

# CoupledLP: Link Prediction in Coupled Networks

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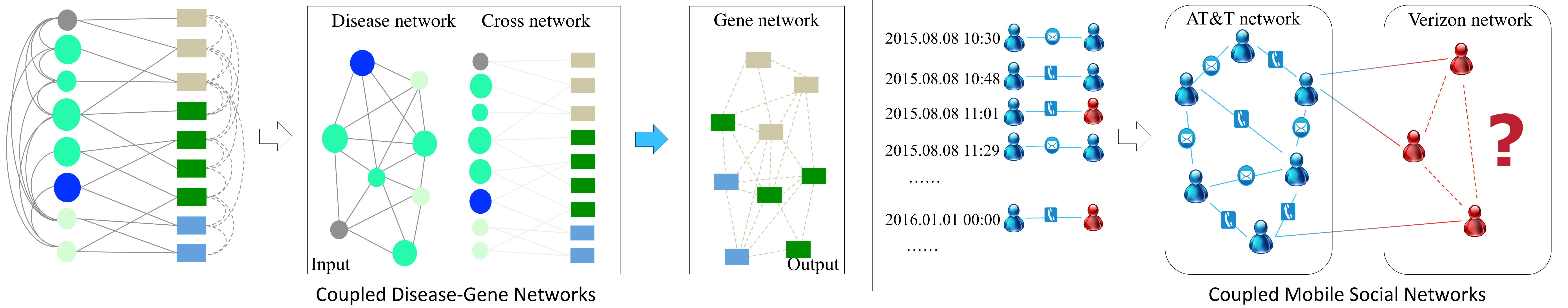
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## Motivating Examples



## Problem Definition

### ❖ Coupled Networks

Given a source network  $G^S = (V^S, E^S)$  and a target network  $G^T = (V^T, E^T)$ , they compose coupled networks if there exists a cross link  $e_{ij}$  with one node  $v_i \in V^S$  and the other node  $v_j \in V^T$ . The cross network  $G^C = (V^C, E^C)$  is a bipartite network containing all the cross links in the coupled networks.

### ❖ Coupled Link Prediction

Given the source network  $G^S$  and the cross network  $G^C$  in coupled networks  $G = (G^S, G^T, G^C)$ , the task is to find a predictive function:  $f: (G^S, G^C) \rightarrow Y^T$ , where  $Y^T$  is the set of labels for the potential links in the target network  $G^T$ , with  $y_{ij} = 1$  indicating a link exists between  $v_i$  and  $v_j$ , and  $y_{ij} = 0$  indicating no link exists between them.

### ❖ Challenges

**Incompleteness.** We do not have structure information between two users in target network—there is a visibility of links that go from source network to target network but not beyond that.

**Heterogeneity.** The source and target networks with multi-typed objects are twisted and coupled with one another. This makes it difficult to directly use a supervised learning approach.

**Asymmetry.** Following the heterogeneity, the two coupled networks usually present different network properties—such as the average degree or clustering coefficient.

### ❖ Related Work

Problem	Transfer Link Prediction	Cross-Domain Link Prediction	Heterogeneous Link Prediction	Coupled Link Prediction
Input	disease network + (part of gene network)	disease network + gene network	part of coupled networks	disease network + cross network + (part of gene network)
Output	gene network	remaining links in cross network	remaining single- or multi-typed links	links in gene network

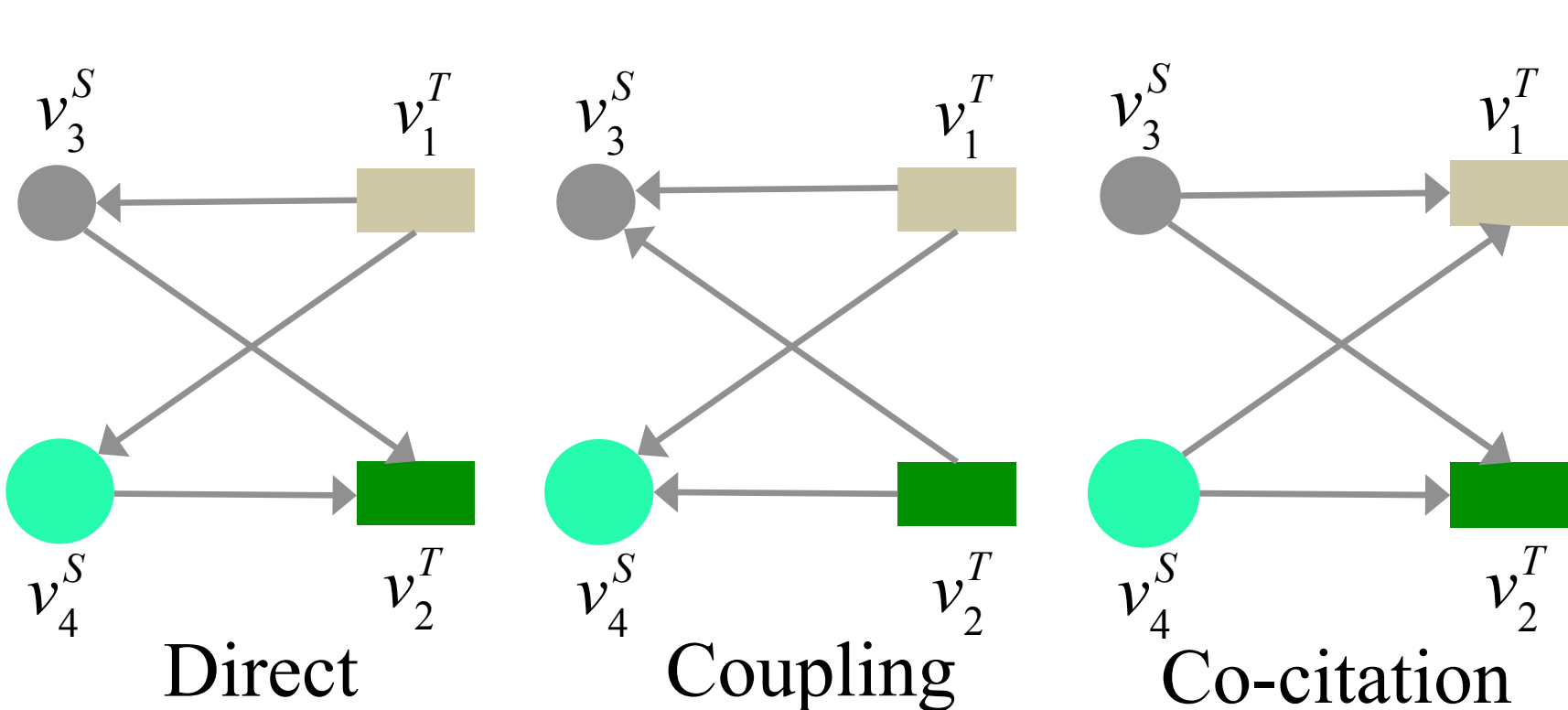
## CoupledLP Framework

### Implicit Target Network Construction

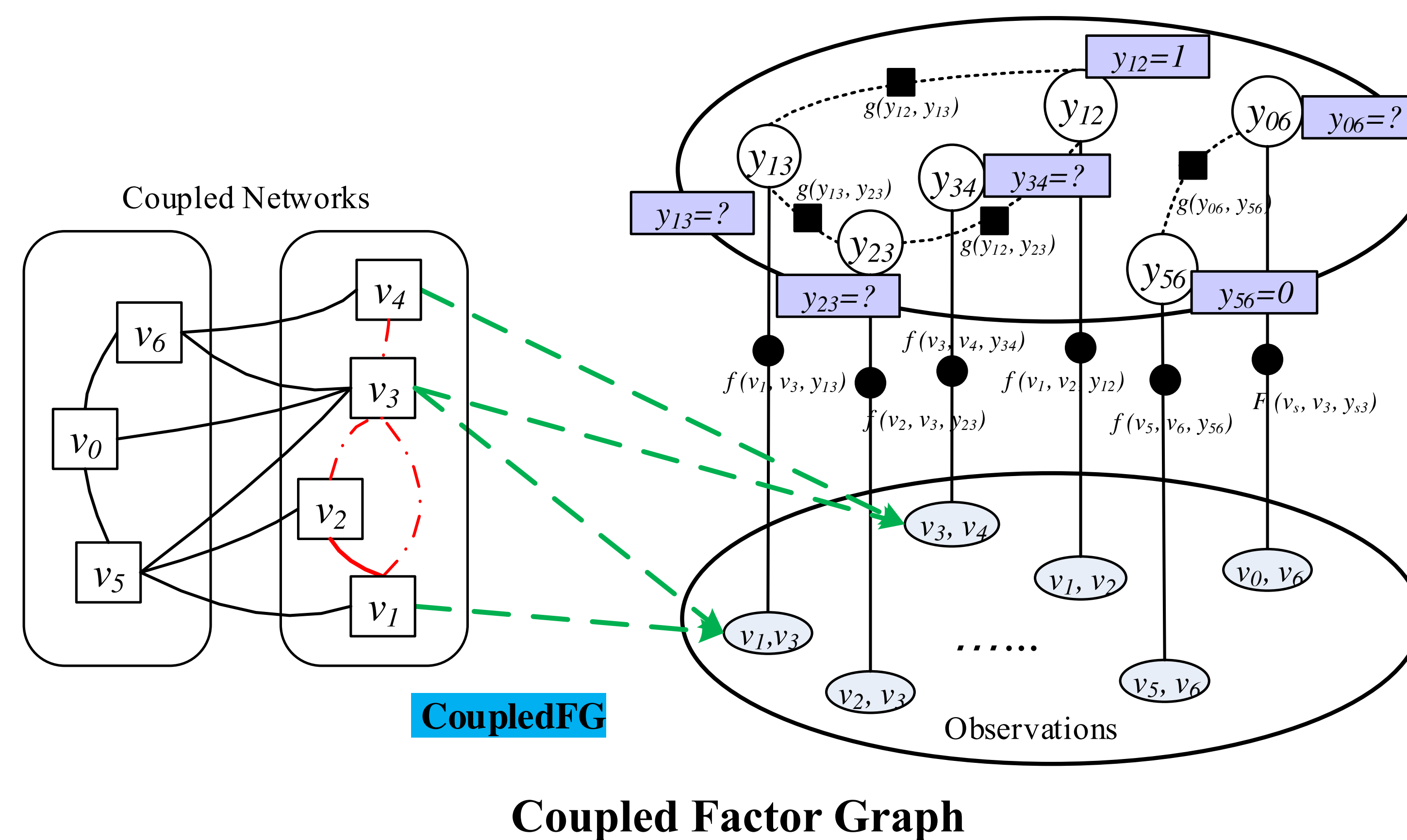
- Solve Incompleteness

### Coupled Factor Graph Model

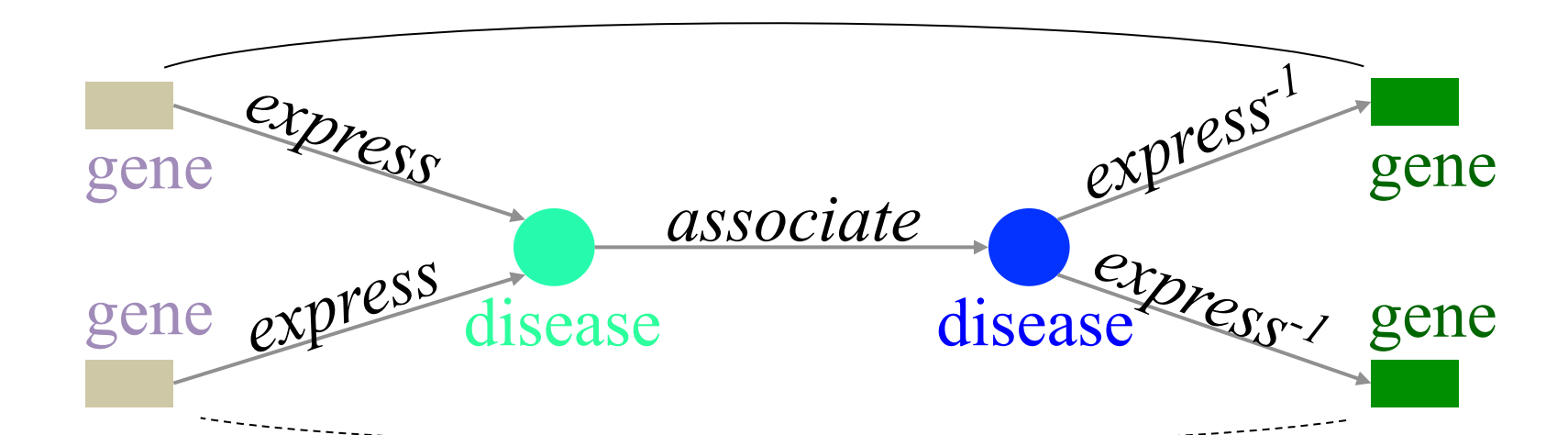
- Solve Asymmetry
- Solve Heterogeneity



### Implicit Target Network Construction



### ❖ Coupled Meta-Path



### ❖ Joint Distribution

$$P(Y|X, G) \propto P(X|Y) \cdot P(Y|G)$$

$$\propto \prod_{e \in E^S} \prod_{k=1}^K P(x_{ek}^S | y_e^S) \prod_{e \in E^T} \prod_{k=1}^K P(x_{ek}^T | y_e^T) \prod_{\pi \in \Pi} P(Y_\pi)$$

model source & target networks separately meta-path

### ❖ Objective Function

$$\mathcal{O}(\theta) = \sum_{e \in E^S} \left( \sum_{k=1}^K \alpha_k f_k(x_{ek}^S, y_e^S) \right) + \sum_{e \in E^T} \left( \sum_{k=1}^K \beta_k g_k(x_{ek}^T, y_e^T) \right) + \sum_{\pi \in \Pi} \gamma_\pi h_\pi(Y_\pi) + \log Z$$

## Experiments

### Coupled Network Data

- ❖ Disease-Genes Networks (D, G)
- ❖ Asian Mobile Networks (A)
- ❖ European Mobile Networks (E)

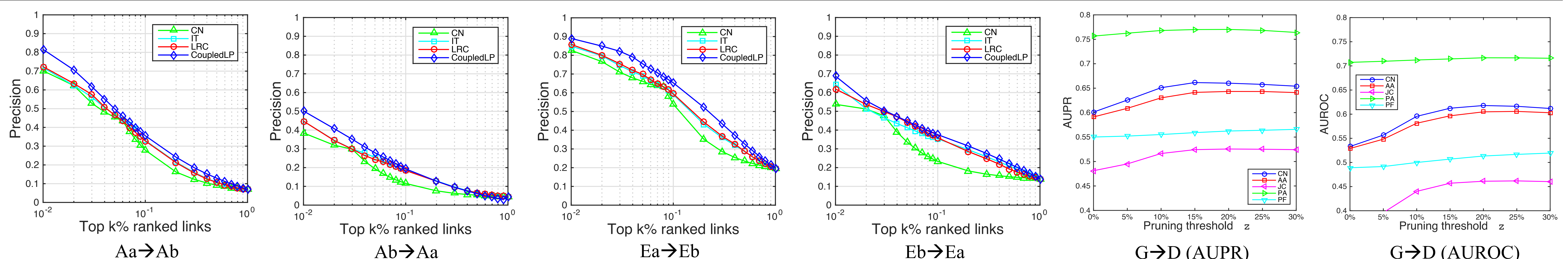
attributes	D	G	D ↔ G	Aa	Ab	Aa ↔ Ab	Ea	Eb	Ec	Ea ↔ Eb	Ea ↔ Ec	Eb ↔ Ec
#nodes	703	1,132	1835	348,640	63,687	235,715	2,531,187	655,755	354,166	1,912,933	1,255,046	625,379
#edges	74,523	2,450	10483	613,614	96,325	306,213	3,355,197	649,322	311,432	1,844,342	1,131,593	507,894
average degree	212.01	4.33	11.43	3.52	3.02	2.59	2.65	1.98	1.75	1.92	1.80	1.62
clustering coefficient	0.2639	0.0377	0	0.0237	0.0225	0	0.0457	0.0366	0.0317	0	0	0
associative coefficient	-0.0256	0.1761	-0.2556	0.2011	0.1671	0.0654	0.2848	0.2693	0.2806	0.0231	-0.0305	0.1113

### AUPR

Method	D to G	G to D	Aa to Ab	Ab to Aa	Ea to Eb	Eb to Ea	Ea to Ec	Ec to Ea	Eb to Ec	Ec to Eb
CN	0.0155	0.6011	0.3017	0.1348	0.3598	0.2319	0.3817	0.2079	0.3145	0.2654
AA	0.0167	0.5912	0.3344	0.1596	0.4541	0.2800	0.4838	0.2562	0.3802	0.3180
JC	0.0803	0.4812	0.0835	0.0903	0.3848	0.3082	0.4140	0.3429	0.3628	0.3579
PA	0.0083	0.7566	0.0820	0.0599	0.1446	0.1287	0.1525	0.1250	0.1560	0.1471
PF	0.0233	0.5501	0.1455	0.0989	0.3504	0.2248	0.3722	0.2138	0.2833	0.2446
IT	0.0155	0.6011	0.3715	0.2059	0.4344	0.3157	0.4568	0.2940	0.4008	0.3559
LRC-IT	0.0140	0.7830	0.3610	0.1880	0.4580	0.3140	0.5240	0.2870	0.4230	0.3500
LRC	0.0190	0.7930	0.3820	0.2030	0.4920	0.3160	0.5190	0.2910	0.4270	0.3590
DT-IT	0.0070	0.6270	0.2760	0.1050	0.3440	0.1620	0.3810	0.1550	0.2900	0.2260
DT	0.0080	0.6310	0.2530	0.1030	0.3580	0.1640	0.3470	0.1557	0.3060	0.2420
CoupledLP-IT	0.0303	0.8249	0.4291	0.2483	0.5088	0.3484	0.5257	0.3240	0.4537	0.3855
CoupledLP	0.0249	0.8432	0.4305	0.2776	0.5481	0.3591	0.5420	0.3399	0.4692	0.4133

### AUROC

Method	D to G	G to D	Aa to Ab	Ab to Aa	Ea to Eb	Eb to Ea	Ea to Ec	Ec to Ea	Eb to Ec	Ec to Eb
CN	0.6384	0.5330	0.6754	0.5896	0.6090	0.5556	0.6133	0.5418	0.5736	0.5552
AA	0.6544	0.5289	0.7658	0.6933	0.7408	0.6664	0.7486	0.6357	0.6826	0.6543
JC	0.6507	0.3666	0.5974	0.5220	0.7186	0.6116	0.7280	0.5977	0.6652	0.6327
PA	0.4850	0.7073	0.5802	0.5615	0.3835	0.4460	0.3746	0.4462	0.4131	0.4270
PF	0.6426	0.4890	0.7275	0.7006	0.7339	0.6649	0.7389	0.6654	0.6736	0.5552
IT	0.6384	0.5330	0.7735	0.7273	0.6867	0.6435	0.6969	0.6335	0.6756	0.6618
LRC-IT	0.5450	0.7160	0.7590	0.7280	0.7580	0.6930	0.7750	0.6840	0.7200	0.6890
LRC	0.6230	0.7320	0.8210	0.7750	0.7670	0.7070	0.7730	0.6950	0.7290	0.7030
DT-IT	0.5010	0.5830	0.7190	0.6260	0.6690	0.5480	0.6930	0.5410	0.6340	0.5920
DT	0.5140	0.5930	0.7460	0.6530	0.6750	0.5510	0.6730	0.5440	0.6450	0.6040
CoupledLP-IT	0.6825	0.7586	0.8052	0.7424	0.7597	0.7017	0.7664	0.6885	0.7314	0.7004
CoupledLP	0.6790	0.7865	0.8336	0.7807	0.7779	0.7127	0.7769	0.7016	0.7405	0.7157



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