



SemiGNN-PPI: Self-Ensembling Multi-Graph Neural Network for Efficient and Generalizable Protein-Protein Interaction Prediction

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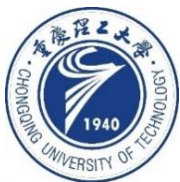
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Introduction

QUESTION:

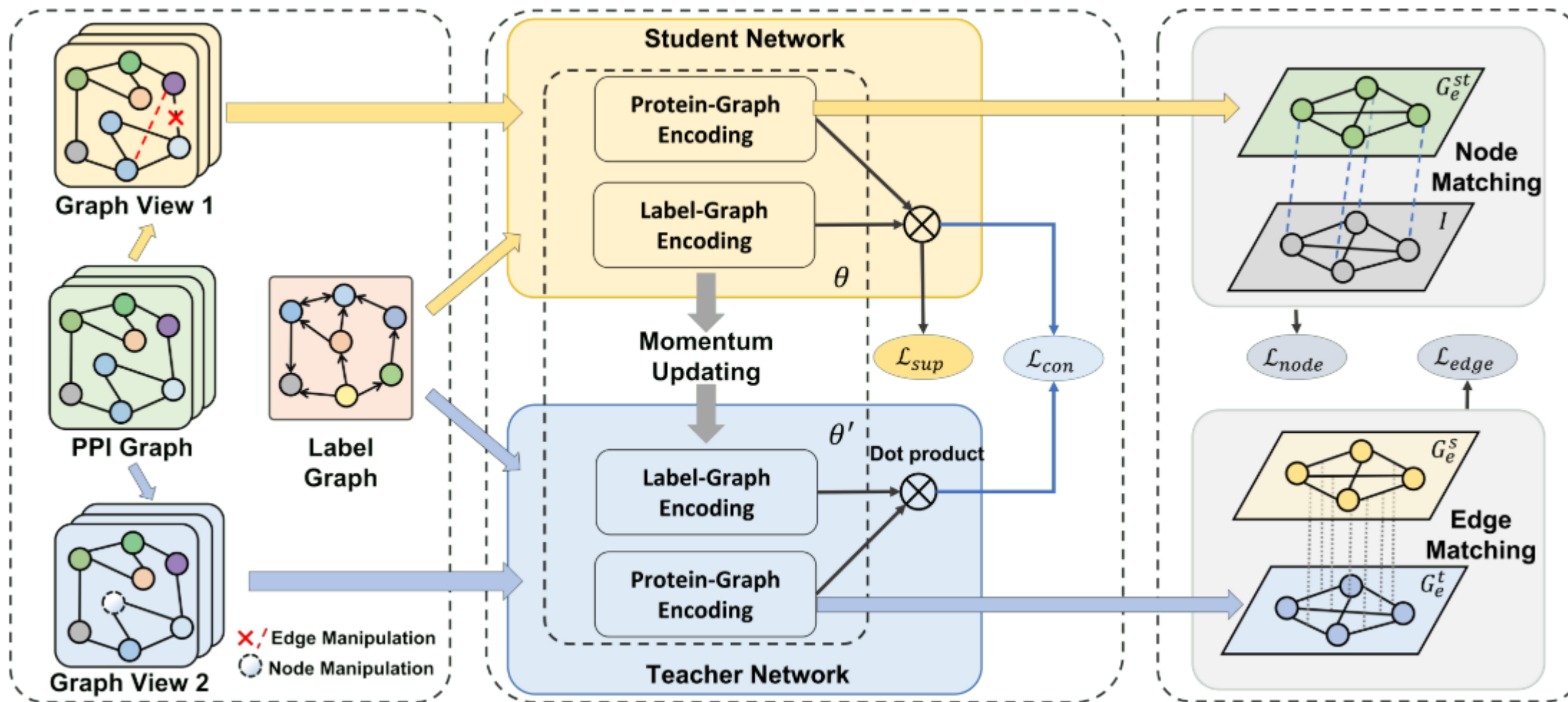
Domainshift: existing methods are only developed and validated using in-distribution data .

Label scarcity: many interactions still need to be annotated from experimental data, only a small portion of labeled samples can be used for model training

WORK:

1. propose an effective Self-ensembling multi-Graph Neural Network-based PPI prediction (SemiGNN-PPI) framework
2. combining GNN with Mean Teacher (SSL model) , to explore unlabeled data for self-ensemble graph learning and effectively utilize unlabeled data by consistency regularization with multiple constraints..

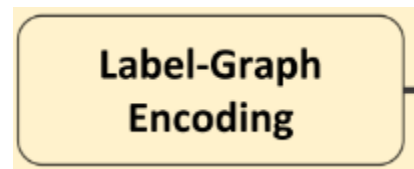
Overview



Method

PPI graph Encoding(GNN)

$$h_p^{(l)} = \phi^{(l)}(h_p^{(l-1)}, f^{(l)}(\{h_p^{(l-1)} : u \in \mathcal{N}_k(p)\})), \quad (1)$$



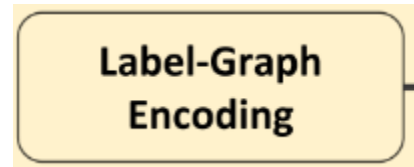
PPI graph Encoding(GNN+GIN+MLP)

$$h_p^{(l)} = g^l((1 + \epsilon^l) \cdot h_p^{(l-1)} + \sum_{u \in \mathcal{N}_k(p)} h_u^{(l-1)}). \quad (2)$$

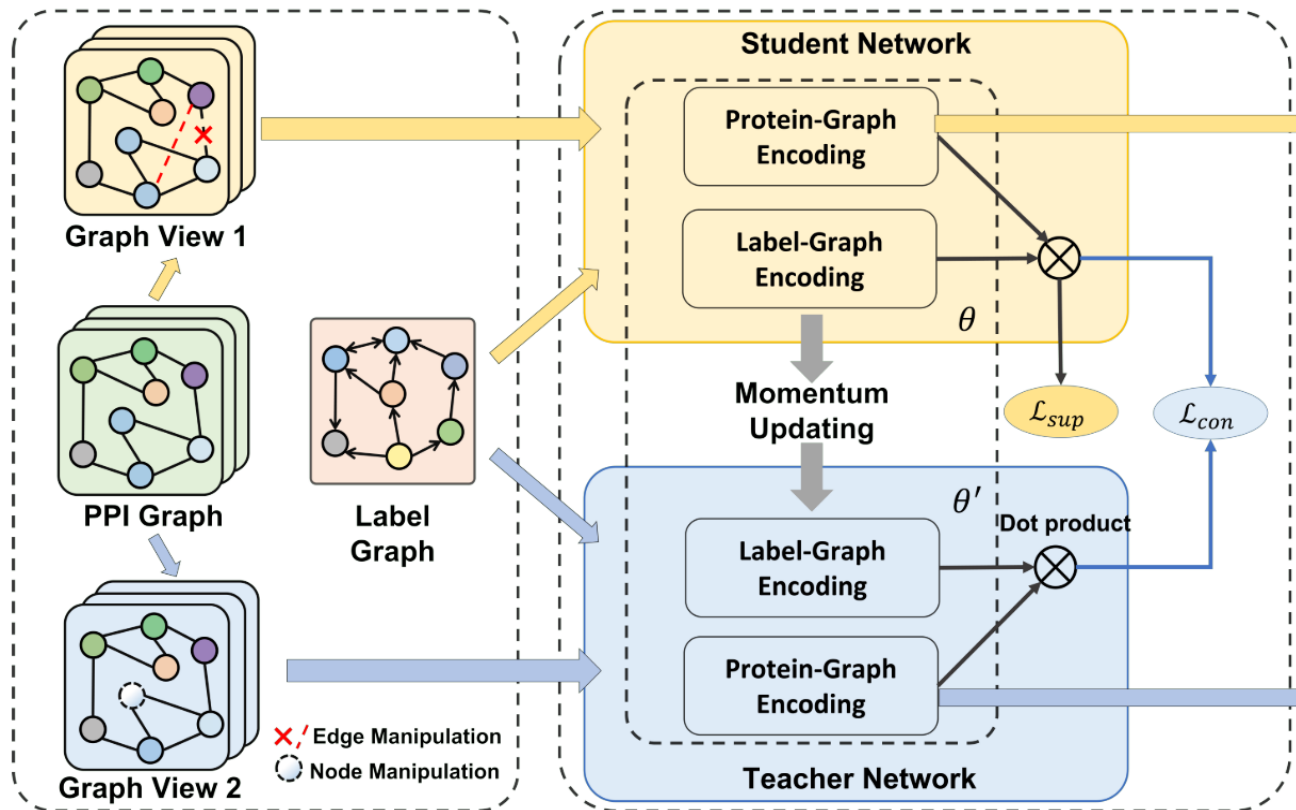
Label graph Encoding(GCN)

$$h_c^{(l+1)} = f(h_c^{(l)}, A), A \in \mathbb{R}^{t \times t}, \quad (3)$$

$$h_c^{(l+1)} = \delta(\hat{A}h_c^{(l)}W^l), \quad (4)$$



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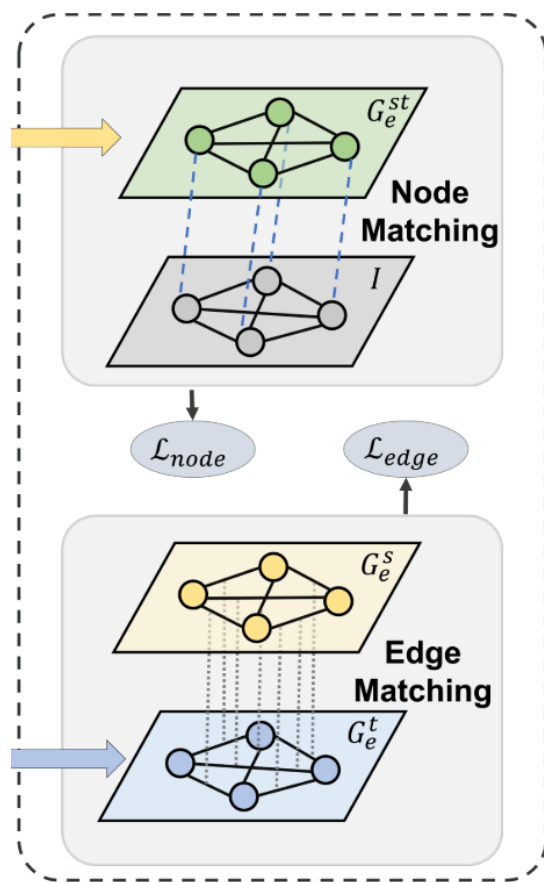
$$\hat{y}_{ij} = W(h_{p_i} \cdot h_{p_j}). \quad (5)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{sup} = \sum_{c=1}^t (y^c \log(\sigma(\hat{y}^c)) + (1 - y^c) \log(1 - \sigma(\hat{y}^c)))$$

$$\theta'_k = m\theta'_{k-1} + (1 - m)\theta_k, \quad (6)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{con} = \|f_t(E_u|G, \theta'_k, \xi') - f_s(E_u|G, \theta_k, \xi)\|_2, \quad (7)$$

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$$\mathcal{L}_{node} = \|\text{diag}(\text{Adj}(G_e^{st})) - \text{diag}(I)\|_2, \quad (9)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{edge} = \|\text{Adj}(G_e^s) - \text{Adj}(G_e^t)\|_2, \quad (8)$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{sup} + \lambda_{con}\mathcal{L}_{con} + \lambda_{edge}\mathcal{L}_{edge} + \lambda_{node}\mathcal{L}_{node}, \quad (10)$$

Experiments

Method		SHS27k			SHS148k			STRING		
		Random	DFS	BFS	Random	DFS	BFS	Random	DFS	BFS
ML	RF	78.45 _{0.88}	35.55 _{2.22}	37.67 _{1.57}	82.10 _{0.20}	43.26 _{3.43}	38.96 _{1.94}	88.91 _{0.08}	70.80 _{0.45}	55.31 _{1.02}
	LR	71.55 _{0.93}	48.51 _{1.87}	43.06 _{5.05}	67.00 _{0.07}	51.09 _{2.09}	47.45 _{1.42}	67.74 _{0.16}	61.28 _{0.53}	50.54 _{2.00}
DL	DPPI	73.99 _{5.04}	46.12 _{3.02}	41.43 _{0.56}	77.48 _{1.39}	52.03 _{1.18}	52.12 _{8.70}	94.85 _{0.13}	66.82 _{0.29}	56.68 _{1.04}
	DNN-PPI	77.89 _{4.97}	54.34 _{1.30}	48.90 _{7.24}	88.49 _{0.48}	58.42 _{2.05}	57.40 _{9.10}	83.08 _{0.11}	64.94 _{0.93}	53.05 _{0.82}
	PIPR	83.31 _{0.75}	57.80 _{3.24}	44.48 _{4.44}	90.05 _{2.59}	63.98 _{0.76}	61.83 _{10.23}	94.43 _{0.10}	67.45 _{0.34}	55.65 _{1.60}
Graph	GNN-PPI	87.91 _{0.39}	74.72 _{5.26}	63.81 _{1.79}	92.26 _{0.10}	82.67 _{0.85}	71.37 _{5.33}	95.43 _{0.10}	91.07 _{0.58}	78.37 _{5.40}
	GNN-PPI*	88.87 _{0.23}	75.68 _{3.95}	68.84 _{3.16}	92.13 _{0.10}	83.77 _{1.34}	69.02 _{3.07}	94.94 _{0.17}	90.62 _{0.23}	79.76 _{2.43}
M-Graph	SemiGNN-PPI	89.51 _{0.46}	78.32 _{3.15}	72.15 _{2.87}	92.40 _{0.22}	85.45 _{1.17}	71.78 _{3.56}	95.57 _{0.08}	91.23 _{0.26}	80.84 _{2.05}

Table 1: Performance of SemiGNN-PPI and baseline methods over different datasets and data partition schemes. GNN-PPI: reported results in the original paper. GNN-PPI*: reproduced GNN-PPI results. The scores are presented in the format of mean_{std}.

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Method	STRING				SHS148k				SHS27k			
	5%	10%	20%	100%	5%	10%	20%	100%	5%	10%	20%	100%
Partition Scheme = Random												
GNN-PPI	89.94 _{0.29}	92.38 _{0.51}	93.30 _{0.56}	94.94 _{0.17}	79.19 _{0.67}	82.86 _{0.49}	86.67 _{0.22}	92.13 _{0.10}	52.04 _{3.32}	60.28 _{12.26}	79.44 _{1.19}	88.87 _{0.23}
Ours	90.55_{0.10}	92.66_{0.59}	93.90_{0.41}	95.57_{0.08}	79.50_{0.31}	83.48_{0.30}	87.38_{0.24}	92.40_{0.22}	57.97_{1.13}	62.67_{11.26}	81.01_{0.47}	89.51_{0.46}
Partition Scheme = DFS												
GNN-PPI	86.60 _{0.37}	87.91 _{0.30}	89.42 _{0.46}	90.62 _{0.23}	68.77 _{11.20}	78.36 _{2.23}	80.96 _{1.61}	83.77 _{1.34}	53.41 _{1.64}	58.43 _{2.27}	65.73 _{4.18}	75.68 _{3.95}
Ours	87.54_{0.06}	88.98_{0.26}	90.23_{0.12}	91.23_{0.26}	69.94_{9.57}	81.12_{0.98}	83.63_{0.86}	85.45_{1.17}	58.48_{1.11}	61.18_{1.98}	70.31_{2.38}	78.32_{3.15}
Partition Scheme = BFS												
GNN-PPI	71.35 _{4.67}	74.94 _{2.35}	79.99 _{2.75}	79.76 _{2.43}	61.42 _{3.29}	62.51 _{3.07}	67.10 _{3.48}	69.02 _{3.07}	57.93 _{4.11}	56.84 _{12.19}	61.18 _{6.58}	68.84 _{3.16}
Ours	73.35_{4.90}	76.94_{2.53}	81.39_{2.44}	80.84_{2.05}	64.86_{2.97}	68.76_{1.62}	71.06_{3.35}	71.78_{3.56}	60.15_{2.09}	66.13_{2.01}	67.69_{8.47}	72.15_{2.87}

Table 2: Performance comparison of different methods under different label ratios. The scores are presented in the format of mean_{std}.

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Method	% Labels	Random Partition			DFS Partition		BFS Partition	
		BS (92.66%)	ES (6.95%)	NS(0.39%)	ES (75.95%)	NS(24.05%)	ES (85.70%)	NS(14.30%)
GNN-PPI	100	89.17	72.44	50.00	77.81	63.44	71.03	44.80
SemiGNN-PPI		89.68	72.93	50.00	81.75	66.32	75.14	57.00
GNN-PPI	20	83.46	70.10	43.68	64.40	54.21	59.04	66.33
SemiGNN-PPI		84.09	71.95	45.78	73.30	55.46	58.10	73.82
GNN-PPI	10	79.64	69.64	38.41	56.13	53.85	36.02	47.89
SemiGNN-PPI		80.22	70.33	41.67	61.07	57.90	57.39	72.73
GNN-PPI	5	53.43	44.33	40.64	53.85	49.62	56.10	51.95
SemiGNN-PPI		59.76	57.82	42.71	58.25	56.25	58.18	58.60

Table 3: Analysis on performance between GNN-PPI and SemiGNN-PPI over BS, ES, and NS subsets in the SHS27k dataset. The ratios of the subsets are annotated in brackets. The BS subsets are empty under DFS and BFS partitions and are omitted for brevity.

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PPI Type	Type Ratio	Random Partition		DFS Partition		BFS Partition	
		GNN-PPI	SemiGNN-PPI	GNN-PPI	SemiGNN-PPI	GNN-PPI	SemiGNN-PPI
Reaction	40.61%	89.58 _{0.15}	90.16 _{0.43}	81.90 _{1.65}	85.86 _{0.71}	61.62 _{1.29}	64.92 _{5.73}
Binding	52.71%	88.28 _{0.48}	89.46 _{0.57}	83.52 _{1.41}	86.39 _{0.67}	70.00 _{4.10}	72.43 _{6.33}
Ptmod	20.99%	87.04 _{0.29}	87.42 _{0.33}	77.94 _{1.67}	82.99 _{1.44}	65.92 _{5.52}	71.32 _{5.04}
Activation	42.51%	85.15 _{0.38}	85.26 _{0.46}	73.48 _{2.74}	77.95 _{1.19}	67.44 _{8.43}	68.04 _{8.06}
Inhibition	20.20%	87.21 _{0.18}	88.09 _{0.31}	72.46 _{1.11}	78.12 _{2.62}	60.20 _{4.62}	67.71 _{7.21}
Catalysis	44.67%	89.36 _{0.44}	90.35 _{0.31}	82.30 _{0.80}	85.77 _{1.29}	65.70 _{4.42}	73.39 _{6.33}
Expression	7.69%	47.85 _{0.79}	46.99 _{0.22}	34.96 _{3.74}	32.45 _{5.96}	31.81 _{6.87}	28.99 _{4.90}
Macro-Average	-	82.07 _{0.39}	82.53 _{0.38}	72.37 _{1.87}	74.16 _{2.09}	60.38 _{5.03}	63.29 _{5.29}
Micro-Average	-	86.67 _{0.22}	87.38 _{0.24}	80.96 _{1.61}	83.63 _{0.86}	67.10 _{3.48}	71.06 _{3.35}

Table 4: Per-class results in the SHS148k dataset with 20% training labels. The type ratios are calculated over the whole dataset.

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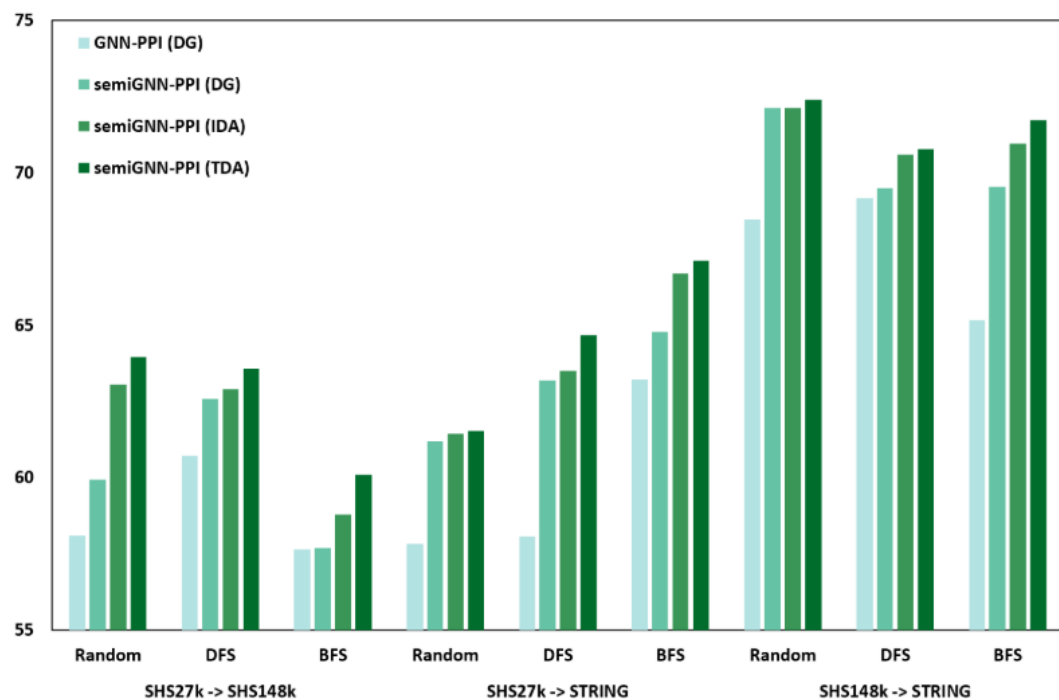


Figure 2: Performance comparison on trainset-heterologous test-sets. DG: domain generalization. IDA: inductive domain adaptation. TDA: transductive domain adaptation.

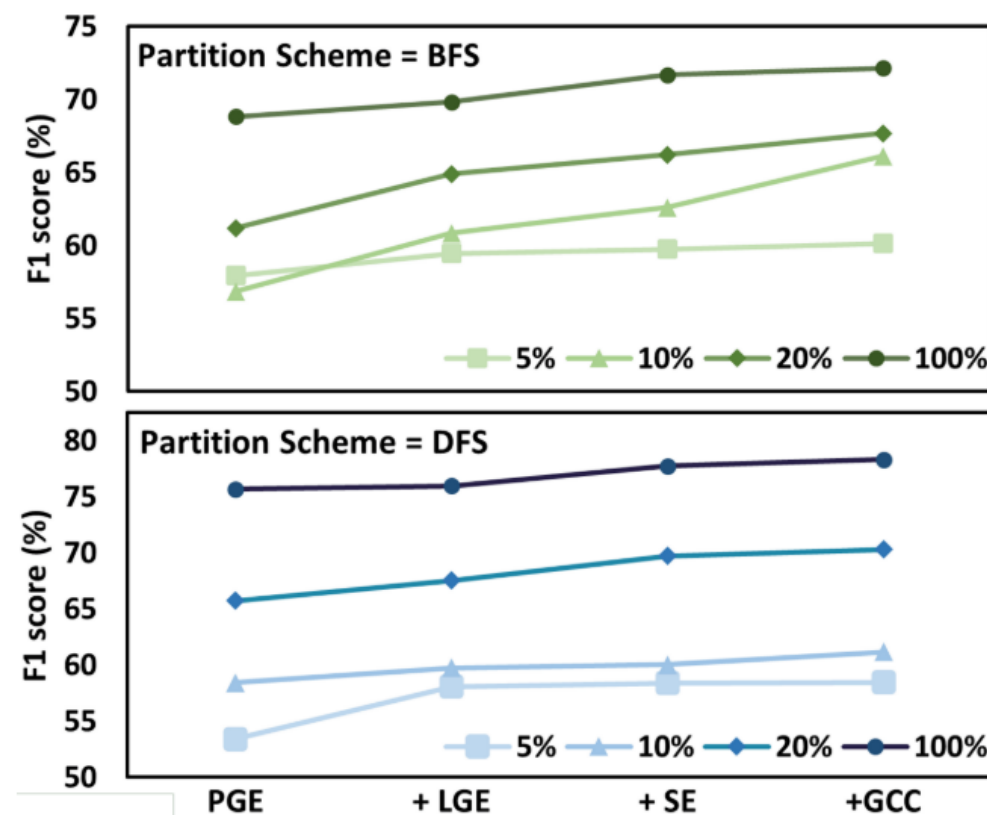


Figure 3: Results of ablation studies on different components of SemiGNN-PPI using the SHS27k dataset.



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