

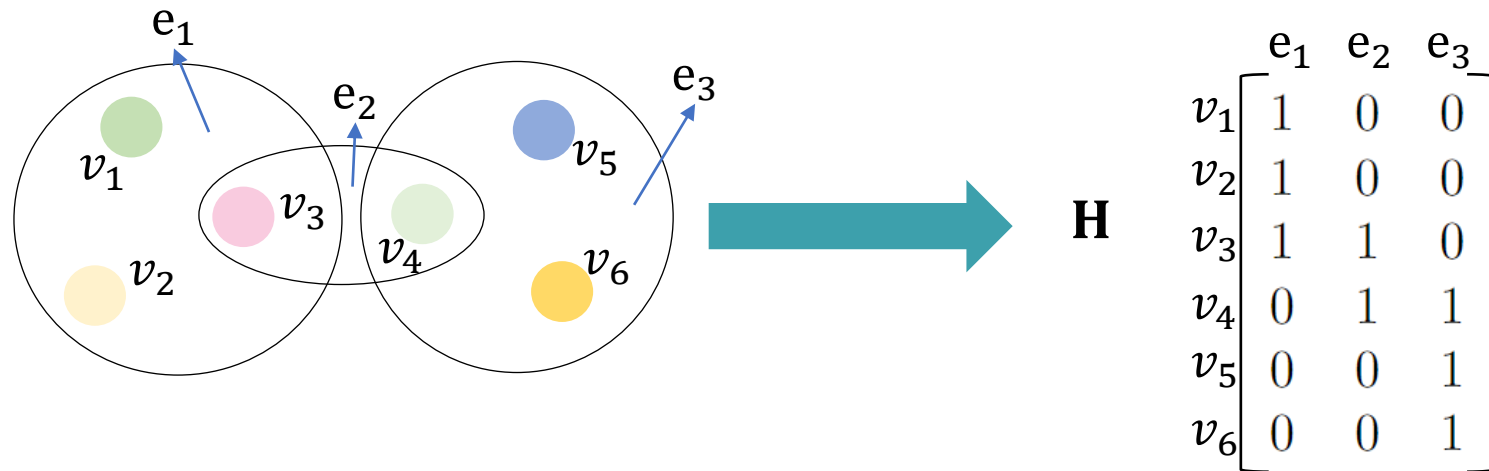
Hypergraph Transformer for Semi-Supervised Classification

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Hypergraph

Math formulation



Hypergraph $\mathcal{H} = \{\mathcal{V}, \mathcal{E}, \mathbf{H}\}$

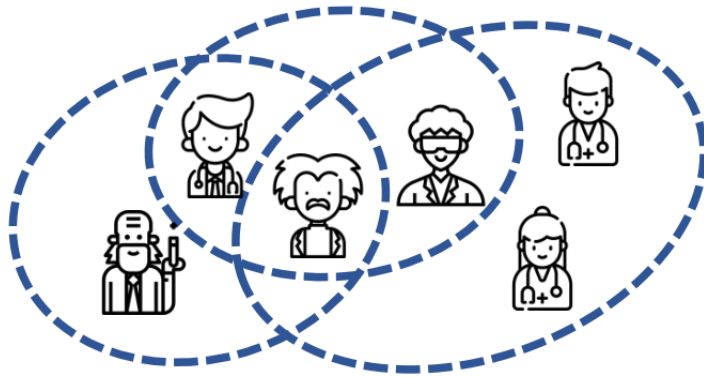
Node Set $\mathcal{V} = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$

Edge Set $\mathcal{E} = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m\}$

Incidence Matrix $\mathbf{H} \in \{0,1\}^{n \times m}$

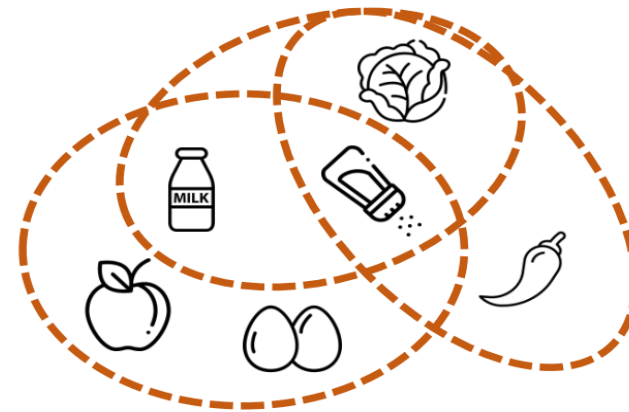
Hypergraph

Examples



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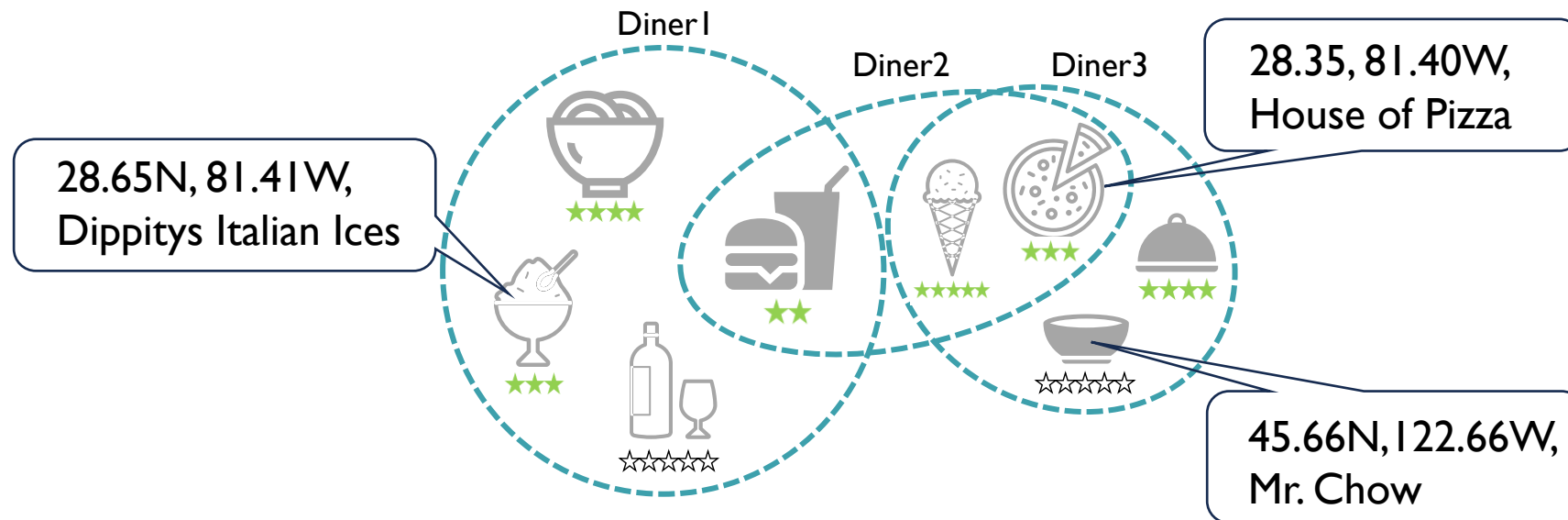


Cooking Recipe

A recipe is composed of multiple ingredients

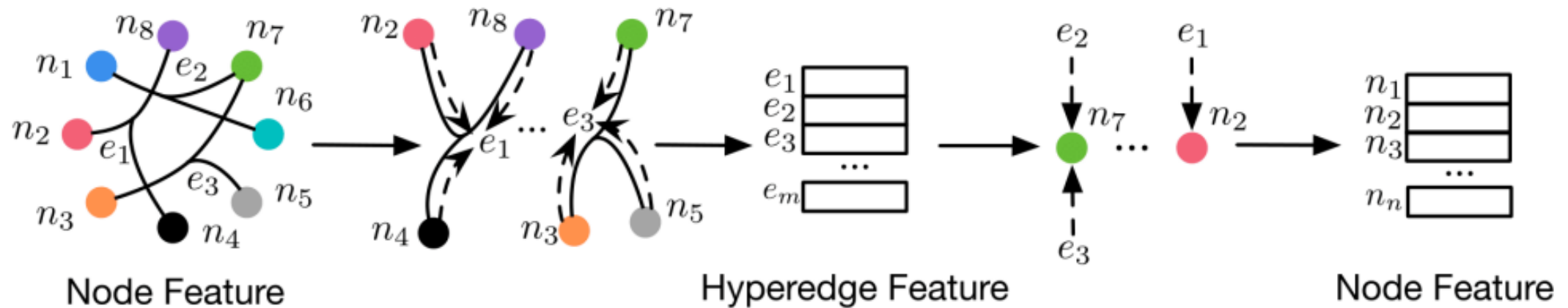
Semi-Supervised Node Classification on Hypergraphs

Given node features $\mathbf{X}_{\mathcal{V}} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$, labels $\mathbf{Y}_{lab} = \{\mathbf{y}_v\}_{v \in \mathcal{V}_{lab}}$ and hypergraph structure \mathbf{H} , we aim to classify nodes in $\mathcal{V} \setminus \mathcal{V}_{lab}$.



Hypergraph Neural Networks

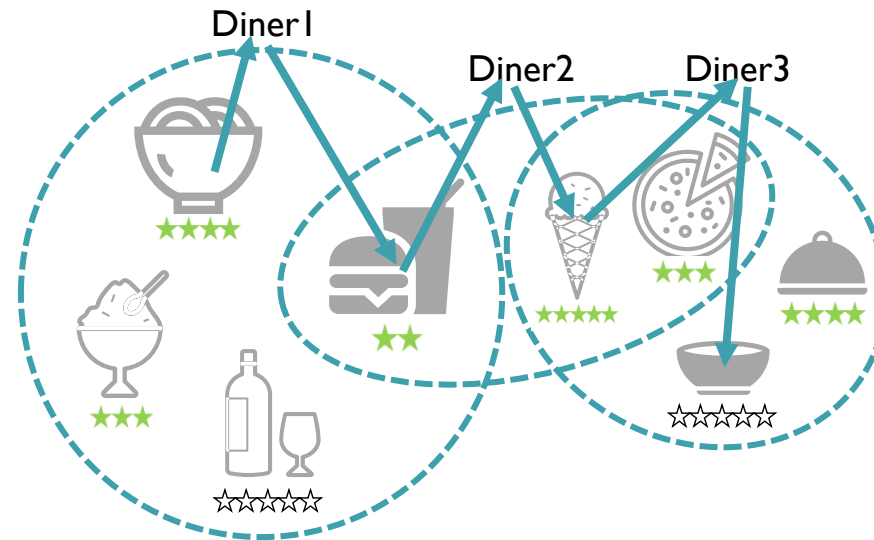
Two-step message passing



- Node features are sent to corresponding hyperedges to learn hyperedge embeddings
- Learned hyperedge embeddings are sent back to nodes to learn node embeddings

Hypergraph Neural Networks

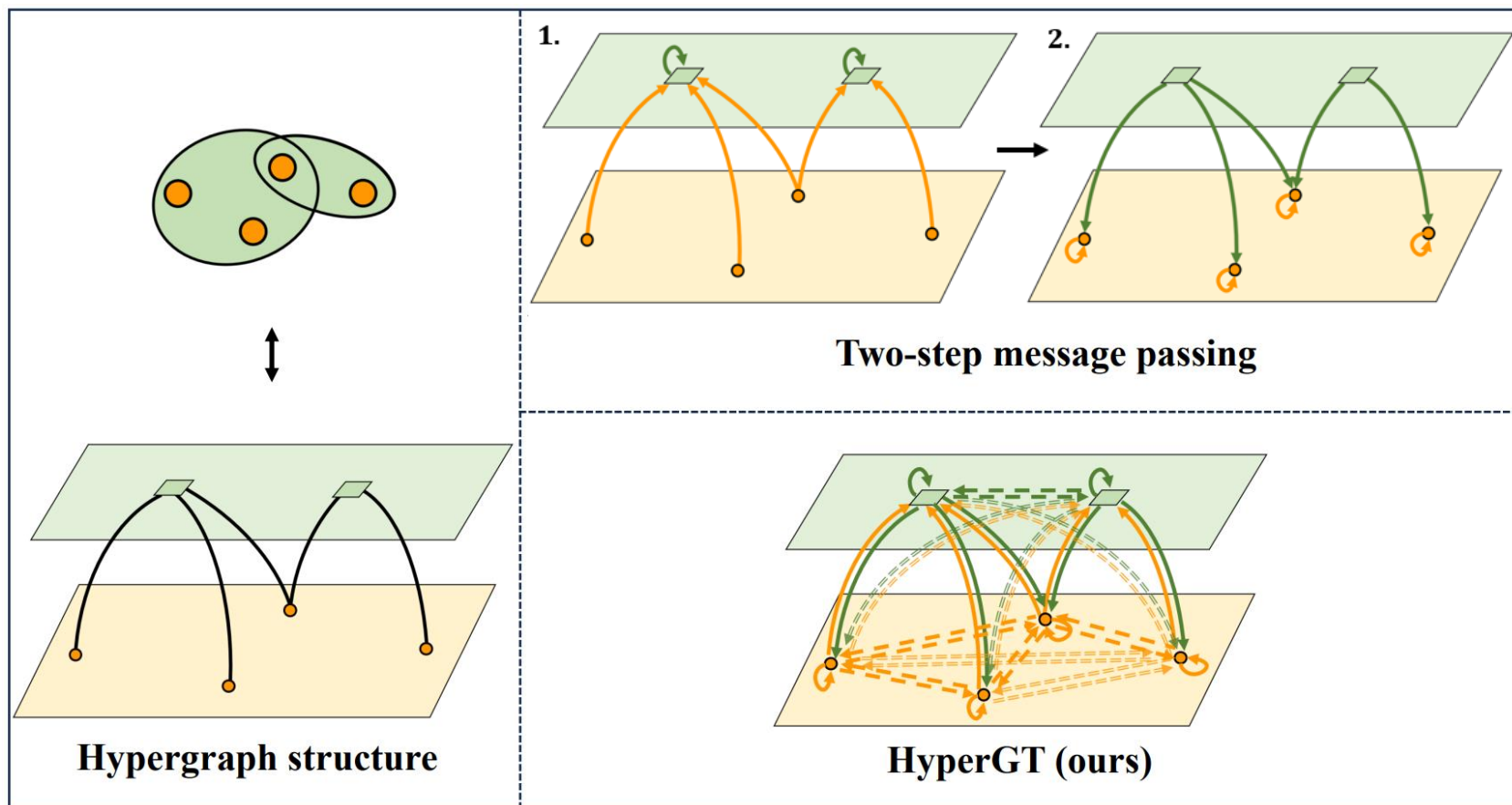
Two-step message passing



not efficiently exploiting the global information present in hypergraph-structured data!

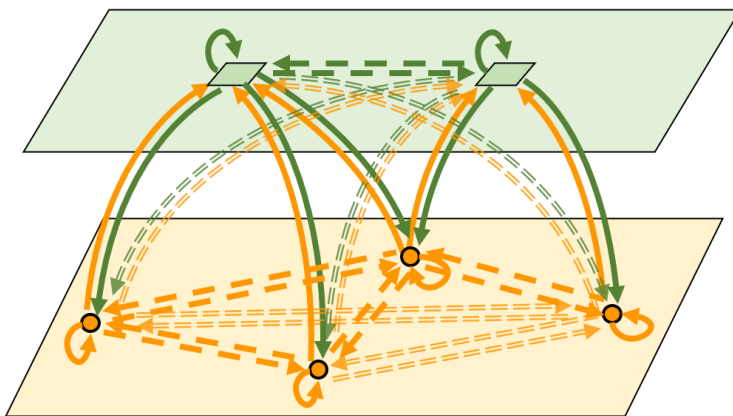
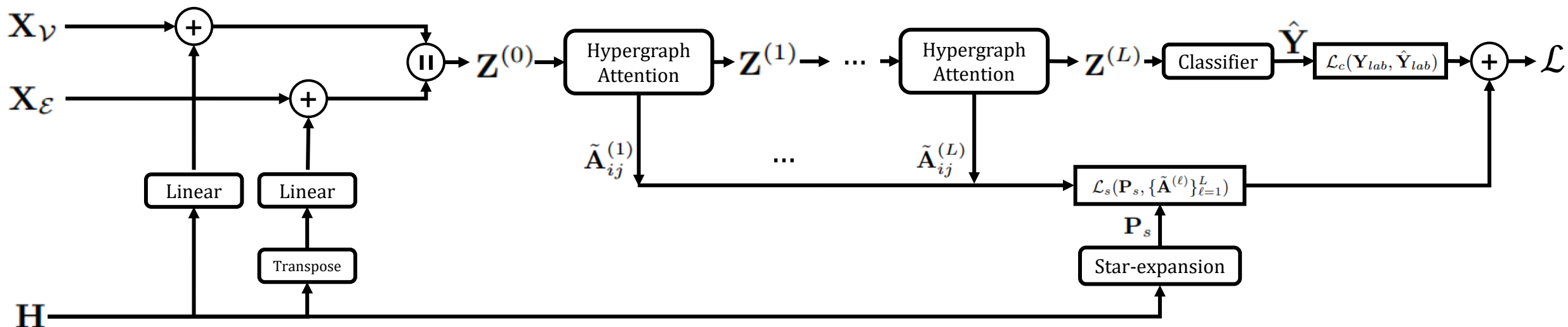
HyperGT: Interactions among all nodes and hyperedges

Capture both global and local interactions among all nodes and hyperedges in one single step



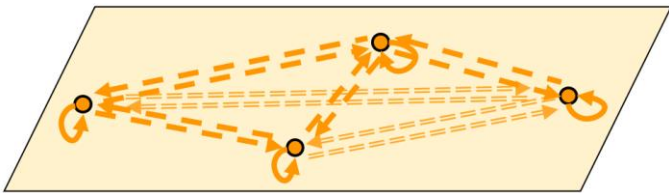
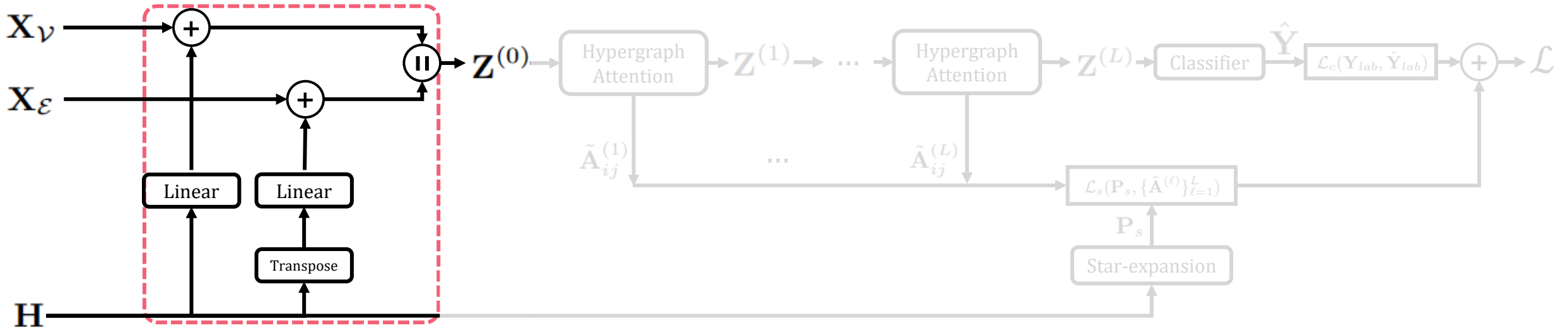
HyperGT's Overall Architecture

Transformer-based architecture to efficiently incorporate **both global and local interactions** in hypergraph



Hypergraph Incidence Matrix Based Positional Encoding

Valuable Structural insights:
offering local **node-node** and **hyperedge-hyperedge** interactions



Input features

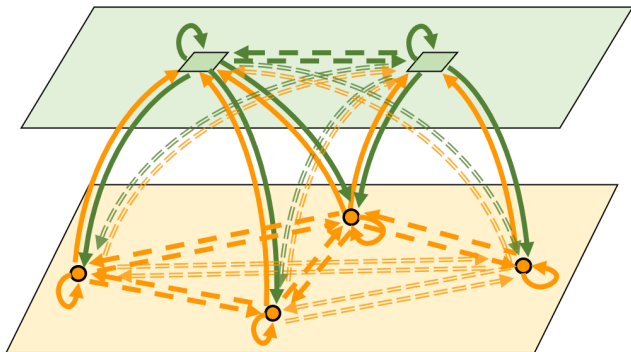
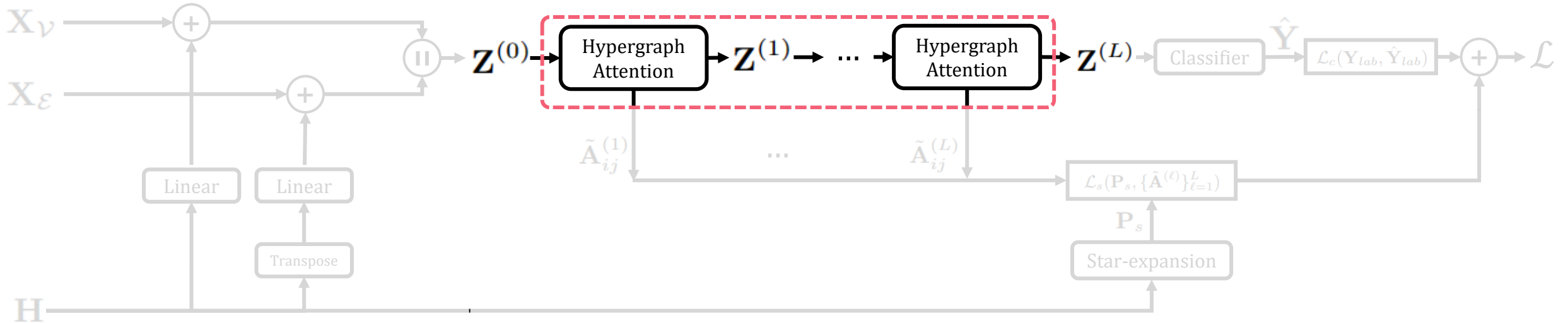
$$\mathbf{Z}^{(0)} = \mathbf{X} + \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_v + \mathbf{P}_v \\ \mathbf{X}_e + \mathbf{P}_e \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_v + \mathbf{H}\mathbf{W}_v \\ \mathbf{X}_e + \mathbf{H}^\top\mathbf{W}_e \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{(n+m) \times d}.$$

Theorem 1. Let $\mathbf{p}_u, \mathbf{p}_v$ be the positional encoding of nodes u and v , respectively. Then, $\|\mathbf{p}_u - \mathbf{p}_v\|_2 \leq C\sqrt{N_e}$, where C is a constant and N_e is the number of hyperedges only with either node u or v .

Hypergraph Attention

Efficient information propagation:

pairwise global interactions between **all nodes and hyperedges** in only one single step



Attention for each instance pair

$$\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{ij}^{(\ell)} = \frac{\exp((\mathbf{z}_i^{(\ell)} \mathbf{W}_Q^{(\ell)}) (\mathbf{z}_j^{(\ell)} \mathbf{W}_K^{(\ell)})^\top)}{\sum_{k=1}^{n+m} \exp((\mathbf{z}_i^{(\ell)} \mathbf{W}_Q^{(\ell)}) (\mathbf{z}_k^{(\ell)} \mathbf{W}_K^{(\ell)})^\top)}$$

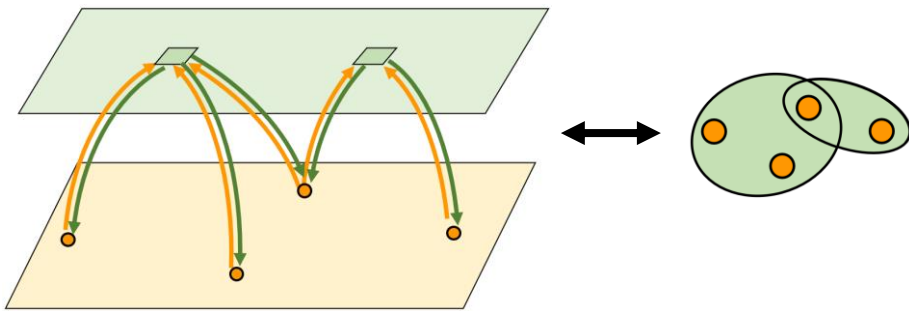
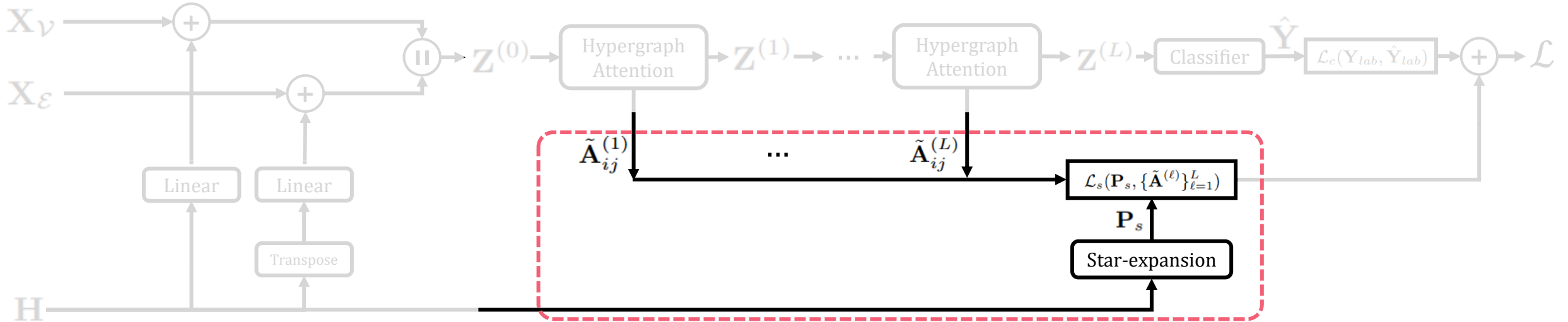
Updated representation

$$\mathbf{z}_i^{(\ell+1)} = \sum_{j=1}^{n+m} \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{ij}^{(\ell)} \cdot (\mathbf{z}_j^{(\ell)} \mathbf{W}_V^{(\ell)})$$

Hypergraph Structure Regularization

Connectivity Loseless Supervision:

utilize the **node-hyperedge** connection prior to guide the training of the attention matrix



Star expansion

$$\mathbf{A}_s = \begin{bmatrix} 0_{|\mathcal{V}|} & \mathbf{H} \\ \mathbf{H}^\top & 0_{|\mathcal{E}|} \end{bmatrix}$$

Probabilistic transition matrix

$$\mathbf{P}_s = \mathbf{D}_s^{-1} \mathbf{A}_s$$

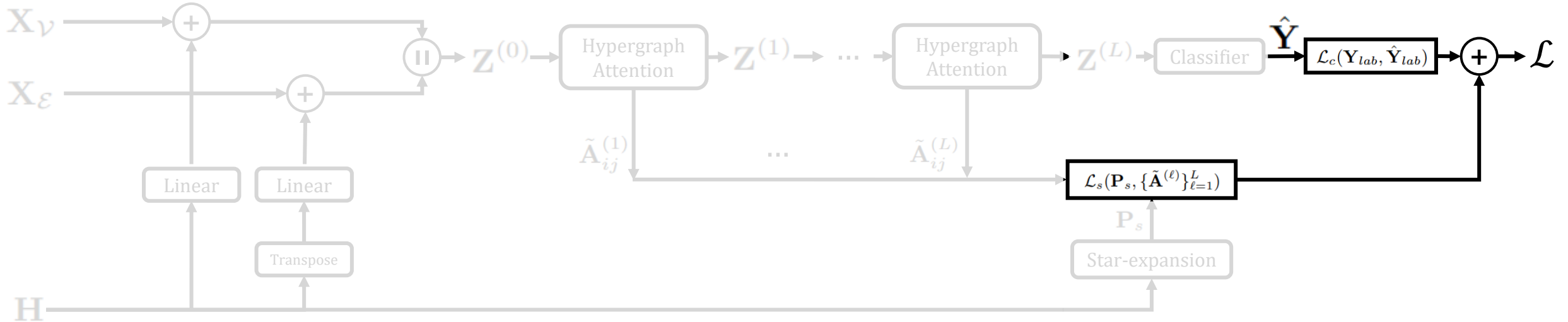
Structure regularization loss

$$\mathcal{L}_s(\mathbf{P}_s, \{\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(\ell)}\}_{\ell=1}^L) = -\frac{1}{(n+m)L} \sum_{\ell=1}^L \sum_{i,j=1}^{n+m} (\mathbf{P}_s)_{i,j} \log \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{ij}^{(\ell)}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{(n+m)L} \sum_{l=1}^L \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{E}_s} \frac{1}{d_i} \log \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{ij}^{(\ell)},$$

HyperGT's Training Strategy

Balance node labels cross-entropy loss and hypergraph structure loss

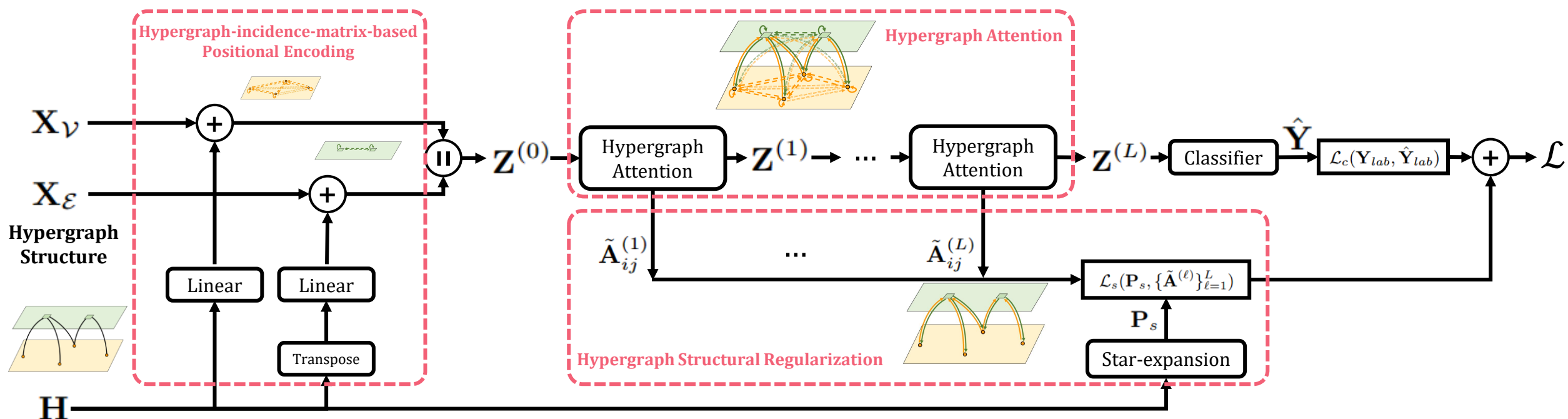


Supervised classification loss $\mathcal{L}_c(\mathbf{Y}_{lab}, \hat{\mathbf{Y}}_{lab}) = -\frac{1}{|\mathcal{V}_{lab}|} \sum_{u \in \mathcal{V}_{lab}} \mathbf{y}_u \log(\hat{\mathbf{y}}_u^\top)$

Structure regularization loss $\mathcal{L}_s(\mathbf{P}_s, \{\tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{(\ell)}\}_{\ell=1}^L) = -\frac{1}{(n+m)L} \sum_{l=1}^L \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{E}_s} \frac{1}{d_i} \log \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{ij}^{(\ell)},$

Final loss function $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_c + \lambda \mathcal{L}_s$

HyperGT's Overall Architecture



HyperGT effectively incorporates global interactions while preserving local connectivity patterns!

Experimental Results

Datasets

	Congress	Senate	Walmart	House
$ \mathcal{V} $	1718	282	88860	1290
$ \mathcal{E} $	83105	315	69906	341
# features	100	100	100	100
# class	2	2	11	2

Baselines

Nine representative HyperGNNs: HGNN (AAAI 2019), HyperGCN (NeurIPS 2019), HNHN(ICML 2020 workshop), HCHA (Pattern Recognition 2021),HyperND (2021), UniGNN (IJCAI 2021), AllDeepSets (ICLR 2022), AllSetTransformer (ICLR 2022), EDHNN (ICLR 2023).

Metric

$$Accuracy = \frac{N_{correct\ predictions}}{N_{total\ predictions}} * 100\%$$

Experimental Results

Test ACC

Superior classification accuracy across all datasets compared to previous hgns

	Congress	Senate	Walmart	House
HGNN	91.26 \pm 1.15	48.59 \pm 4.52	62.00 \pm 0.24	61.39 \pm 2.96
HCHA	90.43 \pm 1.20	48.62 \pm 4.41	62.35 \pm 0.26	61.36 \pm 2.53
HNHN	53.35 \pm 1.45	50.93 \pm 6.33	47.18 \pm 0.35	67.80 \pm 2.59
HyperGCN	55.12 \pm 1.96	42.45 \pm 3.67	44.74 \pm 2.81	48.32 \pm 2.93
UniGCNII	94.81 \pm 0.81	49.30 \pm 4.25	54.45 \pm 0.37	67.25 \pm 2.57
HyperND	74.63 \pm 3.62	52.82 \pm 3.20	38.10 \pm 3.86	51.70 \pm 3.37
AllDeepSets	91.80 \pm 1.53	48.17 \pm 5.67	64.55 \pm 0.33	67.82 \pm 2.40
AllSetTransformer	92.16 \pm 1.05	51.83 \pm 5.22	65.46 \pm 0.25	69.33 \pm 2.20
ED-HNN	95.00 \pm 0.99	64.79 \pm 5.14	66.91 \pm 0.41	72.45 \pm 2.28
HyperGT(Ours)	95.23 \pm 0.73	65.49 \pm 5.11	69.83 \pm 0.39	74.55 \pm 1.99

Experimental Results

Ablation study

All of the components are helpful for modelling hypergraph data

node PE	hyperedge PE	structure regularization	ACC
-	-	-	45.67
✓	-	-	66.51
✓	✓	-	67.63
✓	✓	✓	69.83

Efficiency (ms/run)

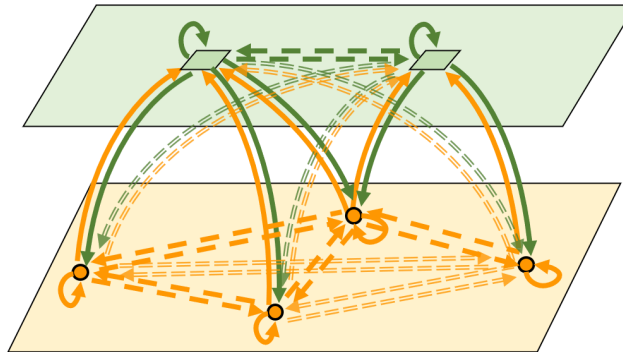
Maintains competitive inference speeds aligning with its theoretically low linear complexity^[1]

HGNN	HCHA	UniGCNII	AllDeepset	AllSetTransformer	HyperGT
20.301	20.942	25.015	32.603	62.788	24.882

[1] Qitian Wu et al., "Nodeformer: A scalable graph structure learning transformer for node classification," NeurIPS 2022.

Summary

- **HyperGT efficiently incorporates both global and local interactions in hypergraph**
 - Hypergraph Attention: efficient propagate signals between **all nodes and hyperedges**
 - Hypergraph Incidence Matrix Based PE: offer local **node-node** & **hyperedge-hyperedge** correlations
 - Hypergraph Structure Regularization: capture connectivities between **nodes and hyperedges**





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Q&A

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<https://github.com/zeroxleo/HyperGT>

