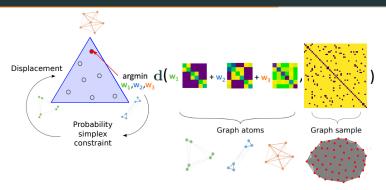
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Solving the unmixing problem

Optimization problem

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- Non-convex Quadratic Program w.r.t. T and w.
- GW for fixed w already have an existing Frank-Wolfe solver.
- We proposed a Block Coordinate Descent algorithm

BCD Algorithm for sparse GW unmixing [Tseng, 2001]

- 1: repeat
- 2: Compute OT matrix T of $\mathcal{GW}_2^2(m{D},\sum_s w_s \overline{m{D}_s})$, with FW [Vayer et al., 2018].
- 3: Compute the optimal ${\bf w}$ given ${\bf T}$ with Frank-Wolfe algorithm.
- 4: until convergence
 - Since the problem is quadratic optimal steps can be obtained for both FW.
 - BCD convergence in practice in a few tens of iterations.

Approximating GW in the linear embedding

GW Upper bond [Vincent-Cuaz et al., 2021]

Let two graphs of order N in the linear embedding $\left(\sum_s w_s^{(1)} \overline{{m D}_s}\right)$ and $\left(\sum_s w_s^{(2)} \overline{{m D}_s}\right)$, the \mathcal{GW} divergence can be upper bounded by

$$\mathcal{GW}_2\left(\sum_{s\in[S]} w_s^{(1)} \overline{D_s}, \sum_{s\in[S]} w_s^{(2)} \overline{D_s}\right) \le \|\mathbf{w}^{(1)} - \mathbf{w}^{(2)}\|_{\boldsymbol{M}}$$
(4)

with M a PSD matrix of components $M_{p,q} = \left\langle D_h \overline{D_p}, \overline{D_q} D_h \right\rangle_F$, $D_h = diag(h)$.

Discussion

- \bullet The upper bound is the value of GW for a transport $T=diag(\mathbf{h})$ assuming that the nodes are already aligned.
- The bound is exact when the weights $\mathbf{w}^{(1)}$ and $\mathbf{w}^{(2)}$ are close.
- Solving \mathcal{GW} with FW si $O(N^3 \log(N))$ at each iterations.
- Computing the Mahalanobis upper bound is $O(S^2)$: very fast alterative to GW for nearest neighbors retrieval.

Graph Dictionary Learning

GDL optimization problem

$$\min_{\substack{\{\mathbf{w}^{(k)}\}_{k\in[K]}\\\{\overline{\boldsymbol{D}}_s\}_{s\in[S]}}} \sum_{k=1}^{K} \mathcal{GW}_2^2 \left(\boldsymbol{D}^{(k)}, \sum_{s\in[S]} w_s^{(k)} \overline{\boldsymbol{D}}_s \right) - \lambda \|\mathbf{w}^{(k)}\|_2^2 \tag{5}$$

- On a dataset of K undirected graphs $\{D^{(k)} \in S_{N^{(k)}}(\mathbb{R})\}_{k \in [K]}$.
- We want to estimate simultaneously the unmixing $\mathbf{w}^{(k)}$ of each graphs and the optimal dictionary $\{\overline{D}_s\}_{s\in[S]}$.
- Very similar to classical DL (Non-negative Matrix Factorization) approach but with GW as a data fitting term.
- We propose to solve it an adaptation of the online algorithm [Mairal et al., 2009]

Stochastic/Online update [Vincent-Cuaz et al., 2021]

- 1: Sample a minibatch of graphs $\mathcal{B} := \{ oldsymbol{D}^{(k)} \}_{k \in \mathcal{B}}$.
- 2: Compute $\{(\mathbf{w}^{(k)}, T^{(k)})\}_{k \in [B]}$ from solving B independent unmixings.
- 3: Compute the gradient $\widetilde{\nabla}_{\overline{D}_s}$ on the minibatch with fixed $\{(\mathbf{w}^{(k)}, T^{(k)})\}_{k \in [B]}$.
- 4: Projected gradient step , $\forall s \in [S], \overline{D}_s \leftarrow Proj_{S_N(\mathbb{R})}(\overline{D}_s \eta_C \widetilde{\nabla}_{\overline{D}_s})$

GDL Extensions

GDL on labeled graphs

- For datasets with labeled graphs, on can learn simultaneously a dictionary of the structure $\{\overline{D}_s\}_{s\in[S]}$ and a dictionary on the labels/features $\{\overline{F}_s\}_{s\in[S]}$.
- \bullet Data fitting is Fused Gromov-Wasserstein distance $\mathcal{FGW},$ same stochastic algorithmm.

Dictionary on weights

$$\min_{\substack{\{(\mathbf{w}^{(k)}, \mathbf{v}^{(k)})\}_k \\ \{(\overline{D}_s, \overline{h}_s)\}_s}} \sum_{k=1}^K \mathcal{GW}_2^2 \left(D^{(k)}, \sum_s w_s^{(k)} \overline{D_s}, h^{(k)}, \sum_s v_s^{(k)} \overline{h_s} \right) - \lambda \|\mathbf{w}^{(k)}\|_2^2 - \mu \|\mathbf{v}^{(k)}\|_2^2$$

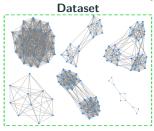
• We model the graphs as a linear model on the structure and the node weights

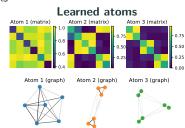
$$(\boldsymbol{D}^{(k)}, \boldsymbol{h}^{(k)}) \longrightarrow \left(\sum_{s} w_{s}^{(k)} \boldsymbol{D}_{s}, \sum_{s} v_{s}^{(k)} \overline{\boldsymbol{h}_{s}}\right)$$

- ullet This allows for sparse weights h so embedded graphs with different order.
- ullet We provide in [Vincent-Cuaz et al., 2021] subgradients of GW w.r.t. the mass h.

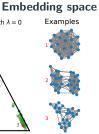
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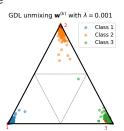
 \bullet Stochastic block model with $\{1,2,3\}$ blocks

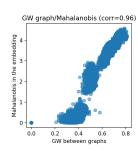




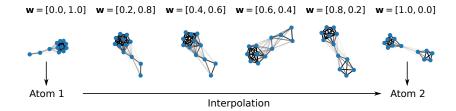
GDL unmixing $\mathbf{w}^{(k)}$ with $\lambda = 0$ Class 1 Class 2 Class 3



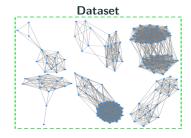




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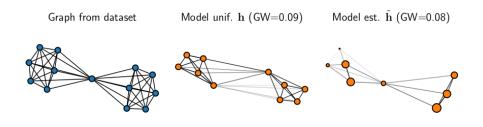


Learned Dictionary: Interpolation $\sim 1 D$ Manifold



- Stochastic block model with 2 blocks and varying proportions of block size.
- GDL with 2 atoms can recover the extreme points.
- Linear interpolation recover a continuous variation of proportion.

Experiments - Unsupervised representation learning



Comparison of fixed and learned weights dictionaries

- Graph taken from the IMBD dataset.
- Show original graph and representation after projection on the embedding.
- ullet Uniform weight h has a hard time representing a central node.
- ullet Estimated weights $ilde{h}$ recover a central node.
- In addition some nodes are discarded with 0 weight (graphs can change order).

Experiments - Clustering benchmark

Table 1. Clustering: Rand Index computed for benchmarked approaches on real datasets.

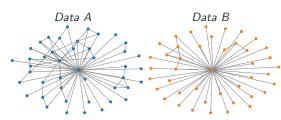
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models	IMDB-B	IMDB-M	MUTAG	PTC-MR	BZR	COX2	ENZYMES	PROTEIN
GDL(ours)	51.64(0.59)	55.41(0.20)	70.89(0.11)	51.90(0.54)	66.42(1.96)	59.48(0.68)	66.97(0.93)	60.49(0.71)
GWF-r	51.24 (0.02)	55.54(0.03)	-	-	52.42(2.48)	56.84(0.41)	72.13(0.19)	59.96(0.09)
GWF-f	50.47(0.34)	54.01(0.37)	-	-	51.65(2.96)	52.86(0.53)	71.64(0.31)	58.89(0.39)
GW-k	50.32(0.02)	53.65(0.07)	57.56(1.50)	50.44(0.35)	56.72(0.50)	52.48(0.12)	66.33(1.42)	50.08(0.01)
SC	50.11(0.10)	54.40(9.45)	50.82(2.71)	50.45(0.31)	42.73(7.06)	41.32(6.07)	70.74(10.60)	49.92(1.23)

Clustering Experiments on real datasets

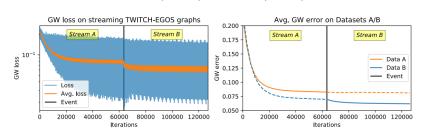
- Different data fitting losses:
 - Graphs without node attributes : Gromov-Wasserstein.
 - Graphs with node attributes (discrete and real): Fused Gromov-Wasserstein.
- We learn a dictionary on the dataset and perform K-means in the embedding using the Mahalanobis distance approximation.
- Compared to GW factorization [Xu, 2020] and spectral clustering.
- Similar performance for supervised classification (using GW in a kernel).

Experiments - Online Learning

- Streaming graphs: Stochastic update for each new incoming graph
- Dataset: TWITCH-EGOS
 - -120.000+ graphs
 - 2 classes
 - shared hub structure

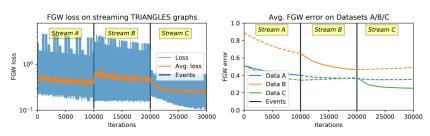


Simulated stream: data A (class 1) → data B (class 2)

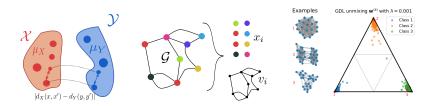


Experiments - Online Learning

- Streaming graphs: Stochastic update for each new incoming graph
- Dataset : TRIANGLES
 - 30.000+ labeled graphs
 - 10 classes
- Simulated stream: data A (4 classes) \rightarrow data B (3 classes) \rightarrow data C (3 classes)



Conclusion



Gromov-Wasserstein family for graph modeling

- \bullet Graphs modelled as distributions, \mathcal{GW} can measure their similarity.
- Extensions of GW for labeled graphs and Frechet means can be computed.
- \bullet Nonlinear and linear dictionaries of graphs using \mathcal{GW} provide a good modeling.

Open questions

- ullet Stability of the ${\cal GW}$ plan to perturbations of D (related to the GDL upper bound).
- Use \mathcal{GW} as a "kernel" for structured prediction (\mathcal{GW} barycenters).
- Weights on the nodes are important but rarely available: relax the constraints [Séjourné et al., 2020] or even remove one of them (WIP).

Thank you

Python code available on GitHub:

https://github.com/PythonOT/POT

ullet OT LP solver, Sinkhorn (stabilized, $\epsilon-$ scaling, GPU)

• Domain adaptation with OT.

Barycenters, Wasserstein unmixing.

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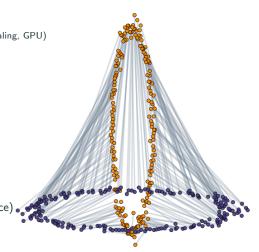
Tutorial on OT for ML:

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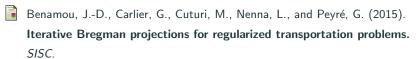
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